# GRADUS

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## **Cleaning and Maintenance Information**

#### **Boulevard Secondary Barrier Matting**



Wet Pick Up Machine

This leaflet has been compiled to help the user obtain optimum performance and satisfaction from their selected product:

#### **Daily Cleaning**

Sweep and vacuum daily to remove surface soil using a heavy duty upright vacuum cleaner with a brush or tub vacuum cleaner with a power head. Inspect for chewing gum and remove as necessary (see chewing gum removal for more information).

If the matting is wet, the area should be vacuumed using a wet pick up machine to remove as much water / soil as possible.

#### **Deep Cleaning**

To maintain a good visible standard, the matting will require deep cleaning on a weekly / monthly / as required basis (depending on weather conditions and volume of traffic). Deep cleaning can be using various methods, depending on equipment availability.

In all cases, deep cleaning must follow brushing and vacuuming. Attention must be given to stains by using a pre-treatment of carpet spot and stain remover and chewing gum removed if required.

A) Preferred method: The use of a conventional jet extraction machine, suing a conventional floor tool, scrubbing the carpet and continuing to extract as much water as possible. This method leaves the carpet as dry as possible

B) Deep Soiled Matting: As with all other maintenance methods, always prepare the carpet by vacuum cleaning prior to treatment. The cleaning professional may consider a combination of a rotary scrubbing machine fitted with a carpet brush and extraction equipment to get improved results.



Jet Extraction Machine

#### **Recommended Cleaning Products**

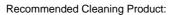
Gradus has worked with Selden Research to undertake extensive testing on Gradus barrier matting product. As a result, a range of cleaning products is recommended for use with Gradus matting.

The cleaning products listed below are suitable for Gradus barrier matting.

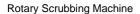
Product Description	Name of Cleaner	Code
High Soiling and Traffic Cleaner	Heavy Duty Extraction Shampoo	C156
Hot Water Extraction Cleaner	Selfoam H.E.	C034
Carpet Spot & Stain Remover	Spot & Stain	T012

### **Chewing Gum Removal**

NOTE: Always follow Selden's instructions for use. Test a small inconspicuous area of the carpet for colour fastness before commencing cleaning. Spray liberally over the chewing gum and immediate surrounding area. Wait for a few minutes for the chemical action to take place. Using a blunt edged scraper and/or cloth - gently peel the gum from the carpet, taking care not to damage delicate fabrics. After use rinse out with water or a suitable extraction shampoo using an extraction machine.



Product Description	Name of Cleaner	Code
Chewing Gum Remover	D-Bond	T133



For further information about these cleaning products, including instructions for use and COSHH data sheets, please contact:

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