



Take 5

Finishing Borders

KEY BENEFITS:

- **Reduces waste:** No dye lots cuts down on manufacturing waste, & eliminates the need for attic stock
- **Reuse:** Thermoplastic Rubber (DC) and Vinyl (CB) Wall Base scrap material can be reprocessed back into new material wall base, which conserves raw materials
- **Superior performance:** All three classifications of Tarkett finishing borders have the same performance requirements to meet through ASTM F-1861
- **Phthalate free**
- **Design and aesthetics:** All three classifications of Tarkett finishing borders are part of the Tarkett ColorMatch® program
- **Sustainable solution:** All three classifications of Tarkett finishing borders are FloorScore certified and are 100% recyclable

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PRODUCT DETAILS:

- All Tarkett flooring is designed to meet customers' unique business objectives, ultimately delivering a return on their investment. Finishing borders are a critical detail piece to a seamless finish between the floor and the wall.
- Tarkett offers Thermoplastic Vinyl (TV), Thermoplastic Rubber (TP) and Thermoset Rubber (TS) finishing borders products. While they appear much the same once installed, each product was designed to meet different objectives:

TV – Thermoplastic Vinyl:

- No rubber component
- Can be reprocessed by regrinding and re-melting the product, it can be formed back into same product
- Co-extruded wear layer
- All Tarkett solid colors standard
- Lowest cost

TP – Thermoplastic Rubber:

- Rubber component
- More flexible than TV base
- Can be reprocessed by regrinding and re-melting the product, it can be formed back into same product
- All Tarkett solid and metallic colors standard
- Co-extruded wear layer

TS – Thermoset Rubber:

- Natural (2.3%) and synthetic rubber component
- More flexible than TV and TP base
- Contains no halogens, phthalates or chlorine
- Can be recycled
- All Tarkett solid colors standard

- All Tarkett finishing borders solutions are made in the USA

Perceptions Collection:

- TP construction
- 4.25" height (covers paint line when replacing 4" base)
- Same price as traditional 4" TP base
- Coordinate with Millwork profiles

Tightlock Collection:

- TV or TP construction
- Designed with contractors help, due to punch list challenges with wall base kicking in with no drywall behind it which is why the profile gets thicker (to ¼") as you get to the bottom of the base
- Also designed to help minimize telegraphing in cases with wall imperfections
- Straight base option with flange for installation of wall base first, carpet second for ease in carpet replacement without need to change wall base, too

Millwork Collection:

- 19 standard profiles provide the look of milled painted wood base
- Installs for less than wood base
- TP construction
- Thru color
- Easier installation with curved walls and columns



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