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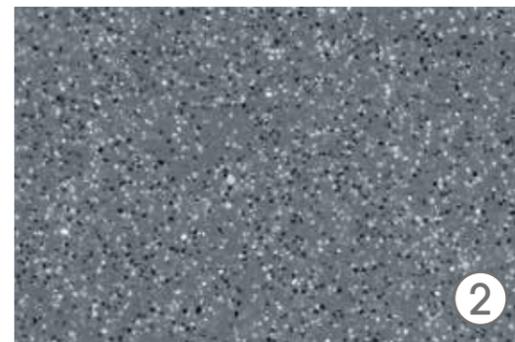


"Durability and hygiene were important parameters, and here we have confidence in Altro Ensemble, which was also easy to work with during installation. Because the system consists of planks that can be removed individually, it is also very easy to maintain."

Heine Gjerløv,  
CEO, KAAS Byggeindustri



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1. Altro Ensemble™
2. Altro Walkway™ 20





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#### Challenge

Hav Line Processing, the world's largest salmon packing facility, opened at Hirtshals Harbour, Denmark in 2019. In addition to its storage and packing facilities, the plant has approximately 875m<sup>2</sup> of office, meeting and administration space. The rooms are used daily by multiple staff, placing high demands on the design and durability of the flooring.

#### Approach

Architect firm KAAS Byggeindustri were tasked with the design of the new plant. With the high volume of foot traffic top of mind, they chose to install Altro Ensemble.

"We have had a good experience with Altro Ensemble and know it's easy to work with during the installation," says CEO and project manager Heine Gjerløv.

#### Solution

All office areas have been installed with Altro Ensemble in a beautiful wooden shade; Natural Rustic Oak. The result is that the plant not only has floors that meet the technical requirements of the build as well but also a design that creates the right atmosphere.

Technical Manager Jan Christiansen, from Hav Line Processing, says that the wooden look of the floor is so lifelike that the company's Quality Control manager initially thought the floors were made of wood:

"She couldn't understand how we would get wooden floors cleaned properly, so she was relieved when she found out that the tiles are made of vinyl, even though they look like wooden planks."

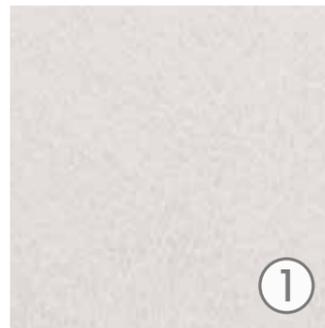
In addition to installing Altro Ensemble in the plant's office, meeting and administration areas, 240 m<sup>2</sup> of Altro Walkway 20 in the toilet areas.



"The floor is made of vinyl, but resembles wooden planks, giving us a floor that works functionally and aesthetically. This type of solution is crucial in making the workplace function well in everyday life."

**Jan Christiansen,**

Technical Manager, Hav Line Processing



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2. Altro Whiterock Digiclad™
3. Altro Whiterock Chameleon™

Altro Ensemble is a modular flooring system that gives you complete design freedom to create stunning floors for interior spaces. From colour blocking to geometric patterns, the possibilities are as endless as your imagination.

Altro Ensemble has up to 15dB impact sound reduction with added comfort underfoot, making it perfect for any environment where design is key. With four modular sizes, you can mix and match to create unique patterns utilising colour and design.

Altro Walkway 20 is our incredibly popular, durable 2 mm safety floor that prevents slips and wear throughout the life of the product.

The range offers both light and muted, sparkle-free designs and decorative designs with coloured flakes, giving greater design flexibility.

Altro Walkway 20 achieves PTV ≥ 36 in the pendulum test, which means sustained slip-resistance throughout its lifetime.