



# Wensleydale Creamery

## United Kingdom



## Project

Wensleydale Cheese has been made in Wensleydale, Yorkshire since 1150 when monks settled and lived in a monastery at Forsnear Hawes. Today cheese is still handcrafted with the traditional recipe at the two Wensleydale Creamery sites using milk from local farms.

Wensleydale Creamery required floor finishes throughout the production areas which would be seamless and hygienic and very durable to provide a long-term solution. Excellent chemical resistance was required against regular spillage from dairy produce such as Whey.

Daily production procedures mean that the floors are subjected to heavy duty use and impact from fork lift trucks and storage equipment.

**Substrate:** Concrete.

**Requirements:** To provide a hard-wearing, durable finish for the long term.

**Specifications:** Meeting all relevant environmental and health and safety regulations.

**Client:** Wensleydale Creamery.

## System

The system chosen was a Resuthane™ polyurethane floor screed which has been applied throughout the two Wensleydale Creamery sites.

The system provides a completely seamless finish which is non-slip even under water and which can be cleaned to the exacting standards required in a modern food factory.

Coved skirting has been formed around the perimeters of all production and storage areas to create a 'tanked' finish which can be swilled down with water within the factories cleaning process. The Resuthane™ system can be cleaned with hot water processes such as steam cleaning.

The product has been tested by Campden BRI and is approved as a non-taint and odourless material suitable for the food industry.



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