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EARLES KITCHEN

FLOORING: [Sikafloor®-81 EpoCem®](#), [Sikas®Screed HardTop-80](#) and [Sika® ComfortFloor® Pro](#)

BUILDING TRUST



EARLES KITCHEN WEST BRIDGFORD, NOTTINGHAMSHIRE



SHORTLISTED FOR SMALL COMMERCIAL PROJECT OF THE YEAR (FeRFA 2016)

This project required a flooring solution for a modern contemporary kitchen extension - the client wanted something sleek and seamless to complete the look and turned to Sika's resin products as the answer.

[Sika® Comfortfloor® Pro](#) was the perfect fit out of the whole flooring range. Due to its liquid application, Sika® ComfortFloor® makes it possible to design your floor as one seamless piece - even colour changes and transitions onto walls can be incorporated in the seamless design if desired.

The floor needed to be liquid like in its appearance with zero imperfections as the overhead and natural lighting would highlight this. Life is lived in the kitchen and this modern and stylish kitchen demanded a seamless and perfectly smooth floor - waterproof, wear resistant, non-slip and easy to clean up.

The floor consisted of new level floors and existing floors with level issues and inadequate DPM. To overcome this Flooring Contractors IRL Ltd applied a liquid DPM. Sikafloor® EpoCem®-81 was applied to the existing floor to overcome the high moisture readings. The existing floor was then re levelled using Sika®Screed Hardtop® 80 cementitious screed as it was vital that a complete level floor was achieved in order to apply the Comfortfloor® to meet the finer details of the specification.

The versatility of the product comes into its own for its easy colour changing capabilities making it a more cost effective choice of flooring for the ever changing trends of modern living, with its ability to be refreshed in colour, should the client wish to change the design in time.

The project ticked all the green boxes when it came to environmental and sustainability considerations as not only was a massive 99.2% of IRI's waste recycled that month, but the Sika® Comfortfloor® system is the only product from a resin flooring manufacturer that has a A+ BRE Green Guide Rating, giving the client maximum points for a flooring system in a Green Build classification.

The client said, "The Sika® Comfortfloor® system was chosen in this particular project as it's something different in a domestic kitchen. We wanted a maintenance free seamless floor that not only looked good but was slightly softer to walk on than tiles. The level of service was exemplary."

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