

Installation Instructions

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Preparation for Entrance Mat Installation

Conditioning

Prior to installation, it's essential to condition the site. Ensure that all exterior windows and doors are properly sealed before starting the installation process or any floor preparations.

Site Conditions

The site and floors must meet the following conditions for at least 48 hours before, during, and after installation:

- **Floor Temperature:** $\geq 15^{\circ}\text{C}$
- **Ambient Temperature:** $\pm 18^{\circ}\text{C}$
- **Site Humidity:** $< 70^{\circ}\text{C}$
- **Floor Humidity:** $< 2.5\%$

Advance Flooring will not be responsible for any failures or damage arising from high moisture, alkalinity, acidity or other subfloor conditions.

Floor Preparation

The substrate must be structurally sound, clean, level, dry, and possess adequate tensile strength and compression resistance, free from dust, dirt, oil, grease, and any substances that could impact adhesion. Irregular floors should be levelled to cover any old adhesive layers or bitumen residue.

Entrance Mat Preparation

While Advance Flooring guarantees premium quality, we recommend inspecting the product for any damage or defects and verifying that the product, colour and quantity match your order. Please note that we will not cover costs associated with the replacement or repair of visibly damaged or defective product once installed.

Allow the entrance mat and tools to acclimatise to the site temperature for 24 hours prior to installation.

Protecting Entrance Mat During Construction

If the entrance mat is installed in a construction area, protect it from dirt and moisture. Whenever possible, keep it covered until construction is complete.

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Installation Methods

Loose lay Duratap, do not adhere down. Trim the Duratap mat to size with a sharp knife and straightedge, cutting from the back of the mat. When butting two or more pieces side by side avoid trimming off any excess coir fibre. Excess fibre will blend together. Install multiple mat pieces in the same direction. Coir is a wood fibre, exposure to excessive moisture may cause the mat to expand. Allow 0.4% for expansion.

Installation Methods

This product is intended for indoor use only. During installation, protect it from direct sunlight and heat radiation from any sources. Install the entrance mat in the length or walking direction whenever possible. When exposed to heavy wheeled traffic, the carpet should be adequately protected with plywood boarding.

Product Quality and Warranty

Advance Flooring is responsible for the product's quality as outlined in the technical data sheet. We will not be liable for improper installation, installation of visibly defective carpet, or incorrect adhesive use. The product is covered under warranty only when it is used and maintained correctly.

We are here to help you, if you have any questions or require further clarification please contact us.