



VINYL COMPOSITION TILE

# PREMIUM EXCELON®

Crown Texture™ Raffia™ ChromaSpin™ Stonetex® Companion Square® Feature™ Tile & Strips

# STANDARD EXCELON®

Imperial® Texture MultiColor™

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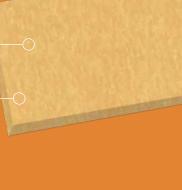
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appearance retention

Through-Color/Pattern Wear Layer

Gouge resistance Rolling load impact resistance\*\*

Protective layer during installation
 Makes initial maintenance quick and easy



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# A Classic, Economical Value

Armstrong Flooring creates products that push the limits of color, pattern, performance, and sustainability to meet the multiple demands of modern interiors. Developed through our Continuum<sup>™</sup> Solutions, Excelon<sup>®</sup> VCT harmonizes with other products across the entire Armstrong Flooring portfolio to help you execute your design intent.

The durable construction ensures lasting beauty in high-traffic areas, while flowing linear patterns, organic looks, and densely patterned earth tones effectively mask scuffs and soil in busy spaces. Colors range from vivid hues to quiet neutrals with a large selection of light-reflective colors that can have a big impact on energy reduction strategies and savings.

With Excelon® VCT having one of the lowest carbon footprints among all our resilient flooring products, it is an ideal choice for hallways, classrooms, and cafeterias in schools and colleges, retail, mass market, grocery stores, food venues, and a wide range of public environments. It's versatile, durable, and easy to maintain using standard maintenance protocols.



# Responsible Choices

- Composed of 85% North American limestone, an abundant natural resource
- Three North American regional manufacturing locations reduce environmental impact from transportation
- Low VOC Emissions: FloorScore® certified meets the requirements of CDPH Standard Method V1.1-2010, compliant with LEED® EQ Credit 4
- Recyclable through the On&On™ Recycling Program

# Size Options

The first and only company to step outside the 12 in. x 12 in. box, Armstrong
Flooring re-energizes vision and value with Stonetex® 18 in. x 18 in. and Raffia™
12 in. x 24 in. tile, while still offering the traditional 12 in. x 12 in. option

# **Trusted Long Term Performance**

- Decades of industry-leading performance and durability
- Leader in the industry for over 50 years
- High quality with a reliable warranty





# Premium Excelon® Crown Texture™ Vinyl Composition Tile





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# Premium Excelon® Raffia® Vinyl Composition Tile



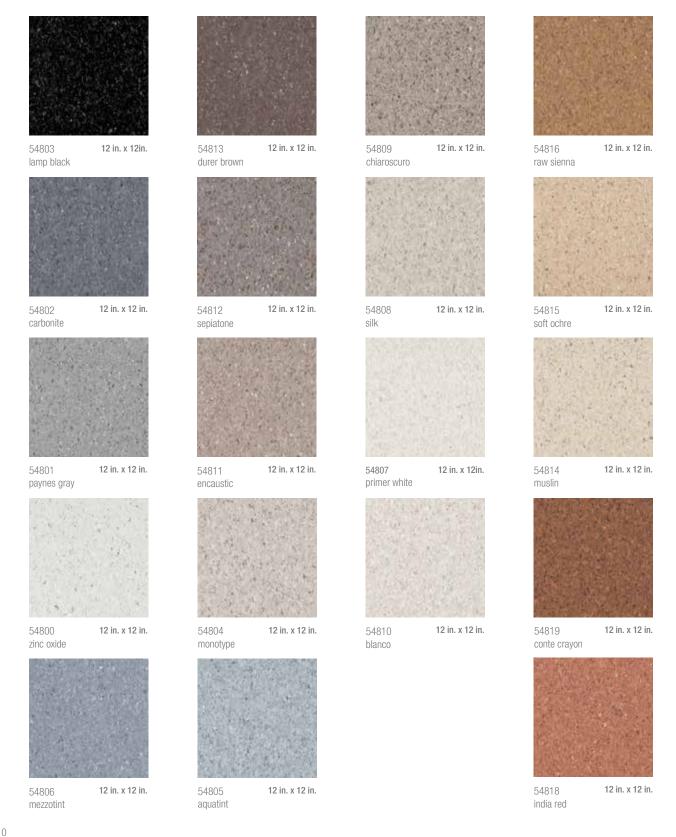


wave

55814 **12 in. x 24 in.** sage



# Premium Excelon® ChromaSpin™ Vinyl Composition Tile





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**12 in. x 12 in.** alizarin crimson



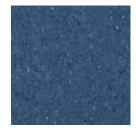
**12 in. x 12 in.** carminelle



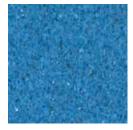
**12 in. x 12 in.** flash red



**12 in. x 12 in.** neodymium



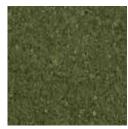
**12 in. x 12 in.** windsor blue



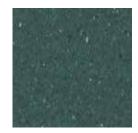
**12 in. x 12 in.** cerulean



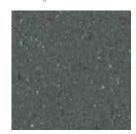
**12 in. x 12 in.** mineral blue



**12 in. x 12 in.** olive



**12 in. x 12 in.** chrome green



**12 in. x 12 in.** shadow green



**12 in. x 12 in.** vermeer green

# Premium Excelon® Stonetex® Vinyl Composition Tile





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# Premium Excelon® Companion Square® Vinyl Composition Tile





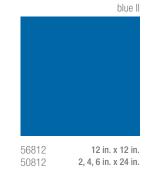


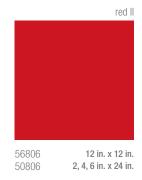
51970 **12 in. x 12 in.** mono black

# Premium Excelon® Feature Tile™ & Strips Vinyl Composition Tile









# Standard Excelon® MultiColor™ Vinyl Composition Tile



# Standard Excelon® Imperial® Texture Vinyl Composition Tile

















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### Adhesives and Installation

Armstrong Flooring has everything you need to install a floor and take care of it. We also supply the tools and cleaning supplies required to install and take care of your beautiful, durable high-performance floor. Our variety of adhesives, seaming and installation options, backed by the Armstrong Flooring Guaranteed Installation System, along with our portfolio of products, help create a flooring package that gives you a great warranty, backed by the most trusted, reliable name in flooring.





#### S-515 Floor Tile Adhesive

High-Moisture: 90% RH, 7lbs. MVER .



- High moisture guarantee
- o Can also be used over cutback adhesive residue
- o Dries clear to easily see chalk lines

Open time: 30+ minutes Working time: 24 hours Spread rate: 285-335 sq. ft./gal. Trowel: fine notch

Options: 1 quart, 1 gallon, 4 gallon





Standard: 80% RH, 5lbs. MVER



- Black asphalt adhesive
- o Can also be used over cutback adhesive residue
- o Can be used over metal subfloors

Open time: 30+ minutes Working time: 18 hours Spread rate: 350-400 sq. ft./gal. Trowel: fine notch

Options: 1 gallon, 4 gallon







# Flip® Spray Adhesive

- o High-moisture guarantee
- o Simple one-step application process

Options: 22 oz. bottle





#### S-525 Bio-flooring Adhesive

High-Moisture: 90% RH, 7lbs. MVER ♦



- High moisture quarantee
- o Can also be used over cutback adhesive residue
- Water-resistant when fully cured

Open time: Minimum of 20 minutes or until dry-to-touch Working time: 24 hours

Spread rate: 275-325 sq. ft./gal. Trowel: fine notch

Options: 1 gallon, 4 gallon









Premium: 80% RH. 5lbs. MVER

- Strong initial grab
- · Can also be used over cutback adhesive residue
- o Can be used as a primer

Open time: 30+ minutes Working time: 6 hours

Spread rate: 275-350 sq. ft./gal. Trowel: fine notch

Options: 1 gallon, 4 gallon



High-Moisture: 93% RH ▲

- Warranted for heavy rolling loads

Open time: varies depending on adhesive coverage Working time: should not exceed 4 hours Spread rate: 140-170 sq. ft./bottle

ADHESIVE OPTIONS (Depends on Substrate)			MOISTURE LIMITS		
Wood, Concrete, Ceramic, Terrazzo, Marble	Metal	Existing Resilient Floor	MVER Calcium Chloride Test (lbs./1000 sq. ft./24 hrs.)	Relative Humidity In-Situ Probe	pH Readings
S-515, S-525 High Moisture, S-700, S-750 or Flip* Spray Adhesive		S-515, S-525 High Moisture, S-750 Tile-On System or Flip* Spray Adhesive	5; 7 when using S-515 or S-525	93% – Flip® Spray Adhesive 90% – S-515 & S-525 80% – S-750 & S-700	5-9; 5-11 – Flip® Spray Adhesive, S-515 or S-525

MAINTENANCE OPTIONS							
Low Maintenance/No Polish Option			Traditional	А	ARMSTRONG FLOOR CARE PRODUCTS		
Carou Buff	Drv Buff	No Buff	Polish	Cleaners	Sealers	Polishes	
Spray Buff	DIY BUIT	INU DUIT	FUIISII	S-485	S-495	S-480	
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## Maintenance



### S-485 Commercial Floor Cleaner

- Neutral floor cleaner at normal dilution, 8.5 pH
- $\circ$  High efficiency allows dilution to as low as 64:1
- Low foaming formula is great for automatic floor machines, damp-mopping, and/or moderate to heavy scrubbing
- Won't strip polish
- Pleasant fragrance
- o Contains no phosphates

**Spread Rate:** Cleaners and strippers do not have a spread rate, dilute according to instructions for proper pH level

Options: 1 gallon (4 gal./ctn.), 5 gallon



### S-495 Commercial Floor Sealer

- Stain-resistant sealer for porous or well-worn floor surfaces
- Provides an excellent base for S-480 or other commercial floor polishes
- High durability for long lasting protection
- o Water-based acrylic emulsion, 7.8 pH
- 16% solids for easy application and excellent leveling
- Semi-permanent for resistance to conventional polish stripping

Spread Rate: 1500-2000 sq. ft. per gallon per coat

Options: 1 gallon (4 gal./ctn.), 5 gallon



### S-480 Commercial Floor Polish

- Meets the ASTM D2047 standard for slip-resistance on dry floors
- High durability for long-lasting protection
- Dries bright for areas where buffing is not applicable or desired
- Metal cross-linked acrylic copolymer emulsion polish,
   8.5 8.75 pH
- 18% solids for easy application and excellent leveling

Spread Rate: 1500 - 2000 sq. ft. gallon per coat depending on the surface characteristics of the floor Application: Excellent buffing response for spray-buffing repairs or high-speed burnishing programs (up to 2,000 rpm)

Options: 1 gallon (4 gal./ctn.), 5 gallon





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Composed of 85% limestone in a polyvinyl chloride binder with pigments. Color and pattern detail are dispersed uniformly throughout the thickness of the material. Color pigments are insoluble in water and resistant to cleaning agents and light.

ChromaSpin - Color detail is dispersed uniformly throughout the thickness of the material

Raffia

12 in. x 24 in. (305 mm x 610 mm)

Crown Texture, ChromaSpin, Companion Square, Feature Tile, Rave, MultiColor, Imperial Texture

12 in. x 12 in.(305 mm x 305 mm) Stonetex

18 in. x 18 in. (457 mm x 457 mm),

12 in. x 12 in. (305 mm x 305 mm) Feature Strips 2 in. x 24 in. (50.8 mm x 610 mm),

4 in. x 24 in. (101.6 mm x 610 mm) 6 in. x 24 in. (152.4 mm x 610 mm)

### Gauge (nominal thickness)

1/8 in. (3.2 mm)

3/32 in. (2.4 mm) - Imperial Texture only

### Limitations

VCT should not be used in the following areas:

- Hospital operating rooms.Heavy industrial and exterior areas.
- Commercial kitchens and commercial food processing areas.
- . Where pointed spikes such as golf or track shoes will be used.

### Suitable for Application Over

- Concrete, terrazzo, and other dry, structurally sound monolithic subfloors, which are suspended, on grade, or below grade.
- · Suspended wood subfloor construction with approved wood underlayments, and a minimum of 18 in. (45.72 cm) well-ventilated
- $\bullet$  Most metal floors and most existing single-layer resilient floors on approved underlayments
- · Radiant-heated subfloors with a maximum surface temperature of 85° F (29° C).

### **Unsuitable for Application Over**

- Subfloors where excessive moisture or alkali is present.
- Sleeper-constructed wood subfloors, on grade or below grade.
  Lightweight aggregate concrete subfloors having a density of less than
- 90 lbs. per cu. ft. (1442 kg/m²) or cellular concrete having a plastic (wet) density less than 100 lbs. per cu. ft. (1602 kg/m³) [94 lbs. per cu. ft. (1506 kg/m³) dry weight], or concrete having a compressive strength of less than 3500 psi (24 MPa). Concrete slabs with heavy static and/or dynamic loads should have higher design strengths and densities calculated to accommodate such loads.

Concrete curing agents, sealers, hardeners or parting agents should be

### TECHNICAL DATA

### Packaging

Size	Pieces/Ctn.	Sq. Ft./Ctn	Lbs./Ctn.
12 in. x 12 in.	45	45	63 (28.5 kg)
18 in. x 18 in.	20	30	64 (29 kg)
12 in. x 24 in.	22	44	61 (27.7 kg)
2 in. x 24 in.	24	8	11 (4.99 kg)
4 in. x 24 in.	100	66.7	88 (39.9 kg)
6 in. x 24 in.	50	50	68 (30.8 kg)

### Gloss (typical value)

Crown Texture - 60 degrees specular: 9-18 Raffia, ChromaSpin - 60 degrees specular: 9-18 Stonetex – 60 degrees specular: 15-30

Companion Square, Feature Tile, Feature Strips, Rave, MultiColor, Imperial Texture - 60 degrees specular: 20-40

#### International Specifications

Stonetex, MultiColor, Imperial Texture, Rave, Companion Square – ASTM F 1066, Class 2 through pattern, ISO 10595, Type II

Feature Tile & Strips – ASTM F 1066, Class 1 solid color, ISO 10595, Type I

#### Static Load Limit

ASTM F 970

125 lbs./sq. in. (8.79 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>

NOTE: Floors should be protected from sharp-point loads and heavy static loads. High-heeled traffic [1000 psi (70.3 kg/cm²) or more] may visibly damage wood, resilient and other floor coverings. For questions regarding product suitability and detailed instructions for floor preparation and installation in these applications, please contact Armstrong Flooring.

#### **Fire Test Data**

ASTM E 648 Flooring Radiant Panel Critical Radiant Flux -0.45 watts/cm² or more - Class I

ASTM E 662 Smoke Chamber Specific Optical Smoke Density -450 or less

CAN/ULC S102.2 Surface Burning Characteristics of Flooring, Floor Covering and Miscellaneous Materials and Assemblies Flame Spread Rating – 0 / Smoke Developed Classification – 30

#### INSTALLATION

#### Job Conditions

Subfloors/underlayments shall be dry, clean and smooth. They shall be free from paint, varnish, solvents, wax, oil, existing adhesive residue, or other foreign matter.

Spray paints, permanent markers and other indelible ink markers must not be used to write on the back of the flooring material or used to mark the concrete slab as they could bleed through, telegraphing up to the surface and permanently staining the flooring material. If these contaminants are present on the substrate, they must be mechanically removed prior to the installation of the flooring material

For more detailed requirements of concrete, wood and metal subfloors, as well as wood and trowelable underlayments, refer to the Armstrong Guaranteed Installation Systems manual, F-5061, or to the installation instructions at ArmstrongFlooring.com.

Moisture testing must be performed on all concrete slabs regardless of their age or grade level including areas where resilient flooring has already been installed. Moisture Vapor Emission Rate (MVER) using Calcium Chloride (ASTM F1869) and/or percent relative humidity (ASTM F 2170) tests must be conducted. Following are the Armstrong Flooring maximum allowable moisture limits:

- . When using Flip® Spray Adhesive, moisture test results shall not exceed 93% rH per ASTM F 2170.
- When using S-515 and S-525 Adhesives, moisture test results shall not exceed a MVER of 7.0 lbs./1000 sq. ft./24 hours per ASTM F 1869 and/or 90% RH per ASTM F 2170.
- When using S-700 or S-750 Adhesives, moisture test results shall not exceed a MVER of 5.0 lbs./1000 sq. ft./24 hours per ASTM F 1869 and/or 80% RH per ASTM F 2170.

On installations where both the Moisture Vapor Emission Rate and percent internal relative humidity tests are conducted, results for both tests shall comply with the allowable limits listed above

Before installation, concrete floors should also be tested for pH following procedures in ASTM F 710. When testing for pH, the allowable readings for the installation of Armstrong flooring are 5-11 when using S-515, S-525 or Flip® Spray Adhesive and 5-9 when using S-700 or S-750

Bond Test should also be conducted for compatibility with the substrate.

Temperature shall be maintained at a minimum of 65° F (18° C) and a maximum of 100° F (38° C) for 48 hours prior to installation, during installation and 48 hours after completion. A minimum temperature of 55° F (13° C) shall be maintained thereafter. Condition all flooring materials and adhesives to room temperature at least 48 hours prior to starting installation. Protect all materials from the direct flow of heat from hot-air registers, radiators, or other heating fixtures and appliances.

Visit ArmstrongFlooring.com for installation instructions.

#### Adhesive Options

Subfloor	Wood Underlayment	Concrete	Ceramic, Marble, Terrazzo	Metal	Existing Resilient Floor
Adhesive	S-515 S-525 S-700 S-750	S-515 S-525 S-700 S-750	S-515 S-525 S-700 S-750		S-515 S-525 S-750 Tile-On System

#### MAINTENANCE

VCT is designed to be maintained by traditional resilient flooring maintenance methods, which include the use of polishes, spray-buffing techniques and appropriate high-speed maintenance systems.

Initial Maintenance Immediately Following Installation:

- Sweep or vacuum thoroughly.
- Damp mop with a properly diluted neutral detergent solution such as Armstrong S-485 Floor Cleaner – carefully wiping up black marks and excessive soil
- . Apply two coats of high quality commercial floor polish such as Armstrong S-480.
- Do not wash, scrub or strip the floor for at least four days after

For specific, ongoing maintenance procedures visit ArmstrongFlooring.com

### LIMITED WARRANTY

nstrong warrants its regular (first quality) commercial resilient floors and wall base to be free from manufacturing defects for five years from the date of purchase. Armstrong also warrants the installation integrity of its commercial floor for five years from the date of purchase, if installed according to the installation and maintenance instructions at ArmstrongFlooring.com. This warranty extends only to the original end user. See Armstrong Commercial Floor Warranty, F-3349 or visit ArmstrongFlooring.com for warranty details, limitations and exclusions

WARNING: EXISTING IN-PLACE RESILIENT FLOOR COVERING AND ASPHALTIC ADHESIVES. DO NOT SAND, DRY SWEEP, DRY SCRAPE, DRILL, SAW, BEADBLAST, OR MECHANICALLY CHIP OR PULVERIZE EXISTING RESILIENT FLOORING, BACKING, LINING FELT, ASPHALTIC "CUTBACK" ADHESIVE, OR OTHER ADHESIVE

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