



PlayGuard is manufactured by Ecore. Since 1871, Ecore has been transforming reclaimed waste into unique surfaces that make people's lives better. What started with simple cork closures has evolved into a diverse portfolio of products solving complex problems in applications ranging from playgrounds, weight rooms, and turf fields to hospitals, hotels, and retail environments. We are driven everyday by a simple question, "Can a floor do more?" At Ecore, we believe the answer is "YES." We are building our company and the products we offer based on the simple notion that surfaces should elevate beyond current expectations. Our energy is focused on the interaction between people and the surface. We engineer performance well beyond industry standards related to acoustics, ergonomics, and safety. Harvesting the unique power from a myriad of waste streams, Ecore creates products that align—substantial force reduction with a balanced amount of energy return to create dynamic surfaces that are catered to the individual and the application.

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PlayGuard is FloorScore Certified for Indoor Use



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This product has been certified to meet the requirements of the flooring products certification program for indoor air quality.	
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PLAYGUARD

SAFETY SURFACING



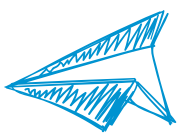


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You Can't Always Be There To Catch Them

Who We Are

PlayGuard 24-inch by 24-inch playground tiles safely cushion the impact of a fall to reduce the risk of serious injury to both outdoor and indoor play areas! Ecore, a company that transforms reclaimed waste into unique surfaces that makes people's lives better, manufactures all PlayGuard products from recycled rubber in the U.S.A.

Any design or color can be implemented with PlayGuard's custom color and logo capabilities.

Main product lines:

- Carnival Ultra: bold/energetic colors
- Softpave Pigmented & Non Pigmented: earth-tone hues

PlayGuard features easy installation and maintenance!

Ecore reinforces its commitment to safety by being one of the few playground surfacing manufacturers to take its product through the rigorous process of becoming IPEMATM certified. PlayGuard Safety Surfacing meets the ASTM F1292-17A standard specification for impact attenuation for falls and guidelines established by the U.S. Consumer

Product Safety Commission. PlayGuard tiles also meet accessibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act and are certified to ASTM F1951-09b, a determination of accessibility of surface systems under and around playground equipment.



Characteristics

- 24" x 24" modular tiles that are 2.5" thick
- Factory molded to ensure consistent fall height protection and uniform appearance
- Patented, pre-manufactured colorful Ultra surface layer (2.5")
- Meets 5' and 10' critical fall height requirements per ASTM F1292-17A and is CPSC compliant
- Slip resistant for wet or dry surfaces
- Resilient, comfortable surface encourages play
- Tiles won't crack, eliminating unsightly surface repairs
- Will not shift or displace during play
- Meets ADA standards
- Extremely durable for low life-cycle costs
- Low-maintenance surface
- Unlikely to conceal sharp or potentially harmful objects
- Individual tiles can be removed and replaced if damaged
- Custom colors, logos, and designs available for PlayGuard Ultra
- Made in the U.S.A. from the highest quality recycled rubber



Applications

- Playgrounds
- Rooftops
- Patios
- Recreation spaces
- Daycare & after-school activity grounds
- Rehabilitation centers
- Schools



Sustainability

Creating Sustainable Environments

Ecore is the largest user of scrap tire rubber in the U.S.A., converting more than 65 million pounds of tires annually into recycled rubber flooring. With our state of the art equipment, experienced staff, and 100 million pound capacity, Ecore is uniquely capable of producing the cleanest, most consistent, and highest quality material available in the market place.

Floor Score

Indoor PlayGuard applications are FloorScore certified for compliance with rigorous indoor air quality emission requirements.



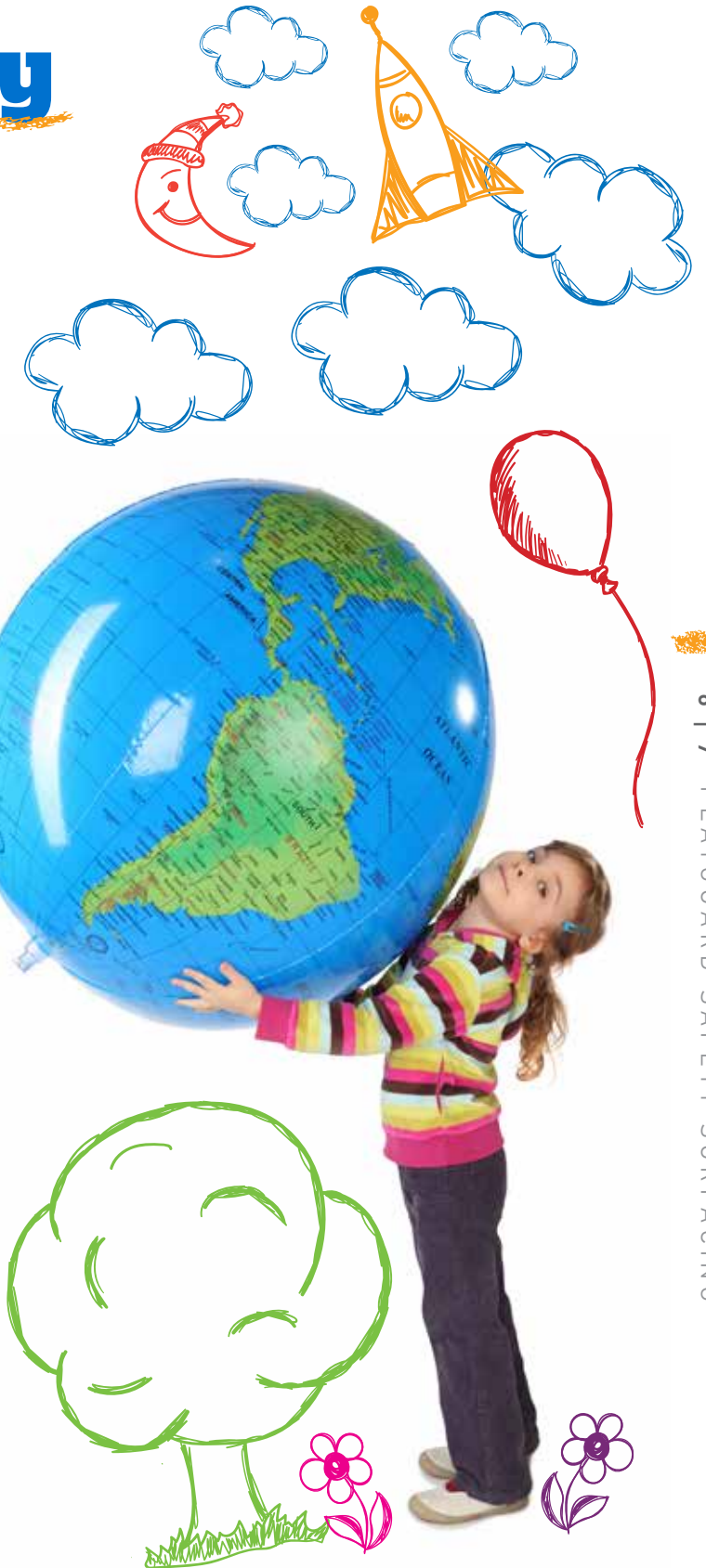
CHPS

PlayGuard meets the Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) criteria, the state of Washington standard for indoor air quality, and supports ASTM 2129-05 Sustainability Assessment.

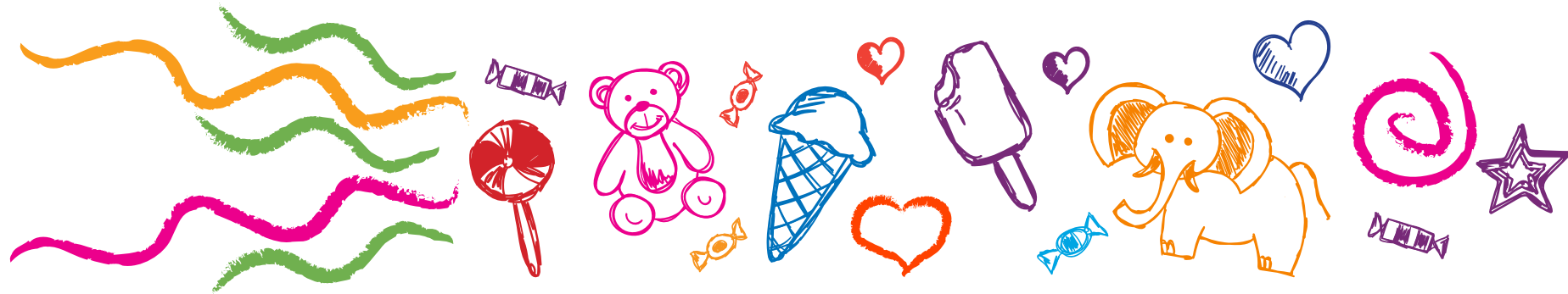


LEED

PlayGuard can contribute toward earning up to 8 LEED points. For information on how PlayGuard can contribute to LEED points please visit PlayGuardSurfacing.com.



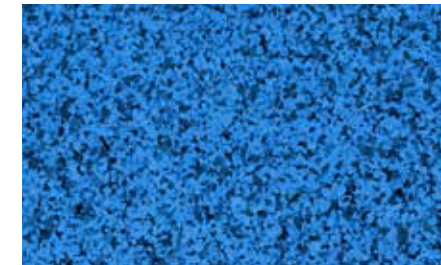
Carnival Ultra



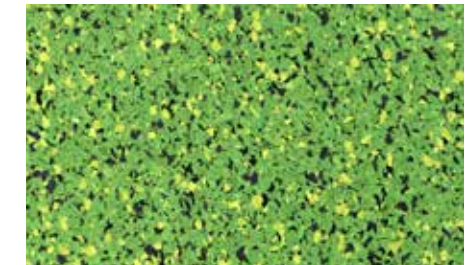
Midnight PG50



Cherry Blast 2 PG61A



Blueberry Pie 2 PG62A



Sour Apple 2 PG63A



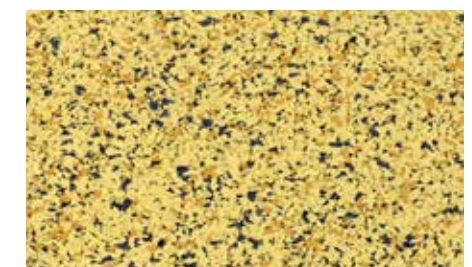
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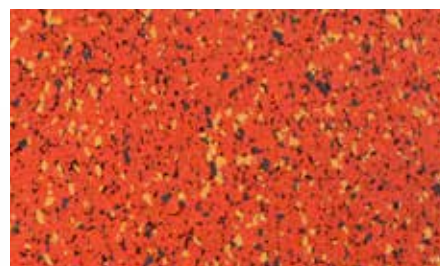
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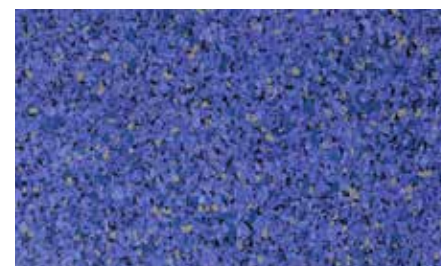
Funnel Cake 2 PG67A



Lemonade PG76



Orangesicle PG77



Grape Slushie PG78



Licorice PG79



Used in combination or as single color accents, the wear layer colors of the Carnival Ultra line create bright and engaging atmospheres that beg for participation and activity. This collection's vivid patterns bring design themes to life and transform playgrounds into lively community attractions. Carnival Ultra tiles are manufactured with proprietary processes that mold a dense recycled rubber and EPDM surface layer to a footed recycled rubber base.

*Actual sample and final product may vary from color swatches shown in this catalog.

Specifications

Tile: 24" x 24"
 Thickness: 2.5"
 Tile + Polyfoam (2-1/4"): 4.75"

Recommended Accessory Colors

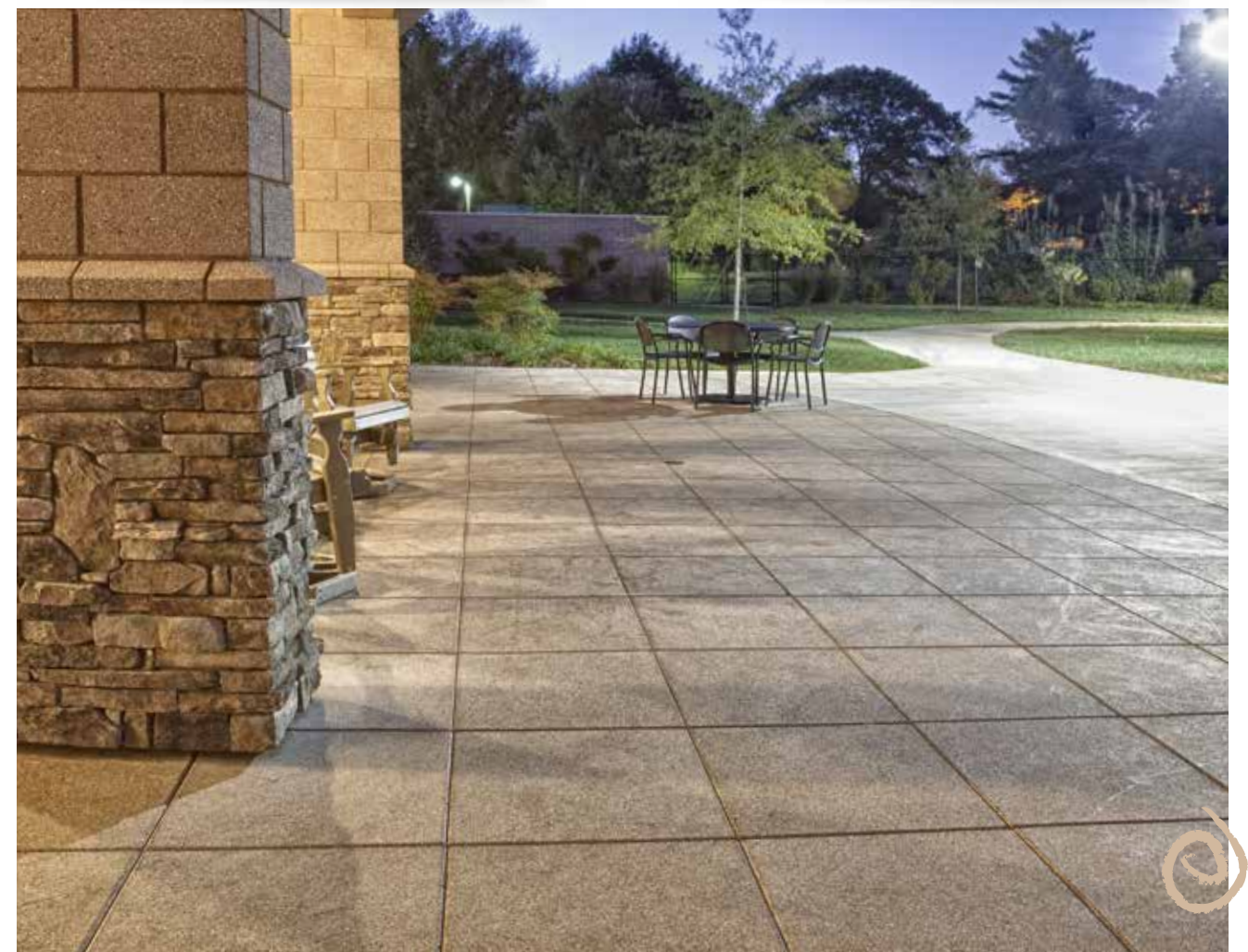
PG40A

Rooftops & Patios



PlayGuard Safety Surfacing is ideal for rooftop and patio applications due to its unique Quad Blok installation system and cushioned resilience. With the Quad Blok system, PlayGuard tiles are attached to the connector and not the roof itself. This eliminates costly damage to elastomeric membranes and ensures that the quality of the roof remains unaltered. ColorMill® EPDM allows for greater UV fade resistance compared to other EPDM rooftop and patio applications.

PlayGuard tiles also allow for water drainage. The superior design of PlayGuard, in combination with the connector system, ensures that water will quickly reach the roof surface and flow to drains, avoiding ponding and enabling easy maintenance. The tiles' superior durability and non-slip properties make them ideal for areas prone to direct exposure to the natural elements and, with the Quad Blok installation system, damaged tiles can be easily removed or replaced.



Softpave



If color isn't a primary consideration, budgets are tight, or simplistic design is the focus, Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented tiles are the ideal solution! Manufactured without an EPDM surface layer, the earth-tone hues of the Softpave Pigmented collection are produced by evenly distributing pigment throughout the rubber tile.

Custom color and logo options are not available for Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented tiles.



Black PG40 (Non-Pigmented)



Grey PG41



Red PG42



Green PG43

* Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented tiles are **not** recommended for indoor use.

Specifications

Tile: 24" x 24"
Thickness: 2.5"
Tile + Polyfoam (2-1/4"): 4.75"

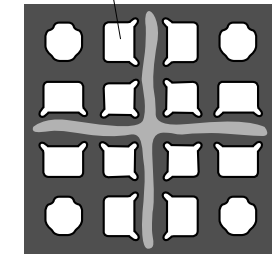
Recommended Accessory Colors

PG40A PG41A PG42A PG43A

Quad Blok™



Tile legs mate to cutout



QuadBlok for 2.5" Tile

NOTE: ONE QUAD BLOK PER TILE IS REQUIRED

Property	Test Method	Typical Result
Density	ASTM D297	45-lbs./cu.ft. ³ min.
Tensile Strength	ASTM D412, DIE C	100psi. min.
Elongation	ASTM D412, DIE C	65% min.
Compression	ASTM F36	Recovery
@50psi	15%	80%
@100psi	28%	90%
@200psi	45%	95%
Shore A Hardness	ASTM D2240	50 +/- 5 points
Tear Strength	ADTM D624, DIE C	30-lbs.f/in
Flexibility	ASTM F147	0-1 Factor
Compression Set B 25% deflection, 22 hrs. 158°F	ASTM D395	25%
Compression Set (Foam) 50% deflection, 22 hrs. 158°F	ASTM D3676	20%

Ideal for playgrounds, rooftops, and patios, our exclusive Quad Blok™ system offers reliable easy-down/easy-up installations. Quad Blok connectors are made of high quality, post-consumer tire rubber and polyurethane. Unlike labor intensive poured-in-place systems, Quad Blok modular connectors feature precisely located multiple openings that interface with the corner leg understructure of PlayGuard tiles. These connectors are quick and easy to use without adhering to or causing damage to rooftops or playground substrates. If an individual tile ever does need replacement, removing and securing a new tile causes minimal disruption or downtime.

Benefit:

Quad Blok prevents gaping and/or separation of the tiles, due to temperature fluctuation.

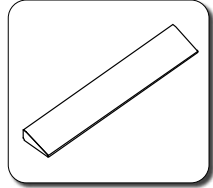
Features:

- Available in:
 - 8" x 8" x 17mm for 2.5" Tiles
- 15 year warranty
- Recycled rubber and polyurethane composition
- Highly durable
- Enables rooftop installation capabilities
- Eliminates damage to the roofing membrane
- Allows rapid water drainage around each tile
- Ample void under tiles for water drainage flow

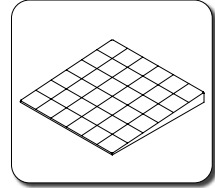


Accessories

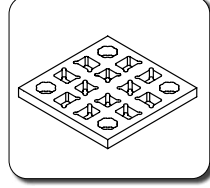
Carnival Ultra, Softpave Pigmented & Non Pigmented & Turf Tile



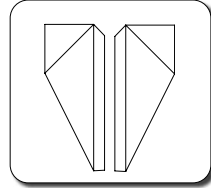
Reducer
48" x 8" x 2-1/2"
48" x 12" x 4-1/2"



ADA Access Ramp
24" x 30" x 2-1/2" (2)*
*Not Available in Grey
19-3/4" x 60" x 4-1/2" (2)**
**Available in Grey



Quad Blok Connector
8" x 8" x 17 mm



L/R Side Reducer for ADA Access Ramp
24" x 8" x 2-1/2"
48" x 12" x 4-1/2"

Accessories are not manufactured with a wear layer. The pigments are homogeneously mixed throughout to produce coordinated designs that compliment the Carnival Ultra line and correspond with Softpave.

Accessory Colors



Black PG40A



Grey PG41A



Red PG42A



Green PG43A

For the most up to date colors please visit playguardsurfacing.com. Actual sample and final product may vary from color swatches shown in this catalog.



Custom Colors



1102 Eggshell



1202 Light Grey



1204 Medium Grey



1205 Greige



1206 Warm Grey



1208 Clay Grey



1210 Dark Grey



1306 Sand



1403 Sky Blue



1407 Midnight Blue



1410 Retro Deep Aqua



1412 Cobalt



1503 Purple



1509 Blue Purple



1610 Army Green



1620 True Lime



1622 Shadow Lime



1624 Veggie Green



1630 Olive



1703 Yellow



1708 Gold



1806 Bright Red



1808 Brick Red



1812 Fuchsia



1816 Shadow Red



1818 Red Orange



1904 Orange*



1908 Melon



2100 Dark Camel



2105 Deep Taupe



2110 Mid Taupe



2115 Mid Camel



2120 Tan Sage



2125 Dark Chocolate



2170 Brown

*1904 Orange is for indoor application only.



With PlayGuard's custom color program, there are no limitations to the imagination. It's easy to find the color blend that is right for any project by selecting colors from our EPDM palette shown here.

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Custom Designs

If it can be imagined, PlayGuard can create it.

Create playful patterns using distinctly colored tiles or make a bold statement with custom designs created to complement any project's theme. Custom logos and designs can be created with any combination of Carnival Ultra or custom colors and are manufactured as a part of the tile's wear layer for long-lasting patterns that don't flake, chip, or peel.



Live to Play

PlayGuard Safety Surfacing's Live to Play Program is a creative way to bring active play to your playground through designs in the surface. Through our patented tile technology, we are able to cut inlaid water-jet designs directly into the surface of the tile using precise detail that is not currently available through traditional tile and poured-in-place products. You may choose from our Live to Play portfolio of existing inspirational ideas designed to spark your imagination, or work with PlayGuard and our partners to design your own custom surface.

When choosing directly from our Live to Play product portfolio, all artwork, proofing, and pricing has already been done in advance and allows you to expedite your bidding process, while still achieving a truly custom look.

Options

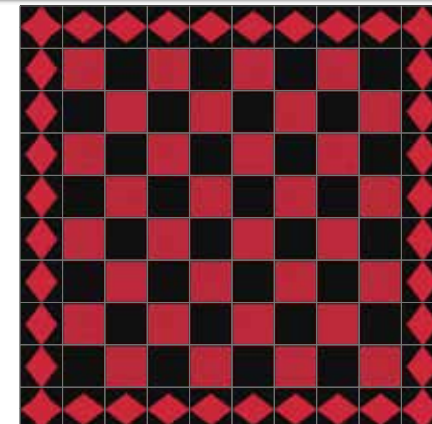
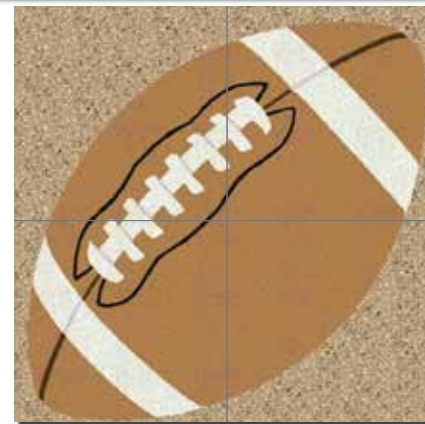
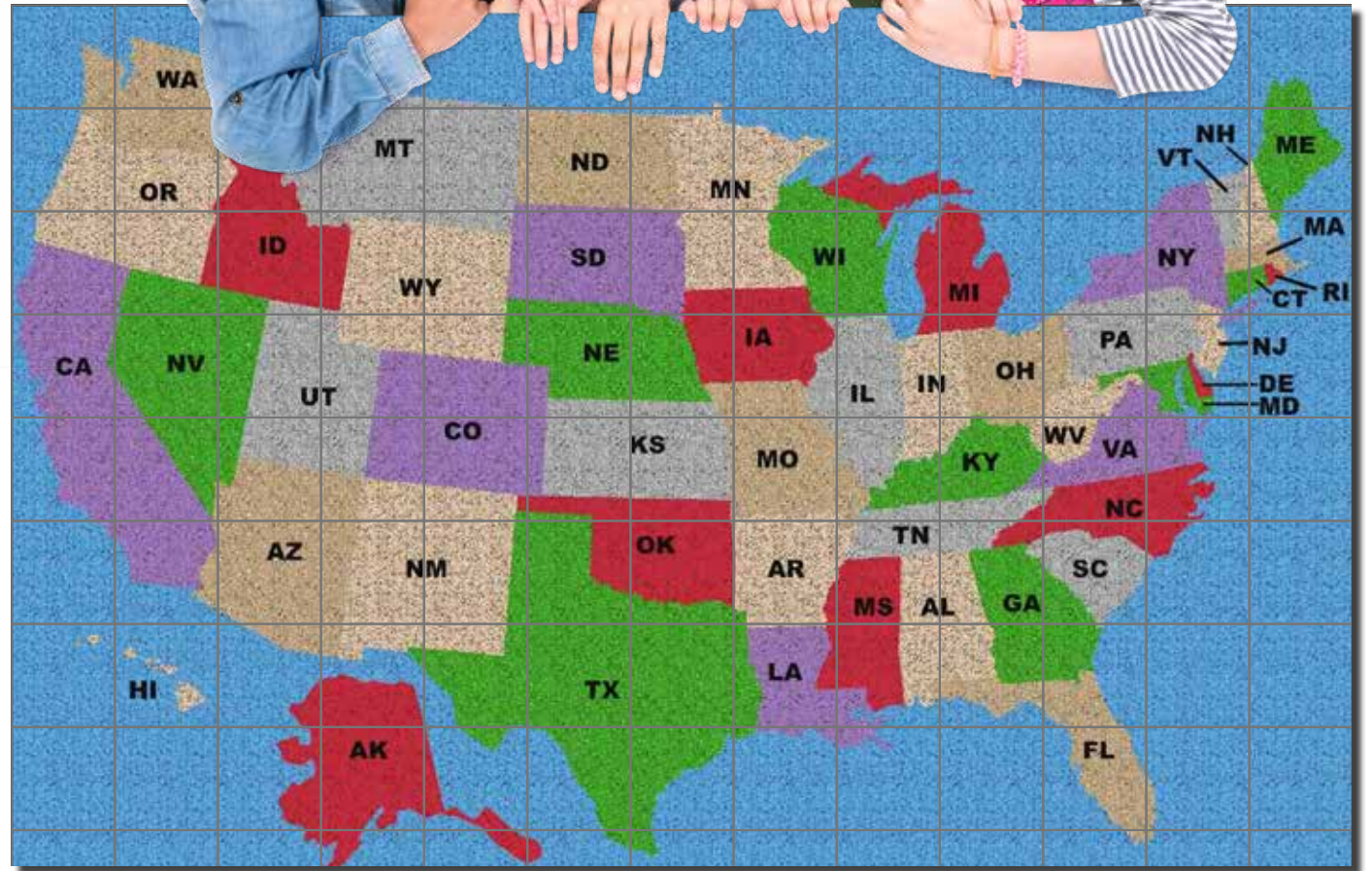
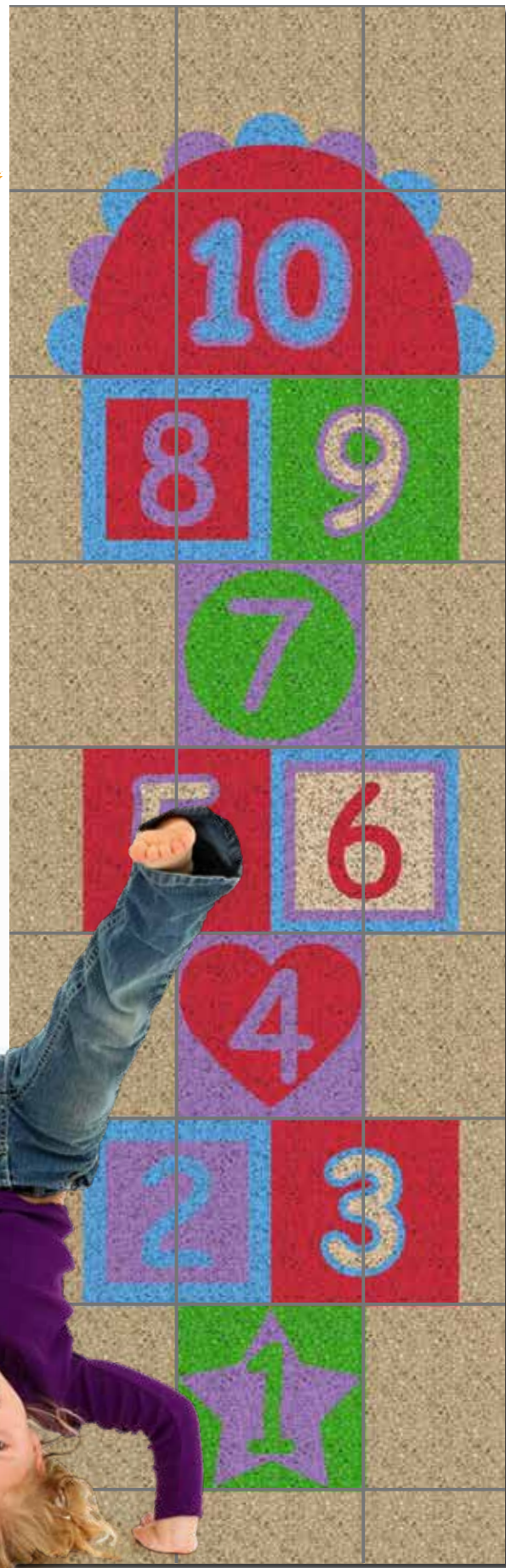
- Foursquare
- Hopscotch: Simple
- Hopscotch: Extreme
- Checkers Board
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Football
- Footprints
- Soccer Ball
- Tennis Ball
- Runner
- 50 States

Benefits

- Features a patented, water jet cut tile system
- Standard and custom graphic options
- Endless color options
- Unsurpassed graphic detail quality
- Compliment play equipment using new and engaging activities



Please contact your distributor for additional designs or visit playguardsurfacing.com.



Swing Mats



PlayGuard Swing Mats are loose lay and can easily be installed under swing sets and at the feet of sliding boards. Swing Mats do not carry a fall height rating and are only recommended to help prevent the spread of wood mulch, pea gravel, or rubber crumb. Available in black only.

Specifications

Tile: 36" x 36"
Thickness: 1.5"



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Technical Specifications

Critical Fall Height and Physical Dimensions				
Thickness	Weight (lbs.) Each (Not less than)		Critical Fall Height (ft.)	
	Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented	Carnival	Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented	Carnival
2-1/2" & 2-1/4" Polyfoam	29	31	10	10
2-1/2" Fully Adhered	25	27	5	5
2-1/2" w/ Quad Blok on Compacted Aggregate Base	25	27	5	5
2-1/2" w/ Quad Blok on Concrete or Asphalt	25	27	4	4

Packaging Information				
Full Pallet Weight (lbs.)				
Thickness	Pieces/Pallet	Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented	Carnival	Pallet Height
2-1/2"	100	2,560	2,760	66"
2-1/4" x 4' x 6' (Polyfoam Sheet)	23	680	680	52"

Physical Testing - Typical Results			
Characteristic	Test Method	Softpave Pigmented & Non-Pigmented Tile	Carnival
Density*	ASTM D297	58 lb./ft ³	80 lb./ft ³
Tensile Strength*	ASTM D412, DIE C	180 lb./in ²	250 lb./in ²
Elongation at Break*	ASTM D412, DIE C	50%	70%
Abrasion Test*	ASTM D3389	Less than 0.200g lost	Less than 0.200g lost
Coefficient of Friction*	ASTM D2047	0.8	0.8
Flammability	ASTM D2859 (Burning Pill Test)	8 of 8 samples passed	8 of 8 samples passed
Wheel Chair Accessibility	ASTM F1951-08	Pass	Pass
Lead Content	US EPA Method 3052:1996	Pass	Pass

*testing on wear layer surface only

* Any application other than children's playgrounds, or rooftop & patio adult pedestrian traffic use will need to be approved by the Ecore Playguard Division.