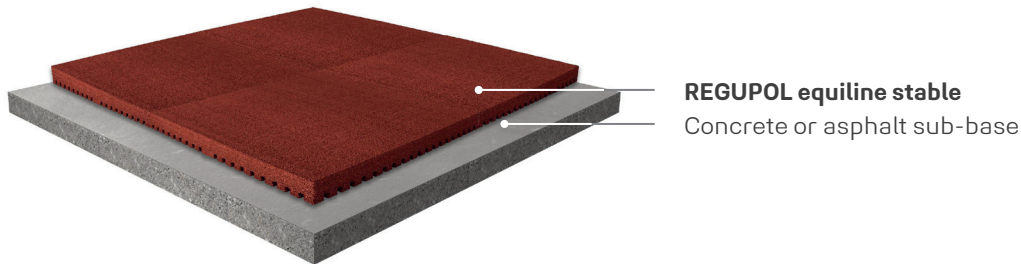


INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

REGUPOL EQUILINE STABLE



1. General information

The installation instructions below assume the necessary technical and craftsmanship standards for this work. The installation instructions are based on **REGUPOL's** current knowledge and will be modified as necessary. Neither the manufacturers nor dealers or distributors of **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles have any direct influence on the correct installation and processing of the materials used. For these reasons, these installation instructions can only be regarded as non-binding and **REGUPOL** can accept no liability for the result of the work.

Responsibility for the correct condition of the supplied **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles lies of course with **REGUPOL**, provided that no alterations or damage by third parties have taken place from the time of shipment ex works. In this regard, please refer to our general terms and conditions of sales and delivery.

REGUPOL equiline stable tiles are resistant to liquids and sunlight, but should, however, be stored in an environment that protects it from moisture and UV rays before installation. The flooring should also be protected from chemicals, oils, grease, etc. In addition to these installation instructions, the processing instructions and, if applicable, the safety data sheets of the adhesive manufacturers and the manufacturers of other auxiliary materials and accessories must be observed.

2. Sub-base

REGUPOL equiline stable tiles are laid loosely on bound sub-bases. The bound sub-base layer needs to have a gradient of 1 - 2 % to allow excess water to run off for drainage. The surface of the bound sub-base must be level with a maximum permissible deviation of less than 5 mm over 3 m in any direction (measurement with a 3 m straight edge).

3. Needs assessment, material inspection, installation conditions

REGUPOL equiline stable tiles must be in the unopened original packaging with undamaged labels and the

accompanying documents. To assess the quantity needed, the area to be covered must be compared with the amount of material delivered, taking into account the most favourable installation direction.

The tiles have a surface area of 1,000 x 1,000 mm. Before installation, the supplied **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles must be checked for damage, contamination and material or production defects.

The tiles are subject to regular production and material controls and are always delivered by **REGUPOL** in perfect condition, to the best of our knowledge. Nevertheless, **REGUPOL** accepts no liability for damage or deficiencies caused by material faults once the supplied material has been partially or completely installed.

For acclimatisation purposes, the tiles must be exposed to the temperature of their intended locations for at least one day before installation. The best approach is to lay the tiles out loosely so that their temperature can quickly adapt to the ambient air and the installation surface at the relevant location. Installation should not be carried out at outside temperatures below 10 °C.

The tiles must be laid when dry. However, moisture or dampness caused by light rain during the installation process poses no serious problems (except when the tiles are being bonded). These measures guarantee that the tiles can largely be installed in their original dimensions. The dimensional tolerances due to production and material factors are $\pm 1\%$ in area and ± 2 mm in height.

4. Installation

If possible, the installation of **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles should be started along right-angled side walls or borders. The **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles should be laid tightly together in precise rows, leaving as little space as possible between them, so that a strong horizontal pressure is built

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up over the entire surface. This will prevent gaps forming later, because, regardless of the manufacturer, such tiles shrink slightly in the long term due to the material.

For cutting the tiles to size, use a jigsaw with a medium-toothed blade for wood. The same approach should be used where the tiles meet equipment or machine supports, drains, other floor surfaces, etc. At such points, the tiles can be fixed into place with adhesive.

5. After installation

When the tiles are laid loose, the surface can be walked on immediately after installation has been completed.

6. Application advice

If you have any questions about the installation and maintenance of **REGUPOL equiline stable** tiles, feel free to contact your **REGUPOL** customer service advisor:
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