

LIFE CYCLE STUDY RUBBER FLOORING PRODUCTS

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Below is a study looking at common floor covering products taking into consideration the initial cost of material and more importantly the maintenance costs. This analysis pertains to all Zandur Rubber based flooring products including Sustain and Flex. Clearly Rubber Flooring leads the industry in Green Flooring. It also leads in regard to low life cycle cost.

Life Cycle Cost Analysis				
Product	Cost Per ft ² Installed	Maintenance Cost per 1,000 ft ² over 15 years	Life Cycle Cost Factor	Cost Per Year per ft ² over 15 Year Life
VCT	\$1.50	\$24,313	16	\$24.00
LVT	\$4.75	\$15,640	4	\$19.00
Rubber and Cork Rubber	\$6.00	\$8,095	2	\$12.00
Carpet	\$7.50	\$21,982	3	\$22.50

Maintenance cost data source *How to Make Business Decisions for Facility Flooring*, Suzanne R. Barnes, 1999