

TorTestSM Floor Friction Testing Service
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for testing slip resistance of flooring*

Flooring Slip Resistance Test Results

Client: Heskins Ltd.

Report date: 2/12/15

Flooring: **blue Marine**

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Sample no.: 1502-1221

Pieces tested: 1

Date tested: 2/12/15

Size: 10 inches x 11.5 inches

How and when sample obtained: Supplied by client 2/9/15

Ceramic Tile Institute of America pendulum test

The pendulum is the national standard test method for pedestrian slip resistance in 49 nations on five continents and has been endorsed by Ceramic Tile Institute of America since 2001.

Pendulum Test Value, as received, with TRL (55) soft slider:

Dry: 96 Wet: 42

High Pendulum Test Values indicate potentially good traction. The Ceramic Tile Institute of America recommends a **minimum** pendulum test value of **36** for level floors. Slip resistance can be affected by factors such as floor coatings, abrasives, detergents, contamination, chemical treatments, and wear. Values of 25-35 are classed as "moderate slip potential". Values of 0-24 have "high slip potential".

Respectfully submitted,
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