



Our Sustainability Recipe

Product Sustainability

Many of our carpet tile ranges use recycled yarns and/or have recycled content as part of the primary and secondary backing materials.

We always endeavour to manufacture and source raw materials to make products that have a high percentage of recycled content. This philosophy runs throughout our own partners supply chain.

Production Sites

Our products are manufactured on production sites with ISO 9001 and/or ISO 14001 accreditation. Many of our tiles are made in the UK, with a small selection manufactured in European production sites to minimise emissions through transportation

Re-use™ Take Back Program

At The Floor Hub we work with our contract chain to offer a full reclaim service of existing carpet tiles in the building. We can take any manufacturer's carpet tiles back. The reclaimed tiles are taken back to our London facility where the tiles are repackaged and then donated to charitable organisations, homeless shelters, start-ups, and many other good causes.

Certifications & Accreditations

VOC's and Chemical Substances

Carpet & Rug Institute (US and international) - Many of our products comply to the requirements of Green Label Plus 1100

GUT Gemeinschaft Umweltfreundlicher Teppichboden (DE) - Many of The Floor Hub's products meet the GUT-criteria, including VOC thresholds, odour, and chemical substances.

Green Building Certification

BRE Global (UK)

Our products can contribute towards credits in:

Hea 02 – Indoor Air Quality

To recognise and encourage a healthy internal environment through the specification and installation of appropriate ventilation, equipment, and finishes.

Use of a low-emission adhesive on installation (BN EN 13999-1:2007) can contribute to this credit.

Some of The Floor Hub carpet tiles meet the requirements of EN14041, including E1 classification for formaldehyde emissions, and can contribute to the credit for a healthy indoor air quality.

Hea 05 – Acoustic Performance

To ensure the buildings' acoustic performance including sound insulation meet the appropriate standards for its purpose, our products are highly sound-absorbent with reduction in contact noise ratings and has an absorption coefficient rating.

MAT 1 – Life Cycle Impact

BREEAM Rating - Commercial

To recognise and encourage the use of construction materials with a low environmental impact over the full life cycle of the building. Most of The Floor Hub's products have BREEAM ratings of A or higher.

MAT 5 – Designing for Robustness

To recognise and encourage adequate protection of exposed elements of the building and landscape, therefore minimising the frequency of replacement and maximising materials optimisation, our products satisfy the requirements of EN1307 classification, class 33 for use in a contract environment.

WST 01 – Construction Waste Management

To promote resource efficiency via the effective management and reduction of construction waste, our products can contribute to waste reduction on site by using our Re-use™ take back program.

Adhesives

We encourage and promote that our flooring partners use glues and adhesives that are solvent free, and with low emissions to lay our carpet tiles.

Product Aftercare

Carpet is one of the most abused elements of a building. Studies have shown that 90% of dirt can be kept off the flooring with effective entrance matting solutions. The Floor Hub offers a highly effective system of modular matting solutions designed to provide a primary barrier for dirt entering the building. Not only does this keep the carpet tiles clean, it maximises its useful life and improves indoor air quality.