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ecofloor

laying the floor for a sustainable future



Feltex Carpets recognises the importance of sustainable manufacturing and seeks to minimise environmental impact through the implementation of environmentally responsible practices.

Leading by example, Feltex Carpets is committed to fostering environmentally responsible behavioral change to help establish a sustainable future from the floor up.

Feltex Carpets Environmental Management System (EMS) facilitates sustainable manufacturing.

Feltex Commercial carpets meet the Carpet Institute of Australia (CIA) environmental code of practice for carpet manufacturing and the Green Building Council of Australia (GBCA) and the Carpet and Rug institute (CRI) indoor air quality standards for low VOC's.

ecofloor is an initiative of Feltex Carpets to;

- ensure the management and ongoing development of our Environmental Management System (EMS).
- ensure Feltex Commercial carpets are manufactured according to the Carpet Institutes of Australia's (CIA) environmental code of practice.

Carpet Type

Feltex Carpets manufactures optional width carpets, which are subject to;

- Australian Carpet Institute Environmental Classification Scheme testing (ECS).
- Green Label (GBCA) testing criteria

Indoor Air Quality

Feltex Carpets is committed to producing products with low Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) emissions.

Eco Preferred Content

Feltex Carpets are manufactured using recycled and alternative eco-friendly raw materials as practicable.

Durability

Guaranteed 7 - 15 year warranties and the promotion of carpet care and maintenance is conducive to the reduction of carpet entering landfill.


Product Stewardship


Feltex Carpets in conjunction with the Carpet Institute of Australia are actively seeking viable diversion programs for post industrial and post consumer waste from landfill.

Feltex will endeavor to establish a carpet recovery contractual agreement on a project-by-project basis where applicable.


Environmental Management System


Feltex Carpets' Environmentally Management System has targeted areas across the whole organisation and implemented abatement strategies to reduce the environmental footprint including;

 **Waste Minimisation** - through ISO 9001 Feltex Carpets accredited quality system, Feltex operations monitor all aspects of its operations to ensure efficient manufacturing to reduce waste.

 **Energy Consumption** - strategies to reduce energy consumption are implemented throughout the organisation.

Energy consumption levels are regularly monitored and reported.

 **Emissions** - Feltex Carpets is proactive in developing strategies to reduce process emissions.

 **Materials Minimisation** - all materials used throughout the Feltex organisation are monitored and reported. Feltex has tools in place to ensure the recycling of all materials where applicable.