



RUG CARE

INDOOR / OUTDOOR PERFORMANCE BRAIDED RUGS

Sunbrella® renaissance™ rugs should be cleaned regularly before dirt and food particles become embedded in the rug.

GENERAL LIGHT CLEANING

Brush or vacuum off loose dirt. If vacuuming, do NOT use the beater brush. Remove spots with commercially available carpet and rug cleaning products. Accessory products may be machine washed, cold water, laid flat to dry.

HEAVY CLEANING

Sunbrella® renaissance™ rugs do NOT promote mildew growth, however, mildew may grow on dirt and other substances that are trapped in the yarn when not cleaned regularly. To clean mildew or other stubborn stains: Prepare a solution of 8 ounces of bleach and 2 ounces of mild soap per gallon of water. Apply to the stained area and gently scrub with a soft bristle brush or sponge. Rinse to remove all soap residue. Allow rug to air dry.

PROFESSIONAL CLEANING

The services of a professional rug cleaner may be sought if stains are particularly difficult. However, DO NOT DRY CLEAN yarn Sunbrella® renaissance™ rugs and accessories.

STAIN CHART

This chart contains our recommended cleaning methods of Sunbrella® yarn for some of the most common and toughest stains. You may also use Carbona Stain Devil cleaning products. Available from national retailers, Carbona provides 9 formulas made to get out different types of stains. Apply the number indicated for your stain.

<u>STAIN</u>	<u>RECOMMENDED CLEANING SOLUTIONS</u>	<u>CARBONA STAIN DEVIL #</u>
Beer	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / white vinegar (3 oz.)	8
Berry	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / ammonia (4-8 oz.)	8
Bird droppings	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water, or try Goo Gone Grease Cutter (a hand cleaner), Greased Lightning, or Clean Rite Purple Power (available at Wal-Mart, K-Mart, etc.)	
Blood (dried)	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / ammonia (4-8 oz.)	4
Butter	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	5
Charcoal, pencil	vacuum, then Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1gallon water	3
Catsup or mustard	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	2
Chewing gum	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	1
Chocolate	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / ammonia (4 oz.)	2
Coffee	Dawn® dishwashing liquid / water, white vinegar, volatile solvent (acetone)	7
Cola	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	7
Crayon	paint remover (100%), oil or grease remover (mix as directed)	3
Egg (raw)	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	4
Grape juice	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	8
Gravy	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	2
Grease (car)	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	5
Ink	paint remover (100%), volatile solvent (acetone) 100%, soap and water	3
Iron rust	Carbona™ Stain Devil #9	9
Lipstick	paint remover, oil or grease remover (mix as directed)	6
Mascara	paint remover (100%), volatile solvent (acetone-100%), Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	6
Mildew	bleach (1 cup) / Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	4
Milk	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	8
Nail polish	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	1
Oil	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	5
Orange drink	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	8
Paint (latex) wet	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	6
Paint (latex) dried	paint remover (100%), oil or grease remover (mix as directed)	6
Paint (oil or lacquer)	paint remover (100%), oil or grease remover (mix as directed)	5
Shoe polish (liquid)	volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	5
Shoe polish (wax)	apply heated iron over towel, volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	5
Suntan lotion	Pine Power® or pine oil detergent / water (mix as directed)	5
Tea	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	7
Tomato Juice	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	2
Tree sap	turpentine (100%), Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water	10
Urine	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / white vinegar (3 oz.)	7
Vomit	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / white vinegar (3 oz.)	7
Water color	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / white vinegar (3 oz.)	6
Wax (candle)	apply heated iron over towel, volatile solvent (acetone) 100%	10
Wine	Dawn® dishwashing liquid (2 oz.) / 1 gallon water / ammonia (4-8 oz.) / white vinegar (3 oz.)	8