

# **GorillaCOR®**

# Rolled Polyvinyl Flooring Installation Instructions

# **UPON DELIVERY OF PRODUCT**

- 1. VERIFY packing slip matches with product and order.
- 2. **INSPECT** delivered product thoroughly. Report any discrepancies of original order, product defects, etc. No reimbursement/warranty claim will be given for labour on material installed with visual defects. Any defects - size, color or otherwise – must be reported to the place of purchase prior to installation.
- STORE product and adhesives in a clean, dry environment with temperatures between 60 and 77 °F (15-25 °C).
- 4. **READ** product and substrate preparation instructions, warranty and other disclaimers carefully and completely before beginning any installations.
- 5. **REVIEW** these important points prior to installation:
  - 5.1. GorillaCOR® rolls should be installed on a clean, smooth, flat surface.
  - 5.2. Unroll all GorillaCOR® rolls and allow acclimatization period of a minimum 72 hours, prior to trimming edges and corners. Heat/direct sunlight will speed up this process. Foot traffic and vehicles are permitted on GorillaCOR® rolls during this period.
  - 5.3. Curl marks are normal. Depending on temperature, these marks may take several days to dissipate.
  - 5.4. Preferred method of installation is overlapping seams by 2-3 inches and using GatorTAPE double-sided flooring
  - 5.5. If preference is to allow seams to meet, GorillaCOR® Seam Sealant Tape can be used overtop of seams, to create an impermeable surface.

**INTRODUCTORY NOTE:** This installation guide is intended to provide the necessary information for the proper installation of Perfect Surfaces GorillaCOR® rolled polyvinyl flooring. These instructions are believed to be based on accepted industry standards and are provided for informational use only.

PERFECT SURFACES DOES NOT WARRANTY ANY INSTALLATION PERFORMED PURSUANT TO THESE INSTRUCTIONS OR OTHERWISE AND SPECIFICALLY DISCLAIMS LIABILITY FOR ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR OTHER COSTS OR LOSSES RESULTING FROM INSTALLATION.

#### RECOMMENDED TOOLS

Measuring Tape or Ruler Utility Knife w/ Extra Blades Straight Edge/ Drywall Square Chalk Line

#### ADHESIVE OPTIONS

GatorTAPE Double sided tape GorillaCOR® Seam Sealant Tape TruGLU Adhesive

Perimeter sealant: SikaFlex 227

#### RECOMMENDED TOOLS TruGLU ADHESIVE INSTALLATION

Rubber gloves

Rags

U-Notch Trowel 1/16"x1/32"x1/32" (over non-porous substrates) Coverage: 150-200 ft<sup>2</sup>/ gal 50-100 lb Linoleum roller

#### **CUTTING TIPS**

- 1. When using a utility knife, be sure to keep the blades sharp to aid in the cut and help reduce the possibility of injury due to dull blades.
- 2. Use a metal or similar straight edge that is cut proof.
- 3. Holding the straight edge firmly in place, score the polyvinyl one to two

#### **CURING TIMES**

GatorTAPE and GorillaCOR® Seam Sealant:

Foot Traffic: Immediate

TruGlu Adhesive (Weather & humidity dependant)

Tack Time: 15-30 minutes Light Traffic: 12 hours Normal Traffic: 24 hours Heavy Duty Traffic: 72 hours

















Begin by sweeping and vacuuming the garage floor clean of all debris before unrolling the GorillaCOR® Rolls. Wipe up any oil and chemicals from floor. In most cases, the product is rolled on a PVC or paper core and will initially have curl marks when unrolled—this is normal and may take a few days to relax.

#### INSTALLATION

#### **Garage Floor**

- For best results, start the unrolling process at the garage entrance, finishing at the back of the garage. Using a wide push broom, push any air out from center and work your way outward side-to-side and length-to-length. It will take some time for most curl marks to lay flat. In cool to cold conditions, it may take 72+ hours before all curls have relaxed. Depending on the temperature, product may expand or contract somewhat during process. It is OK to park your car on the GorillaCOR® Rolls during this time.
- If after 72 hours curls are still present, turn up the heat or place in direct sunlight.
- 3. For custom fit, allow product to relax for a minimum of 72 hours in place before trimming around edges and corners. After product has been allowed to relax in place, overlap seams by 2-3 inches and tape underneath edges and in between seams using GatorTAPE. An alternate method to overlapping is to allow the seams to meet, followed by joining the seams using GorillaCOR® Seam Sealant Tape.
- Perimeter edges and along drains can be sealed using a 1-component polyurethane sealer, such as SikaFlex 227, to prevent liquids & debris from being trapped underneath GorillaCOR® rolls.

(optional) If a full spread adhesion is desired, it is recommended to apply TruGLU Resilient & Rubber Flooring Adhesive. As described above, substrate preparations and acclimatization must be met prior to custom fitting GorillaCOR® rolls. Once these conditions have been met, the following steps can be used:

- Fold a portion of the GorillaCOR® roll over, exposing the substrate. 1.
- Using a U-Notch 1/16"x1/32"x1/32" trowel, spread the TruGLU adhesive.
- 3. Unfold GorillaCOR®, working any bubbles out towards the perimeter.
- Repeat the above steps until all areas have been adhered. 4.
- 5. Use a Linoleum roller to ensure adhesive is adequately spread and contact has been made along the total area of the polyvinyl roll.
- The adhesive must be allowed to cure (between 24 48 hours depending on site conditions) prior to heavy traffic. Light foot traffic is 6. permitted 6 – 12 hours after trowelling FAS1 adhesive.

#### Interior, Exterior or Commercial Use

If product is used under extreme heat, such as direct sunlight, the product may expand or contract a small amount after laying flat. For custom fit, allow product to relax in place before trimming around edges and corners.

This product will relax over time and will look better the longer it sets.















#### **Cleaning & Maintenance**

Clean surface easily with soap and water, using a broom or sponge squeegee. Mild soap and detergents are usually effective. Never leave harsh detergents or chemicals on surface. You may choose to use household vinyl cleaners to increase longevity and to remove stubborn debris. This is not a stain-proof product. Certain chemicals, rubber tires, inks and dyes may cause permanent staining. For non-permanent stains, brake and tool cleaner can be used, but may cause discoloration. Never use harsh chemicals like tar remover or kerosene on this surface.

#### **Caution & Safety Warning**

This surface may become slippery when moisture, extreme cold or debris are present. Proper care and cleaning will reduce the likelihood of slips and falls. Always clean up any spills immediately to prevent hazardous, slippery conditions. Dispose of hazardous materials properly and never wash chemicals into the sewer system. Failure to remove harsh chemicals immediately may cause damage to the surface.

### **PRODUCT WARRANTY**

This product carries a 5-year limited warranty.

Perfect Surfaces will promptly investigate the claim and will make the final determination, in its sole discretion, as to whether the claimed defect is covered under this warranty.

#### Information and physical evidence will be required to process any claim.

Perfect Surfaces Inc. will replace the GorillaCOR® Rolls and credit the customer the following amounts based on current prices at the time of replacements: 0-3 years – 100%, more than 3 but less than 4 – 75%, more than 4 but less than 5 – 50%.

Perfect Surfaces warrants each segment of the system to be free from defects in material or workmanship and agrees to replace any segment (product supply only) which discloses such defects when used under normal conditions.

This remedy covers only replacement of the product, FOB destination warehouse. In the event of a Warranty Claim, contact your dealer.

This remedy is the sole and exclusive remedy available to the Original Purchaser for breach of express or implied representations or warranties with respect to the product.

#### **Warranty Exclusions**

This warranty does not cover product failure caused by:

- Improper installation or maintenance (see installation, care and maintenance instructions) including, but not limited to, the product being installed on top
  of improper substrate preparation or improper adhesive use.
- An act of negligence, abuse, accident, misuse, including, but not limited to; vandalism, civil disobedience, act of crime, natural disaster or the like occurs.
- Installation or issues caused by excessive moisture under GorillaCOR® Rolls or water migration through concrete, etc.
- The material is used in applications/ locations other than those for which it was designed.
- Normal wear over time.
- Heavy use areas (i.e., players' benches, penalty boxes, main access to ice surface or change rooms) pivot points and other high stress areas where excessive
  wear will occur because of the nature of use.
- Gradual changes in color shading due to exposure to sunlight and/or climatic conditions.
- Difference in color/shading/flecking variations with actual samples, printed illustrations and/or previously purchased GorillaCOR® Rolls.
- The rubber releases from the adhesive over time due to heavy vehicle (forklift) traffic.
- Acids, caustic materials or petroleum chemicals and the like, direct or airborne.
- Repairs, alterations or modifications made to the surfaces without prior consultation, consent or authorization from Perfect Surfaces.

#### Warranty will also be void in the case where:

- The Original Purchaser fails to comply with all terms and conditions stated herein.
- The Original Purchaser denies Perfect Surfaces and/or its representative access to the installed product and/or fails to cooperate in providing permission for this access.
- The original purchaser uses the product for any application other than the one it is intended for.
- Payment for the product has not been made in full.
- In the event of a Warranty Claim, proof of purchase from Perfect Surfaces or a qualified dealer is necessary for the Warranty to be valid.



















## **Liability Limitations**

The liability of Perfect Surfaces for damages resulting from the use or misuse of the product shall in no event exceed the replacement cost of the product, FOB destination warehouse. In no event will Perfect Surfaces be liable to the original purchaser or any third party for damages, including any lost profits, lost savings, or other consequential or incidental damages arising out of the use or inability to use the product even if Perfect Surfaces and its representatives have been advised of the possibility of these damages.

If an installation is confirmed to have a legitimate warranty claim it is the responsibility of the manager(s) of the facility to secure the site and prevent its use until repairs are made and the site is returned to standard. Perfect Surfaces will not be liable for any injuries, incidents or damages that occur on a warranty claim site prior to the site being remedied. Some jurisdictions do not allow the limitation of liability for incidental or consequential damages so the above may not apply.

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