

FORBO MARMOLEUM SPORT TECHNICAL DATA

1. PRODUCT NAME & MANUFACTURER

1.1 Product:

Forbo Marmoleum Sport linoleum sheet resilient floor covering

1.2 Manufacturer:

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1.3 Product Description:

Construction: Forbo Marmoleum Sport is a homogeneous floor covering made from natural ingredients including flax seed oil, rosin binders, wood flour, limestone and dry pigments which are mixed and then calendared onto a natural jute backing.

1.4 Physical Characteristics:

(dimensions are approximate) Gauge------1/8" (3.2 mm) Backing ------Jute Width -----79" (2 meters) Length -----92' (28 meters) Roll Size ------67 yards² (56 meters²)

2. PRODUCT PERFORMANCE & TECHNICAL DATA

2.1 Reference Specification:

Meets or exceeds all technical requirements as set forth in ASTM F 2034 Standard Specification for Linoleum Sheet Flooring, Type I

2.2 Environmental:

100% USDA Certified BioBased Product. Compliant with CDPH 01350 requirements for VOC emissions and indoor air quality.

Forbo Marmoleum Sport contributes to LEED v4.1 credits. For additional information, contact Forbo Flooring Systems.

2.3 Static Load Limit:

Residual compression of 0.002" with 250 pounds per square inch when tested in accordance with ASTM F 970-17, Standard Test Method for Static Load Limit.

2.4 Slip Resistance:

Meets or exceeds the industry recommendation of >0.5 for flat surfaces when tested in accordance with ASTM D 2047, Standard Test Method for Static Coefficient of Friction.

2.5 Castor Resistance:

Suitable for office chairs with castors when tested in accordance with ISO 4918, Castor Chair Test.

2.6 Impact Sound Reduction:

6dB when tested in accordance with ISO 717-2, Impact Sound Insulation Test.

2.7 Resistance to Bacteria:

Provides a self-sanitizing quality in the form of a bactericidal effect. Independent testing has shown that a sterile zone around the material inhibits the growth of organisms such as staphylococcus aureus and Clostridium difficile.

2.8 Anti-Static Properties:

Naturally anti-static. This property makes cleaning easier because dirt and dust does not cling to the surface as it may with other materials.

2.9 Fire Testing:

Class 1 when tested in accordance with ASTM E 648/ NFPA 253, Standard Test Method for Critical Radiant Flux. Meets 450 or less when tested in accordance with ASTM E 662/ NFPA 258, Standard Test Method for Smoke Density.

2.10 Chemical Resistance:

(Exposure Time – 1h)*

Diluted Acids – Sulfuric, Nitric, Hydrochloric, Acetic,	
Lactic, Citric No Change	
Isopropyl Alcohol (70%) No Change	
Sodium Hydroxide (5%) No Change	
Ammonia (5%), Acetone No Change	
Soda Solution, Soap Solution	
(Slightly Alkaline) No Change	
Gasoline, Kerosene, White Spirit, Paraffin No Change	
Benzene, Toluene, Methyl Alcohol, Ethyl	
Acetate No Change	
Methyl Ethyl Ketone, Ether, Phenol (5%) No Change	
Mineral Oil, Olive Oil, Vegetable Oil,	
Animal Fat No Change	
Blood, Urine, Excrement No Change	
Formaldehyde, Hydrogen Peroxide 3% No Change	
Hot Chili Paste, Iodine, Betadine, Hair Dye No Change	
Shoe Polish, Lipstick Staining	
Silver NitrateStaining/Possible Softening	
Sulfuric Acid Staining	
Bitumen, Salt Water No Change	
Methylene Blue Staining	
Gel-Based Hand Sanitizer, Bleach No Change	
Tested in accordance with ASTM F 925, Standard Test	
Method Resistance to Chemicals of Resilient Flooring.	
*Forbo Marmoleum Sport is NOT resistant to prolonged	
exposure to high alkalis.	
Cigarette Resistance	

2.11 Cigarette Resistance:

Resists cigarette burns. Burning cigarettes will leave only a brown mark, which can be rubbed out using steel wool or a scouring pad.





3. INSTALLATION

3.1 Adhesive:

Use Forbo Sustain 1195, Forbo Sustain 100, Forbo L 885, or Forbo 660 adhesive.

3.2 Heat Welding:

Heat welding is not necessary for all installations. However, it is optional. For seamless, hygienic watertight installation requirements, use Forbo Marmoweld welding rod.

Welding rod dimensions: 4 mm; 165 linear feet per spool.

3.3 Heat Welding Is Not Required:

Forbo Marmoweld ETU is a color-matched sealant used to complete the installation of Forbo Marmoleum in place of heat welding. To use, sparingly apply Forbo Marmoweld ETU to all seams on the floor with a 1" (2.54cm) putty knife or plastic applicator. Ensure there are no sharp or damaged edges on the applicator that might scratch or damage the Forbo Marmoleum. Wipe all excess Forbo Marmoweld ETU off the surface of the Forbo Marmoleum with a clean, damp white cloth.

3.4 Flash Coving (OPTIONAL):

Flash cove up walls to the desired height. Use Forbo Sustain 1195, Forbo Sustain 100, Forbo L 885, or Forbo 660 adhesive.

Installation Guidelines:

Refer to Forbo's Installation Guidelines for complete installation recommendations.

4. WARRANTY

Limited 30-year warranty. For complete details, contact Forbo Flooring.

5. CARE & CLEANING

Refer to Forbo's Floor Care Guidelines for complete care recommendations.

