# **Interface®**



# Past Forward.



Remastered, reimagined and remade.



Introducing Past Forward<sup>TM</sup>; a modern carpet collection from Interface, inspired by decades of innovation and iconic designs.

1973 — the year Interface founder, Ray Anderson first introduced carpet tile to the America's, after discovering it during a European trip. Together with his team, Ray led the innovative charge, developing the Interface carpet tile of the future.







While at the time, these tiles had limited design capabilities, Ray imagined their usage within the new open office. Recognising their performance potential to reduce noise levels and create a softened ambience in shared spaces, he seized the opportunity to reinvent the modular tile and revolutionize commercial interior design.



Born and raised in Kidderminster, England, the designer of our Past Forward Collection, David Oakey was honing his craft, just some streets away from where Ray Anderson first masterminded his product. And as if by fate, their paths would continue to cross when David answered a job advertisement in a trade magazine to relocate to the town of LaGrange, Georgia – in the very same year and location where Interface set up its first manufacturing facility.

WANTED! ENGLISH CARPET DESIGNER

Just as David celebrates
fifty years designing carpets
in the United States, Interface
is celebrating fifty years of
design and manufacturing.
This shared anniversary
inspired a look back through
the design trends that have
come and gone, as well as
contemplating how they might
influence interiors of today.



# '60s-'70s

From the interiors of the '60s that preceded the carpet tile, we saw traditional, muted hued area rugs to diverse patterns of wall-to-wall broadloom featuring the look of Mid-Century Modern, as well as abstraction, Art Nouveau, Art Deco and English Craft designs in bold bright colours.

In the '70s we saw the continuation of impactful patterns moving towards "groovy waves" in bright avocado greens, yellows and oranges.



# '80s-'90s

The '80s ushered in post-modern spaces complemented by pastels and greys, ahead of the zen-like soft and subtle colours of the '90s, at which point, bordered flooring, in cool and warm neutrals put together in a casual style led the way.





# '00s-'10s

Welcome to the 2000s, when large chevrons were the pattern du jour. Natural fibres such as jute-inspired flooring and grey and espresso wood floors were here in a big way.

Into the 2010s and brighter, bold accents made statements. And buffalo plaids, a Mid-Century Modern revival, wider floor planks and modern farmhouse styles were all having a moment.



Today, as the desire for injecting residential design cues into shared spaces emerges, we're seeing the use of cosy materials; to create warm and inviting environments. And the combination of rugs with hard flooring is becoming more popular, not only for acoustic properties but also to define spaces; and as pure design accents.

Today's trends feature nostalgia - it seems the perfect time to reflect on the work of the best in history. The result, is Past forward. In the past, these iconic designs could not be made into carpet tiles. However, thanks to advancements made in manufacturing, historic patterns reminiscent of David Oakey woven broadloom have Designer of Past Forward been given a contemporary update, with all the performance benefits of modular flooring.





Past Forward fuses retro colours and intricate patterns with today's technology to create a collection of nostalgic designs that perform to the demanding standards of today's commercial spaces.

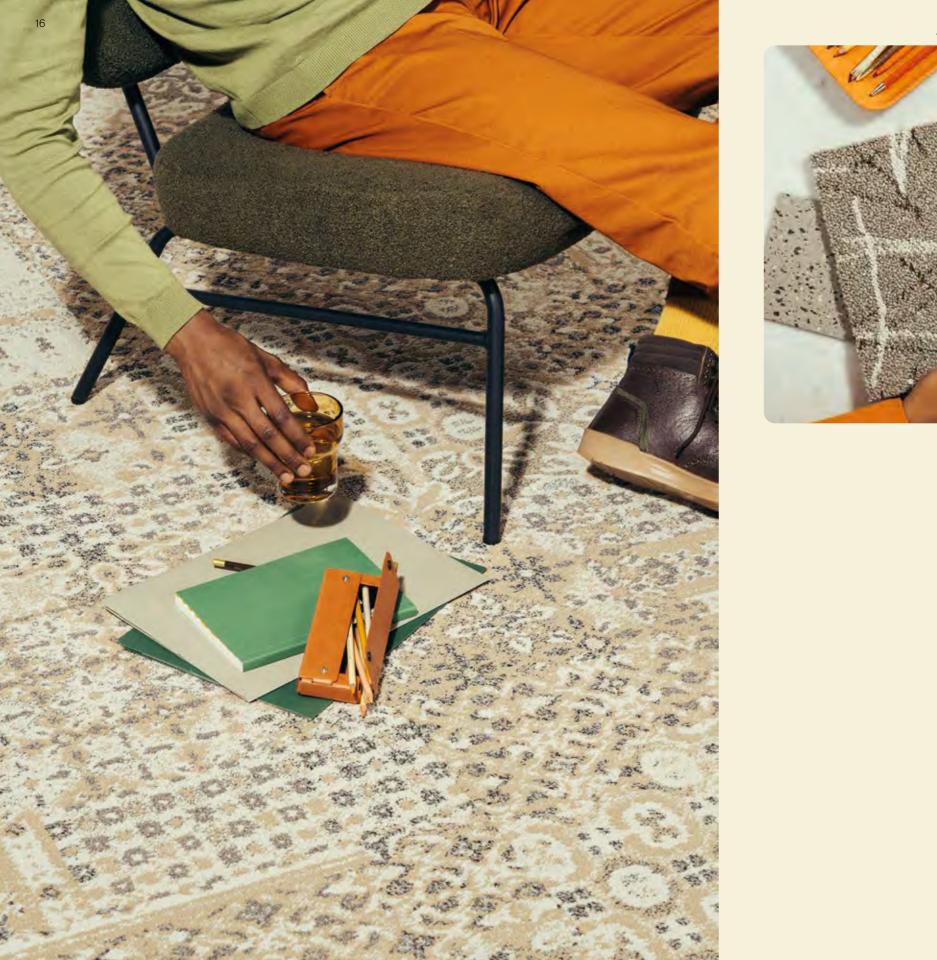
# Create a moment within a space



The Past Forward collection has been designed as an innovative area rug solution; to be used expressively as a stylish accent to larger floorplates. Each product helps to define purposeful and comfortable spaces with a timeless style. Whether you want to create a cosy corner that provides a feeling of home, add structure to a space with the use of borders, or add wayfinding to an open-plan room, the collection gives you the opportunity to get creative and make a statement.









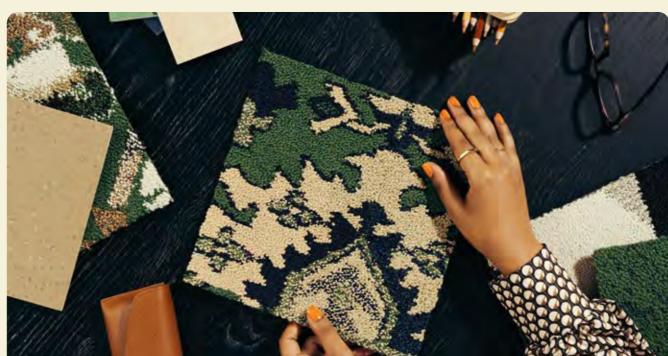


# combinations



# Unique

With unique combinations that can be mixed and matched to suit, versatility is at the core of this collection. The expansive range of products features both monolithic and nondirectional installation, and can be used in any configuration, providing a contemporary take on heritage patterns. Use one product at a time as a defined accent, or incorporate clashing patterns by using more than one at once.







# Made to complement



With a choice of 14 dynamic products that work seamlessly with our integrated flooring systems, Past Forward has the flexibility to complement our more subtle carpet tiles with neutrals, nora® rubber flooring and our LVT styles.





CARPET PRODUCT DECADES COLOUR EBONY INSTALLED MONOLITHIC nora\* RUBBER FLOORING NORAMENT 926 CASTELLO COLOUR 5356

While Past Forward has been designed to work harmoniously with all Interface integrated flooring systems, we've made some pairing recommendations of our own to inspire your projects.

For example, opposite the organic forms and neutral colours of Unspooled complement the texture and tone of Northern Grain LVT.

On the left, pairing the theatrical design of Decades with the simplicity of norament® Castello creates an impactful accent.

Below, the warm tones and domestic feeling of Retrospec alongside the neutrality of Open Air 402, helps to clearly define areas within the space.



PRODUCT RETROSPEC COLOUR OLIVE INSTALLED NON DIRECTIONA PRODUCT OPEN AIR 402 COLOUR NATURAL INSTALLED ASHLAR









# Patterns of the past, constructed for the future

Interface advocates for design that has a positive impact on people, spaces, and the environment, which is why Past Forward – like all of our products – is constructed with the future in mind.

As part of our Carbon Neutral Floors™ program, the Past Forward collection uses manufacturing processes, recycled content and other materials that deliver a low carbon footprint.





# Curating the

# Vintage style, remastered for modern interiors

Past Forward is our largest collection Taking inspiration from classic to date, featuring an array of 14 dynamic products, inspired by traditional, vintage, and retro designs.

The more traditional products in the collection draw inspiration from the mastery of Middle Eastern textile craftsmanship. With striking visual motifs and impactful colourways, these designs fuse heritage with contemporary aesthetics to make a bold statement.

More muted in tone, the vintage designs marry organic worn textures Products can be laid using either with the ornate stylings of the Rococo, Art Nouveau, and the Arts & Craft movements, some of which have been constructed with a beautiful metallic yarn.

Mid-Century design, our range of retro products features bold geometric shapes and softer vintage swirls in a range of complementary colourways.

Past Forward uses a nostalgic palette of colours, tones, and metallic finishes, offering a counterpoint to more contemporary colours and materials of modern commercial interior spaces — reappropriating the designs for today.

a non-directional or monolithic installation method, offering an extensive range of possible layouts.

**Antiquities** 



**Arley** 



Reeling



**Yesterdays** 



**Archival** 



**Cheshire Street** 



**Decades** 



**Fortnight** 



Rekindled



Circa Then



Newstalgia



Unwound



Unspooled





# Antiquities

Antiquities exudes the mastery of Turkish, Wilton, and Renaissance textile craftsmanship, making a bold statement with impactful colourways.

# Colour range





9961001 CRIMSON





9961003 CORAL

9961004 AMBER

# **Specifications**

Backing

**Product Definition** Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Pile Material

Pile Yarn Weight 949 g/m<sup>2</sup> ± 5% Pile Height 3.7 mm + 15% / - 10%

Total Thickness  $8.7 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2 Wear Classification

Radiant Panel (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Castor Chair

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 26 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Impact Sound Insulation ( $\Delta L_{\omega}$ ) Sound Absorption α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) GUT PRODIS - PENDING Indoor Air Quality

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.74 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method



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# **Archival**

With an organic worn appearance, Archival features subtle metallic accents that add a touch of refined elegance.

# Colour range





9949001 FROST

9949002 PEARL





9949003 LINEN

9949004 PARCHMENT

# **Specifications**

Backing

Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Product Definition Pile Material

1323 g/m² ± 5% 5.3 mm + 15% / - 10% Pile Yarn Weight

Pile Height Total Thickness  $10.2 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC4 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Wear Classification Radiant Panel Castor Chair

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 27 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL\_) α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) Sound Absorption GUT PRODIS - PENDING Indoor Air Quality

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 4.89 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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Arley reworks the intricate details of traditional Herati patterns as large-scale motifs, fusing heritage and contemporary aesthetics.

# Colour range





9959001 AZURE





9959003 LICHEN

9959004 WALNUT

# **Specifications**

Backing Product Definition

Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Pile Material

Pile Yarn Weight 949 g/m<sup>2</sup> ± 5% Pile Height 3.5 mm + 15% / - 10%

Total Thickness  $8.6 \, \mathrm{mm} \pm 0.5 \, \mathrm{mm}$ Wear Classification

Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Radiant Panel Castor Chair

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 26 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Impact Sound Insulation ( $\Delta L_{\omega}$ ) α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) GUT PRODIS - PENDING Sound Absorption Indoor Air Quality

Packaging

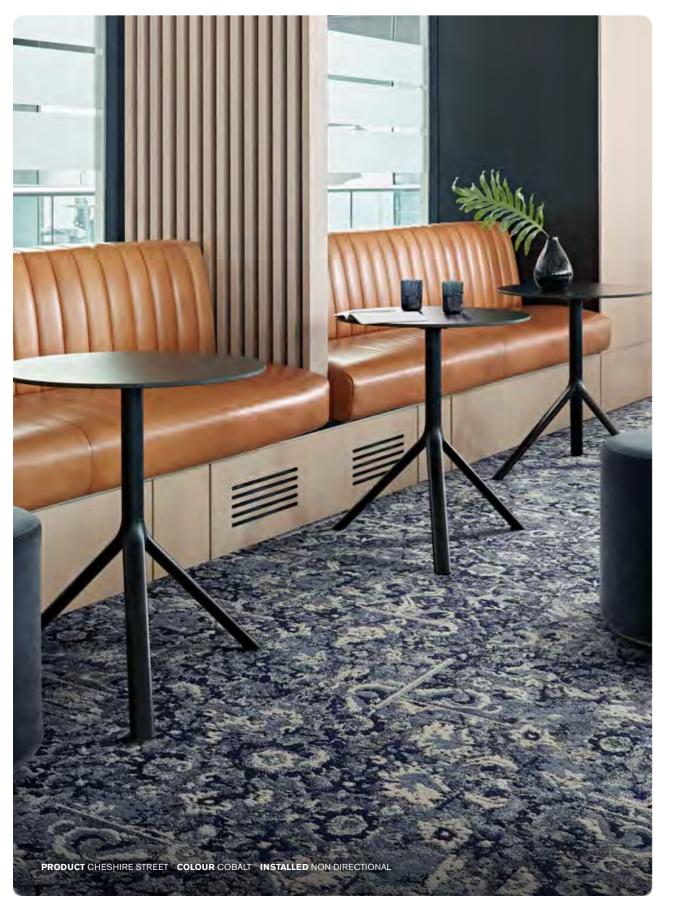
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### Installation method





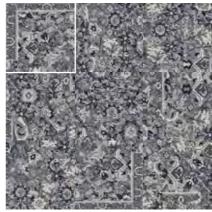
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# **Cheshire Street**

Cheshire Street features ornate, small, floral motifs, inspired by the 20th-century interpretations of Art Nouveau and Arts and Crafts.

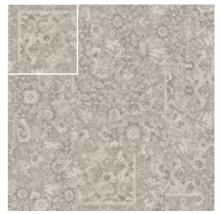
# Colour range

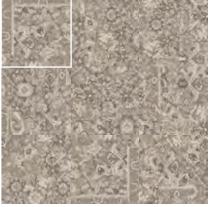




9955001 COBALT

9955002 MIDNIGHT





9955003 TAUPE

9955004 DUNE

# **Specifications**

Backing CQuest™E

Product Definition Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile
Pile Material 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Yarn Weight
 1017 g/m² ± 5%

 Pile Height
 3.1 mm + 15% / − 10%

 Total Thickness
 8.0 mm ± 0.5 mm

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 25 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
 α 0.20 (EN ISO 11654)

 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.95 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method







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# Circa Then

Inspired by Mid-Century design, Cira Then features large-scale overlapping geometric forms to create a bold retro impression.

# Colour range





957001 HARBOUR

9957002 FORES





9957003 FERN

9957004 CLAY

# **Specifications**

 Backing
 CQuest™Bio

 Product Definition
 Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solutio

 Pile Yarn Weight
 949 g/m²  $\pm$  5%

 Pile Height
 4.0 mm + 15% / - 10%

 Total Thickness
 8.6 mm  $\pm$  0.5 mm

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 26 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
 α 0.20 (EN ISO 11654)

 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.74 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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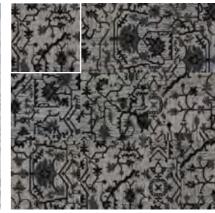


# **Decades**

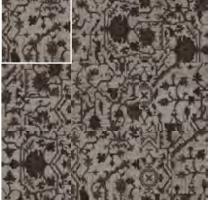
Influenced by the decorative and ornate impressions of the Rococo style, Decades feels elegantly theatrical using a metallic yarn.

# Colour range









9950003 SLATE

9950004 MOCHA

# **Specifications**

Backing Product Definition Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon 1220 g/m² ± 5% 5.0 mm + 15% / - 10% Pile Material

Pile Yarn Weight Pile Height Total Thickness  $10.1 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC3 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Wear Classification Radiant Panel

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 28 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Castor Chair Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL\_) α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) GUT PRODIS - PENDING Sound Absorption Indoor Air Quality

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 4.58 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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# **Fortnight**

Fortnight exudes opulence through its ornate Renaissance styling, enhanced with luxurious metallic yarn.

# Colour range





9951001 FOG

9951002 BONE





9951003 DOVE

9951004 NATURAL

# **Specifications**

 Backing
 CQuest™Bio

 Product Definition
 Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Yarn Weight
 1220 g/m² ± 5%

 Pile Height
 3.7 mm + 15% / - 10%

 Total Thickness
 8.7 mm ± 0.5 mm

Wear Classification Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC3
Radiant Panel (EN 1SO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 4.58 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method







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# Newstalgia

Newstalgia captures a distinct retro vibe with its tonal block and criss-cross design.

# Colour range





9954001 INDIGO







9954004 WHEAT

# **Specifications**

Installation method

Backing Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Product Definition Pile Material

916 g/m<sup>2</sup> ± 5% 3.8 mm + 15% / - 10% Pile Yarn Weight Pile Height **Total Thickness**  $8.7 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Wear Classification Radiant Panel ≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 25 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Castor Chair

Impact Sound Insulation ( $\Delta L_{\omega}$ ) α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) Sound Absorption GUT PRODIS - PENDING Indoor Air Quality

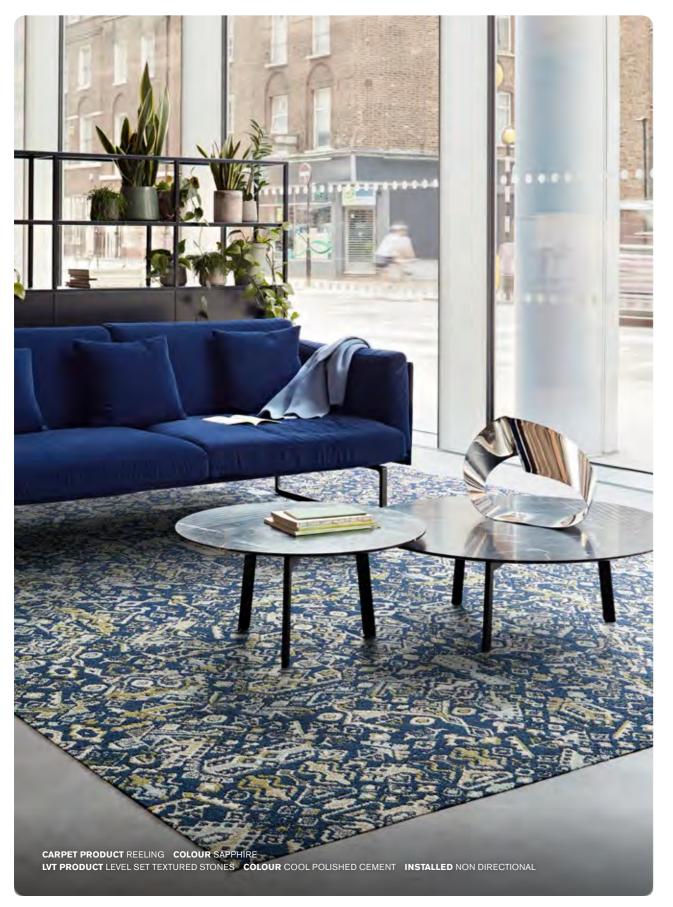
Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.64 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>





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# Reeling

A reinterpretation of traditional, geometric Turkish textiles, Reeling makes a dynamic impression with its contrasting tones and bold shapes.

# Colour range





9962001 SAPPHIRE

9962002 PERRI F





9962003 AVOCADO

9962004 SPICE

# **Specifications**

Backing

CQuest™Bi

Product Definition Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile
Pile Material 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Yarn Weight
  $882 \text{ g/m}^2 \pm 5\%$  

 Pile Height
 3.6 mm + 15% / - 10% 

 Total Thickness
  $8.4 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 26 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
 α 0.20 (EN ISO 11654)

 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.53 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

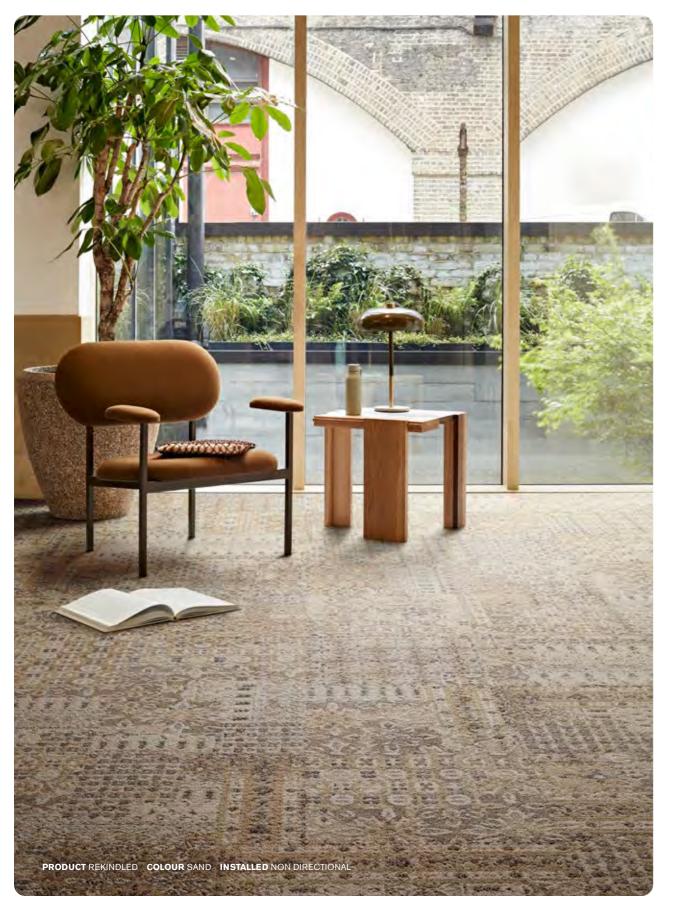
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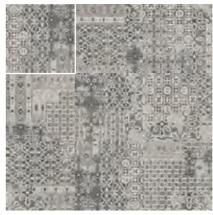
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# Rekindled

Rekindled feels subtly worn and aged with its calm and neutral vintage patchwork design.

# Colour range





9956001 STEEL

9956002 SAGE





9956003 ASH

9956004 SAND

# **Specifications**

 Backing
 CQuest™Bio

 Product Definition
 Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

Pile Material100% Recycled Solution Dyed NylonPile Yarn Weight $1153 \text{ g/m}^2 \pm 5\%$ Pile Height4.6 mm + 15% / - 10%Total Thickness $9.1 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC3

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 28 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
 α 0.20 (EN ISO 11654)

 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging 3

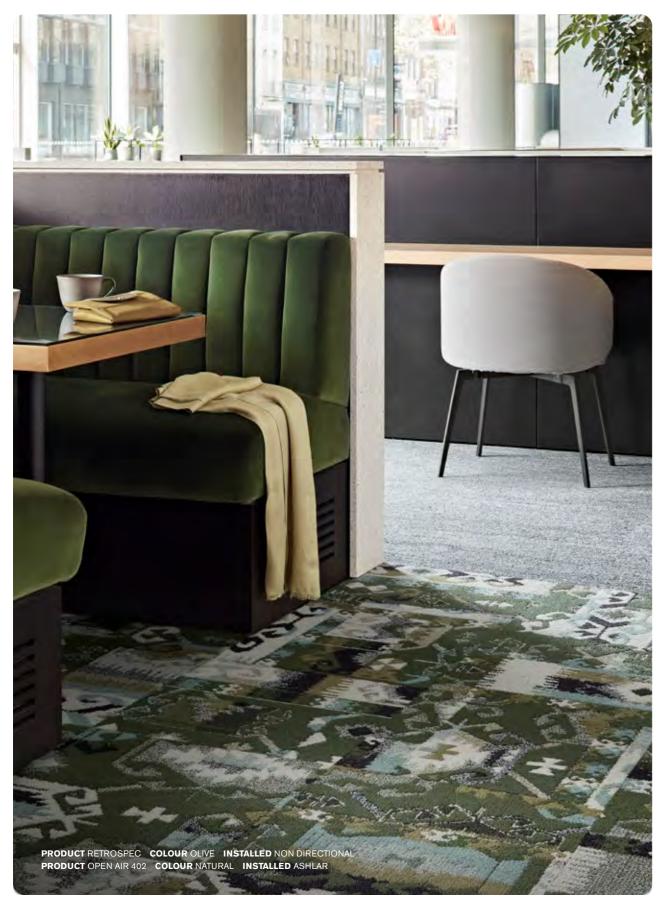
Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 4.37 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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# Retrospec

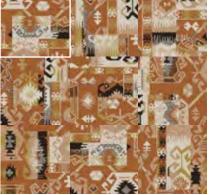
Bright, bold and geometric, Retrospec creates an impression of the traditional kilim designs of the Middle East.

# Colour range









9958003 EMERALD

9958004 TERRACOTTA

# **Specifications**

Backing Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Product Definition Pile Material

916 g/m<sup>2</sup> ± 5% 3.9 mm + 15% / - 10% Pile Yarn Weight Pile Height Total Thickness  $8.5 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1) Wear Classification Radiant Panel

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 25 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Castor Chair Impact Sound Insulation ( $\Delta L_{\omega}$ ) α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) Sound Absorption GUT PRODIS - PENDING Indoor Air Quality

Packaging

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.64 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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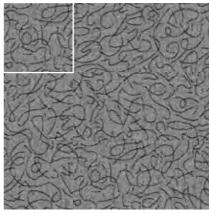
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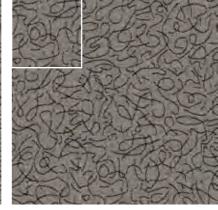


# Unspooled

Unspooled draws inspiration from the naive visual motifs of the late 20th-Century, boasting an organic scribble design.

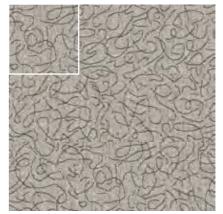
# Colour range





9953001 PEWTER

9953002 GRAPHITE





9953003 OYSTER

9953004 OATMEAL

# **Specifications**

Backing Product Definition

Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon Pile Material

1119 g/m<sup>2</sup> ± 5% 4.8 mm + 15% / - 10% Pile Yarn Weight Pile Height

Total Thickness 9.5 mm ± 0.5 mm Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC3 Wear Classification Radiant Panel (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

≥ 2.4 (EN 985) 28 dB (EN ISO 10140-3) Castor Chair Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL\_) Sound Absorption α<sub>w</sub> 0.20 (EN ISO 11654) GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging

Indoor Air Quality

Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 4.27 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





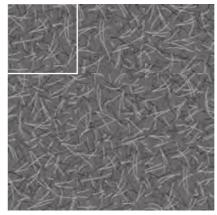
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# Unwound

Playfully elegant, Unwound features an illustrative fallen pine needle design in neutral tones.

# Colour range

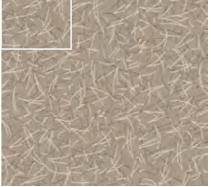




9952001 TWILIGHT

9952002 CARBON





9952003 NICKEL

9952004 CAMEL

# **Specifications**

 Backing
 CQuest™Bio

 Product Definition
 Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solutio

 Pile Yarn Weight
  $848 \text{ g/m}^2 \pm 5\%$  

 Pile Height
 4.4 mm + 15% / - 10% 

 Total Thickness
  $9.0 \text{ mm} \pm 0.5 \text{ mm}$ 

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 25 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
 α 0.20 (EN ISO 11654)

 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

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Carbon Footprint (Cradle to Gate) 3.43 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq. /m<sup>2</sup>

### Installation method





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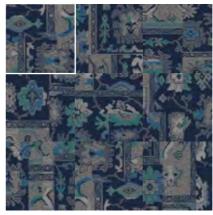
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# Yesterdays

Inspired by traditional Turkish rugs, Yesterdays uses unexpected colour combinations to create a contemporary impression.

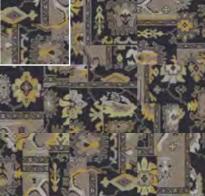
# Colour range





9960001 PRUSSIAN

9960002 ONYX





9960003 FLANNEL

9960004 BRONZE

# **Specifications**

 Backing
 CQuest™Bio

 Product Definition
 Tapestry Tufted Patterned Structured Loop Pile

 Pile Material
 100% Recycled Solution Dyed Nylon

 Pile Yarn Weight
 848 g/m² ± 5%

 Pile Height
 3.6 mm +15% / - 10%

 Total Thickness
 8.2 mm ± 0.5 mm

 Wear Classification
 Heavy Contract (EN 1307) Class 33 / LC2

 Radiant Panel
 (EN ISO 9239-1) Euroclass Bfl s1 (EN 13501-1)

 Castor Chair
 ≥ 2.4 (EN 985)

 Impact Sound Insulation (ΔL)
 25 dB (EN ISO 10140-3)

 Sound Absorption
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 Indoor Air Quality
 GUT PRODIS - PENDING

Packaging

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Installation method

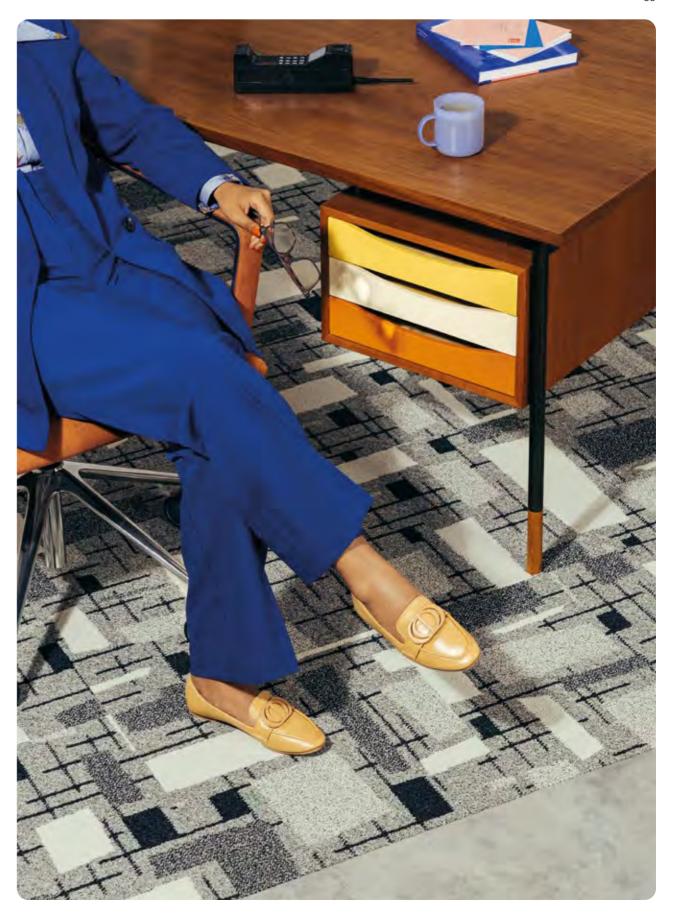




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