

# Finally, the Floor That Has it All!



# Beauty <sup>OF</sup> Wood

There is nothing like the welcoming look of hardwood. TORLYS CorkWood is designed with style in mind, featuring on-trend colours and textures in realistic patterns of oak and walnut. It is offered in two stunning collections: CorkWood Designer and CorkWood Elite that feature long and wide planks to create a truly expansive look in any space.

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Flip this brochure over for the TORLYS Cork Collections.

CorkWood cover image: CorkWood Designer, Fairwinds Oak TORLYS continues to be a leader in cork flooring, introducing the revolutionary CorkWood collection. CorkWood is a truly innovative floor that has everything you ever wanted – the beauty of wood, the durability of laminate and the wonderful comfort of cork. CorkWood has been engineered to bring you all the best-liked benefits of other floors in one superior, all-inclusive flooring solution. Now you can experience the beautiful look of and feel of hardwood, without some of its natural limitations.

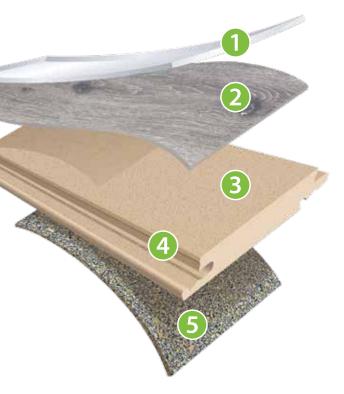
# Durability OF Laminate

CorkWood is engineered from cork and uses state-of-the-art direct print technology that looks like hardwood and performs like laminate. It has the equivalent of an AC4 laminate wear rating, meaning the floor performs to the same standards as high quality laminates, ensuring it will perform for years to come.

# Comfort of Cork

Possibly the best feature of CorkWood is the comfort quotient. The compressed cork top layer along with the CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay provides a floor that offers the ultimate in comfort, acoustics and warmth. The CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay is even infused with Microban® antimicrobial product protection, inhibiting the growth of mould and mildew.

### Quality Built-in. How It's Made



- 1) Polyurethane scratch resistant finish
- 2) Direct print compressed cork (3mm top layer on CorkWood Designer and 2.5mm top layer on CorkWood Elite)
- 3) TORLYS HDF smart core for dent resistance
- 4) Patented Uniclic® joint for gap resistance
- 5) Warm, quiet CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay is made with Microban® antimicrobial product protection – resists mold and mildew that cause stains, odours and flooring deterioration.



Our most beautifully crafted collection, designed to emphasize the true essence and beauty of hardwood.

# Extra-long and wide planks in contemporary, on-trend colors.

1/2" (T) x 7-1/2" (W) x 68-3/4" (L) 13.5mm (T) x 194mm (W) x 1,746mm (L)

- Extra-long and wide planks
- 3mm top layer
- Polyurethane finish equivalent to top rated AC4 laminate
- FSC° certified
- Sealed edges for increased water resistance
- CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay with Microban® antimicrobial product protection







# CorkWood™ Elite

CorkWood Elite brings the natural feel and beauty of wood to any space.

# Subtle colours and clean lines make this floor remarkable.

7/16" (T) x 7-1/2" (W) x 45-13/16" (L) 10.5mm (T) x 194mm (W) x 1,164mm (L)

- Wide planks with realistic patterns
- 2.5mm top layer
- Polyurethane finish equivalent to top rated AC4 laminate
- FSC° certified
- Sealed edges for increased water resistance





# The Cork Story





### The Eco-Friendly Choice.

Cork floors are made without cutting down any cork oak trees. The cork bark is carefully harvested once every nine years, in centuries-old traditions with hand tools, ensuring that forests will remain undamaged. It is not unusual to have a 200-year-old tree that still produces cork bark! TORLYS is the first to offer an entire cork collection that is FSC® (Forest Stewardship Council®) Certified. The recognition is achieved by passing the rigorous standards established by the FSC®, ensuring the wood and cork used in manufacturing comes from responsibly managed forests. TORLYS even encourages (and warranties) re-purposing cork smart floors in another room or home, making it the ultimate eco-friendly flooring choice. TORLYS smart floors contribute to LEED® (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) in Materials and Resources, Indoor Environmental Quality and Innovation and Design Process.









### **Clean and Comfortable**

At TORLYS, we are dedicated to providing your family with a comfortable and hygienic flooring solution. Our products meet California Section 01350 requirements, one of the most stringent indoor air quality standards in the world. Being composed of millions of tiny air pockets, cork is a great insulator and is quiet and comfortable underfoot. This feature helps to reduce heat loss in rooms, maintaining a pleasant indoor air temperature. The CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay, made from recycled cork, adds additional warmth and sound insulation. It is even infused with Microban® antimicrobial product protection to inhibit the growth of mould and mildew.



### **Durability Built-In**

All TORLYS cork floors are created with quality in mind. They are made with a precisely engineered high-density wood smart core, which is more dent resistant than other floors. The patented Uniclic® joint technology used in all cork smart floor construction resists gapping, keeping your floors as beautiful as the day they were installed for years to come. The extremely durable TORLYS smart finish has been integrated into every TORLYS cork floor. This innovative finish is the strongest, most durable and most environmentally friendly water-based urethane finish we have ever created.

### Peace of Mind Assurance

|   | Premier  • • •   | Elite  • • • •  | Designer  • • • • •   |
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| CORK & CORKWOOD COLLECTIONS   | S  |   |   |
| PERFORMANCE WARRANTY Wear Warranty  | 25 year limited  | 30 year limited   | 35 year limited   |
| Structure / No Gapping<br>When 30-60% humidity maintained.  | Lifetime   | Lifetime  | Lifetime  |
| HEALTHY HOME  | We follow some of the most stringent standards in the world. TORLYS flooring products meet California Section 01350 and/or FloorScore Certification. |   |   |
| Indoor Air Quality  |  |   |   |
| MOVE IT & REUSE IT* Re-purpose guarantee* Move your TORLYS floor to another room or another home. | 1–time move under warranty   | 2–times move under warranty   | 3-times move under warranty   |
| <b>Trade In Value</b> * <i>Toward the purchase of a new TORLYS floor.</i>                         | 5% – up to 25 years  | 10% – up to 30 years  | 20% – up to 35 years  |
| Satisfaction Guaranteed*  | 30/30 days If after 30 days you are not satisfied with the colour or style you chose, you have 30 days to order another TORLYS floor.                | 30/60 days If after 30 days you are not satisfied with the colour or style you chose, you have 60 days to order another TORLYS floor. | 30/90 days If after 30 days you are not satisfied with the colour or style you chose, you have 90 days to order another TORLYS floor. |
| COMMERCIAL PERFORMANCE WAI  | RRANTY   |   |   |
| Wear Warranty   | 5 year limited   | 5 year limited  | 7 year limited  |
| Structure / No Gapping<br>When 30-60% humidity maintained.  | 5 year limited   | 5 year limited  | 7 year limited  |

Notes: See www.torlys.com for complete details on the TORLYS Peace of Mind Assurance Program.

\*Move It & Reuse it - Repurpose Guarantee, Trade in Value and Satisfaction Guaranteed. For TORLYS flooring installed floating. Valid only in Canada. For commercial warranties, visit www.torlys.com/builder

# TORLYS Bulldog<sup>™</sup> Easy Plank Replacer

### A Floor's Best Friend

TORLYS Bulldog<sup>™</sup> Easy Plank Replacer allows you to:

- Fix major mishaps quickly and easily.
- Replace a damaged plank, not your entire floor—just ask your TORLYS dealer to replace damaged or dented planks with the TORLYS Bulldog™ Easy Plank Replacer. No glue. No nails.

Contact your TORLYS retailer or check out the video at ww.torlys.com/residential/products/accessories for details.



### Maintenance & Accessories



### CORK & CORKWOOD

### **Maintenance**

#### **Keep Your TORLYS Smart Floor Looking Beautiful**

- Dust mop (with a non-treated, clean mop) or vacuum regularly to remove loose soil and wipe up spills quickly with cloth or sponge.
- Clean as required with TORLYS Natural Glow Eco-Friendly Cleaning Kit.
- Only use TORLYS maintenance products. Never use wet mops, highly acidic or alkaline cleaners, non-recommended commercial cleaners or polishes, or a treated mop that has been used to clean other floors or furniture.
- Use floor-protector pads on furniture feet. Protect your floor from hard castors on moveable furniture.
- Use caution when wearing high heels as they can dent cork. Keep your pet's nails trimmed.
- Use entry-way (non-skid cotton) mats to capture tracked-in-dirt and soil, and clean them regularly. Rubber or fiber-backed mats may stain or scratch floor finish.

#### **Maintain Humidity in Your Home**

TORLYS smart floors are natural products. Use a humidifier or dehumidifier to regulate humidity (30 – 60%) and minimize expansion and contraction. This is required to preserve your floor.

#### **TORLYS Natural Glow® Eco Friendly Cleaning Kit**

TORLYS recommends Natural Glow® for easy maintenance. It's biodegradable (with no VOCs), fragrance free, easy on the environment, and makes every TORLYS cork floor spotless. Clean your floor as required with this easy-to-use-kit.



#### **TORLYS Underlays**

In some installations, a separate underlay is required to meet impact sound ratings in high rise buildings or condos. For more information on all TORLYS underlays, visit www.torlys.com.

### **Mouldings**

TORLYS Cork floors require a transition moulding to cover the expansion gap mandatory in floors wider or longer than 30 ft. and at doorways.

#### **SoloPlus 5-in-1 Moulding**

Five different mouldings - in ONE profile.

- 1. **T-Moulding** used to adjoin two floors of identical height.
- 2. **Reducer** used to transition two different floor heights.
- 3. **Square Nose** used to transition to carpet.
- 4. **Square Nose** edge moulding used to conceal the expansion gap around the perimeter of the room.
- 5. **Flush Stair Nosing** stair-edge seamless trim moulding for installation of TORLYS Cork on staircases. Clicks flush into your TORLYS Cork floor, thus eliminating the overlap of traditional stair nosing. SoloPlus can also be used for non-flush installations on landings.

#### **TORLYS smartSTEP Moulding\***

CorkWood collections offer a unique smartSTEP moulding solution so you can add the perfect finishing touch to your installation. The smartSTEP is made from an actual full plank of matching TORLYS flooring for a perfect colour, texture and dimension match. The CorkWood smartSTEP also uses the same Uniclic® joint as the matching floor for an easy, seamless installation.



# Frequently Asked Questions



### CORK & CORKWOOD

#### **Can I put TORLYS Cork floors** anywhere in my house?

TORLYS Cork floors are an engineered product, well-suited for installation below grade, over radiant heated sub floors, over concrete and even over some existing floors. TORLYS CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay is included in your floor, but depending on the application, different underlays and vapour barrier may be required. Ask your local TORLYS dealer for more information on different applications and what you may require. Check details at:

www.torlys.com/residential/resources/ installation-instructions/.

#### **Should I expect shade variation** in my TORLYS Cork floors?

Yes. Variation of shade and grain are characteristic of cork floors. Because cork is a natural material, no two planks are alike, which adds to its beauty. Some colour and shade variation should be expected. Always work from several boxes at the same time and shuffle planks for the best visual appearance. Colour variation as an integral part of cork's inspiring beauty.

#### Does cork flooring fade with exposure to sunlight?

Cork, like all natural products, has a distinctive natural colouring that will age over time and lighten if installed near direct sunlight. Ensure you have the proper window coverings to diffuse direct sunlight on your cork floor. Note that CorkWood is more fade resistant than regular cork due to the use of UV-ink in the printing process.

#### What is the TORLYS Bulldog™ **Easy Plank Replacer?**

Only TORLYS offers you the Bulldog, a tool that allows you to repair any plank in your floor, even if it's in the middle of your room, with no power tools and little dust or noise. Ask your TORLYS retailer for details

#### **Are TORLYS Cork floors** difficult to maintain?

TORLYS Cork requires the same maintenance as all other TORLYS smart floors. Simply vacuum or sweep your floors on a regular basis. Clean as required with TORLYS Natural Glow™ Eco-Friendly Cleaning Kit.

#### **Can I install TORLYS Cork** Floors myself?

TORLYS Cork includes the patented Uniclic® joint, a glue and nail-free joint technology that ensures a greatlooking floor and makes installation easy. All you need is a saw, hammer, installation kit, tape measure, pencil and some time to install your floor. Or you could also use a professional installer. Ask your local TORLYS dealer for more details on installation

#### What is the TORLYS **Trade-in Value?**

The TORLYS Trade-In Value is an innovative new program – the first of its kind! Years down the road when you want to change your floor, TORLYS will provide you up to 20% of the original purchase price of your old TORLYS floor. Register your warranty for your new floor. For more information and to register your warranty visit www.torlys.com.

#### What is the 30/30, 30/60, 30/90 Satisfaction Guarantee?

If after 30 days from installation you are not satisfied with the colour or style of your TORLYS floor, contact your retailer and TORLYS will replace your floor with a TORLYS floor of equivalent value. Applies to professionally installed floors only. All you pay is the cost of installation. For more information and to register your warranty visit www.torlys.com.

#### Can I order samples of **TORLYS floors?**

Yes. TORLYS Online Sample Ordering makes it easy to request any flooring sample. Visit www.torlys.com. For a small fee, order a minimum of three 4" X 6" flooring samples of the collection and style of your choice.



# First. Foremost. Always. TORLYS & Cork.



#### **TORLYS CORK**

- Florence Designer
- Florence Elite
- **Florence Premier**
- **Classic Premier**

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"We reduce the amount of resources needed to make our products. We re-use cork, leather and wood in our floors and offer floors that are FSC® Certified from managed forests. We even encourage customers to re-use or re-purpose their TORLYS floors. At TORLYS, we're inspired by nature in our journey to create a smaller footprint. We urge you to rethink the way you look at flooring too." - Peter Barretto, CEO and President

Cork floors have long been cherished for their striking looks, natural warmth and eco-friendly attributes. TORLYS continues to be the leader in cork flooring, offering a freshly updated collection with contemporary styling in various textures and sizes to complement any décor. We are continuously rethinking every aspect – from renewable resource forestry to re-usable design.

Cork cover image: Cork Florence Premier, Vintage Sand Stone



### Floors For A **Better World**

Cork is recognized worldwide as a floor with unsurpassed environmental advantages. TORLYS

entire cork collection is FSC® (Forest Stewardship Council®) certified, ensuring your floor meets strict environmental standards, including wood and cork sourced from responsibly managed forests.



# Florence Elite



When you want to combine distinctive design with richness and comfort, this is the perfect choice.

# Explore the full, natural beauty of cork flooring.

1/2"(T) x 7-1/2"(W) x 45-13/16"(L) 12 mm (T) x 194 mm (W) x 1164 mm (L)

- · Long and wide planks
- · 4-sided bevel-edge
- Textured styling
- •TORLYS smart finish for durability
- FSC® certified
- CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay with Microban® antimicrobial product protection











The appeal of bevel-edge cork in this timeless collection, featuring contemporary colours to suit your taste and budget.

### Enjoy a subtle, elegant look and feel that is always in style.

3/8"(T) x 7-1/2"(W) x 36"(L) 10 mm (T) x 194 mm (W) x 910 mm (L)

- 4-sided bevel-edge
- Textured styling
- TORLYS smart finish for durability
- FSC®certified
- CorkPlus™ BLUE attached underlay with Microban® antimicrobial product protection



