

GERFIX 100

APPROVED FLOORING TYPES

GERFLOR BLEACHERBLOK® SV (VINYL)

APPROVED SUBSTRATES & SURFACES

- ► APA underlayment grade plywood
- ► Concrete (no sub slab vapor retarder needed)
- ► Radiant heated subfloors that do not exceed 85°F (30°C)

SUBSTRATE TESTING

- ▶ **RH** No testing required [100%] [ASTM F2170]
- ▶ **pH** No testing required [5-14] [ASTM F710]
- ► MVER No testing required [ASTM F1869]
- ▶ **POROSITY** CSP 1+, must pass [ASTM F3191]



SUBSTRATE & SURFACE PREPARATION

Follow flooring manufacturer's guidelines. Substrate must be prepared per ASTM F710 standards including, but not limited to the following:

- ▶ Concrete floors must be dry, clean, smooth and structurally sound. They shall be free of any foreign materials that might prevent adhesive bond, including dust, dirt, solvent, paint, wax, oil, grease, contaminants from sweeping compounds, residual adhesive, adhesive removers, sealers, fire-retardant chemicals, fungicides, release agents, alkaline salts, excessive carbonation, laitance, mold, mildew, and curing, sealing, hardening or parting compounds.
- ► Smooth all surface irregularities with a 100% RH rated patching compound and fill all dormant cracks and non-moving joints with a two-component crack injection product designed for use beneath 100% RH moisture mitigation systems.
- ▶ The substrate, adhesive and flooring must be acclimated in an enclosed building with the HVAC operational at service temperature, between 65-85°F (15-35°C), and between 35-55% relative humidity, for at least 72 hours prior to, during, and permanently after installation.
- ▶ When installing over radiant heated subfloors, refer to the Gerflor USA installation hand book. Failure to do so could result in shorten working times and bond issues.

PRECAUTIONARY NOTES:

- ► Concrete must be placed in strict accordance with applicable standards and specifications. Concrete must be fully cured (at least 45 days), without hydrostatic pressure, without pressurized liquid from any source, and free of surface alkaline salt crystallization.
- ► Concrete should be porous per ASTM F3191.
- ▶ Flooring must be acclimated per Gerflor's installation guidelines.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Gerfix 100 may only be used as a wet-set adhesive. Follow flooring manufacturer's guidelines for layout, design and any special precautions for installation.

- 1. Spread adhesive using the required trowel size shown below. Adhesive ridges will dissipate, and the adhesive does not require back-rolling under normal circumstances.
- 2. Install flooring per the instructions below dependent upon desired application method. (Do not walk, kneel, or work directly on top of flooring without the proper use of knee-boards for at least 60 minutes after flooring is installed).
 - BLEACHERBLOK® SV
 - Install flooring immediately after adhesive is spread.
 - Working time is approximately 45 minutes under acceptable temperature and humidity conditions.
 - Periodically lift flooring material to verify 100% transfer of adhesive to the BleacherBlok.
- 3. Roll and cross roll floor with a 100 lb (45 kg) roller at the end of the installation to ensure proper transfer of adhesive.
 - Wait 1-2 hours after the installation to roll and cross roll floor a second time.

PRECAUTIONARY NOTES:

- ▶ Moisture protection applications must have 100% adhesive transfer.
- ▶ Use of knee-boards is required when working on top of freshly installed flooring (60+ minutes).
- ▶ Reseal lid when not in use to protect product.

REQUIRED TOOLS AND COVERAGE

| FLOORING TYPES | TOOL* (IMAGES NOT TO SCALE) | | ESTIMATED COVERAGE |
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| Gerflor BleacherBlok SV (Vinyl) | 1/16" x 1/32" x 1/32" U Notch | | 170-220 ft²/gal |

^{*}Trowel dimensions are width X depth X spacing. Coverage is approximate and may vary depending on porosity of substrate and the angle at which the trowel is held.

Note: It is the sole responsibility of the contractor/installer to determine the proper porosity of the subfloor, apply the correct amount of adhesive for the job conditions and ensure that all instructions, procedures and practices are strictly adhered to.

CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

While product is still wet: Use mineral spirits. While product is still soft: Use mineral spirits.

STORAGE

This product should be stored at temperatures between 50-90°F (15-32°C). This product is freeze-thaw stable 10°F (-12°C).

CAUTION

DO NOT take internally. If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

| GERFIX 100 2 GALLON PAIL | | | |
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| PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS | | | |
| roduct Classification Moisture barrier, wet-set flooring adhesive | | | |
| Base Chemistry | Modified urethane (isocyanate free) | | |
| Curing Method | Moisture cure | | |
| Appearance/Color | Off white | | |
| Odor | Extremely low | | |
| Consistency | Smooth, low viscosity liquid | | |
| Application | Easy troweling | | |
| Flammability | Non-flammable | | |
| Freeze/Thaw | Stable to 10°F (-12°C) [3 cycles] | | |
| Shelf Life [Unopened Container at 70°F] | 1 year | | |
| TESTING | | | |
| Moisture Control | Protects flooring against unlimited moisture (100% RH) substrate moisture vapor & topical liquids | | |
| RH [ASTM F2170] | No testing required (100%) | | |
| рН | No testing required (5-14) | | |
| MVER [ASTM F1869] | No testing required | | |
| Porosity [ASTM F3191] | Must pass (CSP 1+) | | |
| TIME | | | |
| Open Time | 0 min (sheet goods and stair treads) | | |
| Flash Time | 10 min (tile products) | | |
| Working Time | 45 min | | |
| Cure Time 6 hrs | 6 hrs | | |
| Pot Life | N/A | | |
| TRAFFIC | | | |
| Light Traffic | 3 hrs | | |
| Heavy Rolling Loads | 8 hrs | | |
| SUSTAINABILITY | | | |
| Solvents | No | | |
| Isocyanates | No | | |
| VOC Wet Applied [g/L] [SCAQMD Rule #1168] | <0.1 g/L | | |
| Bio-Based Content | No | | |
| Post-Consumer Recycled Content | No | | |
| Mineral Abundant Content Yes | Yes | | |
| LEED v4/4.1 Points Contributes to low emitting materials | Contributes to low emitting materials | | |
| Certifications | FloorScore® | | |
| WARRANTY | | | |
| Duration | 10-Year Performance Warranty, 15 year with Sport Products | | |
| Coverage | Bond, 100% Substrate Moisture Vapor, Topical Liquids | | |

For any questions or further information, please contact Gerflor USA at 877-437-3567.

^{*}For warranty information, view Product Warranty Certificate. Moisture warranty only applicable on concrete and self-leveling compounds (rated for 100% RH).