



# Green BALANCE



## A Systematic Approach to the Green Cleaning Procedures by Bridgepoint Systems



### Green Balance Carpet Prespray CC11GL

- Economical 1:32 dilution rate
- Mildly alkaline pH safe for wool and synthetic fibers



### Green Balance Carpet Extraction Rinse CC13GL

- Economical 1:320-600 dilution
- Mildly alkaline pH safe for wool and synthetic fibers
- Polymer technology protects against resoiling - no sticky residues



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- 1** Maintain control of the environment being cleaned. Do not allow children or pets to be present during the spraying of cleaning solutions. Keep control over your cleaning equipment and cleaning solutions at all times.
- 2** Maintain proper ventilation and airflow in the environment being cleaned. Use personal protection equipment appropriate for the job, which may include protective gloves, clothing, and face/eye protection.
- 3** Pre-vacuum the carpeted area to be cleaned with a vacuum equipped with high efficiency collection bag or filter.
- 4** Always pretest the carpet to be cleaned for colorfastness in an inconspicuous area.
- 5** Improper use and dilution may result in ineffective cleaning and may increase the risk of health effects.
- 6** Mix up your Green Balance Carpet Prespray. For best results with extreme soiling conditions, mix one part chemical with 21 parts of hot water (6 ounces of solution to one gallon of water.) For normal soiling, mix one part chemical with 32 parts of hot water (4 ounces of solution to one gallon of water). For application with Hydro-Force Injection Sprayer: Dilute 1 part Green Balance Carpet Prespray to 1 part water in the 5 quart container. Set the sprayer at a 1 to 16 dilution. For use with regular 1-8 Hydro-Force, dilute 1 part Green Balance Carpet Prespray to 3 parts water. (Final Dilution 1:32)
- 7** Apply with electric, battery powered, pump-up pressure, or injection sprayer with even, overlapping misting across the area to be cleaned. Make sure the spray tip of the sprayer is kept below knee level while spraying the solution.
- 8** For best results, allow mixed solution to dwell on carpet for 5-10 minutes before extraction.
- 9** Use the hottest water possible during the extraction process that is safe for the environment and the carpeting. Recognize that testing sponsored by the EPA demonstrated the sanitizing effect of carpet cleaning when the extraction solution strikes the carpet at 130 degrees Fahrenheit or above.
- 10** Mix your Green Balance Carpet Extraction Detergent as follows:  
For best results with extreme soiling conditions when used without a compatible preconditioning solution, mix one part chemical with 64 parts water (2 ounces of solution to one gallon of water.) For normal soiling when used with compatible preconditioning solution, mix 2 ounces of solution to five gallons of water in extraction tank. (Final dilution 1:320)  
If you are using a truckmount: Mix one quart solution (32 ounces) with five gallons of water into solution container. Set solution flow meter between 2 and 3 gallons per hour. (Final dilution 1:600)
- 11** Maximize extraction of soil and pollutants for removal from the carpeting to the waste tank of your extractor. Minimize chemical, moisture, and particle residue.
- 12** Dispose of any unused product or collected waste water in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. Never dispose of wastewater into the storm sewer (street) or into any drain which connects directly to any part of the water supply system (canals, creeks, rivers, ponds, lakes, oceans, aquifers, or aqua ducts).

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## WHAT MAKES CLEANING GREEN?

Green cleaning starts with a commitment to an entire process, not just a new chemical.



- 1 Choose green cleaning products that have been tested, measured, and demonstrated to work like Green Balance. The answer to a carpet cleaning job with significant soiling is not to continuously apply more chemical to get the job done.
- 2 Your company or facility is committed to best practices to minimize waste, maximize recycling and the conservation of natural resources, and minimize the environmental footprint as a result of the carpet cleaning process and the daily operations of your company or organization.
- 3 Your company or facility recognizes the product life cycle of carpet from fiber production to manufacturing, to installation, to maintenance and cleaning, to recycling after the useful life of the carpet has passed.
- 4 Your company or facility has made a commitment to clean carpeting in accordance with the best practices of the industry and industry cleaning standards
- 5 Your company or facility is committed to the technical education of the cleaning technicians as to what these best cleaning and operation practices are, as well as a proper understanding of the construction of carpet, and the nature of the soiling to be cleaned and extracted from the carpeting.
- 6 Your company or facility has made a commitment to the proper operation and maintenance of its cleaning equipment, tools, and vehicle fleet.
- 7 Your company or facility, if it operates truckmounted carpet cleaning equipment, has made a commitment to make sure that exhaust from the cleaning equipment or vehicle is directed away from the building being cleaned, and properly exhausted to the outdoor environment.
- 8 Your company has committed to educate the carpet consumer about the importance of cleaning in accordance with cleaning frequencies recommended by the carpet manufacturer, and as outlined in cleaning industry standards developed with the input of representatives from the United States Environmental Protection Agency. It recognizes that a proper commitment to green balance requires that the carpet not be allowed to deteriorate to the point that green cleaning products can not adequately remove and extract the build up of soil and pollutants from the carpet. Your facility makes the same commitment to cleaning frequencies.

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### GREEN BALANCE Neutralizing Rinse

Use Green Balance Neutralizing Rinse either as a final post-spray step in your cleaning process, or as an extraction rinse. It prevents wick-back and browning and leaves the carpet ready for protector. Designed to work in conjunction with Green Balance Prespray, Green Balance Neutralizing Rinse is formulated based on the latest information from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency DFE program for environmentally preferred cleaning products. It is a concentrated mild acid neutralizing agent used in the final extraction and rinse phase of the carpet cleaning process. It stabilizes dyes, prevents browning and yellowing, pH neutralizes the carpet, and leaves it with a soft, luxurious feel. It is safe and effective for all synthetic fibers as well as all water-safe natural fibers. It also contains encapsulating polymers to help the carpet resist resoiling.