

# Scotchgard™ Carpet & Upholstery Protector Concentrate

## Technical Data

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### Description:

Scotchgard Carpet & Upholstery Protector is a concentrate, which is easily diluted with warm water.

Scotchgard Carpet Protector is an important part of the 3M carpet care system.

### Special Features:

- Carpet protector surrounds the carpet fibers with an invisible barrier to help protect the carpet from soil and spills
- The barrier allows for easier removal of dry soil, which extends the time between restorative carpet cleanings
- Protector is easy to apply during the periodic restorative carpet cleaning process

### Applications:

- Commercial and residential carpets
- Most carpet fibers (nylon, polyester, olefins, wool & blends)
- Most carpet styles (loop or cut piles)
- Safe for use on stain resistant nylon fibers
- Upholstery

### Packaging:

4-1 gallon bottles/case

### General Use Directions:

#### Carpet:

1. Use a 3M™ All Purpose Sprayer (Model AP-1) equipped with spray tip 8004 or a bulk pressurized sprayer to apply the carpet protector.
2. Mix 1 part concentrate to 8 parts warm water (16 ounces per gallon) in the solution tank of the sprayer.
3. The carpet should be thoroughly cleaned and rinsed before applying carpet protector.
4. The protector is applied to damp carpet immediately following the final extraction / rinse.
5. Hold the spray nozzle 12 inches from the carpet and spray the carpet using straight, even, overlapping strokes at a rate of 200 ft<sup>2</sup> per ready-to-use gallon.
6. For uniform coverage and faster drying use a pile setting brush or rake on the carpet immediately after spraying.
7. Allow the carpet to dry completely before opening the area to foot traffic.

#### Upholstery:

##### Note:

Protector should be used on water washable fabrics only. Check care label or test protector in an inconspicuous area.

1. Use a 3M All-Purpose Sprayer (Model AP-1) equipped with spray tip 5001 or a bulk pressurized sprayer to apply protector.
2. Mix 1 part concentrate to 8 parts warm water (16 ounces per gallon) in the solution tank of the sprayer.
3. Spray apply a light even coat of protector.

4. For best results, apply a second light coat of protector.

### Product Specifications: (Typical Values)

1. pH: 6
2. Flashpoint: N/A
3. Solubility in water: Complete
4. Specific Gravity: 1.1
5. Appearance: Milky white liquid
6. Fragrance: Floral

### Precautionary Summary:

Eye Contact: Mild eye irritant  
Skin Contact: Mild skin irritant  
Inhalation: Upper respiratory irritant

### Note:

Refer to product Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS: 18-5085-8) for specific health hazard, first aid and precautionary information

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