



# Skudo Tack-Mat Application Guide

This guide is applicable to the following product lines: Skudo Heavy Traffic (HT) Tack-Mat, Light Traffic (LT) Tack-Mat, High Impact (HI) Tack-Mat, Edge Protect Tack-Mat, and Counter Mat

## IMPORTANT - Read Before Applying:

- **Skudo Tack-Mat should NOT be applied to:**
  - Polished Concrete
  - Concrete that has not fully cured
  - Limestone/Basalt
  - Non-factory finished hardwood flooring
  - Any exterior surfaces
- **INTERIOR USE ONLY.** All Skudo Tack-Mat products are intended for interior use only and is not suited for areas that will be exposed to inclement weather and wind. If exposure to the elements is a concern, Skudo recommends the Heavy Traffic (HT) Commercial Mat System. Please consult with your Skudo representative for more details.
- All adhesives have the potential to lift finished coatings or paint depending on the condition and age of the surface. Testing a small piece in a non-critical area will help you judge suitability for use.
- If applying to hardwood flooring, only use Skudo Tack-Mat on sealed hardwood with a hard wearing factory finished surface (eg : Aluminum Oxide). If in question, please contact Skudo for suitability testing.
- If applying vertically, space must be conditioned. Humidity can cause this system to release from the substrate.
- **Always consult with your Skudo Representative to determine which Skudo product is best suited for your project.**



### STEP 1

- Clean substrate thoroughly
- Start by finding where the release paper joins the clear plastic film on the back of the Tack-Mat.
- Peel back 1m - 2m of the release paper. Fold this section back underneath the Tack-Mat roll.



### Step 2

- Make sure to properly align the roll to ensure a straight application.
- Attach the tack side to the surface, press in the Tack-Mat firmly.



### Step 3

- Ensure that the right side of the Tack-Mat is facing toward the inside of the area to be covered. This side has the plastic film on the back extended past the edge of the Mat. This side goes underneath the next section or application pass.



### STEP 4

- Once one row is completed, unpeel 1 - 2m of the release paper and align the edge with the edge of the first row.
- Keep Tack-Mat pulled tight, overlap the Mats by 25mm, smoothing Mat onto surface.
- The Tack-Mat will stick to the surface of the other Mat.



### STEP 5

- Continue the process until the entire area is covered.
- The Skudo Tack-Mat can be lifted for inspection or re-adjusted as needed at any time.
- Your surface is now protected.



### STEP 6

- Start from the bottom and pull the release paper up while moving the roll up the stairs - ensure to push/press the Tack-Mat down onto all the treads and risers.



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