

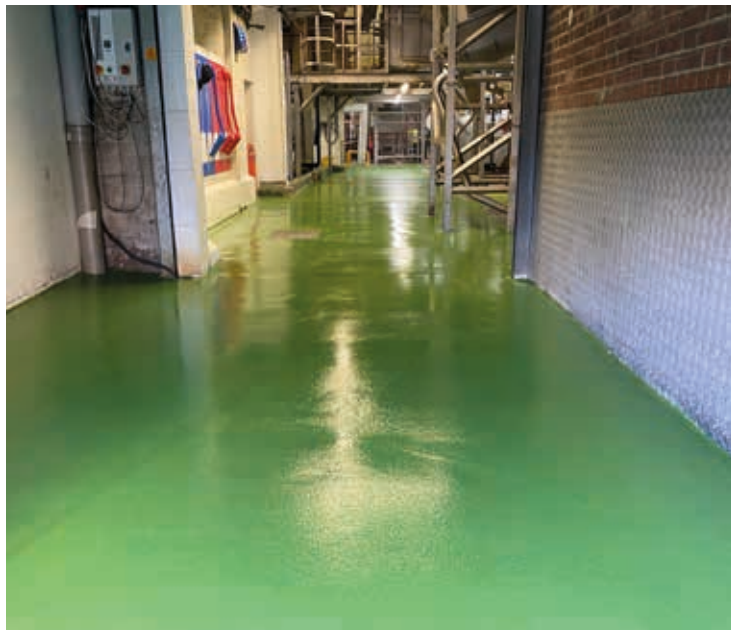


SIKA AT WORK

KOLAK SNACK FOODS, LONDON, UK

FLOORING: Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 SR, Sika® Ucrete® Accelerator

FAST CURING SOLUTION IN PRODUCTION AREA LIMITING DOWNTIME



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project name: Kolak Snack Foods

Location: London

Kolak Snack Foods manufacture private label snacks for some of the leading supermarkets within Europe under the Europe Snacks Ltd umbrella. Europe Snacks have become one of the main players on the European market for private label savory snack products and the leader in the stacked chips segment.

PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

The main UK office & Factory based in London needed a new flooring solution due to their existing flooring not being up to current requirements. This flooring area was over 1,000m².

The main challenge on this project was to replace the current polyurethane floor with a new flooring solution with minimum downtime to the factory which runs 24 hour a day. The client also required a floor which was fit for purpose with resistance to chemicals, heavy traffic with a high slip resistance.

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SIKA SOLUTIONS

We proposed our innovative Sika® Ucrete® Accelerator system which allows most grades of Sika® Ucrete® to achieve return to traffic times of less than 5 hours. It's estimated that on average, £6,000 is lost for every hour of downtime in food and beverage so the client needed the 24-hour factory closed for a short a period as possible.

Once the client was made aware of this accelerator system the next step was deciding the grade of Sika® Ucrete® and they chose Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 SR which combines unique heavy duty polyurethane resin technology with exceptional resistance to aggressive chemicals, high temperatures and heavy traffic. Its textured surface provides a safe, slip resistant, and attractive floor in wet and greasy environments.

The client and applicator produced a time frame program to get the 1,000m² works carried out over 2 different weekends with only a 7-hour shutdown window during the weekend nights. During this 7-hour window, the applicator prepared the existing floor using mechanical preparation, then applied the Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 SR and Sika® Ucrete® Accelerator system in 250m² areas each night during this shutdown window.

PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

Project Owner: Europe Snacks

Contractor: Resin Flooring Specialist

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