

# 8409 POWERTREAD TILE



Interlocking Rubber Flooring  
Tile for Floating Installations

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## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

DriTac 8409 PowerTread Tile is a premium-grade 9mm interlocking rubber tile for floating installations. Engineered for precision-fit sports and fitness flooring, PowerTread Tile is made from 100% post-consumer waste, affording the green community the best choice for sustainable sports flooring projects. These recycled rubber tiles interlock with such precision that its seams are nearly invisible.

### ATTRIBUTES

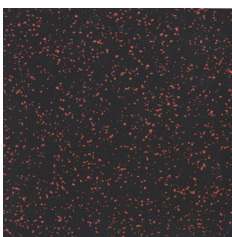
- Standard Tile Dimensions: 24" x 24" x 3/8" = 4 sq. ft./tile
- Made from 100% Post-Consumer Waste
- High Durability and Toughness
- High Impact Shock Absorbant
- Sound Absorbant
- Slip Resistant
- Maximum Comfort Underfoot
- Helps Contribute to LEED Credits

### SUGGESTED TOOL LIST

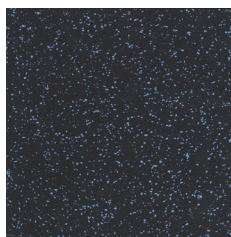
- Standard tape measure
- Utility Knife
- Chalk line & chalk
- Metal straight edge or Drywall T-square
- Rubber mallet
- Broom or vacuum

### AVAILABLE IN-STOCK COLORS

Red



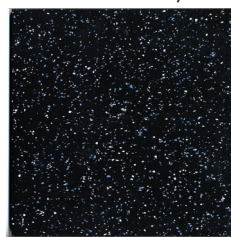
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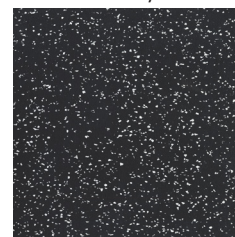
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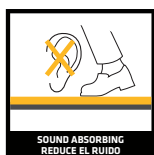
Blue/Gray



Gray



Tan



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## SUBFLOOR AND SITE REQUIREMENTS

- The area to receive the PowerTread Tile flooring should be weather tight and maintained at room temperature 68° F (20° C) before, during and after the installation.
- PowerTread Tile is intended for indoor use only and should not be installed in areas where the temperatures are not maintained at a uniform rate.
- Acceptable subfloors for PowerTread Tile are; any wood, laminate or concrete surface, existing resilient flooring or very low pile commercial carpet.
- Subfloors should be smooth and level to a +/- 1/8" in a 10' radius

## STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Inspect all materials for visual defects before beginning the installation. Verify the material delivered is the correct style, color and amount. Any discrepancies must be reported to the retailer where the material was purchased.
- Allow tiles to sit in the area to be installed. Tiles must be acclimated at a uniform room temperature for a minimum of 24 hours prior to installation.
- Ensure the jobs site and subfloor conditions are met.

## WALL TO WALL LAYOUT

- Begin tile installations from the center of the room and work toward the walls.
- Measure the width of the area to be covered on each side of the room. When laying out the floor, take into consideration how the final cuts of tile will fit into the room against the walls. Try not to leave small finish cuts of tile against the wall. A balanced tile installation will have equal finish cuts against the walls.
- Divide the room into 4 equal quadrants and mark using chalk line.
- Once your layout is figured and marked; begin the installation at the center of the area where the two lines meet.
- Install the tiles by interlocking the tabs together. Gently tapping the tabs in with a rubber mallet will speed up the installation in lieu of pressing them in by hand.
- Lay whole tiles and fill each quadrant working from the center toward the walls.
- The last tile will likely have to be cut to fit against the wall.
- Cut the last piece to fit against the wall using a metal straight edge and a sharp utility knife.
- Do not compression-fit the tiles against the wall. Allow a 1/4" around the perimeter for expansion and contraction of the tiles.

## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

### 1. Initial Cleaning

- 1.) Remove all loose debris by vacuuming, sweeping or by using a dust mop.
- 2.) Scrub floor by using a buffer or auto scrubber fitted with a soft nylon brush or purple scrub pad. The floor can also be scrubbed using a traditional string mop or newer style microfiber mop head. Use a detergent with neutral pH (7-9) for cleaning and maintenance on the floor. Dilute the solution 10 oz. per gallon of water. Do not flood the floor with water.
- 3.) Use a wet vacuum to pick up the cleaning solution from the floor and rinse with clean water. Again, do not flood the floor. The rinse water should then be wet vacuumed from the floor.
- 4.) Allow the floor to dry before foot traffic.

### 2. Regular Maintenance

- 1.) Keep surface free from loose debris by sweeping, using a dust mop or by vacuuming the surface daily or as needed.
- 2.) Damp mop surface by using a traditional mop, microfiber mop or by using an auto scrubber fitted with a purple scrub pad. Use a detergent with neutral pH (7-9) and dilute 6-10 oz/gallon water.
- 3.) Use a wet vacuum to pick up the cleaning solution from the floor and rinse with clean water. Again, do not flood the floor. The rinse water should then be wet vacuumed from the floor.
- 4.) Allow the floor to dry before foot traffic.

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## 3. Restorative Maintenance

- 1.) Remove all loose debris by vacuuming, sweeping or by using a dust mop.
- 2.) Scrub the floor by using an auto scrubber or buffer fitted with a purple or black stripping pad and using a detergent with neutral pH (7-9) or stripping solution. Dilute to 10 oz per gallon of water. Keep the surface of the rubber wet to avoid damage from the scrub pads. Do not flood the floor.
- 3.) Use a wet vacuum to pick up the cleaning solution from the floor and rise with clean water. Again, do not flood the floor. The rinse water should then be wet vacuumed from the floor.
- 4.) Allow the floor to dry before foot traffic.

## PACKAGING

Available in 24" x 24" tiles

Pallets/Truckload = 36

Tiles/Pallet = 150

SF/Pallet = 600

SF/Truckload = 21,600

## TECHNICAL RAPID RESPONSE

(201) 933-8800 Mon-Fri 8am - 5pm EST