



Made of the exclusive MAXI material of Emac®, a WPC composed by PVC and vegetal fibers arising from recycled agricultural waste, together with a complex process of controlled shade variation, the MaxiSoho collection is born. Unique profiles. Not two profiles are the same.

With the Dakar geometry, with simple lines, non-slip surface and suitable for outdoors. Maximum quality to protect and embellish the ceramic tiles.

The controlled shade variation process confers a complete spectrum of shades in the same profile that makes it blend with any color of tile and respond to the market new design trends. Our challenge is to offer the maximum quality to protect and embellish your ceramic tiles.

### **General Features**

Material: Maxi (PVC + Vegetable fibers)

Length: 1 / 2,5 ml.

Dimensions: h: 10/12 mm.
a: 45 mm.

Packaging: 10 u/box

Finishes:

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Vintage grey - 159 Brown vir

## **TECHNICAL FILE**

### Novopeldaño MaxiSoho® Dakar



### **Applications**

Novopeldaño MaxiSoho® Dakar is a profile designed to be installed in the steps of stairs. Its particular visible side provides a high resistance to slipperiness, helping to fulfill the DB-SUA of the CTE (Spanish Technical Building Code) anby improving the value of slip resistance of the flooring where is installed.



This profile can also be installed in windowsills, countertops, etc., being adaptable to many different projects and environments.

Novopeldaño MaxiSoho® Dakar is also a good option to be installed as an edge protector on perimeters of swimmingpools. Its warm texture, excellent resistance and non-slip surface, make this profile suitable for this application. Take into account that this profile can not be installed in swimmingpools' stairs or permanently submerged.

The ranges MaxiKenya, MaxiDakar and MaxiSoho® are specially recommended for outdoor installations because they have an excellent weatherability and remains unalterable to sun exposure.

### **Technical Features and tests**











Resistance to chemical agents	Very good except acetone, chromic acid and sulfuric acid.		
Water absorption	Very small absorption, high dimensional stability. Retains its weight after dry.		
Fire reaction	Efl	UNE-EN 13501-1:2007	
Abrasion resistance	Up to 2200 cycles without variation		
Surface resistance to staining	Resistance to acetone, coffee 176°F/80°C, bitumen hydrogen peroxyde 30%, sodium hydroxide 25%. Acetone: surface degradation and blisters. Rest: without changing.	UNE EN 438-2:2005	
Impact resistance	Spring: 34 N Ball drop: 3,93ft/120 cm. maximum drop / 0,38 in./9,9 mm mark diameter	— Aptdo. 23	
Cigarette burns	Surface degradation		
Resistance to humidity- drying	> 20 cycles	UNE EN 14428	
Slip resistance	Very good.	UNE-ENV 12633:2003	
Slip resistance	Very good. See explanation below.		

<sup>\*</sup> Datos del ensayo sobre referencia Novopeldaño® Maxikenya

### **Materials**



Maxi is a composite material formed by PVC and vegetable fibers. Those fibers proceed from recycling of organic waste from agriculture. The waste reduction and the recycling of materials, help Maxi to fulfill the Emac's commitment with the Environment and the sustainable construction.

Maxi has an original finish, similar to wood and natural elements, which adapts to different decorative environments. The main advantage of this composite is that has the best qualities of PVC and vegetable fibers such as good mechanic strenght, abrasion resistance and dimensional stability among others.



Novopeldaño MaxiSoho® Dakar

### Installation

- 1. Spread a big amount of thin-set mortar on the surface of the riser.
- 2. Place the tile on the riser and press to get an optimal adherence.
- 3. Then, spread a big amount of thin-set mortar on the tread and align the profile on its vertex so it rests on the riser (Do not let overhang, the leverage may remove the step and the tiles). Then press so the thin-set mortar could pass through the mechanized holes of the anchoring wing.
- 4. In installations with butt joint or connections it is recommendable to keep a small separation by way of **expansion joint** which should be greater the longer the profiles to join are. Approximately 2 mm/m. This joint can be sealed with elastic filling suitable for outdoors.
- 5. Place one tile on the tread, align it to the profile and press to get a perfect adhesion. You can tap it softly with a rubber hammer.
- 6. Clean the possible leftover material and let dry.

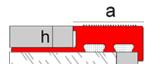












**Correct installation**: fill up the bottom of the profile and align it totally to the riser. Be sure the profile is also aligned to the ceramic tile.

### Warning



- Part of the composition of Maxi material is natural, so it may have differences in tone that can not be considered as manufacturing defects.
- It is recommended to take the profiles by its central part, avoiding taking them by the tops to avoid bending stresses which could cause scratches or breaks.
- Do not bend excessively the material. Store it **always** horizontally and in dry places.
- It must not be sanded, because that could affect to its surface appearance.
- It resists in moisture conditions but it is not recommended its use in submerged places.
- The ranges MaxiKenya, MaxiDakar and MaxiSoho are especially recommended for installations outdoors because it has an excellent weatherability and remains unalterable to sun exposure.
- The Maxi material, like other construction materials, can suffer from **dimensional variations** due to the environment thermal changes. Outdoors, the installation in the hottest or colder hours of the day should be avoided as it could change dimensionally the profile more han usual due to the thermal change. It is recommendable keeping the material at **environment temperature**, out of the packaging and always far from heat sources like direct sunlight.

### **Cleaning and maintenance**

You can clean Maxi with a cloth dampened with only water or with water in a solution with a neutral detergent 5%. The correct use of bleach doesn't affect the material.

It is not recommended the use of chromic or sulphuric acids or polar solvents as toluene or acetone for its cleaning.

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