



Play MATTATATM

ORIGINAL

PLAYGROUND SAFETY SURFACING SYSTEMS



For children around the world, whatever their age or level of ability, Play MattaTM is a fun and safe surface to play on; but its benefits extend well beyond the surface – Play MattaTM is a fully compliant, quality product that will protect your playground investment, now, and into the future.

FACTS OF THE MATTA

FULLY COMPLIANT SAFETY PERFORMANCE



MOST COST EFFECTIVE SOLUTION



ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE CHOICE



DURABLE & SAFE RECYCLED MATERIALS



ROBUST DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION



WEATHER PROOF, UV & FIRE RESISTANT



LOW MAINTENANCE MODULAR SYSTEM



PATENTED TILE WELDING OPTION



ISO CERTIFIED QUALITY ASSURANCE CONTROLS



6-YEAR MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY



EXTENDED WARRANTY & SERVICING PROGRAM



IMMEDIATE CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE



PLAY MATTATM

WHICH TYPE OF PLAYGROUND SAFETY SURFACING IS BEST?

● Loose fill material

Surfaces like sand and wood chips are easy to lay but provide limited impact protection.

Loose fill is not suitable around moving equipment, dispersing quickly, while hazards like animal waste, broken glass, fungus and other dangers are a problem. Constant raking and refilling is needed to maintain compliance.

● Wet pour surfacing (Poured-in-place)

These surfaces have impact attenuation properties, depending on the poured thickness, and competence of the installer. They can last reasonably well if not in high-use situations, although it is difficult to repair any wear and vandalism with success. Some cleaning products cannot be used on rubber and there is a risk of the surface breaking down with cleaning or scrubbing.

● Safety tile surfaces

Play Matta™ is one of the top performing, all-round impact reduction safety surfaces available. The modular design of Play Matta™ means it is easy to install and, while it is extremely hard-wearing, damaged tile are also simple to replace.

The Play Matta™ open surface makes it unattractive to graffiti vandals but, if necessary, its robust PVC construction can easily take hard scrubbing and graffiti removal products. Unlike other types of surfacing it is simple to clean Play Matta™ – effectively removing contaminants like dirt and bacteria.

PLAY MATTA™ PROTECTING CHILDREN & PROTECTING YOUR INVESTMENT

FULLY COMPLIANT SAFETY PERFORMANCE

Play Matta™ Original is one of the few safety surfacing products available guaranteed to comply with all required playground standards – right from installation and without further testing.

Playground providers are legally obliged to comply with safety standards and regulations that set out strict requirements for the design and use of playground equipment and playground surfacing. These standards include prescribed critical fall heights (CFH) for surfaces around specific playground structures. CFH are a measure of the ability of a surface to reduce impact and the threat of injuries to children.

Play Matta™ Safety Surfacing Systems achieve excellent CFH results when tested to the latest US safety standards. For example:

- Play Matta™ A+B System (tiles over 70mm+40mm shock pads) achieve 15 feet
- Play Matta™ A System (tiles over 70mm shock pads) achieve a minimum 9 feet
- Play Matta™ B System (tiles over 40mm shock pads) achieve a minimum 5 feet
- Test results for our full range of Play Matta™ Systems are available upon request.

Does your playground surfacing comply with all the safety laws?

Whichever surfacing product you choose, it is vital you obtain an independently certified document declaring the performance characteristics and CFH compliance of that product when installed; the safety of the children using your playground depends on it.

THE MOST COST EFFECTIVE SOLUTION

The initial expense of installing playground safety surfacing is only part of the equation. The true cost is often only revealed when essential ongoing maintenance and repairs, the life expectancy of each type of surfacing product and its ability to remain safety compliant is taken into account. While some surfacing options may appear to cost less to start with, they can quickly become a liability as time passes and, after ten years, some products may end up costing you up to 500% more than the initial outlay.

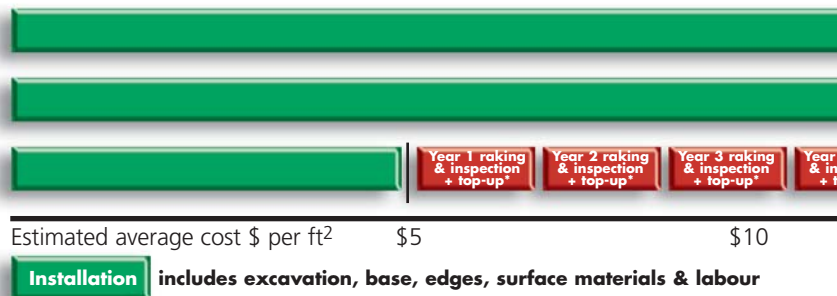
Over time, low maintenance, durable Play Matta™ is the best value playground surfacing for your money; plus your investment in a quality product is protected by our warranty.

CUMULATIVE EXPENSES: THE COMPARATIVE COSTS OF DIFFERENT

Play Matta™

Wet Pour

Loose Fill





DURABLE MATERIALS & ROBUST DESIGN

Play Matta™ is made to last. Years of research and experience has enabled Matta Products to design and manufacture a hard wearing, recycled PVC product that is weather proof, fire and UV resistant. The self-draining Play Matta™ tile has a non-slip surface that provides superior traction in both wet and dry conditions.

LOW MAINTENANCE MODULAR SYSTEMS

Interlocking Play Matta™ tiles are designed specifically for playgrounds; systems are very adaptable and can easily be installed directly onto most existing surfaces including concrete and Wet Pour (Poured-in-place). Little maintenance is required – sweeping, hosing or vacuuming to prevent debris build-up – to ensure many years of trouble-free service.

PATENTED TILE WELDING OPTION

The Matta Welding System is the best method of permanently joining Play Matta™ tiles together; the welding technique creates a strong, long-lasting bond between tiles and eliminates the need to use glue which can break down over time.

ISO CERTIFIED QUALITY ASSURANCE CONTROLS

Play Matta™ is a quality product that protects your investment long term; it is fully ISO 9001 accredited with strict Quality Assurance Control programs in place right through, from the manufacturing process to final installation procedures.

6-YEAR MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY

Matta Products is committed to excellence and is proud to guarantee the quality and performance of all Play Matta™ playground systems. A manufacturer's 6-year warranty, with an option to extend, covers our product against flaws and failure.

EXTENDED WARRANTY & SERVICING PROGRAM

Enrolled customers receive playground care & re-conditioning by Play Matta™ professionals plus extended warranties for both product and installation – our guarantee that your playground will continue to provide compliant, problem-free safety performance.

IMMEDIATE CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

When Play Matta™ is installed by a Certified Installer a CFH compliance certificate can be issued immediately because, unlike most other products, Play Matta™ is fully compliant, right from manufacture, and does not require further testing.



AN ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE CHOICE

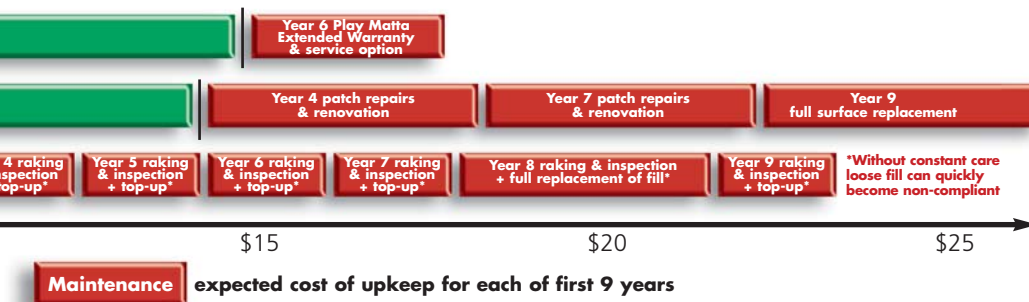
Matta Products is committed to ensuring Play Matta™ – and our other safety products – are an environmentally sound choice. Matta Products understands the importance of long term resource sustainability and is determined to promote and expand our significant recycling effort.

All the rubber and PVC feed stock we use is 100% recycled – and our products can be recycled in their turn. Using reclaimed materials not only reduces waste and conserves energy but also cuts out the greenhouse gases produced during the manufacture of virgin materials.

Compare using Play Matta™ with the impact of using virgin materials* for 2000 square feet of PVC playground surfacing:

- It reuses 3 tons of non-renewable petroleum based products that otherwise would have ended up as landfill.
- It saves the release of around 8 x 1,800 square foot houses full of CO² that would have been generated by manufacturing virgin product.
- It prevents the release of 18.5 tons of CO² into the atmosphere had the recycled 'donor' products been abandoned to disintegrate.

TYPES OF PLAYGROUND SURFACING OVER TIME



*Calculations based on American Institute of Chemical Engineers figures from Chemical Engineering Progress, page 58-63, July 2002. 2.25kg CO² / kg PVC is produced when making PVC.

PLAY MATTA™ QUALITY & BENEFITS ASSURED

Play Matta™ quality control programs, national and international safety standard compliance certificates, CFH test results, warranties and other product support initiatives such as maintenance instructions, extended warranty & servicing program and Matta Products' ISO certification are all available for inspection.

Play MATTA
QUALITY ASSURANCE CONTROL
INSPECTION CHECKLIST FOR PLAY MATTA INSTALLATION

6-YEAR MANUFACTURER'S LIMITED PRODUCT WARRANTY

Registration Certificate
This is to certify that the Management Systems of Matta Products Ltd. have been assessed by International Certifications and found to comply with the requirements of ISO 9001:2000 Quality Management Standard

PLAYGROUND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

Impact Protection Compliance Certificate
The Play Matta Safety Surfacing System installed at: [redacted] complies with the requirements of ASTM F1292-04 "Standard Specification for Impact Attenuation of Surfacing Materials for free heights of fall up to the stated critical fall height of [redacted] and signed below by: [redacted] as the representative of MATTA Products LLC.

MATTA

Matta Products designs and manufactures safety surfacing systems for the industrial and leisure markets world-wide. Our Play Matta, Work Matta and Sport Matta products are recognized as being high-quality and durable with proven health and safety benefits; our commitment to recycling also means they are an environmentally responsible choice.

We have installed fully compliant playgrounds around the world for satisfied customers in USA, Britain, Spain, New Zealand, Australia, Japan, Taiwan, Korea, Canada...

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Play MATTAs RE-COVER[†]

**THE SIMPLE SOLUTION TO YOUR
POURED-IN-PLACE PROBLEMS**

PLAYGROUND RESCUE PROGRAM

Patent pending Play Matta Re-Cover[†] is a unique, cost-effective playground resurfacing program that quickly transforms cracked, crumbling, shrinking and worn-out poured-in-place.

Loss of safety compliance is a major concern with poured-in-place or wet-pour playgrounds as the surfacing wears, shrinks and disintegrates. Expensive patching and repairs are usually only a temporary fix and do not restore critical fall height performance.

Play Matta Re-Cover[†] is the simple solution to your poured-in-place playground problems.

A Play Matta[™] Certified Installer assesses existing surfaces, testing for impact attenuation deficiencies, to formulate an individual Re-Cover[†] plan to rescue your playground.

Re-Cover[†] uses top performing Play Matta[™] Original safety surfacing products

– these will significantly improve the impact protection levels of your playground and are guaranteed to last.

Poured-in-place that is too badly damaged or safety compromised may need initial repairs or, in extreme cases, replacement with a full Play Matta[™] Original system – a specialized tile and shock pad combination guaranteed to meet safety standards. Your Re-Covered[†] playground is re-tested and the significant improvements in safety performance documented (see graph over page for comparative critical fall height test results).

EASY TO USE & COST-EFFECTIVE

Play Matta Re-Cover[†] is a straightforward process which limits construction and installation time. This, combined with the guaranteed durability of the Play Matta[™] product, makes it a cost-effective choice when your playground needs upgrading.

QUALITY & PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED

Play Matta[™] is designed specifically for use in playgrounds and the benefits of the Re-Cover[†] program echo those of top performing, safety compliant Play Matta[™] Original systems. A 6-year product warranty covers Play Matta Re-Cover[†] upgrades.

Play Matta[™] is durable, low maintenance and guaranteed to provide many years of effective, trouble-free service.

The specialized design of Play Matta[™] tiles feature a unique understructure of Compression Columns that help deliver the significantly improved impact protection documented in Re-Covered playgrounds.



This poured-in-place surface, which has already been patched, needs more repairs – and it's only two years old!

Common surfacing problems:

These problems are typical of the less durable types of surfacing like poured-in-place:

1. Edges lift or gaps form as the surface ages; **2.** Patch repairs for wear and damage are difficult, expensive and because of rubber bonding issues, do not usually last well; **3.** Cracks appear as the surface shrinks, flexes and wears; **4.** Worn patches can quickly grow as the rubber breaks down causing the surface to crumble.

PLAY MATTAs RE-COVER[†] PLAYGROUND RESCUE

- Quickly transforms sub-standard poured-in-place
- Significantly improved impact protection
- Easy to use system with minimal disruption
- Cost-effective PLUS guaranteed product quality & performance



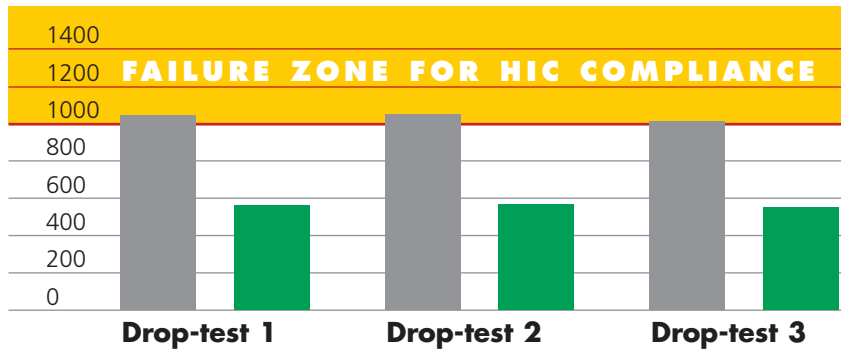
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GREATLY IMPROVED SAFETY RESULTS

CRITICAL FALL HEIGHT PERFORMANCE COMPARISON* BEFORE & AFTER PLAY MATTA RE-COVER[†] PROGRAM

HIC = Head Injury Criterion

■ HIC results for existing poured-in-place surface
■ HIC results after Play Matta Re-Cover program



*This graph shows a typical example of a sub-standard playground achieving compliance with Play Matta Re-Cover[†]. All surfaces will have individual characteristics and results.

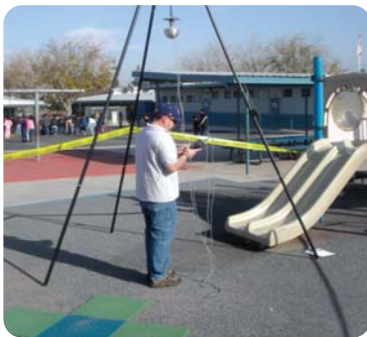
SAFETY SURFACING SPECIALISTS

Matta Products is a leader in the design and manufacture of playground safety surfacing systems worldwide. Our Play Matta™ and Play Matta Re-Cover[†] products are high quality and hard wearing – guaranteed to protect your investment now, and into the future.

PLAY MATTA RE-COVER[†] PROGRAM BENEFITS

Why keep worrying about the safety compliance and maintenance issues of your disintegrating poured-in-place playground? Choose the benefits of a Play Matta Re-Cover upgrade:

- **Significantly improved critical fall height results**
- **Easy to install & cost effective**
- **Low maintenance, modular solution**
- **Durable & safe recycled materials**
- **Secured with patented tile welding system**
- **ISO Certified quality assurance**
- **6-year product warranty**



The existing surface (above) is assessed, repaired if necessary, and Play Matta™ Original tiles installed. The significantly improved safety performance of the Play Matta Re-Covered[†] playground (far right) is documented with further testing.



QUALITY FIX

LONG LIFE

GUARANTEED



THE SIMPLE SOLUTION TO YOUR POURED-IN-PLACE PROBLEMS

**Play Matta Re-Cover[†] – call us now to
arrange a **FREE** playground assessment.**

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