

## **Kemtile Floor Wiseman Dairies, Bridgewater.**



The £80million Bridgewater facility is Robert Wiseman Dairies' new flagship dairy built using green business principles and designed to be the most efficient and environmentally advanced fresh milk dairy in the world.

Kemtile have supplied almost 7,000 square metres of seamless and flooring ceramic to this project including installing all the concrete sub screeds to the correct tolerances and levels.

6,500 square metres of this was 9mm thick Ucrete UD200 laid across all areas of the facility including the silos, filling and packing hall, milk treatment areas, chemical store and the laboratories. Ucrete heavy-duty polyurethane screed features unique resin technology with exceptional resistance to aggressive chemicals, heavy impact and temperatures up to 150 deg C.

Ucrete flooring is ideal for applications in wet process environments and, correctly installed. Ucrete UD200 can withstand regular and routine discharges of boiling water, hot

oils and fats. Kemtile is the largest and longest serving Ucrete licensed applicator in the UK

In the CIP tank room Kemtile installed 400 square metres of KAGETEC GFK using fully vitrified 18mm thick hexagon floor tiles. The combination of vibration tiling and a plastic mesh reinforced epoxy membrane/adhesive between the tiles and the bedding medium makes GFK one of the toughest floors available. Every tile is encased in epoxy resin; if the grout is damaged the tile bedding is protected. It is ideal for very wet areas due to its totally impervious substrate. A typical Kagetec GFK floor is between 80 and 90mm thick including the tile.

Weidemann high quality stainless steel drainage was fitted throughout the project. The Wiedemann policy of continual consultation with its customers on hygiene solutions has led to development of an extensive range of products for the food and drink industry. Kemtile are sole UK agents for Wiedemann drainage systems.

Jim McLaren, Director & Project Manager at Kiloh Associates, Glasgow, who were Lead Building Team Consultants for the project, told us. "Kemtile's Technical Manager, Dave Cattell, was exceptional in his technical detailing and his advice was extremely beneficial to the project. Kemtile proposed using Ucrete products to construct a watertight membrane which proved to be the solution to the problem of the Finished Milk Tank Room on the upper floor. The Wiedemann stainless steel drains have performed well; finishing the various floors off to perfection."

Kemtile have been supplying highly technical, hygienic flooring systems to the food, chemical and pharmaceutical industries for over 30 years and are one of the few companies able to offer both seamless and ceramic solutions to flooring problems within your industry. For further information got to [www.kemtile.co.uk](http://www.kemtile.co.uk) or phone 01925 763045.



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