

Installation instructions wineo soundSTOP

wineo soundSTOP is a special underlay mat for laminate and parquet floors, which is characterised by its self-adhesive top and sticky underside up to use class ≤ 33 .

Basics

When installing **wineo soundSTOP**, the relevant standards, guidelines and references for installing "elastic" floorings that are applicable in the specific country must be observed.

Site conditions

Substrates

Substrates must always be permanently dry, flat, clean, capable of bearing the weight, free of cracks, and tension- and pressure-resistant. The maximum flatness tolerances are to be taken into consideration in accordance with information from the flooring manufacturer to the relevant national standards, guidelines and regulations as well as the technical references and recognised rules of the trade apply.

Substrates and plastered surfaces must be dry before commencing installation:

- Cement screed < 2.0 CM% (heated: < 1.8 CM% - CM: calcium carbide method)
- Calcium sulphate screed < 0.5 CM% (heated: 0.3 SM%)

Indoor climate conditions

- Room air temperature > 18°C
- Floor temperature should be at least 15°C and no more than 25°C (optimum floor temperature: 18-20°C; higher temperatures may cause subsequent changes in dimensions)
- Relative humidity < 65%

Checking the goods

Before starting work, make sure that the delivered goods are in perfect condition. In particular, make sure that **wineo soundSTOP** has not been crushed in the packaging or that the edges have not been damaged. Goods that have been cut to size or laid are excluded from complaints.

Acclimatization

wineo soundSTOP should be acclimatised for at least 24 hours before installation in the rooms to be installed under the conditions listed above!

Installation on existing subfloors

Textile floor coverings of any kind must be removed. **wineo soundSTOP** can be installed on existing floor coverings that have been thoroughly cleaned, such as linoleum, rubber, PVC, laminate and firmly glued parquet. **Note:** Existing floor coverings must be checked for suitability (e.g. firm connection to the subfloor etc.) in advance. For tile joints, please note a max. joint width of 5mm and max. joint depth of 2mm. The maximum height tolerance for tile edges must not exceed 1mm per 10cm. We generally recommend levelling tile subfloors. The subfloor preparation must be carried out properly and professionally and the required materials must be suitable.

To achieve optimum adhesion, we recommend precoating all mineral substrates with a suitable dispersion primer.

- Individual solutions only after prior consultation with the installation hotline below.
- Substrates which are not listed require approval from Windmüller GmbH.

Laying / cutting and laying out the sheets

wineo soundSTOP can be cut with an installation knife (trapezoidal blade). Lay out the individual sheets edge to edge, but without tension, with the "TOP" marked FOIL SIDE FACING UP at an angle of 90° angle to the direction in which the flooring is laid and with a distance of 5mm from the wall and all rising components. The application of two sheets in the area is made by a double cut. Now fold the underlay mat back to the centre of the room. After removing the protective film, lay the sheets without folds and rub them evenly and without air inclusions, e.g. with a cork board or stick driver. When removing the protective film, make sure that the sheets do not move. Repeat this process on the opposite side. Now remove the protective film marked "TOP" from the upper side and start laying the top layer according to the installation instructions.

Warranty

No warranty is accepted for combinations with other manufacturers' products due to the large number of products on offer in the marketplace. The approval of the relevant flooring manufacturer must be obtained in such cases. The use of other manufacturers' floor coverings that have not been tested or approved may result in the exclusion of warranty rights and guarantee claims in the event of damage.

These installation instructions provide you with information taken from our tests and experience. The information is based on the most up-to-date version of our knowledge but it does not represent a warranty of product features and does not form a contractual agreement. We provide a warranty for our products but cannot provide a warranty for the results of installation in individual cases due to the many factors which are beyond our control such as the area of application, storage and processing conditions on site etc. We recommend thorough and sufficient trials are carried out.

The publication of these installation instructions (issue 12/2020) supersedes all previous versions.