# KRAIBURG PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

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Many thanks, your KRAIBURG Team

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## **DESIGNING WALKWAY MATS**

The most important properties walkway mats should have: softness and slip resistance. For this reason the first thought many manufacturers have



is to develop rubber mats with deep profiling – similar to tyres. The purpose of deep profiling is to provide grip.



## Comparing tyres under heavy use

water and mud clog the profile and must be removed from the tread grooves



#### Deep profiled walkway mat

an effect similar to the tyre: the profile is clogged with moisture and dirt

- ▶ cleaning is hardly possible
- ▶ during weight bearing: moisture and dirt are pressed onto the claw
- ▶ this causes a germ infested, moist environment for the claw
- ▶ it is critical in our opinion the danger of infectious claw diseases increases

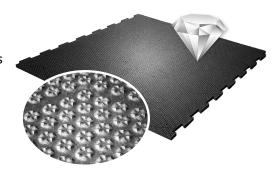
## Soft floors demonstrably improve mechanical-traumatic claw diseases

▶ so it would make no sense if deep profiled mats promoted infectious claw diseases

## Our solution: profiKURA

- softness is gentle on the claw and promotes grip
- furthermore, we incorporate corundum into the surface corundum is the second hardest mineral in the world after diamonds
- ▶ this makes the surface even without deep tread grooves more slip-proof, without restricting cleaning measures

Result: profikura = softness + grip without disadvantages in cleaning



It is always true: it's the little things - here the corundum granules - that make the whole thing complete.



