



Floors For Dance



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Welcome to Rosco

The most critical factor in choosing a floor is how it feels to the people who will use it. Most dancers and managers can determine this from a hand-held sample (available at no charge). A sample can also provide a good idea of the qualities of the vinyl surface.

How the floor will be used is also crucial. Rosco's floor range provides the perfect floor for any application. All floors may be used for ballet, modern or jazz dancing, but only Adagio and Arabesque are ideal tap or Flamenco surfaces. Touring companies have special needs that are filled by Dance Floor, Cabriole and Adagio Tour. If permanent installation is of primary concern, consider the dimensionally stable Adagio, Arabesque or Performance Floor.

All Rosco floors are constructed of vinyl with a variety of surface treatments to provide the ideal skid resistance and exceptional wear for your application. All floors are available in black and grey, but colors and prices vary from floor to floor. Samples are available through Rosco or your local Rosco dealer.



Which Floor is Right for You

Floor	Page	Best Use	Touring	Semi-Permanent	Permanent	Floor Speed	Shoe Style
Adagio	p. 3	True multi-purpose floor - ballet, modern, jazz, tap, etc.	Good	Excellent	Excellent	Medium-Fast	All
Adagio Tour	p. 3	True multi-purpose floor - ballet, modern, jazz, tap, etc.	Excellent	Good	Not recommended	Medium-Fast	All
Arabesque	p. 4	Studios - modern, jazz, tap, ballroom, drill team	Excellent/Heavy	Excellent	Excellent	Fast	All
Dance Floor	p. 4	Touring - ballet, modern, jazz, drill team	Excellent	Good	Not recommended	Medium-Fast	Soft
Roscotiles	p. 5	Television studios - ballroom, tap, Flamenco	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Very Fast	Hard
Performance Floor	p. 5	Studios - all styles, sound absorptive	Excellent/Heavy	Excellent	Excellent	Medium-Slow	All
Show Floor	p. 6	Specialty floor - special events, commercials	Excellent/Heavy	Good	Not recommended	Medium	Soft
Roscoleum	p. 6	Theatres and television studios (rosin needed with ballet)	Not recommended	Not recommended	Excellent	Fast	All
Studio Floor	p. 6	Studios - very light absorptive matte floor - ballet	Excellent/Heavy	Excellent	Good	Medium	Soft
Rosco SubFloor	p. 7--	Sprung dance floor - easily installed and removed	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	N/A	N/A

Note: Floor speed is subjective from person to person and varies with temperature, humidity, and shoe style. Rosco gladly provides large samples of our floors for your inspection and comparison.

Shoe Style:

Hard = tap, Flamenco, Irish, clogging, ballroom, high heels, and most street shoes (hard soles)

Soft = ballet, pointe, modern, jazz, tennis (soft soles)

Adagio™

If versatility in usage is your primary concern, Adagio should be your first choice. It is recommended for tap but its non-reflective, controlled slip vinyl surface makes it equally successful as a ballet, modern and jazz floor. Because it is dimensionally stable it can be permanently installed using Rosco adhesives for long term use.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Tap	Temporary	Latex Adhesive
Irish	Semi-Permanent	Double Stick Tape
Flamenco	Permanent	Heavy Duty Cleaner
Modern		All Purpose Cleaner
Jazz		Vinyl Tape
Lyrical		
Ballet		
Ballroom		
Drill Team		

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 63" (1.6m)	300 08922 Black 63" x linear foot
Length: 101.7' (31m)	300 08922 5900 Black 63" x 101.7'
Thickness: 0.06" (1.5mm)	300 08935 Grey 63" x linear foot
Colors: Black and Grey	300 08935 5900 Grey 63" x 101.7'
Weight: 2.52 lbs./linear foot 300 lbs./roll	

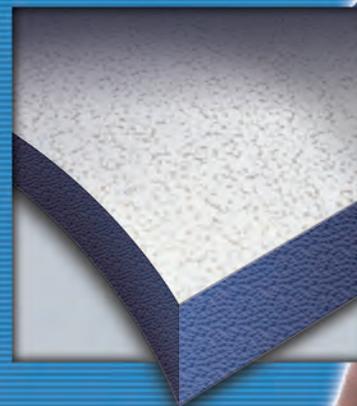
Adagio Tour

Adagio Tour is uniquely suited to those who need a tough, lightweight floor for percussive dance styles. Tour has been specially designed to lay flat quickly and provide a surface with terrific tap sound. The surface is also excellent for all other dance forms including ballet, modern, Irish and jazz.

Adagio Tour weighs only 1.96 lbs. per linear foot and provides a matte, non-reflective surface that is ideal in all performance venues. Despite the tough surface, Adagio Tour is very flexible, assuring years of carefree rolling and re-rolling.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Tap	Temporary	Vinyl Tape
Irish		Heavy Duty Cleaner
Flamenco		All Purpose Cleaner
Modern		
Jazz		
Lyrical		
Ballet		
Ballroom		
Drill Team		

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 63" (1.6m)	300 08622 Black 63" x linear foot
Length: 101.7' (31m)	300 08622 5900 Black 63" Bolt
Thickness: 0.04" (1mm)	300 08635 Grey 63" x linear foot
Colors: Black or Grey	300 08635 5900 Grey 63" Bolt
Weight: 1.96 lbs./linear foot 200 lbs./roll	



• Homogeneous PVC with non-slip urethane treatment



• Homogeneous PVC with non-slip urethane treatment



Arabesque

This remarkable floor requires no compromise on quality. It is a good surface for virtually all dance forms, including tap and Irish dancing as well as jazz and modern. Because it is a heavy duty homogeneous vinyl, Arabesque is ideal for permanent installations. It is, on a cost per square foot basis, Rosco's most affordable floor, so it is a good choice for such semi-permanent locations as studios in rented quarters. Rosco sells the floor both in rolls and in cut footage to exactly meet your studio size.

Arabesque is available in three attractive marbled colors: Black, Grey and Tan. The marbled finish, besides adding a note of elegance, has the practical advantage of helping to hide scuff marks.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Tap Irish Flamenco Modern Jazz Lyrical Ballroom Drill Team	Permanent Semi-Permanent	Latex Adhesive Double Stick Tape Heavy Duty Cleaner All Purpose Cleaner Vinyl Tape

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 78.7" (2m) Length: 65'-0" (20m) Thickness: .078" (2mm) Weight: 4.75 lbs/linear foot 309 lbs/roll	300 08222 Marble Black 6'-6" x linear foot 300 08222 7900 Marble Black Bolt 300 08235 Marble Grey 6'-6" x linear foot 300 08235 7900 Marble Grey Bolt 300 08218 Marble Tan 6'-6" x linear foot 300 08218 7900 Marble Tan Bolt

Dance Floor

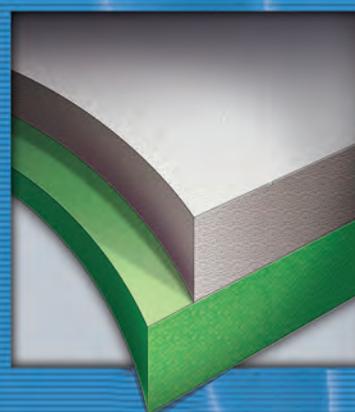
This highly portable vinyl floor is excellent for situations where a permanent dance floor cannot be installed. Dance Floor is lightweight (less than 2 pounds per linear foot, 255 pounds per roll) and flexible, so it can be rolled and unrolled as needed. This makes the floor ideal for situations such as touring dance companies and theatres without a permanent dance floor. The matte non-skid finish provides the controlled slip dancers required. Dance Floor is reversible with black on one side and your choice of white or grey on the other.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Ballet Modern Jazz Lyrical Drill Team Hip Hop	Temporary Semi-Permanent	Vinyl Tape Double Stick Tape Heavy Duty Cleaner All Purpose Cleaner

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 63" (1.6 m) Length: 131.3' (40 m) Thickness: .05" (1.3 mm) Colors: Black/Grey or Black/White Weight: 1.9 lbs/linear foot 250 lbs/roll	300 08720 Black/Grey 63" x linear foot 300 08720 6300 Black/Grey Bolt 300 08723 Black/White 63" x linear foot 300 08723 6300 Black/White Bolt



● Homogeneous calendared PVC



● Homogeneous PVC with non-slip surface
● Homogeneous PVC with non-slip surface



RoscoTiles

Rosco Studio Tiles were originally designed as rugged, hard wearing floors for video production facilities and television studios. They lay flat for temporary, as well as permanent studio installations and can stand up to camera dollies. The dance world has discovered they make terrific practice tiles for tap and Irish dance! The 3' x 3' squares are an ideal size for practice at home. They weight just 12 lbs. each making them easy to pick up and store away when rehearsal is done.

Studio Tiles are available in Black, Grey and White.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Tap Irish TV Studios Production Facilities	Temporary Permanent	All Purpose Cleaner Latex Adhesive Heavy Duty Cleaner Floor Wax

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 3'-0" (.914m)	300 08422 3636 Black
Length: 3'-0" (.914m)	300 08435 3636 Grey
Thickness: 1/8" (3mm)	300 08415 3636 White
Weight: 12 lbs.	

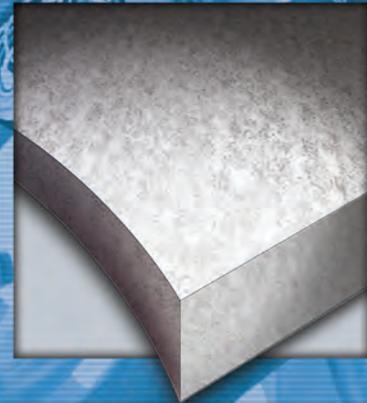
Performance Floor

This durable all-purpose floor is best used in permanent or semi-permanent installations in studios, multi-purpose rooms and showrooms. Performance Floor's durability and abrasion resistance allows it to stand up wherever traffic is heaviest while still offering an excellent surface for all forms of dance.

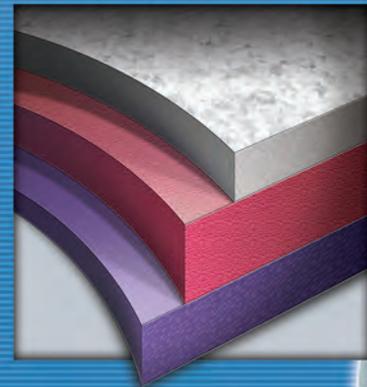
Performance Floor is available in Black, Light Grey, Dark Grey and White. It is sold only by the full roll; no cut is footage available.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Ballet Irish Flamenco Modern Jazz Lyrical Ballroom Drill Team Tap	Permanent Semi-Permanent	Latex Adhesive Double Stick Tape Heavy Duty Cleaner All Purpose Cleaner Vinyl Tape

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 6'-0" (1.83m)	300 73035 7200 Black
Length: 60' (18.29m)	300 73031 7200 Light Grey
Thickness: .1" (2.5mm)	300 73025 7200 Dark Grey
Weight: 280 lbs/roll	300 73030 7200 White



● Homogeneous PVC



● Co-calendared wear layer
● Dimensionally stable PVC
● Felted backing



Show Floor

This super glossy floor is perfect for special events, commercials and fashion promotions. This high shine floor adds just the right sparkle to any venue. Show Floor is not designed for heavy traffic or permanent installation. It is available in Black, White and Red. Show Floor is sold by the full roll only; cut footage is not available.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Fashion Shows Events Commercials Car Shows	Temporary Semi-permanent	Vinyl Tape Double Stick Tape

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 6'-0" (1.83m) Thickness: .08" (2mm)	300 74035 7200 Black
Length: 60' (18.29m) Weight: 275 lbs./roll	300 74030 7200 White
	300 74036 7200 Red

Roscolem

This is Rosco's version of "Battleship Linoleum". This hardwearing floor provides an ideal surface for all your heaviest traffic areas. Roscolem stands up to tap, flamenco and Irish dance but will easily accommodate soft shoe styles, too. Roscolem is available in Black and Grey. Sold only by the full roll; cut footage is not available.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Tap Modern Irish Lyrical Flamenco Hip Hop Jazz Drill Team	Permanent	Roscolem Adhesive All Purpose Cleaner Heavy Duty Cleaner

Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 78.7" (2m) Thickness: .1" (2.5mm)	300 08122 7900 Black
Length: 104.92' (32m) Weight: 425 lbs./roll	300 08135 7900 Grey

Studio Floor

This ultra matte, black vinyl floor is ideal as a staging floor for ballet, theatre or any application where a light absorbing surface is needed. Studio Floor is not designed for heavy traffic areas. The floor may be installed permanently or semi-permanently.

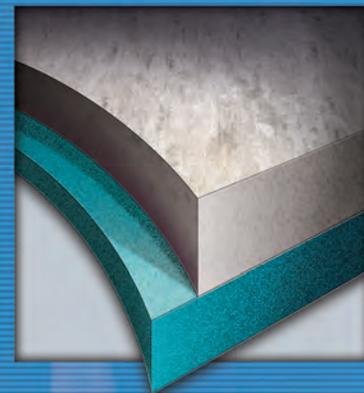
Studio Floor is sold by the full roll only; cut footage is not available.

Choose this floor for	Installation	Use with
Ballet Jazz Modern	Permanent Semi-permanent	Latex Adhesive All Purpose Cleaner Heavy Duty Cleaner

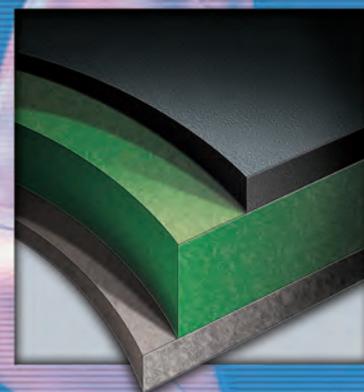
Product Specifications	Product Numbers
Width: 6'-0" (1.83m) Thickness: .08" (2mm)	300 78035 7200 Black
Length: 60' (18.29m) Weight: 250 lbs./roll	



- UV cured urethane wear layer
- Dimensionally stable PVC
- Mesh backing



- Calendared homogeneous layer of cork and linseed oil
- Woven jute backing



- Co-calendared wear layer
- Dimensionally stable PVC
- Woven backing

Rosco SubFloor

Rosco SubFloor was developed and tested by dancers to insure the perfect combination of resilience (spring or bounce) and stability. It is flexible enough to absorb the energy from a dancer's impact but provides the right amount of resistance for dance movements ranging from ballet to tap, including folk, modern, Flamenco and Irish dancing.

Most users will be able to install the Rosco SubFloor on their own. The 42" x 42" (3.5 ft. x 3.5 ft.) panels lock into each other with the unique WaveLock® design. Panels weigh only 40 pounds each. Perimeter pieces, 4 3/8" wide, lock the entire floor together. The perimeter of Rosco SubFloor systems can be bolted to concrete or wood floors and can also be removed and re-used in case of a change in venue.

An integral part of the Rosco SubFloor system is the 4.5" diameter closed cell foam pads. These 1" thick pads are affixed at specific locations on the underside of each SubFloor panel. This, combined with the Medium Density Fiberboard (MDF) construction of the panels, utilizing our patented WaveLock® technology, yields superb resilience and dimensional stability.

Product Specifications	Installation
Width: 42"	Temporary
Length: 42"	Semi-permanent
Thickness: 2"	Permanent
Weight: 40 lbs. each	

Product Numbers
08000 4242 42" x 42" x 2" Panel
08010 0042 4 3/8" x 3'-6" x 2" Perimeter
08010 0084 4 3/8" x 7' x 2" Perimeter
08015 0000 4 3/8" x 1'-9" x 2" (x2) Corner
08016 0000 4 3/8" Inside Corner
08020 0000 21" x 3'-6" x 2" Ramp
08021 0000 21" Corner Transition Ramp
08040 4242 42" x 42" x 1" Customizing Panel



PortaBarre™

The Portable Ballet Dance Barre
PortaBarre™ is exactly what the name describes, a truly portable ballet dance barre. Designed by dancers, PortaBarre is extremely lightweight, yet highly durable and stable. Rosco's PortaBarre uses an internal double button interlocking system, which makes assembly and disassembly possible in a matter of a few minutes, and it does not require tools or locking keys. Made from aluminum, PortaBarre is less than half the weight of comparable sized steel or wood barre systems. The 4'-6" PortaBarre weighs only 15 lbs. and is sold complete with a custom designed carrying case. The 9' PortaBarre, also sold with a carrying case, weighs only 25 lbs. and can be extended to 13' with Rosco's optional 4' PortaBarre extension.

Product Numbers

09095 0108 9' barre with carrying case 09095 0048 4' extension for 9' barre
09095 0054 4'-6" barre with carrying case



Rosco Floor Bags

Rosco Floor Bags are designed specifically for touring and situations where you and your floor are frequently in transit. Made of durable water resistant PVC fabric, Rosco Floor Bags help protect your floor where ever you may go. Hook and lok fasteners along the entire length of the bag no only keeps the bag securely closed, but also allows the bag to open flat for easy loading and unloading. Heavy duty nylon handles and reinforced stitching cradle your floor whil being carried. Accomodates rolls up to 63" in width.



Floor Cleaners

Rosco offers various floor cleaning products, designed to meet every need.

Rosco All Purpose Floor Cleaner

Designed for the routine, regular cleaning of all Rosco vinyl floors.

Product Numbers

09116 0034 | liter (1.06 quarts.)
09116 0128 | gallon (3.79 liters)

Rosco Floor Wax

Liquid wax product for refreshing the finish of Rosco floors.

Product Numbers

09114 0034 | liter (1.06 quarts.)
09114 0128 | gallon (3.79 liters)

Rosco Heavy Duty Floor Cleaner

For the stripping and deep cleaning of Rosco floors.

Product Numbers

09112 0034 | liter (1.06 quarts.)
09112 0128 | gallon (3.79 liters)

Granulated Floor Cleanser

Granulated, dissolvable chemical for the cleaning of all Rosco flooring surfaces.

Product Number

08710 2 lb. jar

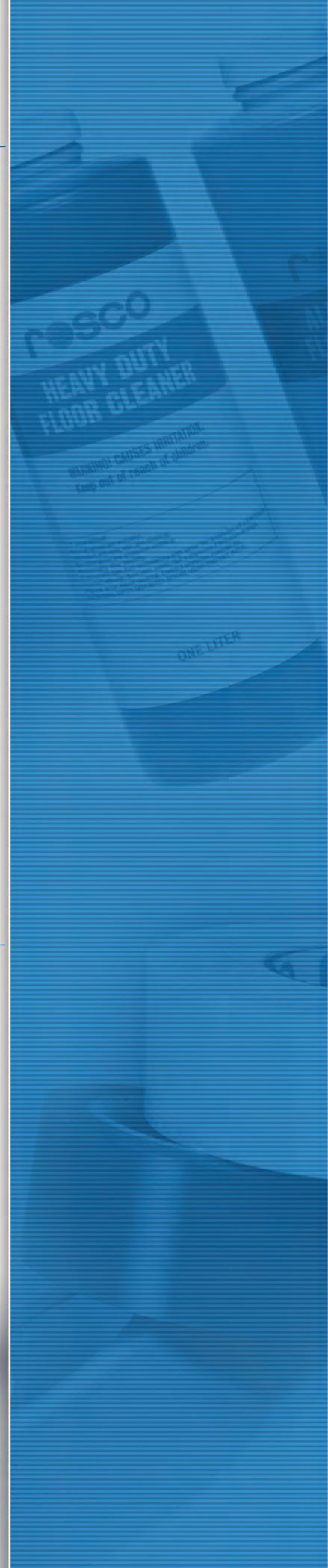


Floor Tapes

For installing floors in temporary situations.

Product Numbers

05014 Black Vinyl tape 48 mm x 33 m	08740 Roscofloor Double Stick tape 48 mm x 25 m
05015 White Vinyl tape 48 mm x 33 m	
05016 Grey Vinyl tape 48 mm x 33 m	Rosco also has Gaffers Tape available for temporary installations.
05013 Clear Vinyl tape 48 mm x 33 m	



Floor Adhesives

For permanent installations. Consult a professional flooring contractor before installation.

Latex Adhesive No. 555

For most porous surfaces, including concrete which is above grade. Coverage is approximately 200 sq. ft. per gallon.

Product Numbers

08500 0128 1 Gallon Pail (12 lbs.) 08500 0384 3 Gallon Pail (31 lbs.)

Epoxy Adhesive No. 300

For non-porous surfaces and concrete below grade. Coverage is approximately 110 sq. ft. per gallon.

Product Number

08300 0128 1 Gallon Kit (15 lbs.)

Roscoleum Adhesive

For use with Roscoleum floor only. Coverage is approximately 110 sq. ft. per gallon.

Product Number

08100 0640 5 Gallons (55 lbs.)

Welding Threads

Welding threads are available for permanent seam sealing by professional contractors. Rosco has welding threads available for Royale, Adagio, Roscoleum, Arabesque, Performance Floor and Studio Floor. Call Rosco for details.

Floor Samples

We recognize that most people want to see a sample of the floor they are planning to buy, both to examine its texture and finish, and to test its feel. That's why Rosco makes samples of any of its floors available, free for the asking.

We provide them in two different sizes. The 3" x 5" sample is usually all that is needed to examine texture and finish. The larger sample, 8" x 10", can be stepped on to test its feel for a dancer.

Let us know which floor(s) you want sampled, whether you prefer the large or smaller size and, of course, provide your name and mailing address. Send your request to any Rosco office or by email to: floors@rosco.com



Installing & Maintaining Your Rosco Floor

Installation and care manuals are provided with each Rosco floor. The manual provides useful information on what to do when your floor arrives, how to install it quickly, easily and safely and how to keep it in good condition for dancing. A separate manual is available for Rosco SubFloor.



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