# Factory Colorflow EP

Self-levelling, high-performance coloured organic mineral coating for industrial floors.

Factory Colorflow EP is specific to create coloured, resin-based, self-levelling type coatings, with high mechanical resistance and durability. Impermeable to water, oil, hydrocarbons and liquids used for food purposes.



- 1. For internal use
- 2. Thicknesses from 1.5 to 4 mm
- 3. Extremely long-lasting monolithic coating material
- 4. Smooth satin finish
- 5. Ready-to-use, ensures constant levels of performance
- 6. Long self-levelling time, also suitable for large surface areas





- ✓ Regional Mineral ≥ 30%
- × VOC Low Emission
- ✓ Solvent ≤ 5 g/kg
- × Low Ecological Impact
- √ Health Care

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# Areas of application

#### → Intended use:

Coloured self-levelling coating with smooth satin finish for the creation of continuous self-levelling- type flooring coverings with 1.5 to 4 mm thickness.

#### **Substrates:**

- floors in smoothed concrete or with a dry-shake quartz finish
- cement-based screeds
- porcelain tiles, ceramic floors, natural stone
- anhydrite screeds
- epoxy screeds

Internal floors in domestic, commercial and industrial applications. Suitable for foot and vehicular traffic of high intensity and low intensity industrial traffic. Suitable for heated substrates. Like all epoxy resin coatings, in Factory Colorflow EP slight colour changes may occur over time.

Do not use for external use, in external applications, on substrates with a high level of flexibility and thermal expansion, on substrates that are not dry or subject to moisture rising.

### Instructions for use

#### → Preparation of substrates

Substrates must be cleaned from dust, oil, grease detaching substances. Shall be permanently dry and free from any high residual moisture rising or in counterthrust. Cement-based substrates or substrates consisting of porcelain tiles, ceramics, natural stone must have a residual moisture at a maximum 3% (2.5% in the case of heated substrate. Anhydrite supports must have a moisture at a maximum 0.5% (0.2% in the case of heated substrate). The substrate must be stable, non-deformable have already completed the hygrometric shrinkage and without non-stable cracks. The substrates must be mechanically prepared using suitable processing cycle depending on the selected system and perfectly dusted. Generally, the most suitable preparation in case of realization of self-levelling covering is the shot peening. After they have been cleaned and prepared, substrates must have a surface tear strength > 1.5 mPa according to ASTM D 4541 and a compressive strength >  $25 \text{ N/mm}^2$ . Substrates in smoothed concrete or with a dry-shake quartz finish, cement-based screeds, anhydrite screeds, after mechanical preparation and removal of dust should be treated using the impregnation technique with EP21 diluted with Keragrip Eco Pulep up to 30% according to the absorption of the substrate and prepared with Floorzero and dusted until saturated with Quartz 1.3. In the case of presence of stable cracks, chases for electrical systems or in general in the

presence of discontinuous or uneven substrates, provide during application of Floorzero the insertion of Net 90 suitable reinforcing mesh. The substrates consisting of porcelain floors, ceramic, natural stone, after mechanical preparation and removal of dust should be prepared with Floorzero and Net 90. Substrates consisting of epoxy screeds must be finished with EP21 mixed in a 1:1 ratio with Quarzo 1.3.

#### → Preparation

Factory Colorflow EP is prepared by mixing together parts A and B from the bottom upwards, using a low-rev (400/min.) helicoidal agitator, respecting the preset ratio of the packs (Part A 12 kg: Part B 2 kg). Pour Part B into the bucket containing Part A, being careful to mix the two parts uniformly until a smooth, even coloured mixture is obtained. It is necessary to mix an amount of product that can be used within 20 minutes.

#### → Application

Apply Factory Colorflow EP with a toothed or smooth spreader.

#### → Cleaning

Residual traces of Factory Colorflow EP can be removed from tools with alcohol before the product has hardened. kerakoll Code: FA855 2023/06 EN

## Special notes

- → If the substrate contains joints that are subject to shrinkage or movement in general, they must be brought to the surface and treated with suitable elastic sealing agents.
- → In the event that Factory Colorflow EP is used in environments with aesthetic value, it is recommended to give the coating a greater scratch-proof protection, to protect the surface by applying 2 coats of Microresina Xtreme.

### Certificates and marks







\* Émission dans l'air intérieur Information sur le niveau d'émission de substances volatiles dans l'air intérieur, présentant un risque de toxicité par inhalation, sur une échelle de classe allant de A+ (très faibles émissions) à C (fortes émissions).

### **Abstract**

The resin coating will be made of mineral self-levelling organic formulation for industrial floor coverings, in accordance with the GreenBuilding Rating 3 such as Factory Colorflow EP by Kerakoll Spa. Apply the product using a smooth or toothed spreader on the previously prepared substrate in thicknesses from 2 to 4 mm. Coverage  $\approx 1.6 \text{ kg/mm/m}^2$ .

Technical Data compliant with Kerakoll Quality Standard				
Appearance	Fluid, coloured paste			
Shelf life	≈ 12 months from production in the original sealed packaging			
Warning	protect from frost, avoid direct exposure to sunlight and sources of heat			
Pack	part A 12 kg bucket - Part B 2 kg can			
Mixing ratio	Part A : Part B = 6 : 1			
Pot life	≈ 30 min.			
Temperature range for application	from +10 °C to +30 °C			
Foot traffic	≈ 48 h			
Waiting time for overlaying	≈ 48 h			
Interval before normal use	≈ 4 days			
Coverage	$\approx 1.5 \text{ kg/mm/m}^2$			

Values taken at +20 °C, 65% R.H. and no ventilation. Data may vary depending on specific conditions at the building site, i.e.temperature, ventilation and absorbency level of the substrate.

Performance		
HIGH-TECH		
Conformity	SR-B2.0-AR0.5-IR20	EN 13813
Compressive strength after 28 days *	> 35 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	EN 196-1
Flexural strength after 28 days *	> 20 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	EN 196-1
Adhesion to concrete after 28 days *	≥ 2 N/mm <sup>2</sup>	

Values taken at +20 °C, 65% R.H. and no ventilation. Data may vary depending on specific conditions at the building site. \* average values, may vary according to colour

Colour chart				
Factory Colorflow EP colour				
RAL 1001				
RAL 1002				
RAL 1006*				
RAL 1015				
RAL 3000*		**		
RAL 3011				
RAL 5007				
RAL 5012				
RAL 5024				
RAL 6001				
RAL 6017				
RAL 6019				
RAL 6021				
RAL 7001				
RAL 7037				
RAL 7038				
RAL 7040				
RAL 7042				
RAL 7043				
RAL 7044				
RAL 9001				
RAL 9010				
RAL 9016				

<sup>\*</sup> Low coverage colour, do not use for thin film (Factory System  $N^{\circ}$  2) and thick film (Factory System  $N^{\circ}$  3) applications; apply an additional white base coat on the wall

<sup>\*\*</sup> The product's special finish means that it is not possible to reproduce the RAL colour indicated exactly

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### Warning

- → Product for professional use
- → abide by any standards and national regulations
- → when used for decorative purposes, bear in mind that exposure to UV rays may, over time, result in slight variations in colour tone
- → apply the product at substrate temperatures from +10 °C to +30 °C
- → apply on dry substrates
- → protect from direct sunlight and currents of air for the first 6 hours
- → do not apply on dirty or loose surfaces
- → dispose of as indicated in applicable legislation
- → the properties of products exposed to sharp changes in temperature (due to transport, storage, building site use, etc.) may be altered (e.g. crystallisation, partial hardening, fluidization, accelerated or delayed catalysis). In most cases, when products are restored to optimal conditions, the original properties will also be restored
- → protect surfaces and objects from accidental contact
- → read the product safety data sheet before use
- → if necessary, ask for the safety data sheet
- → for any other issues, contact the Kerakoll Worldwide Global Service +39 0536 811 516 globalservice@kerakoll.com

Kerakoll Quality System ISO 9001 CERTIFIED

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