



## NEOFLEX® (HOMOGENOUS) TILE INSTALLATION

1. Measure the dimensions of the room and ascertain a centre point. Using this centre point, establish a North-South [NS] chalk line on the floor, following the alignment of one of the walls and taking into account the most appropriate spacing to reduce wastage. This chalk line will be the guide to follow when installing the first row of Neoflex® Rubber Tiles.
2. Spread adhesive evenly and at the recommended rate. Do not overlap adhesive applications as this will cause Neoflex® to 'stand up'. The finished appearance will be effected as this level difference is 'telegraphed' through the Neoflex™ surface. This is especially important along the seams.
3. Start laying the first row of tiles, following the chalk line accurately. After the first row of Neoflex® tiles are placed into the adhesive and jointed, roll the entire surface with a 100 lb. [45 kg.] hand-held flooring roller. Assure that entrapped air is removed and surfacing is fully adhered. Only then start laying the second row of tiles. Repeat this procedure for each row of tiles laid.
4. With the first row of Neoflex® tiles, installed, it is advisable to lay the next row staggered, ensuring that no four corners of a tile meet at the same place. Measuring the middle point of any tile already laid and using that point as the starting point to lay the ensuring row of tiles can easily achieve the accurate staggering of tiles.
5. Tiles of Neoflex® are labelled on the underside advising the surface texture direction of the product and which face of the tile is to be placed down on to sub-floor. Always install Neoflex® tiles in the same direction following labelling. Follow these instructions carefully to avoid potential installation problems.
6. To achieve tight seams, certain situations may dictate that it will be necessary to trim sides and or the ends of the tiles of the Neoflex® surfacing (such as undulated and contoured sub floors).
7. Neoflex® can be field cut by utilizing a razor (or Stanley) knife and a straight edge
8. Installation of Reducing strips, edge guards and corner strips may be specified here or indicated in Drawings
9. Do not to drag the Neoflex® surface across the adhesive, thereby possibly contaminating the adjacent sheet.
10. Roll the whole surface repeatedly for up to 2 hours or until the adhesive has set.
11. Allow the adhesive to cure for a minimum of 72 hours before applying optional finish.