

RASCH POLSKA

Product- and Environmental Declaration for APELVIKEN collection

Type: Wall covering non-woven class 1 Weight: 150-195 g/m²

Environmental mark

Fulfills the IGI:s trade standards

(IGI = International Wall covering Manufacturers' Association)

Product contents

All wallcoverings produced by Rasch Polska are free from PVC, heavy metals and other environmental harmful substances. All inks are waterbased.

Wallcovering components	Total weight percentage	Weight-percentage	Specification of the components composition
Non-Woven	65-100%	40-85%	Cellulose (TCF)
		15-30%	Synthetic fibres+film
		0-30%	Vac/Acrylic polymer
		15-25%	Filler
Ink	0-35%	65-100%	Pigment
			Filler
		0-30%	Vac/Acrylic polymer

Formaldehyde in combined form exists naturally in wood being used in production of the substrate. Analysis of wallcoverings therefore have shown tracks of formaldehyde. The quantities though are essential lower than the valid limit.

Usage

The wallcovering can be used in all areas except wet areas such as bathrooms etc. Suitable adhesive is a machine adjusted adhesive.

Colour fastness to light

Very good color fastness to light 6 – 8. The highest value is 8.

Packaging

The wallcovering rolls are wrapped into a thin recyclable polyethylene film before being packed into a corrugated cardboard carton.

In average 25 gr packaging is being used per kg wallcovering.

The average transport volume (inch packaging) per kg wallcovering is about 4 dm³

The packaging material is produced from recycled fibres.

Transport

The wallcoverings are transported via trucks from our central warehouse in Mölnlycke, Sweden.

Care instructions

The wallcoverings have good washability. Stains are treated as follows:

- Wet the stain with a cloth or a sponge using soapy water or detergent.
- Use plenty of lukewarm water to get off all soap rests.
- Wipe off the over amount of water and leave the wallcovering to selfdry.
- Avoid to get water in the joints where the wallcovering is unprotected.

Estimated lifetime

Estimated lifetime of the wallcoverings, when hanged, is 10-15 years.

Recycling and waste

The wallcovering can be recycled as energy at combustion.

Part of the excess inks are being reused in production.

No wallcovering waste is considered as hazardous waste.

Production

There is no solvent emission during the production.