

# TractionBack®

Milliken.

## ADHESIVE-FREE

### For Carpet

Milliken WellBAC® cushion backing with TractionBack® high-friction coating.



NO LIMIT



NO LIMIT  
New Construction



UP TO 85%  
Renovations



DRY TIME  
N/A



WORKING TIME  
Indefinite



CURE TIME  
N/A



LIGHT TRAFFIC  
Immediate



HEAVY TRAFFIC  
Immediate



HEAVY ROLLING  
LOADS: Immediate  
with protection



TractionBack®  
High-Friction Coating

### NEW CONSTRUCTION

For use with  
RH up to:

NO LIMIT

Installation  
after new pour:

45 DAYS

No testing required. No pH/RH limit.

### RENOVATION

Above-grade  
RH up to:

NO LIMIT

On-grade, RH with  
no vapor retarder:

85%

On-grade with vapor retarder: No limit



The Benefits of  
Milliken Adhesives

Milliken offers adhesive solutions for any scenario:

- Modular carpet, LVT, mixed-media
- Normal RH and pH
- Extreme RH and no-testing solutions
- Trowel-on, Spray and Adhesive-free options for most applications
- No primers, no sealants, limited floor prep required



#### FLOORING TYPE

Modular Carpet Tile with TractionBack® high-friction coating + connectors

#### ESTIMATED COVERAGE

Not Applicable — TractionBack® is applied to the back of each carpet tile as part of an adhesive-free install

*Note: In facilities where walls are not flush to the floor and in areas with heavy rolling traffic or inclined flooring, TractionBack® requires the supplemental use of adhesive or double-sided tape. Refer to Milliken's published TractionBack® installation instructions and warranty documents for full details, available at [millikenfloors.com](http://millikenfloors.com).*

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Standard Milliken  
Cushion Backing  
with TractionBack®  
High-friction Coating

## PRIMARY BENEFITS

### TractionBack® keeps carpet in place without the need for additional floor sealers or primers.

TractionBack® is a proprietary high-friction backing technology that keeps Milliken modular carpet securely in place. It's a no hassle, environmentally friendly way to install carpet tile compared to wet adhesive and "peel and stick" methods.

- Priming and sealing is reduced or eliminated
- Time savings — no waiting for adhesives to dry
- Because adhesive is required only at the perimeter, TractionBack® significantly reduces or eliminates the VOC's associated with sealants and adhesives
- TractionBack® tiles are packed back-to-back and install right out of the box — there's no time wasted with "peel and stick" film — and with no film, there's no film waste
- Tiles can be lifted and replaced multiple times with no loss of traction effect

### Installation Benefits of Milliken Cushion Backing

TractionBack® provides most of the same advantages that come with any Milliken cushion-backed modular carpet:

- Non-reactive backing greatly reduces floor prep time and eliminates adhesive failures from plasticizer migration
- Unlike some products with thin thermoplastic backings, the thickness of our cushion will result in virtually no telegraphing
- Industry-best moisture management: TractionBack® handles RHs up to 85% — No moisture testing for any above-grade install, and no pH limit.

## CONSIDERATIONS FOR THE REAL WORLD

**What does "limited adhesive use" actually mean?** Simply that TractionBack® installations do require that adhesives be used around the perimeter to provide extra stability. And there are a few other situations where supplemental adhesives are necessary, such as facilities where walls are not flush to the floor, or with heavy rolling traffic. Go to [millikenfloors.com](http://millikenfloors.com) for complete details.

**What if I'm dealing with an RH above 85%?** For higher RHs, we offer several solutions. Our standard adhesive option (Non-Reactive Standard) is a low VOC product and will handle unlimited RH. Or, for an adhesive-free option, use Milliken TractionBack® Plus. Starting with identical cushion and high-friction coating, TractionBack® Plus adds connectors to the system. This additional eliminates all RH restrictions and the need for supplemental adhesives.