

SIKA AT WORK ARLA FOODS, LEEDS, UK

FLOORING: Sika® Ucrete® UD 200, Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 SR, Sika® Ucrete® DP 10 AS



SLIP-RESISTANT FLOORING SOLUTION FOR DAIRY PRODUCTION AREA





PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Project name: Arla Foods Location: Leeds, United Kingdom

Arla is one of Europe's largest dairy companies, sourcing 8.3 billion liters of milk a year. In the UK, it processes 2 billion liters of milk annually and is a leading supplier to the country's main retailers. Arla's development team was created to move its Leeds dairy from its existing site near the city center to Arla Foods' new Greenfield site, on the outskirts of Leeds. This was completed in three separate phases.

PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

The construction was phased over several years, however when it came to the installation of the floors a fast-track solution was required due to the nature of the commissioning program. The floors had to withstand the cumulative corrosive effect of lactic acid from milk in addition to leaning products used in a thorough cleaning regime.

A slip-resistant finish was vital in wet areas, with an additional need for an antistatic finish in spaces handling explosive materials to safeguard employees.

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SIKA SOLUTIONS

Sika® Ucrete® was specified due to its high performance against lactic acid in addition to offering a slip resistant finish. Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 was installed onto early age concrete (7 days old) without the need for special primers. Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 was trafficable by foot after 16 hours allowing early access for subsequent trades. Using Sika® Ucrete® UD 200 assisted all parties in meeting a tight building programme.

Sika® Ucrete® flooring solutions met the short timescale for application and the client's requirement for a slip-resistant floor finish with the same cleanability as stainless steel.

PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

Project Owner: Arla Foods

Designer/Architect/Specifier: Master Builders Solutions

