

Putting Your Best Foot Forward



What is the definition of a heel-proof entrance flooring product?

A heel-proof product is one whose rails are close enough together that a passing stiletto heel will not fall through the rails or become stuck. The pedestrian can safely walk across the mat without injury or the risk of a slip, trip or fall.

Why is a heel-proof entrance flooring system important?

Facility owners and architects are responsible for making sure that every product in their building is safe for the public's use, especially if they have the potential to play a part in slip, trip and fall prevention. An entrance mat or grid that is impenetrable to even the slenderest stiletto heel is relevant to a building's safety.

How are CS entrance mats and grids heel-proof?

Our products are heel-proof because the rails on our entrance mats, grids and specialty products are close enough together that a stiletto heel will not fall through or become stuck. At the same time, the rails are far enough apart that the system can function as intended with debris falling through the rails and into the system's recess.

What makes CS entrance mats and grids ADA compliant?

Openings in floor or ground surfaces cannot allow passage of a sphere more than ½ inch (13 mm) diameter, such as that of a high heel or cane/walker. Also, elongated openings must be placed so that the long dimension is perpendicular to the dominant direction of travel.

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