## **IMPORTANT MATERIAL INFORMATION!**

## **1. GENERAL INFORMATION**

Sisal, viscose, wool, and yak hair are all natural fibers. The structure of these flooring materials can, therefore, be somewhat irregular. Even dyed fibers can vary slightly in shade. This means that products delivered at different times may display different color nuances. Sensitivity to temperature differences and changes in humidity is also characteristic.

Sisal, a cactus fiber, shrinks in high humidity and expands in a dry indoor climate. Regarding wool, yakhair, polyester, and polyamide, there is no noticeable change due to moisture or water. Viscose, a cellulose fiber, is very sensitive and immediately produces unsightly spots when in contact with liquids in its untreated state. Our viscose carpets are factory-impregnated, providing a slightly longer time to remove spilled liquid, but they are still susceptible to liquids despite being impregnated.

Polyamide and polyester are synthetic fibers characterized by being lint-free and easy to dye, resulting in vibrant colors. The color selection is also more extensive compared to a product made of natural fibers. Our synthetic fiber qualities are durable and easy to clean. Over time, polyamide and polyester products may lose some of their luster, but rotating the rug, if possible, can even out the effect.

Dyed qualities are never completely colorfast. Therefore, it is advisable to avoid prolonged exposure to sunlight as much as possible. Intense stain removal can also lead to color changes. More information on stains is available in the Stain Removal section of the care instructions. It is generally accepted that natural fiber products may exhibit a phenomenon called "bowing," where certain stripes form an arc. This may mean that the binding edge sometimes does not follow the pattern of the rug, or the rug may not be entirely rectangular.

## 2. BINDING EDGES

In our range, we offer binding edges made of linen or cotton. Our high-quality binding edges have a thickness that, in most cases, conceals the structure of the rug through the binding edge. Additionally, the edges are equipped with double selvages, significantly extending their lifespan.

As a complement to our linen and cotton binding edges, we also offer a binding edge called MULTIEDGE. This is made from recycled linen, cotton, and polyester. We can also perform edging with our own DURALUX suede imitation and ELMO leather. Common to the latter two binding edges is their exclusive appearance and the fact that the edge does not soil as easily as a linen or cotton edge. They can also be easily wiped clean if they become dirty.

## 3. OVERLOCKING

We can also offer edging with overlock. Our wool products can be finished with our MULTILOC or INVISILOC<sup>®</sup>, which is a discreet and almost invisible edge. This can also be chosen as edging for our other carpets in both public areas and home environments.

Avoid placing the edged rug in areas exposed to strong sunlight, as both the rug and the edge may fade.



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