

096800 CARPET

1. Avoid the use of carpet in areas that are subject to heavy traffic, such as corridors and stairways.
2. Carpet tiles are generally preferred in offices and in some classrooms by exception. Broadloom carpet is preferred in corridors. Designer shall coordinate with the University regarding preferred locations for carpet tile versus broadloom.
3. Face pile shall be 100% nylon with built-in static control and stain-resistant hollow filament fiber.
4. Provide carpet with the following fire-test-response characteristics:
 - a. Methenamine Pill Test (DOC FF-1-70): Passes.
 - b. Flooring Radiant Panel (ASTM E648): Class I.
 - c. Smoke Developed: 450 or less per ASTM E84.
5. Pattern is preferred over solid colors.
6. Carpet shall be thoroughly clean at time of acceptance by the University.
7. Contractor shall provide the University with extra stock of full-size carpet tiles equal to 5 percent of each type and color installed.