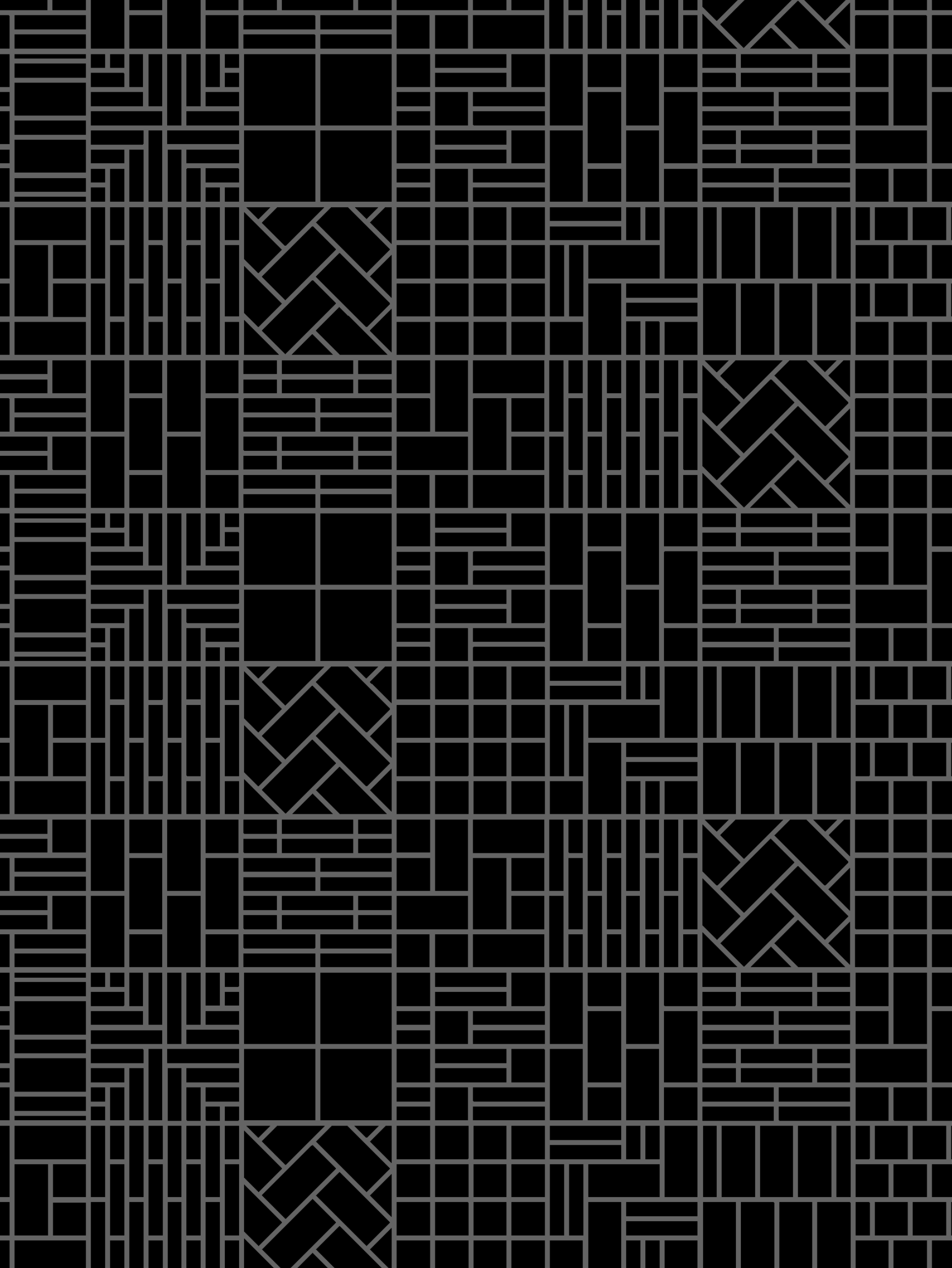




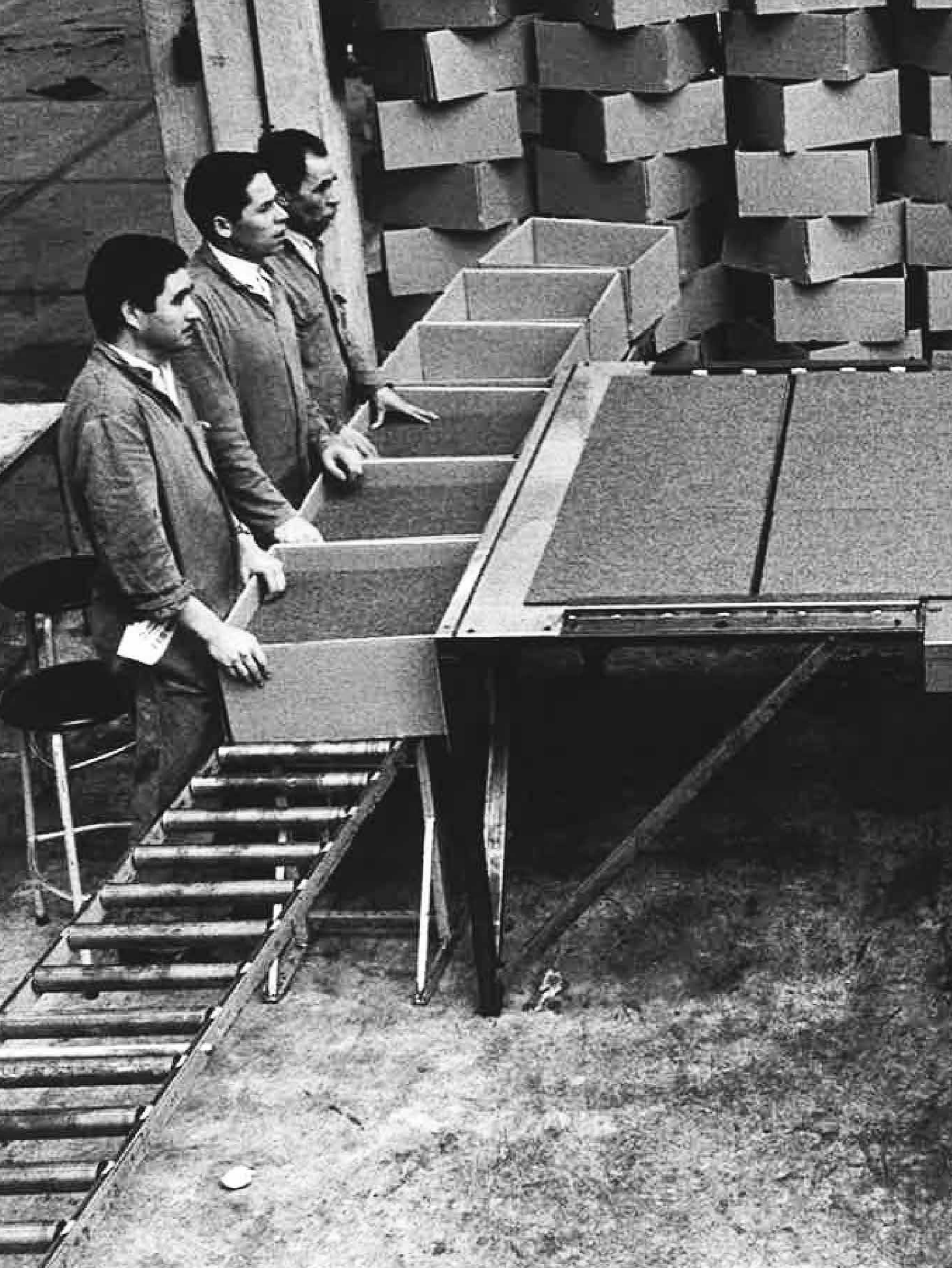
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## A STRONG HERITAGE

Interface began life in 1973, when our founder Ray Anderson saw the need for more versatile flooring in the office. In 1987, we acquired Heuga, the European manufacturer of the original carpet tile. Before long, Interface was the world leader in modular flooring.

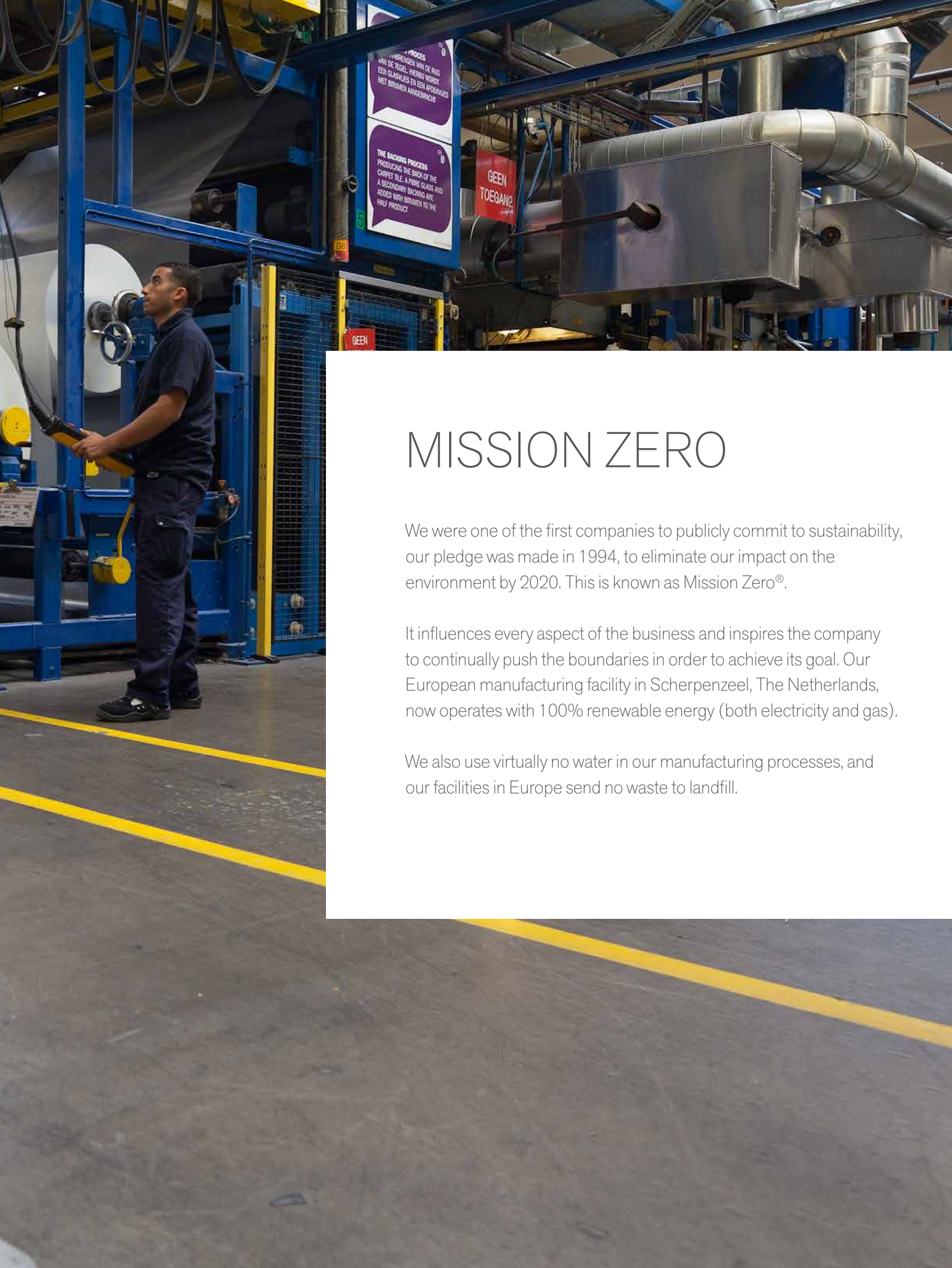
Since then, a workplace revolution has put creativity ahead of efficiency and productivity. Spaces are designed to foster collaboration, and to create a sense of identity. This has a huge impact on our products, and the way we make them.



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# MISSION ZERO

We were one of the first companies to publicly commit to sustainability, our pledge was made in 1994, to eliminate our impact on the environment by 2020. This is known as Mission Zero®.

It influences every aspect of the business and inspires the company to continually push the boundaries in order to achieve its goal. Our European manufacturing facility in Scherpenzeel, The Netherlands, now operates with 100% renewable energy (both electricity and gas).

We also use virtually no water in our manufacturing processes, and our facilities in Europe send no waste to landfill.

# A RESTORATIVE LOOP

The way we develop our products is also inspired by Mission Zero, for example, The Net-Works™ partnership. Net-Works is the first step in creating a truly restorative loop in carpet tile production.

Working with local communities, the Net-Works partnership is cleaning up oceans and beaches of discarded fishing nets that litter beaches and threaten marine life.

The innovative social and environmental project is managed by the Zoological Society of London (ZSL) in collaboration with Interface and Aquafil, a global yarn manufacturer.

Aquafil has pioneered ways to supply Interface with 100% recycled nylon fibres since 2011 — repurposing waste nylon from many sources, including yarn reclaimed through our own ReEntry® programme and end of life fishing nets recovered from the fishing industry supply chain.





# FULL PRODUCT TRANSPARENCY

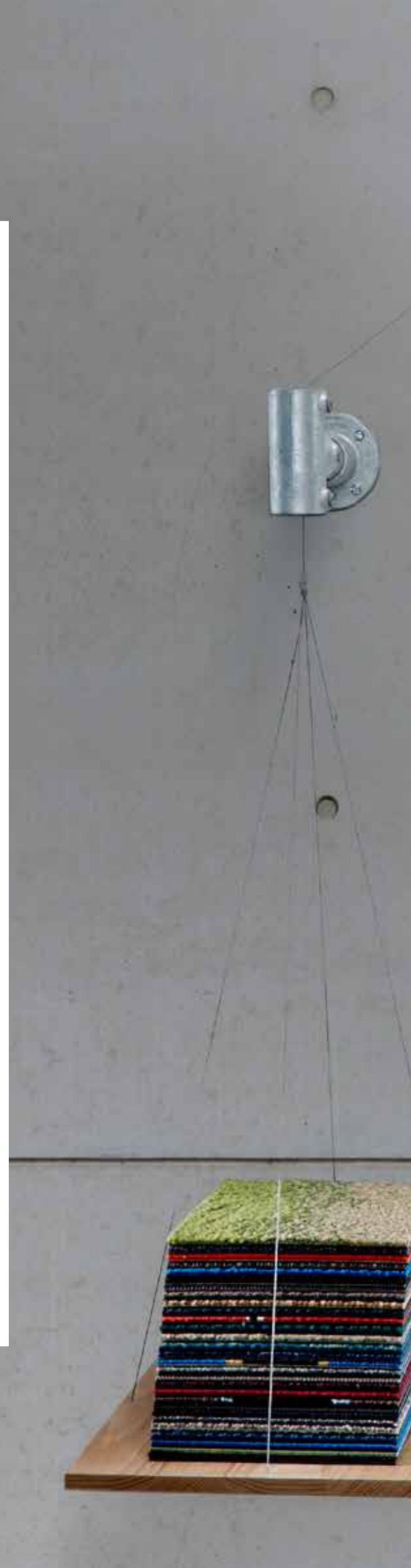
Because we have a strong social conscience, we believe that transparency is the key to helping customers understand which products have the lowest environmental impacts.

Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs) are central to this transparency.

Looking at the whole life cycle of our products, they show all their ingredients and the associated environmental impacts. It's all about balance: providing the products you want while protecting our environment.

As well as helping you create the ideal space, we can help you reduce your environmental impact. This can involve:

- providing clear information to choose the most sustainable products
- recycling old carpet
- helping you achieve green building certification such as BREEAM, LEED, HQE and DGNB.









# LOCAL ANYWHERE

We have people on the ground in six continents, with over 40 global showrooms, and manufacturing sites in Australia, China, the Netherlands, Thailand, the UK and the U.S. For international customers we have local teams fluent in more than 40 languages.

As the only truly global supplier of carpet tiles, this means we can provide the same high quality and efficient level of service, whether your business is based locally or globally.



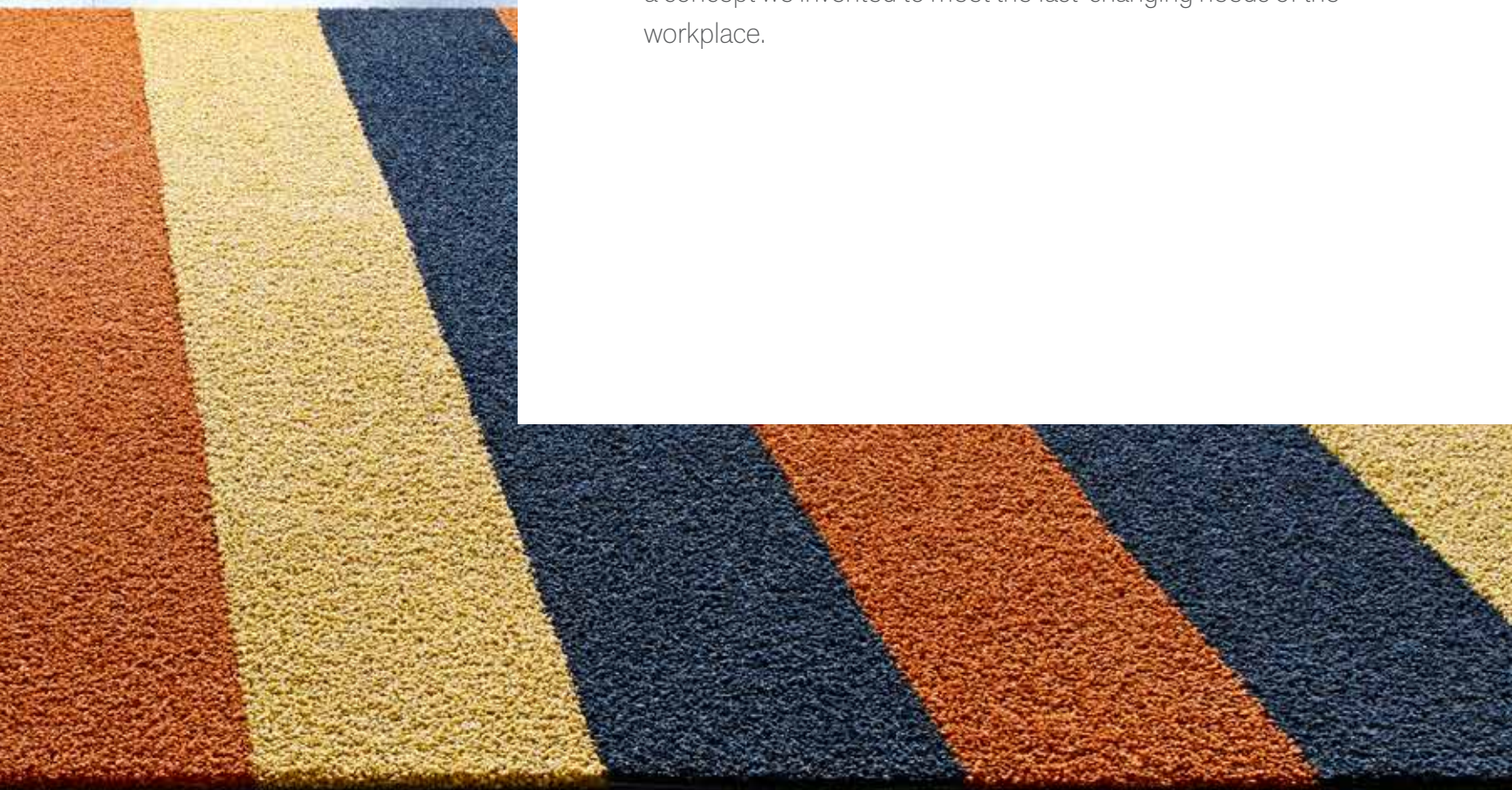




# CHANGING WORLD, CHANGING WORK

In any interior, the floor is fundamental. It has a huge impact on both the look and feel of a space. And, unlike any other surface, it has to withstand the wear and tear of feet and furniture.

At Interface, we create floors that combine visual appeal, functional performance and design freedom. We do this with modular carpet, a concept we invented to meet the fast-changing needs of the workplace.





# SHAPE YOUR FUTURE

Squares are the core elements in the Interface system. But our 25cm x 100cm Skinny Planks bring new proportions and a different sense of scale to carpet tiles, and show what's possible outside the traditional carpet tile aesthetic.

All our shapes work in any combination, with limitless possibilities. Create the seamless look of broadloom carpet. Or explore a wealth of tile pattern options – to dramatic, geometric effect.





A wooden table with various carpet samples and a striped container. The table is made of light-colored wood and has several items on it. On the left, there is a stack of carpet samples, with the top one labeled 'Interface'. On the right, there is a stack of more carpet samples, including a beige one and a dark blue one. In the foreground, there is a cylindrical container with horizontal stripes in white, black, and red. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

# OUR FOCUS IS ALWAYS ON DESIGN

Whether we're anticipating trends to evolve our ranges. Whether we're engineering our products to improve wellbeing in the workplace or reduce environmental impact. Whether we use nature's template to develop new products, or even entirely new ways of doing business – we always work as designers, and we want the same design freedom for our customers.





A modern office interior. In the foreground, a yellow armchair with a silver base is partially visible. To the right, a white desk holds a stack of papers. The floor is covered in a grey and green patterned carpet. The background shows a concrete wall and a doorway.

# REALISING YOUR DESIGN VISION

To help you explore design possibilities, we offer a range of creative services – in your own offices or in our studios and showrooms.

Whether you need long-term consultancy, or simply want us to visualise your options, we use our knowledge of colour and pattern – and the latest technology – to ensure you make the most of our products.







# ENHANCING THE LOOK, IMPROVING THE FEEL

If a workplace is visually pleasing and physically comfortable, it follows that the people using it are happier, healthier, and more productive. As one of the largest surfaces in a room, flooring can make a major contribution to how people feel in a space. So we put a lot of thought into colour, aesthetics and comfort.

Whether you are looking for a soft tranquil feel or need vibrant colours and varying textures to create zones within a larger area, we've created a range of shades and designs to meet your needs.



# MAKING CHANGE EASIER

When you're refitting a workplace, you want the minimum disruption – and if it involves new flooring, our modular approach makes a huge difference. With broadloom carpet or hard floors, you usually have to empty the room. But you can change modular carpet tiles bit by bit, rather than the whole floor at once. Also, they're quick to fit, uplift or reconfigure.

**Reducing disruption even further** – with Renovisions® (pictured)

**Clean, swift installation** – with TacTiles™

**Managing technology** – with Intercell®



A person is lying on their back on a floor made of modular carpet tiles. The tiles are in various colors and patterns, including wood-grain, solid colors, and textured patterns. The person is wearing dark blue jeans and black shoes. The floor is composed of rectangular tiles in shades of brown, grey, and tan, some with wood-grain patterns and others with solid colors or textures. The person is lying on a grey and white patterned tile. The background is a white wall.

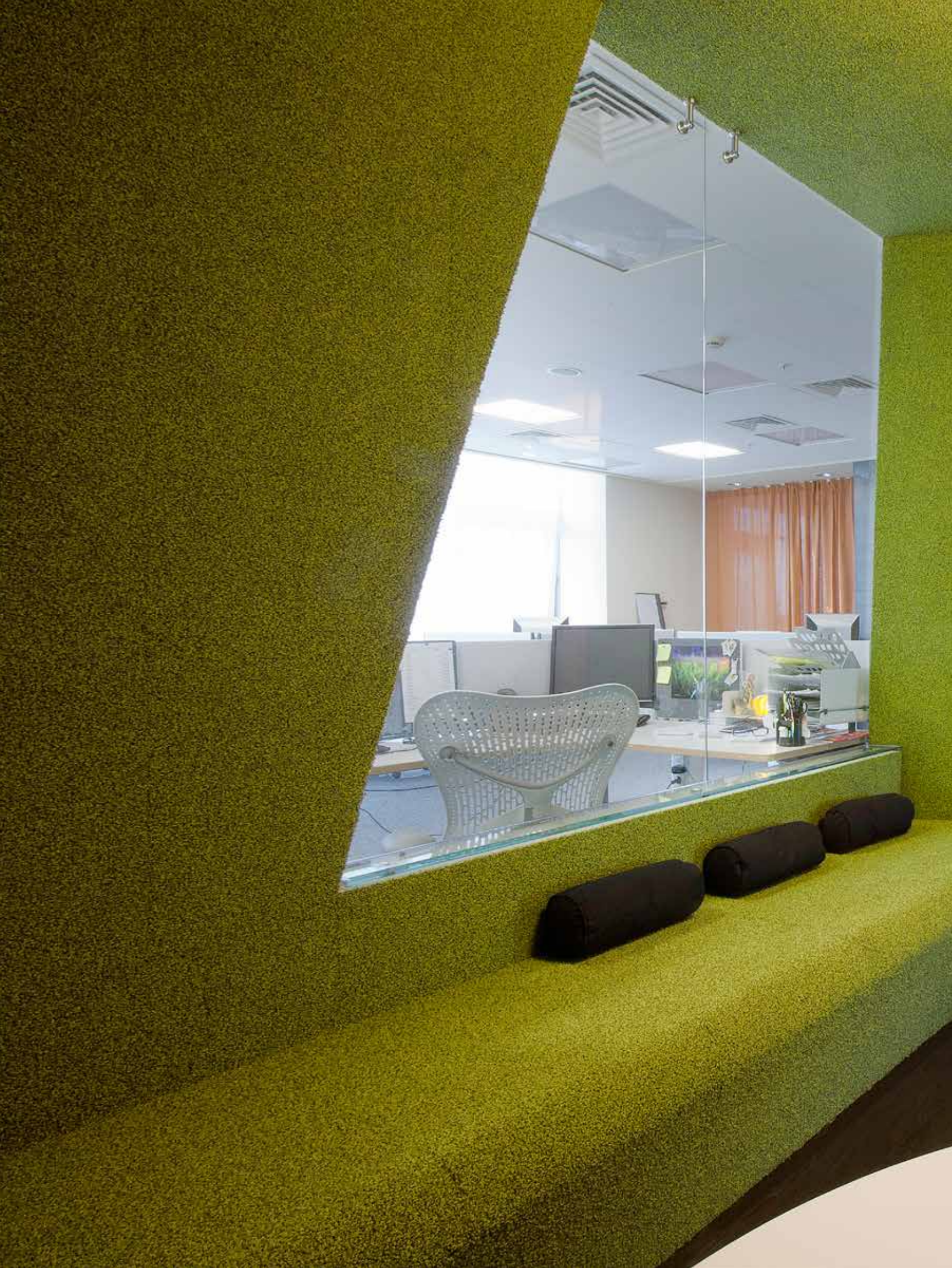
# CONTROLLING WEAR, MINIMISING WASTE

You want your carpet to last as long as possible – for environmental as well as financial reasons.

In most workplaces, 20% of the floor gets 80% of the wear. Modular carpet lets you refresh your floor only where it's needed, giving you longevity that broadloom carpets can't match.

Modular flooring also saves waste during installation. Non-directional installation of carpet tiles generates only 1-2% waste, whereas fitting a 2-metre wide broadloom carpet typically creates 7-10% waste.





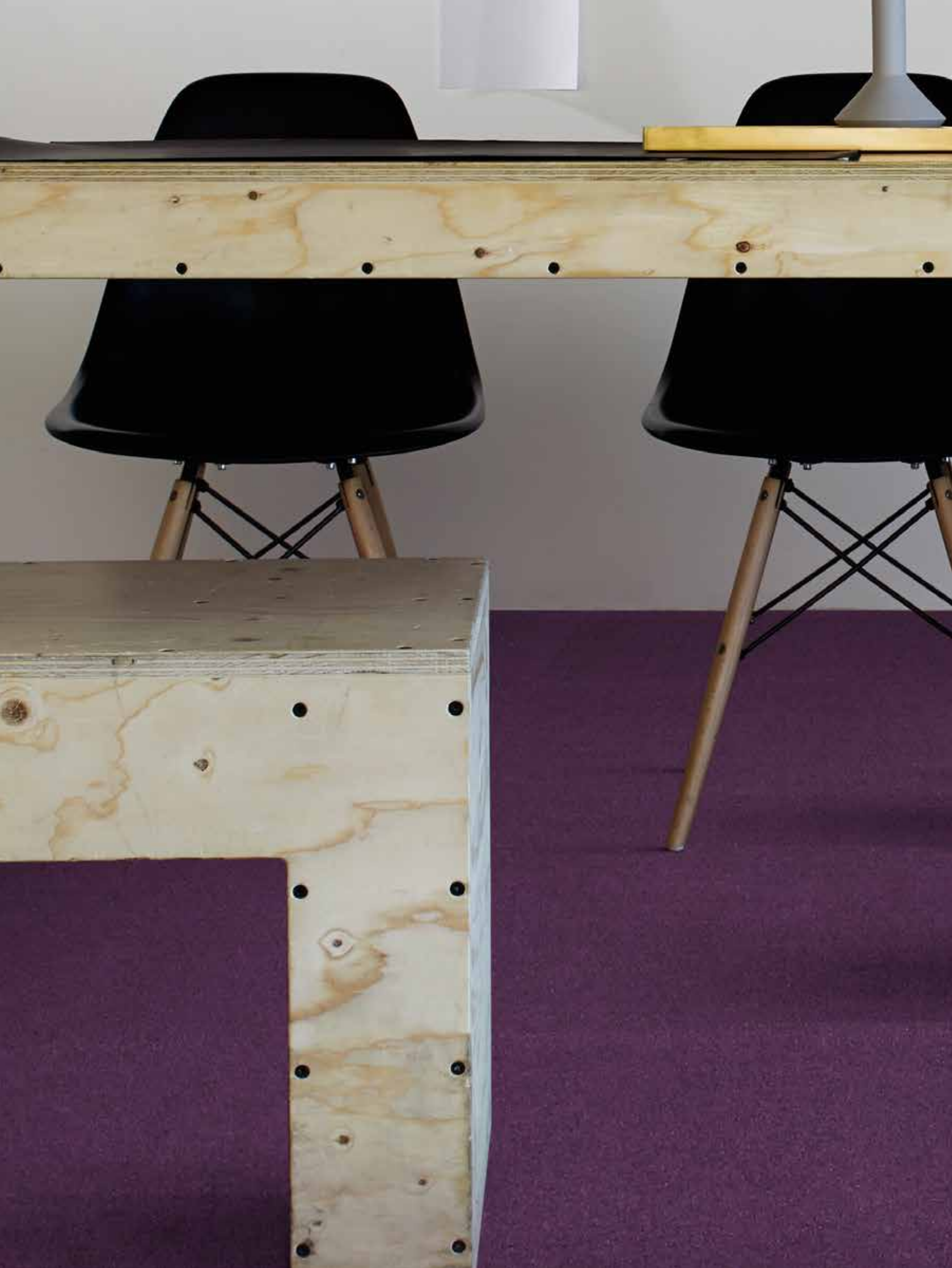


# HEAR MORE CLEARLY

Poor communication at work leads to stress and frustration, so controlling acoustics is vital. Flooring plays an important part, and at Interface, we consider noise levels at every stage of design and manufacture.

Soft floor surfaces absorb more sound than hard surfaces. Carpet reduces 'impact sounds' – such as footsteps or moving chairs – and absorbs airborne noise. Our experts will help you create the right acoustic environment.

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A photograph of a light-colored wooden desk with a black chair on a purple carpet. The desk is made of plywood and has several black screws visible. A white electrical outlet is on the wall behind the desk.

# BREATHE MORE EASILY

Since we spend most of our time indoors, it is vital to create and keep a good indoor air quality.

Factors such as heating, ventilation, and cleaning can influence this. But flooring is also critical. To help, we've reduced the emissions of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) from all our finished products, and developed glue-free TacTiles, reducing significantly the VOCs involved in fitting our products.

Textile flooring can also help by trapping airborne dust. All our standard carpet tiles have been tested and proven to reduce fine dust in the air. And we'll give you professional advice on how to keep the carpet clean and fresh.

A large stack of blue carpet tiles is shown on a wooden pallet. The tiles are arranged in a neat, rectangular stack, with the top edge showing a textured, looped surface. The pallet is made of light-colored wood and is positioned on a concrete floor. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

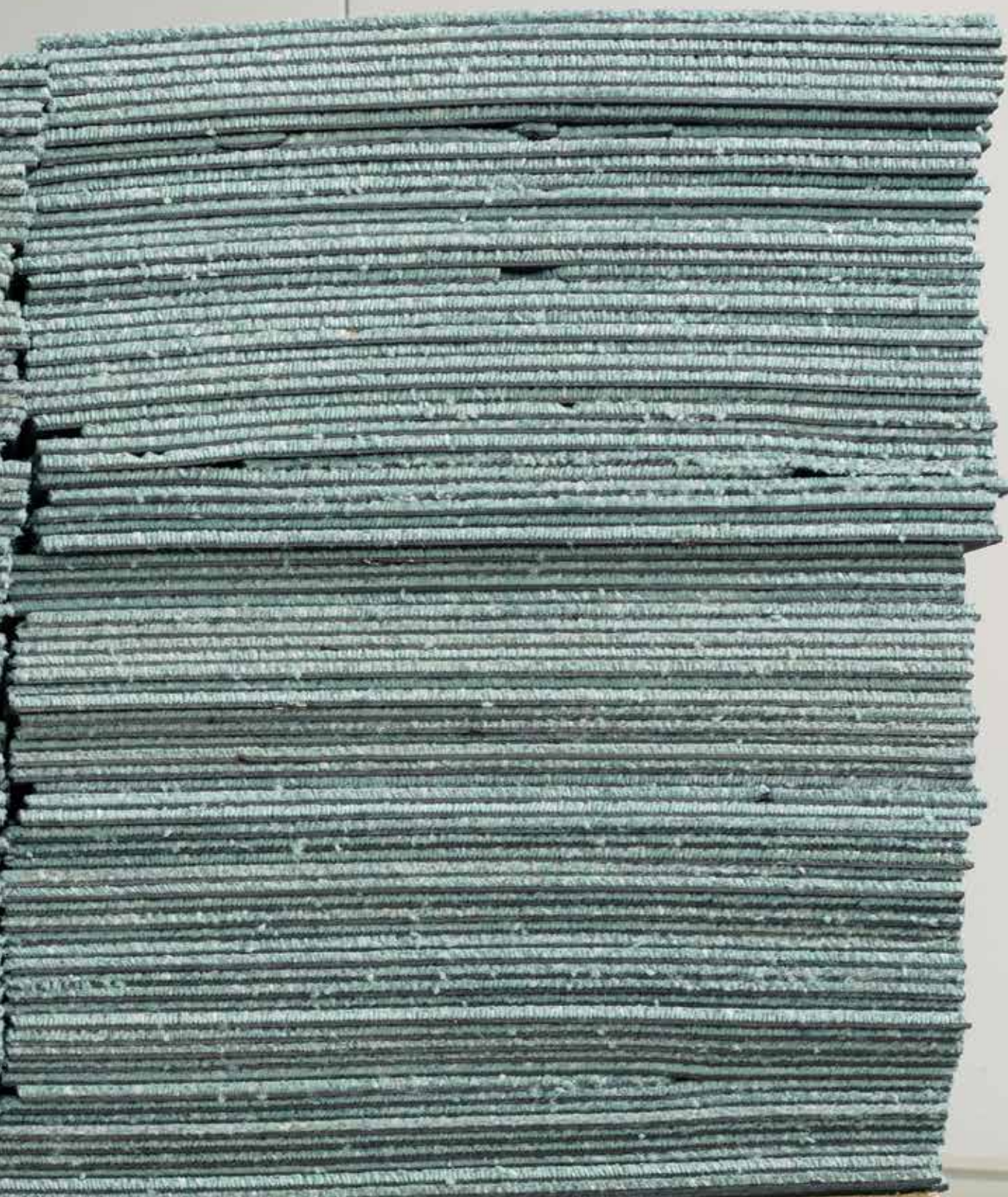
# A USEFUL SECOND LIFE

Creating a closed loop system is essential to reach Mission Zero.

When it's time to replace your old carpet tiles, we can help you dispose of them in the most responsible way, by reusing or recycling them.

Our ReEntry 2.0 recycling process, based at our Scherpenzeel site, uses advanced technology to separate the main components of the carpet tile, so they can be transformed into raw materials for new products. We also work with social ReUse partners, to extend the useful life of the carpet where possible.

When unwanted carpet is reused or recycled, we will issue a certificate as proof of your responsible approach to dealing with waste.



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# LETS TALK

To find out more about the positive impact our products can have on your interiors, please get in touch.

We'd love to meet you in one of our showrooms, or at our unique customer experience centre, the Awarehouse.



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