Practical Information ORALITE® Hazard Warning Floor Tapes

These instructions apply to the following ORALITE® product:

ORALITE® 5091INDAS

Preliminary remarks

ORAFOL's ORALITE® Hazard Warning Tapes for floor applications consist of a film especially developed for this purpose by ORAFOL, and an ORAGUARD® top film with an anti-slip surface. ORALITE® Hazard Warning Tapes are suitable for application to most flooring materials. Problems may only occur when applied to uneven, porous or painted floors treated with floor polish or cleaned with water additives or to PVC, carpets or marble floors.

The ORAFOL Hazard Warning Tape has the capability to perform on outdoor surfaces (subject to following all application instructions – test and approval is necessary).

Cleaning of the floor

The surface to which the tape is to be applied needs to be cleaned with a suitable solvent to remove any grease. We recommend the use of isopropyl alcohol (Isopropanol). The floor must completely dry off before application of the film.

Application

The tape must be applied dry. Remove the protective paper completely and apply the tape by pressing it strongly against the floor. Apply big overlapping sweeps of a squeegee across the surface to avoid the formation of gas bubbles between tape and floor. Check the edges and press them against the floor after you have completed the application.

Please note: The edges of the tape should not be applied to protruding surfaces such as stair nosings or crevices. The edges of the tape must not be in a tile joint or crevice between parquet patterns. Do not step on the floor for at least 30 minutes in order to ensure sufficient adhesion.

Cleaning after application

Wait at least 24 hours before cleaning the floor after application.

Removal of the film

Remove the tape at a 90° angle starting from one corner. ORAFOL Hazard Warning Tapes for floor applications are easily removable. If properly applied, the system will not leave behind any adhesive residues. In some cases, the part of the floor which had been covered by the tape may display a somewhat different colour shade than the surrounding area. This is due to longer exposure of the uncovered floor to sunlight, abrasion etc.

This information is based on our knowledge and experience. Not all considering aspects of application have been explained. Specialised or occupational knowledge and competence of a professional sign maker are presupposed. Due to the diversity of potential influencing factors during application and use, we recommend the user to make their own tests of our products by customers who wish to use the films for special applications. No legally binding warranty of certain qualities can be derived from our information.

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