# SIc® Eco L34 Plus

Certified, eco-friendly, organic, high elasticity, mineral adhesive for the high-performance laying of hardwood floors, ideal for use in GreenBuilding. Two-component, solvent-free and with very low volatile organic compound emissions, safeguards the health of operators.

SIc® Eco L34 Plus develops a perfect balance between adhesive force and elasticity, that guarantees superior levels of safety when laying hardwood floors of any size and wood type on any type of substrate.











## **GREENBUILDING RATING®**

#### SIc® Eco L34 Plus

- Category: Organic Mineral Products
- Class: Organic mineral adhesives for Hardwood floors
- Rating: Eco 4

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|      |   | $\bigcirc$                 |                                   |                   |                             |
| eco4 | Natural<br>mineral<br>content<br>58%  | Very low VOC emissions     | Solvent-free                      |                   | Non-toxic and non-hazardous |

RATING SYSTEM ACCREDITED BY CERTIFICATION BODY SGS

# **ECO NOTES**

- Formulated with locally-sourced minerals meaning lower greenhouse gas emission during transportation
- Improved on-site safety guaranteed

#### **PRODUCT STRENGTHS**

- The number one safest adhesive since 1980
- Ideal for laying all types of hardwood floors on all types of substrates
- Perfect balance between adhesive force and elasticity
- Anti-shock system technology to guarantee the strength and adhesion in actual working conditions
- · Rapid performance growth, also at low temperatures
- · Suitable for heated substrates



## **AREAS OF USE**

#### Use

Easy installation of laying for traditional and prefinished wood floors made of any format or type of wood, and onto any type of substrate.

#### Floors:

- wood mosaic, industrial hardwood flooring
- solid block flooring, thin strip (lamparquet), strip flooring
- solid wood, tongue-and-groove strips
- prefinished, pre-polished, tongue-and-groove plywood strips

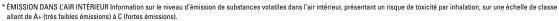
## Substrates:

- cement-based screeds
- anhydrite screeds
- screeds produced with Keracem® Eco or Keracem® Eco Prontoplus
- wood panels
- existing marble, ceramic, homogeneous tile or similar floors
- cast asphalt screeds

Interior floors in residential and commercial buildings. Suitable for heated substrates.

#### Do not use

For all external laying or for external use or on substrates subject to rising damp; on heated subfloors not properly prepared; on anhydrite screeds not properly prepared and on a general basis on non-absorbent subfloors not properly prepared.





#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

#### Preparation of substrates

Substrates must be compact, solid, level, not too rough and absorbent. They must also be dimensionally stable, non-deformable, dry, clean and free of any rising moisture, cracks, dust and detaching substances. Cement-based screed or substrates consisting of marble, granite, ceramic or similar must have residual moisture at a maximum of 2% or 1.7%, in case of under floor heating. Anhydrite screeds must have residual moisture of a maximum of 0.5% or 0.2% in case of under floor heating. Cement-based screeds with high residual moisture (max 5%) or with dusty surface, flaky or weak parts must be treated with Slc® Eco EP21 or Slc® Eco PU31.

Substrates consisting of existing marble, granite, ceramic or similar floors must be thoroughly cleaned and treated with Keragrip Eco Pulep; in case of high residual humidity (max. 5%) they must be treated with Slc® Eco 3CW. Anhydrite screeds must be sanded clean using mechanical dust extraction equipment and treated with Slc® Eco EP21 or Slc® Eco PU31. Absorbent substrates with under floor heating must be treated with Slc® Eco EP21 or Slc® Eco PU31. On a general basis anhydrite and heated subfloors can't be waterproofed and/or corrected with self levelling cement or gypsum-based products.

Uneven or excessively rough substrates must be adjusted and/or levelled with suitable products such as Keralevel® Eco Ultra, Keratech® Eco R30, Keratech® Eco Flex or with synthetic mortars produced with Slc® Eco EP21 mixed with Quarzo. Read carefully the relevant technical data sheets before using the above listed products.

#### Preparation

SIc $^{\circ}$  Eco L34 Plus is prepared by mixing together parts A and B from the bottom upwards, using a low-rev ( $\approx$  400/min.) helicoidal mixer, respecting the mixing ratio of 9:1 of the packaging. Pour part B into the bucket containing part A, being careful to mix the two parts uniformly until a smooth, even coloured mixture is obtained.

#### Application

Apply SIc® Eco L34 Plus evenly over the substrate using a suitable notched trowel (SLC® spreader no. 2 – no. 4), lay the boards on the wet adhesive, pressing down hard enough to ensure full contact with the adhesive, making sure none rises up between the strips. Leave  $\approx$  7 – 10 mm for expansion between the wood floor and the walls (or other vertical elements).

#### Cleaning

Remove residual traces of SIc® Eco L34 Plus from the surface while still wet using SIc® Eco Silomac. The product can be removed from tools with SIc® Eco Diluente 01 or alcohol. Once cured, the adhesive can only be removed by mechanical means.

#### **SPECIAL NOTES**

Allow the floor to reach room temperature in the place where it is to be laid

The boards to be laid must have a moisture content of 5-9% for engineered floors, and of 7-11% for solid wood floors

Before laying, measure the moisture content of the substrate using a calcium carbide hygrometer

Before laying, measure the ambient temperature and that of the substrate, which must be higher than the minimum use temperature indicated in the technical data

in addition to the above recommendations, follow the hardwood floors manufacturer's specific instructions.

# **ABSTRACT**

Certified, high-performance laying of solid wood and plywood floors must be carried out using two-component, eco-friendly, organic, mineral adhesive with Anti Shock System Technology, GreenBuilding Rating ECO 4, such as  $Slc^{\otimes}$  Eco L34 Plus by Kerakoll Spa. The substrate must be permanently dry, compact, free from any loose debris, clean and cured, and the shrinkage stage already completed. For laying, a \_\_\_\_\_ toothed spreader must be used for an average coverage of  $\approx$  \_\_\_\_ kg/m².

| Appearance                                      | Paste colour oak/walnut   |                   |  |
|---|---|-------------------|--|
| Pack  | monopack 9+1 kg   |                   |  |
|   | part A bucket 4,5 kg / part B jar 0,5 kg                                  |                   |  |
| Shelf life                                      | pprox 12 months in the original packaging                                 |                   |  |
| Warning   | Protect from frost, avoid direct exposure to sunlight and sources of heat |                   |  |
| Temperature range for application               | from +10 °C to +35 °C   |                   |  |
| Viscosity of the mixture                        | ≈ 37000 mPa · s, rotor 7 RPM 50   | Brookfield method |  |
| Pot life  | ≈ 90 min.   |                   |  |
| Open time                                       | ≈ 90 min.   |                   |  |
| Foot traffic                                    | ≈ 8 hrs   |                   |  |
| Interval before normal use of engineered floors | ≈ 24 hrs  |                   |  |
| Waiting time before sanding                     | ≈ 2 days after complete stabilisation of the hardwood floors              |                   |  |
| Coverage  | ≈ 800 – 1500 g/m² (SLC® spreader no. 2 – no. 4)                           |                   |  |

Values taken at +23 °C, 50% R.H. and no ventilation. Data may vary depending on specific conditions at the building site, i.e. temperature, ventilation and absorbency level of the substrate.



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# WARNING

- Product for professional use
- abide by any standards and national regulations
- use the recommended notched trowel
- the temperature, ambient humidity, ventilation and absorption of the substrate and covering materials may vary the adhesive workability and setting times
- keep the room(s) well ventilated and use SIc® Eco Proman, a protective hand cream
- if necessary, ask for the safety data sheet
- $\hbox{- for any other issues, contact the Kerakoll Worldwide Global Service global service@kerakoll.com}\\$

The Eco and Bio classifications refer to the GreenBuilding Rating Manual 2012. This information was last updated in October 2012 (ref. GBR Data Report - 11.12); please note that additions and/or amendments may be made over time by KERAKOLL SpA; for the latest version, see www.kerakoll.com. KERAKOLL SpA shall therefore be liable for or the validity, accuracy and updating of information provided only when taken directly from its institutional website. The technical data sheet given here is based on our technical and practical and knowledge. As it is not possible for us to directly end to the che conditions in your building yards and the execution of the work, this information represents general indications that do not bind Kerakoll in any way. Therefore, it is advisable to perform a preliminary test to verify the suitability of the product for your purposes.



