



Spills soak through ordinary carpet onto subfloor

SpillGuard™ keeps spills on top

# SpillGuard™

SpillGuard™ moisture barrier backing isolates spills above the surface for fast, effective cleanup.

## features

- **Environmentally Friendly** - Cushion contains 14% post-consumer recycled content.
- **Moisture Resistant** - Inhibits recurring spots and odours due to wicking.
- **Ideal for Heavy Wheeled Traffic** - Engineered for optimum roller mobility due to its low profile and high compression resistance.
- **Reaction Bonded** - Cushion is chemically welded to the back of the carpet to prevent buckling and delamination.
- **Independent Laboratory Testing** - Shows that SpillGuard™ is impervious to moisture. SpillGuard™ passes British Spills Test Method E, the most widely recognised industry test.
- **Trouble-Free Installation** -
  - Consistent gauge thickness aides in matching seams.
  - Compatible with both permanent and release adhesive systems.
  - Dimensionally stable and stretchable
  - Resists buckling, curling and shrinking.

One serving of coffee spilled on ordinary commercial carpet.

Blotting and extraction removes the spot.

Hours later, coffee that had soaked through the carpet backing 'wicks' up and reappears.

Pile Fibre

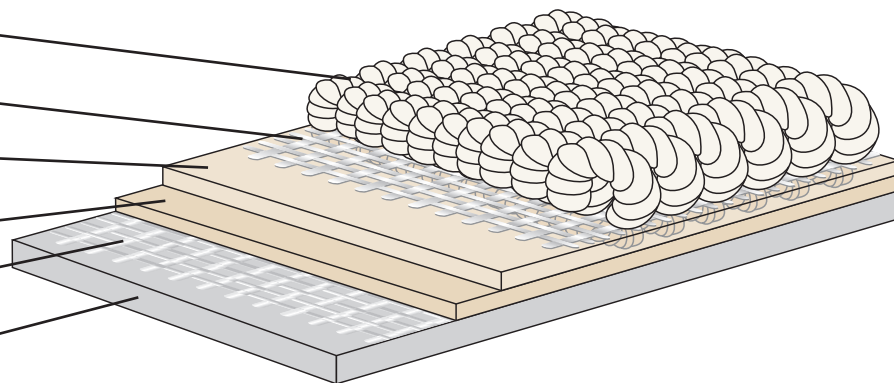
Primary Backing

Copolymer Bonding

Enriched Copolymer Bonding

Woven Synthetic Secondary Backing

Polyurethane Cushion



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recommended

*for areas with heavy traffic and where liquid spills occur*

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| • Healthcare    | • Food services | • Lobbies | • Corridors | • Banks   |
| • Retail stores | • Hotels        | • Casinos | • Schools   | • Offices |

## specifications and warranties

- Backing construction** (3.66m wide)
- Dual copolymer bonding + 2 woven interliners
  - Polyurethane cushion

### Cushion

#### Recycled Content:

- SpillGuard™ system is 24oz per square yard, of which 14% is recycled content
- 100% of the recycled content is post-consumer material

#### Thickness:

- ≈3/32 inch

#### Density:

- 24 lbs per cubic foot

### Backing warranties

- ZipperLock® warranties available on selected styles. *See full text for details.*



## simple installation

- Premium multi-purpose or releasable adhesive is recommended.
- Dry fit the precut carpet into the room, centering the carpet and allowing the surplus to lap against the walls evenly. Make sure there is enough carpet to reach to the centre of thresholds in doorways and pattern match.
- When seams are necessary, they should be cut first. Row cut the edges removing a minimum 25mm of foam from the factory edge. Do not double cut seams. Row cutting from the face is recommended with sharp cutting tools. Cut each seam edge separately.
- After seams are matched, make sure the pattern and nap are aligned. Then, fold the carpet back at the seam areas. Do not compress the seam. Seam cuts should all be neat cuts.
- Apply adhesive to floor using a short notched trowel. Follow adhesive label instructions relating to open time.
- Secure the seams in accordance with CRI standard 104.

*\*Specifications are subject to normal manufacturing tolerances.*