



RecofloorTM
Vinyl Take-Back Scheme



Reclaiming
VINYL FLOORING


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COVERING THE WORLD



Although the flooring industry is not bound by law to recycle waste, Polyflor is actively seeking to recover and recycle post-consumer waste vinyl flooring to minimise the flooring industry's environmental impact and close the loop of our products life cycles.

WHAT IS RECOFLOOR?

- Industry's leading vinyl take-back scheme for recycling end of life post-consumer vinyl flooring
- Co-founded and funded by Polyflor
- Through Recofloor, Polyflor can recycle smooth and safety installation off-cuts, smooth uplifted flooring and old stock-roll ends and samples
- The material is recovered and recycled into new flooring or other useful products such as traffic cones

HOW MUCH HAS BEEN RECYCLED TO DATE?

- Polyflor Australia and New Zealand have recycled 112 tonnes since 2010
- Polyflor globally has recycled 2,660 tonnes since 2009
- This volume equals to nearly 886,333m² or 22,158 x 20m rolls – enough vinyl flooring waste to cover 122 football pitches
- Saving of over 2,000 tonnes of CO₂ which equates to driving 48 times round the equator or taking 100 cars off the road for a year.



122 football pitches



48 times around the equator



100 cars off the road

HOW IS THE VINYL FLOORING COLLECTED?

- Recofloor bins are made from recyclable material and can be re-used to collect vinyl waste
- Customer contacts Polyflor to have a bin sent out to their place of business or drop off vinyl at one of the drop off points across Australia (please contact Polyflor if you are interested in becoming a drop off site)
- Once the bins are full, the vinyl waste is then recycled into new flooring or useful products

WHAT CAN BE COLLECTED?

NO
thanks!

YES
please!

X GENERAL WASTE, INCLUDING ASBESTOS, RUBBLE, WOOD, BLADES, NAILS, SCREWS ETC

X NON- VINYL FLOORING INCLUDING LINOLEUM, LAMINATE, CARPET OR FLOORING WITH JUTE OR FABRIC BACKING

X CUSHION VINYL FLOORING

X LIQUIDS

POST INSTALLATION, CLEAN VINYL OFF-CUTS (smooth or safety vinyl) ✓

OLD STOCK VINYL ROLL-ENDS & SAMPLES (smooth or safety vinyl) ✓

SMOOTH UPLIFTED FLOORING (depending on condition & quality) ✓





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DROP OFF SITES

