



Avenue

2-Component Ceramic Fortified Waterborne Wood Floor Finish

 **MADE IN SWEDEN**

CERAMIC SILICA

Ceramic Silica is one of the most durable, abundant minerals in the Earth's crust. Our ceramic fortification process allow us to create better, stronger and more durable finishes. Arboritec finishes penetrate deeper into the floor and are chemically bonded to the surface, enhancing the adhesion, strength and scratch resistance.

KNOOP MINERAL HARDNESS TEST VALUES

DIAMOND	8000-8500
Arboritec's advanced fortifying mineral	
CERAMIC	4500-4600
The primary fortifying mineral used on prefinished floors	
ALUMINIUM OXIDE	1800-2200



**PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND
SAFETY DATA SHEET BEFORE USING.**



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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Arboritec™ Avenue is a 2-component ceramic-fortified commercial waterborne wood floor finish. Avenue is a low-VOC, NMP-free, 100% PU (polyurethane) that boasts great open time, a fast dry and short cure time. Avenue is extremely durable and is ideally suited for commercial use, residential use and other heavy traffic areas. It has exceptional flow and leveling with superior adhesion properties for recoating. Available in Gloss, Semi-Gloss and Satin. For indoor use only.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Prepare the floor as per NWFA standards. Make sure the surface is dry and free from dust, wax, grease and other contamination. Temperature of the room, floor and finish must all be kept the same within the range of 55°F to 86°F. Relative humidity of the room should be between 40% and 60%. Shake the container well for 30-60 seconds. Add the total content of Arboritec™ Hardener to Avenue finish. For amounts less than a gallon, use 1:10 ratio. For example, mix 1 QT of finish with ¼ of the hardener. Shake the mixture well for 2-3 minutes. Allow to rest 10-15 minutes before apply. The mixture must be used within 4 hours. Never mix more Avenue finish than you need to apply for one coat.

APPLICATION

Avenue is suitable for application with a lightweight t-bar applicator, roller or brush. It is not necessary to use Arboritec™ sealers over newly stained floors.

New untreated floors or sanded down to bare wood. Recommended application procedure: Apply 2-3 coats of Avenue at a rate of 350-400 sq. ft. per gallon on a freshly stained or sealed floor. For best results, use Arboritec™ sealers: First Coat or Vibrant. **NOTE:** Make sure oil-based stains and sealers are solvent-free prior to over-coating; this is determined by your jobsite conditions, and may be longer than the coating time specified on the stain or sealer label/instructions. **1.** Seal the floor following label instructions. **2.** Abrade between coats, if necessary. If applying a second coat of finish within 48 hours, no need to abrade for adhesion. **3.** Vacuum all dust and tack with a lightly water dampened cloth. Allow the floor to dry completely. **4.** Apply finish evenly on the floor with a lightweight t-bar applicator, roller or brush. Allow 2-3 hours dry time between coats.

Previously finished or factory prefinished floors (not sanded down to bare wood). Recommended application procedure: Apply 1-2 coats of Avenue after preparing and deep cleaning the floor with Arboritec™ Clean 'n Coat, following label instructions. It is recommended that adhesion is first tested on a sample test area before recoating the entire floor. **1.** Vacuum all dust and tack with a lightly Clean 'n Coat dampened cloth. Allow the floor to dry completely. **2.** Apply Avenue at a rate of 350-400 sq. ft. per gallon on the floor with a lightweight t-bar applicator, roller or brush. Allow 2-3 hours dry time between coats. **NOTE:** If the floor has previously been treated with wax, polish, oil etc., it cannot be recoated unless it is sanded down to bare wood. Always observe the flooring manufacturer's advice or contact Arboritec Technical Service or your local distributor for more information.

ENVIRONMENTAL

Arboritec™ Avenue is one of the most environmentally conscientious waterborne wood floor finish available today. Using renewable resources is one of Arboritec's primary goals in developing better, safer waterborne finishes and sealers, building a greener world, one floor at a time.

TECHNICAL DATA

SHAKE VIGOROUSLY



Special Ingredient
Recommended Use
Gloss Levels (60" Gardner)
Additional Features
Volatile Organic Compound Solids by Volume
pH
Viscosity (Ford cup 4, 20°C)
Approx. Weight
Odor
Toxicity
Coverage

Ceramic Silica
Commercial & Residential
Gloss (85), Semi-Gloss (50), Satin (20)
NMP Free
Maximum of 200 g/L (VOC)
Approx. 30%
Approx. 9
22 seconds
8.51 lbs./gallon (1.02 g/cm³)
Very light, non-offending
Non-hazardous
350 - 400 sq. ft. per gallon

Defoaming
Flow and Leveling
Color
Dry Time (68" F, RH 55%)

Excellent, Virtually no bubbles
Exceptional
Wet: Milky White, Clear when dry
First Top Coat 30 - 60 minutes
Additional Coats 2 - 3 hours
Ready for Light Usage and Traffic 24 hours
Full Cure 72 hours

Cure Time
Adhesion for Recoating
Packaging
Storage
Shelf Life
Pot Life
Chemical Resistance
Clean Up
Disposal
Maintenance

Superior
3 x 1 gallon (including Arboritec™ Hardener)
Non-flammable, KEEP FROM FREEZING!
12 months in unopened original container at 32°F - 100°F
The mixture must be used within 4 hours
Resistant to grease, water and regular cleaners and detergents
Thoroughly clean all application tools with water, right after using
Dispose in accordance with local regulations
Use Arboritec™ Cleaner to keep the floor looking its best

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