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Bring stunning natural style to your space with our Habitat Laminate flooring collection.

Exclusive to Flooring Xtra, the Habitat collection of Laminate floors features twelve gorgeous decors that are sure to make an impression in your home. Offering an elevated aesthetic and versatile application, the Habitat range is child and pet friendly, and suitable for installation in even the highest traffic areas of your home. Plus, with 72-hour spill protection thanks to an aluminium-oxide wear layer, you don't have to panic if your little ones spill their drink or the family dog has an accident.

These low maintenance floorboards feature an AC4 rating and are resistant to general wear and tear, so you can install Habitat in your home with confidence. They also make use of a superior UNICLIC[®] locking system, so your floors will benefit from the enhanced stability that this system brings. This is all backed up by a 25 Year Residential Warranty, as well as a 5 Year Commercial Warranty, so you know Habitat means business.

With the exception of the Australian native inspired decors, Woody Lane and Landmark, and two oak designs, Cloudburst and Nutbush, Habitat provides a true-to-life experience thanks to an embossed in register design. All decors within the range feel as good as they look though, so don't worry if you're loving any of these four decors, as they've got you covered with woodgrain embossed style.

If you're after a particularly light foundation for your design, we suggest checking out Cloudburst, while those who want something on the darker end of the scale will feel an instant connection with Nutbush. Weathered Wind Oak and Iron Oak are also strong performers in terms of design versatility, while Toasted Oak creates an ideal base for a more traditional space.





Pebble Oak 807

Iron Oak 808



Cloudburst 809



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811

Woody Lane 812

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Plank Size Total Thickness Grading Surface Finish Slip Rating Locking System Planks per Box 1215mm x 194mm 8.0mm AC4 Woodgrain Embossing P2 Uniclic® 9 planks = (2.12m2)

Warranty

25 Year Residential* 5 Year Light Commercial* Exclusive to Flooring Xtra, the Habitat range of Laminate flooring features 12 decors. Eight of these options are Embossed in Register, with four featuring woodgrain embossing, and all provide stunning true-to-life detail.

The Habitat collection is low maintenance and features a Uniclic® locking system for superior stability and ease of installation.





FOR every AUSTRALIAN HOME



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What is Habitat?

Habitat is a collection of 1215mm Laminate floorboards available in ten European Oak décors and two Australian native inspired designs.

Featuring an 8mm thick construction, our Habitat floors are crafted from the below components:

🔉 Aluminum Oxide Wear Layer

This hard wearing surface is highly resistant to scratches and offers increased protection against fading, stains and burns. Ideal for homes with children and pets this layer provides a 100% waterproof surface.

Imagine Floors Décor

Available in 12 designs, the décors within our Habitat range offer true-to-life visuals for an authentic design. Eight of these designs are Embossed in Register, with the remaining four offering a woodgrain embossing so they feel as good as they look.

HDF Core

Short for High Density Fibreboard, the HDF core of our Habitat Laminate floors offers high impact resistance and enhanced stability for the floorboard. This layer includes the UNICLIC[®] locking system used with the Habitat collection which greatly improves ease of installation and the integrity of the lock.

Ⴆ Balancing Layer

This layer balances the floorboard, creates a solid foundation for the flooring system and provides dimensional stability.

What are the benefits of Habitat Laminate?



The UNICLIC® system features four locking points and allows for two different methods of installation - fold and click. This greatly improves ease of installation while also enhancing the integrity of the lock.

LOCKING SYSTEM



72 hour spill protection helps ensure that the entirety of your new Laminate flooring system is highly durable and able to withstand daily life.



The Aluminum Oxide wear layer on the Habitat collection of flooring helps provide a 100% waterresistant surface. It's also highly resistant to scratches, dents, fading and burns.



An Embossed in Register finish is available on eight decors within Habitat with the remaining four featuring a woodgrain feel. This means that your floorboards feel as good as they look.



Kids and pets are highly unpredictable, and as much as we love them, they can cause havoc in the home. The good news is that the Habitat range is able to withstand the unpredictability of everyday life - whether it's the kids spilling a drink or the pet having an accident.



An AC4 Abrasion Rating means that all options within the Habitat collection are suitable for installation in even the highest traffic areas of the home as well as commercial spaces with heavy foot traffic.

BRASION RATING



The Habitat collection is designed to be low maintenance and easy to clean. Simply follow the Cleaning & Care Guide and enjoy your floors for years to come.



A 25 Year Residential Warranty covers the entire Habitat range, so you can install these floors in your home with confidence as long as appropriate guidelines are followed.



A 5 Year Light Commercial Warranty is available when Habitat floorboards are installed in commercial settings as long as appropriate guidelines are followed.



As the Habitat collection of Laminate flooring has a closed surface which does not trap dust or allergens it is considered an allergy-friendly flooring option.



Habitat Laminate FAQs

Where does Habitat sit in the Imagine Floors by Airstep product offering?

Habitat is the Imagine Floors by Airstep 8mm European Oak collection of Laminate flooring. At 1215mm it provides a standard length flooring option for consumers and is the sister range of our Ridgeline 12mm Laminate floors. These ranges provide an alternative to Australian inspired décors (which can be found in The Eucalyptus Steps Collection) and offer 24 designs between them.

What makes Habitat special?

Habitat offers twelve stunning décors that combine true-to-life aesthetics with an embossed texture. This means that they are as close to the real deal as possible, with lower maintenance and protection requirements than Timber floors. They also feature a UNICLIC[®] locking system, which allows them to be installed in two different manners, and have an Aluminium Oxide wear layer that makes them highly resistant to scratches, dents, burns, stains and fading.

What is the UNICLIC® lock system?

UNICLIC[®] is a locking system for floors which has four locking points. This unique set up allows floors to be installed in either a "fold" or "clic" method, while also enhancing the stability of the connection between individual floorboards.

What's so good about an Aluminium Oxide coating?

While most types of flooring available for homes has a PU Coating (water based polymer) Laminate floors have an Aluminium Oxide coating. This greatly enhances their resistance to scratches and damage, and means your floors will stay looking, and feeling, better for longer, even in high traffic residential spaces and commercial areas.

What expansion gap is needed?

A minimum 10mm - 12mm expansion gap is required when installing Habitat Laminate. This is standard for all floating floors. All décors within the Habitat collection of Laminate flooring from Imagine Floors by Airstep have 20mm colour match scotia available to cover the expansion gap, with stair nosing also available upon request.

Where can Habitat be installed?

Our Habitat Laminate collection features an AC4 Abrasion Rating meaning that it can be installed in even the highest traffic areas of the home (such as entryways and hallways) as well as commercial settings where heavy foot traffic is expected. Although suitable for installation in areas of the home such as kitchens and laundries, Habitat is not suitable for use in wet areas such as bathrooms. This is because they are not considered a waterproof system.

Why isn't Habitat considered waterproof?

Habitat is not considered a waterproof floor as Laminate is not a waterproof system by nature. This means that although the surface of our Habitat floorboards is water-resistant thanks to the Aluminium Oxide wear layer, the floorboard itself is not waterproof.

Is Habitat recyclable?

All Imagine Floors by Airstep Laminate flooring is 100% recyclable.



Habitat Laminate FAQs cont.

What is the difference between "fold" and "clic" installation methods?

Floors that use UNICLIC[®] locking technology can be installed with either a "fold" or "clic" installation style. The differences between these are explained in-depth in a video from the creator, UNILIN, which can be accessed by clicking or tapping any of the images below.



The diversity of method in which floors that use the UNICLIC[®] locking system can be installed greatly improves ease of installation, especially in areas where it can be hard to use the traditional folding method such as near doors and walls.

Does Habitat require underlay?

As a general rule, all floating flooring systems recommend the installation of underlay beneath your floorboards. You can find recommendations for underlay products that pair well with our Habitat collection within this document.

What is the maximum raft size for Habitat?

Habitat can be installed in a raft size up to 10m wide and 12m long. If these dimensions are exceeded compartmentalisation is required and expansion trims must be used. Refer to Installation Instructions for further requirements and information.

What should I do if I have further questions?

If you have further questions after reviewing these FAQs we suggest visiting the FAQ page of the Imagine Floors website by clicking or tapping the button below. If you still have questions after reviewing this page, you can contact your Sales Representative or get in touch with our Customer Service Department by calling +613 9794 3888.

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Underlay Recommendations for Habitat Laminate:

TIMBERMAX



Laminate or Timber Floating Floor IXPE Closed-Cell Foam

Moisture Barrier



Laminate or Timber Floating Floor

IXPE Closed-Cell Foam Moisture Barrier

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*Tested with 12mm Laminate

Laminate or Timber Floating Floor Closed-Cell Rubber Construction Moisture Barrier Accessory Options for Habitat Laminate:

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Colour Match Scotia

All Laminate floors require an expansion gap due to their floating nature, and the Imagine Floors by Airstep Habitat collection is no exception. To help improve both safety and aesthetics when leaving an expansion gap, it is a good idea to install scotia around the edge of your room and / or any fixed elements (such as island benches and cupboards within your space.

In order to allow for the creation of a seamless design, we have developed colour match scotia for all decors within the Habitat range. This 20mm thick accessory easily hides expansion gaps and provides a smooth transition from your floor to any vertical surface within your space.

Although not applicable for all homes, stair nosing is an ideal solution to create a seamless finish in homes with staircases

Each step on a staircase must be sealed for durability and stair nosing makes this easy.

It also creates a seamless continuation of the floors across levels of your home.

All décors within the Habitat collection have

colour match stair nosing available upon

Colour Match Stair Nosing

and / or split levels.

request.

144mm 144mm 30mm 30mm 1215mm 20mm

20mm

Line drawing not to scale

20mm



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