

 SWISS KRONO

# AQUASTOP

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WATER RESISTANT  
**LAMINATE**

 *by*  
**PREFERENCE**  
FLOORS



Accident Proof



# AQUASTOP - WATER RESISTANT LAMINATE

## Swiss Made

Aquastop laminate is all about making life a little less troublesome when accidents happen. We all understand that in our fast paced and hectic lives the unexpected does happen in our home or office environments: from pet accidents to appliance malfunctions and just every day spills, Aquastop laminate is designed to make these events a lot more manageable.

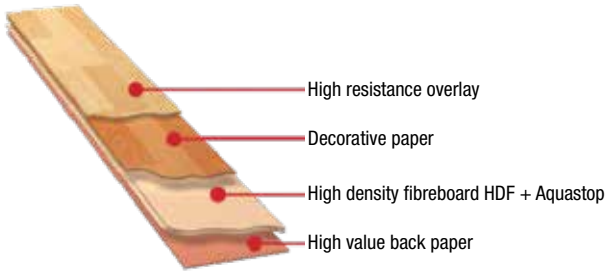
Aquastop is produced by the Swiss Krono Group, one of the world's largest and most respected laminate manufacturers. Aquastop is an innovative laminate technology that delivers a unique set of qualities that is engineered to inhibit moisture ingress from topical liquid spills, water and pet accidents. With your 'Peace of Mind' as a central focus, the 8 & 12mm range allows for moisture exposure for up to 48 hours and the 14mm range presents with 72 hour protection. These time frames will certainly help if the unexpected does happen.

*Note: Refer specific install requirements for bathrooms and laundry.*


Aquastop laminate is produced to strict world class European standards allowing for healthy living, emissions are the same as you would expect from timber in its natural state. It poses no health risks and makes it highly suitable for young children who spend a lot of time in contact with the floor. In addition its superior abrasion cl. Ac5/33 scratch and impact resistance make it an ideal choice where pets are involved. Swiss Krono laminate products are produced from 100% natural materials with timber sourced from FSC certified forest resources.

Aquastop laminate for Swiss precision, reliability and performance.


PRODUCT STRUCTURE




- High resistance overlay
- Decorative paper
- High density fibreboard HDF + Aquastop
- High value back paper




100%  
NATURAL RESOURCES

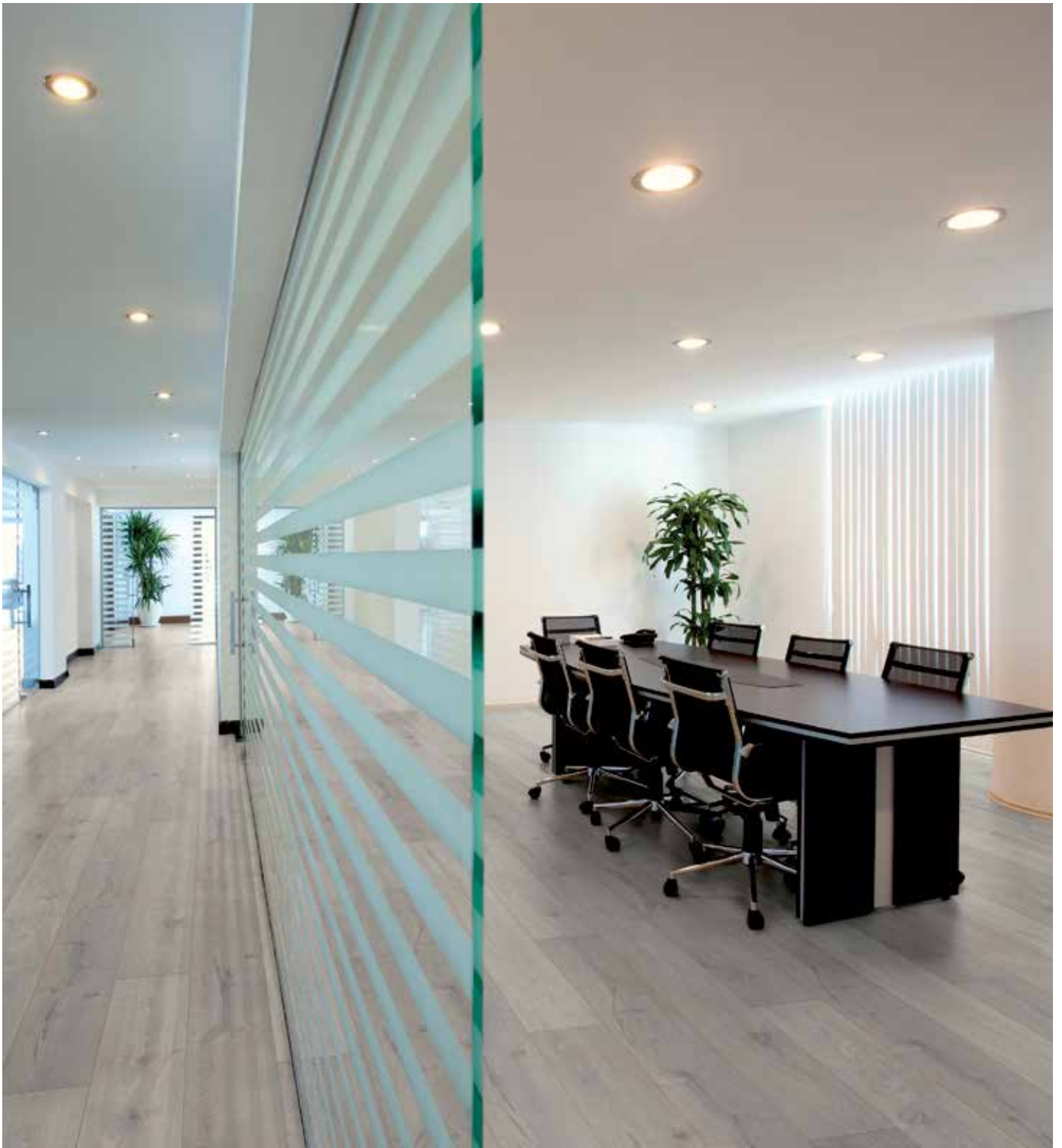


CHILD & PET FRIENDLY



WET MOPPABLE

 Suitable for kitchens	 Suitable for bedrooms	 Suitable for living rooms	 Suitable for dining	 OFFICE Suitable for office spaces	 HOTEL Suitable for hotels	 SHOP Suitable for shops
 Suitable for bathrooms	 Suitable for laundry	 Scratch resistant	 Colour-fast	 Valinge 5G Click System	 Antistatic	 V Groove



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## INTRODUCING THE NEW AUSTRALIAN TIMBER RANGE

Swiss made and now featuring two of Australia's most popular timber choices, Blackbutt and Spotted Gum. Our exclusive Swiss Krono Australian laminate timber range now includes Blackbutt and Spotted Gum, these great colours complement our existing range of Oak and contemporary décors.

With 10 unique visual repeats the finished installation will provide all the warmth and character expected from these two highly sought after timber colours. The Australian Timber décors are available in two thickness ranges: 8mm in 1380mm planks and 1845mm Long Planks for the 12mm range.

Australian timber décors and renowned Swiss precision, what more could you ask for?



Blackbutt



Spotted Gum

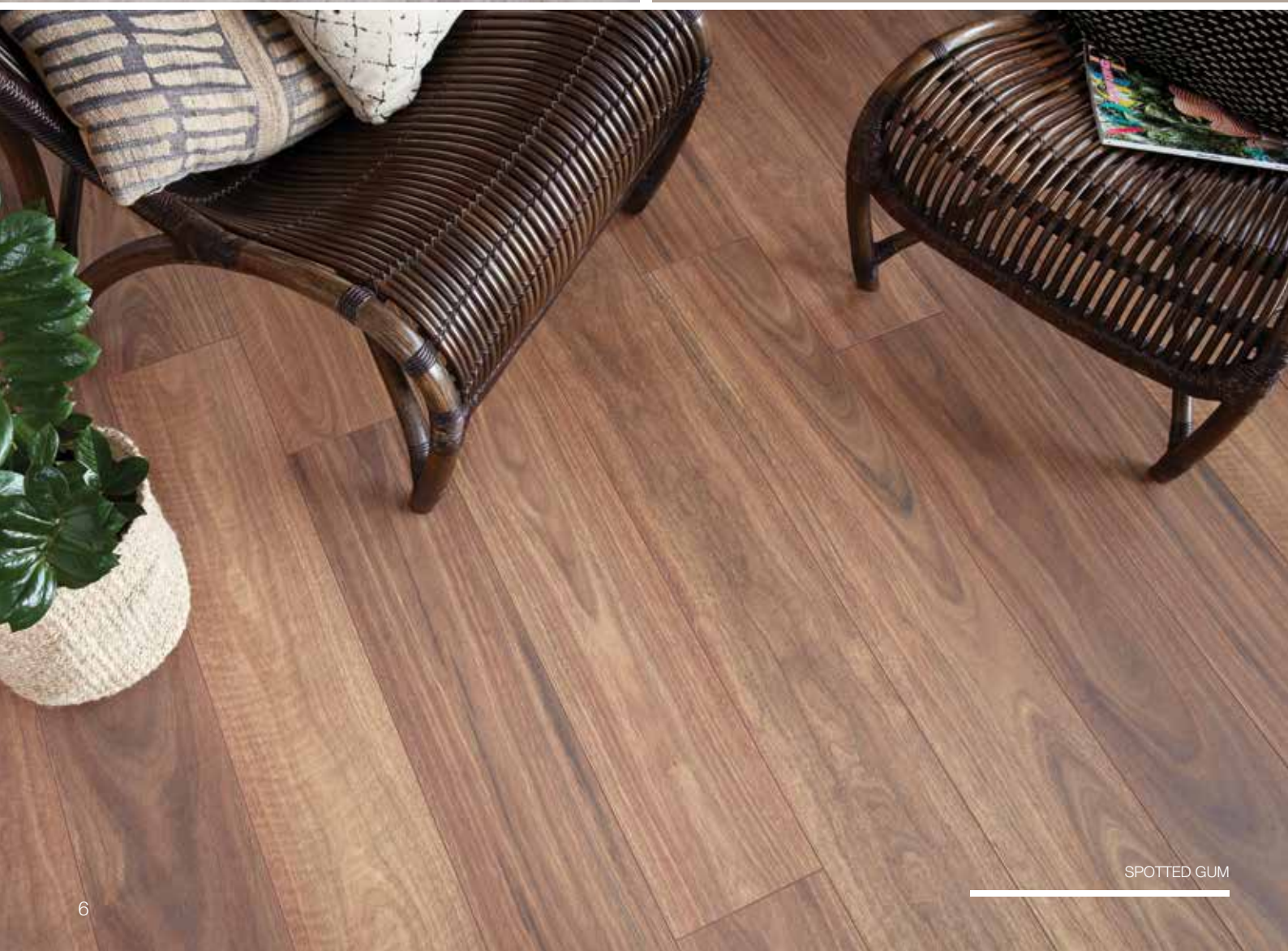


## DETAILS THAT MATTER

- Australian timber & on-trend décors.
- Wide plank & long plank formats.
- 1 in 10 visual repeats.
- Super durable, child & pet friendly.
- Suitable for all internal areas.
- Ok for wet mop cleaning.
- 100% natural materials, mainly wood.
- Suitable for in-slab hydronic heating.

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SPOTTED GUM

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## ENGINEERED FOR QUALITY

- 48 & 72hr water resistant technology.
- AC5, superior abrasion, scratch & impact resistant.
- Colourfast (anti-fade) & anti-static.
- Innovative décors, realistic embossing.
- Healthy, child & pet friendly, E1 emission level.
- High density fibreboard (HDF) core for durability & strength.
- Suitable for residential & commercial applications.
- Patented Valinge 5G click for easy install.
- Australian slip & fire test certified.

**AC5 - 8mm:** 35 Year Limited Structural Warranty,  
5 Year Limited Commercial Warranty

**AC5 - 12mm:** 35 Year Limited Structural Warranty,  
5 Year Limited Commercial Warranty

**AC5 - 14mm:** 35 Year Limited Structural Warranty,  
5 Year Limited Commercial Warranty







NATURAL OAK BROWN



BLACKBUTT

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AQUASTOP  
LAMINATE,  
PERFECT IN  
ANY SETTING.

## 8mm AC5 V4 MICRO BEVEL

Swiss Krono 8mm Aquastop is engineered to withstand topical moisture such as everyday household spills for at least 48 hours. Still, if detected promptly remove all liquid spills, including pet urine and never flood the floor with water. As with all wood based products, even Swiss Krono Aquastop with its increased moisture resistance will react to the moisture in the environment and as a result will expand or contract accordingly. Although it has been designed for improved performance against water/moisture ingress it is not waterproof and excessive wetting is to be avoided. Do not use Steam Mops.



1 size - 8mm thickness

1380 mm



KA8 - Strassbourg



KA8 - Lugano Oak



KA8 - Zermatt



KA8 - Helsinki



KA8 - Montreux



KA8 - Dublin



KA8 - Bourbon

193 mm

LUGANO OAK

1 size - 8mm thickness

1380 mm



KA8 – Brooklyn



KA8 – Limed Oak



KA8 – Majestic



KA8 – Manhattan



KA8 – Natural Oak Classic



KA8 – Natural Oak Grey



KA8 – Rift

193 mm

1 size - 8mm thickness

1380 mm



KA8 – Blackbutt



KA8 – Spotted Gum

193 mm



NEW AUSTRALIAN TIMBER

## 12mm AC5 V4 MICRO BEVEL

Swiss Krono 12mm Aquastop is engineered to withstand topical moisture such as everyday household spills for at least 48 hours. Still, if detected promptly remove all liquid spills, including pet urine and never flood the floor with water. As with all wood based products, even Swiss Krono Aquastop with its increased moisture resistance will react to the moisture in the environment and as a result will expand or contract accordingly. Although it has been designed for improved performance against water/moisture ingress it is not waterproof and excessive wetting is to be avoided. Do not use Steam Mops.



1 size - 12mm thickness

1380 mm



KA12 - Sand



KA12 - Interlaken



KA12 - Tan



KA12 - Zermatt



KA12 - Verbier



KA12 - Leysin

193 mm



ZERMATT

1 size - 12mm thickness

1380 mm



193 mm

KA12 – Arosa



KA12 – Natural Oak Brown



KA12 – Platinum



KA12 – Queens

1 size - 12mm thickness

1845 mm



NEW  
AUSTRALIAN  
TIMBER



193 mm

KA12 – Blackbutt



KA12 – Spotted Gum

12mm long plank size only available in Blackbutt & Spotted Gum

## 14mm AC5 V4 MICRO BEVEL

Swiss Krono 14mm Aquastop is engineered to withstand topical moisture such as everyday household spills for at least 72 hours. Still, if detected promptly remove all liquid spills, including pet urine and never flood the floor with water. As with all wood based products, even Swiss Krono Aquastop with its increased moisture resistance will react to the moisture in the environment and as a result will expand or contract accordingly. Although it has been designed for improved performance against water/moisture ingress it is not waterproof and excessive wetting is to be voided. Do not use Steam Mops.



1 size - 14mm thickness

2025 mm



244 mm

KA14 - Snow



KA14 - Rock



KA14 - Moon



KA14 - Sunshine



1 size - 14mm thickness

2025 mm



KA14 – Beach



KA14 – Sunset



KA14 – Terra



KA14 – Volcano





BLACKBUTT

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## CARE & INSTALL

### Installation in Bathrooms & Wet Areas

To maximise the water resistant performance of AQUASTOP laminate the following installation method must be followed in any area that could be subject to moisture, such as bathrooms or laundry areas. You must seal the locking mechanisms at the junction where the click profiles join as you install the laminate flooring. You can buy a laminate floor sealant (**Dunlop Click Seal**) at most home improvement stores. In addition, a mould resistant waterproof silicon sealant should be used to completely fill all of the expansion joints around the perimeter of the wet area floor. This will prevent water moving from the floor surface to the underside of the planks which could cause the floor to fail. The wet area floor should not be joined to a floor surface in an adjoining room. The wet area should be terminated with a transition trim and sealed appropriately. **These additional instructions only apply for wet area locations.**

### Care & Maintenance

AQUASTOP laminate floors are very easy to care for without the need for specialised cleaning agents nor any subsequent treatment after installation. A vacuum cleaner or the occasional moist mop is perfectly adequate.

This saves not only time and money, but also eliminates the use of chemicals in the household.

Although laminate floors are highly resistant, they are not indestructible. The following simple precautions will help protect the laminate floor from scratches and other damage:

- Use dirt & grit absorbing mats in the entrance area
- Quickly remove all dirt, sand, grit, and other foreign bodies with regular cleaning
- Fit furniture, and especially chairs with felt pads
- Immediately wipe up spilled liquids
- Use office chairs with soft casters or on protective mats

### Regular Cleaning

Aquastop can be cleaned with a wet mop. We recommend the use of a vacuum cleaner, soft bristle broom or a dust mop for regular cleaning. If necessary, the floor may be cleaned with a wet mop, avoid using too much water. Do not pour liquid directly on the floor or use an excessively wet mop that will leave a puddle of water standing on the floor. Avoid using regular household cleaners or scouring pads as they are abrasive and will damage your floor. Do not use Steam Mops under any circumstance.

# TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

## CHARACTERISTICS

### Attractive

Available in Australian Timber and authentic Oak colour tones from light to dark and individual, distinguished planks. A floor of timeless beauty to enrich any interior.

### Innovative

Looks and feels like a precious hardwood floor – unrivalled in depth and precision of how the structure meets perfectly with the decor. Produced with the latest embossing technology. Micro-bevel edges for enhanced wide plank visual.

### Healthy

Produced to strict world class standards. For healthy living, emissions of vapours are the same as you would expect from wood in its natural state.

### Ecological

Produced at the most modern, environment-friendly production facility of its kind.

### Resilient

Superior abrasion, scratch & impact resistance as well as colourfast (anti-fade) & anti-static properties.

### Affordable

Unbeatable Price vs Performance ratio compared to traditional hardwood floors. Great value for money with long-term cost savings making it the ideal choice for your flooring solution. It's a low maintenance and easy to care flooring, there is no need to wax or polish and it will stay looking like the day you installed it for many years to come.

## USE (FLOOR-COVERING INSIDE BUILDINGS MIN. REQUIREMENTS)

### Domestic Levels of use

#### Moderate



AC 1 / Cl. 21  
Bed-, guest rooms

#### General



AC 2 / Cl. 22  
Living-, dining rooms

#### Heavy



AC 3 / Cl. 23  
Kitchen,  
entrance halls

### Commercial Levels of use

#### Moderate



AC 3 / Cl. 31  
Hotel rooms,  
small offices

#### General



AC 4 / Cl. 32  
Offices, boutiques

#### Heavy



AC 5 / Cl. 33  
Stores, corridors

## TECHNICAL CLASSIFICATION

Laminate floor covering according to EN 13329 and EN 14041 High Density Fibreboard (HDF) E1 DoP KCH\_LFa\_002

## CERTIFICATION





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