

**Project Profile: Bridgestone Americas Technical Center  
Akron, Ohio**

**Architect: SôL Harris/Day Architecture  
North Canton, Ohio**

**Product: C/S Floorometry® 101 (Triangle)**

In April, 2012, Bridgestone Americas, Inc. officially opened its \$100 million technical center in Akron, Ohio. SôL Harris/Day Architecture's design for this 265,000 square foot research laboratory earned the building LEED® Gold certification. Contributing to this certification was the large Floorometry® entrance flooring system by Construction Specialties. Steps to improve indoor air quality in a LEED® certified building include installing permanent entrance grilles at all major entryways to trap dirt and debris at the front door, thereby cutting down on airborne particulate.

Floorometry 101 with triangular geometry not only met the LEED® criteria, contributing to the gold certification, but did so with unique style. Launched in 2010, the Floorometry line was created based upon suggestions from dozens of architects and designers. A desire for a broader variety of materials and design choices, along with a departure from the linear look of standard entrance flooring, was communicated, as well as the wish for a fresh product for use in lobbies and vestibules of high-end buildings.

The 18" x 18" modular units install like tile and can easily be removed for cleaning beneath the panel's top surface. It is not necessary to shut down the entire entrance in order to roll back a large mat or pull up a grid section. The convenience offered by this detachable top surface ensures that the dirt effectively picked up at the entrance can easily be removed from the recess.

Construction Specialties is proud to be a part of this prestigious project. In addition to meeting the architect's vision for the first impression of the new facility and contributing to the LEED® gold certification, the Floorometry installation will help reduce maintenance costs for years to come.



**At a Glance**

- Modular 18" x 18" units install like tile
- Top surface easily removable for cleaning
- Satin finished type-304 stainless steel top surface
- Available with standard and custom geometric inserts



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