# Case Study

# **Tools & Maintenance**



**Summary** 

Industry: Paper & Board

Application: Ergonomic Matting

Actual Saving: Health & Safety

Payback Period: Immediate



# Wearwell Anti-Fatigue Matting Improves Productivity

### **ISSUE**

A large packaging company based in Derbyshire has many machines with workers operating them, standing on hard concrete floors for the duration of their shift, which in turn is very tiring.

An employee from one particular section of the factory floor had requested anti-fatigue flooring. He had been experiencing many aches and pains in his back and legs as a direct of standing the hard concrete during his shifts.

## **SOLUTION**

The ERIKS Derby Service Centre were contacted to help resolve the issues. Following an initial consultation with the customer and a detailed site inspection with supply partner Wearwell, it was decided that Wearwell 415 Diamond Plate SpongeCote mat would be the perfect solution across the whole site as it was a dry floor (i.e. no water or oil).

The 415 Diamond Plate SpongeCote It provides the customer with unparalleled comfort, is both abrasion and chemical resistant and will withstand the abuse of multiple shifts and high traffic.

The matting solution provided helped relieve the aches and pains for their employee, whilst giving the customer a better understanding of the benefits the correct flooring - or matting - solution can provide the workforce. So much so - they are looking into additional products to help improve comfort and in turn productivity.

#### **OTHER BENEFITS**

- Up to 50% reduction in fatigue
- Up to 2% improvement in productivity
- Reduced absenteeism
- Reduced knee & lower-back pain
- Improved morale

## **FURTHER COMMENTS...**

The customer received correct anti-fatigue solution for their factory, selecting the correct product was crucial to meet the objectives of the customer.

#### **MORE INFORMATION**

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