

# CORMAR CARPET CO

## WOOL CARPET CARE GUIDE

**NATURAL**  
BIODEGRADABLE  
**RENEWABLE**  
**WOOL**



TYPE OF STAIN	ORDER OF TREATMENT (SEE LIST OVERLEAF)		
	1st	2nd	3rd
BEER	1		
BEETROOT	1		
BLEACH	1		
BLOOD	10	6	
BURN OR SCORCH MARK	5		
BUTTER	2	1	
CANDLE WAX	3		
CHEWING GUM	7		
CHOCOLATE	1	2	
COCOA	2	10	1
COFFEE (black or white)	2	10	1
COOKING OILS	2	1	
CRAYON/COLOUR MARKER	2	1	
CREAM	1	1	
EGG	1		
EXCREMENT	1		
FRUIT JUICE	9	1	
FURNITURE POLISH	2	1	
GRASS	4		
GRAVY/SAUCE	9	1	
GREASE	2	1	
ICE CREAM	1		

TYPE OF STAIN	ORDER OF TREATMENT (SEE LIST OVERLEAF)		
	1st	2nd	3rd
INK - ballpoint	4	1	
INK - fountain pen	9	1	6
LIPSTICK	2	1	
METAL POLISH	2	1	
MILDEW	1	5	
MILK	9	2	1
MUSTARD	1		
NAIL POLISH	8	2	
OIL	2	1	
PAINT - emulsion	2	10	1
PAINT - oil based	3	2	1
RUST	2	1	11
SALAD DRESSING	2	1	
SHOE POLISH	2	1	
SOFT DRINKS	9	1	5
TAR	3	2	1
TEA (black or white)	2	10	1
URINE	1		
VOMIT	1		
WINE - red	12	9	6
WINE - white	1		

Disclaimer: This advice is offered in good faith, no responsibility is accepted for claims arising from the proposed treatments. If stains fail to respond to the proposed treatments, please call a professional fabric cleaner immediately.





## A SAFE, HEALTHY, COMFORTABLE ENVIRONMENT

Wool - innovative, versatile and resilient. The perfect mix of natural performance, strength and comfort, wool is the ideal choice for floor coverings. There is nothing like the feel of wool under foot.

Wool floor coverings are also the perfect companion to a healthy home. Studies show that wool's natural ability to regulate air moisture content and absorb pollutants improves the quality of the air we breathe.

Wool also has natural noise absorbing properties which help reduce the stressful hum of everyday life.



## WOOL. A NATURAL FIBRE

Wool is 100% natural, biodegradable and sustainable. It is made from the simple combination of a sheep, sunlight, water and grass. The fibre is extremely durable with an active life of many years. When disposed of, wool is biodegradable. It is also a planet-friendly renewable fibre. Grown on sheep, it can be shorn annually. For today's consumers, increasingly sensitive to the environmental dimensions of a product, wool is the essence of responsible consumption.

## BENEFITS OF WOOL

- Hard-wearing and long lasting
- Retains its pile height and shape
- Recovers quickly from furniture compression
- Absorbs contaminants in indoor air
- Is flame resistant
- Reduces static
- Cushions fall related injuries
- Provides natural thermal and sound insulation
- Regulates air moisture content
- Resists dirt and stains



## HOW TO TREAT STAINS ON WOOL CARPETS (SEE CHART OVERLEAF)

1. Solution of one teaspoon of approved wool detergent with one teaspoon of white vinegar and one litre of warm water..
2. Dry-cleaning fluid, lighter fuel or mineral turpentine. Caution: Ensure that no flame or lighted cigarette is near and use in a well-ventilated area.
3. Mineral turpentine. Its effectiveness is increased if mixed with an equal quantity of dry-cleaning fluid. Caution: Ensure that no flame or lighted cigarette is near, and use in a well-ventilated area.
4. Methylated spirits Caution: Ensure that no flame or lighted cigarette is near and use in a well-ventilated area.
5. Hydrogen Peroxide (20 volume). Dilute 1 part to 10 parts cold water. Caution: Do not use on dark or patterned carpet.
6. Dye stripper. Dilute 1 part to 50 parts cold water. Caution: Do not use on dark or patterned carpet.
7. Chewing gum remover (freezing agent).
8. Nail polish remover.
9. Clean, warm (not hot) water.
10. Cold water.
11. Weak solution of white vinegar or lemon juice with cold water.
12. Absorbent powder (e.g., salt or talc). Sprinkle on the spillage, leave overnight and vacuum next day.

### Notes:

a. When attempting to remove any stains always ensure that the fabric is dry before proceeding to the next step in the order of treatment.

b. Solvents that are normally used in dry cleaning solutions are Perchloroethylene, White Spirit or Fluorocarbons.