

Spotting Procedures



degree of difficulty

1 (easiest – complete removal likely)
5 (extremely difficult to remove- limited expectation of success).



Adhesive Residue

Description

Duct tape, masking tape or even protective coatings have been applied to carpet and later removed leaving a sticky, soil attracting residue.

Tools Required

- Hot water extraction equipment
- **Gum Getter** or spotting spatula
- White cotton colorfast towels

Chemicals Required

- Bridgepoint **Gel Break**
- Bridgepoint **Solvent Clean**
- Bridgepoint **Encapuguard Green** (optional)

Procedures

1. Apply **Gel Break** to affected area.
2. Agitate with **Gum Getter** or spotting spatula.
3. Allow 3 to 5 minutes dwell time.
4. Extract with hot water.
5. If residue remains, apply **Solvent Clean**.
6. Agitate with **Gum Getter** or spotting spatula, wipe with clean white cotton towel
7. Extract with hot water.
8. Apply **Encapuguard Green** diluted according to label directions. This will prevent wicking / resoiling.
9. For large areas the application may vary but the basic keys remain - solvents, agitation and heat.

