ANCHOR SAFE Backing for WATERHOG Mats keeps mats in place

Features and Benefits of Anchor Safe Backing

- Keeps mats in place on virtually all hard surfaces even with high cart and pedestrian traffic
- 28% heavier than standard Waterhog Mats
- Nitrile rubber backing is grease and oil proof
- Patent Pending Design
- Available on most versions of Waterhog Mats
- Perfect for use in Grocery Stores, Retail Centers, Class A Buildings, Schools and Universities, Hospitals or any high traffic commercial area

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In applications with heavy foot and cart traffic, standard mats sometimes move and ripple causing trip hazards. Andersen's Anchor Safe backing utilizes a patent pending tread design and a heavy nitrile rubber backing to help prevent these types of hazards.



SLIP AND FALL FACTS

THE PROBLEM:

- Slip and falls are the second leading cause of all workplace injuries (Liberty Mutual Workplace Safety Index; 2007)
- Approximately 25,000 people a day are victims of slip and fall accidents (NSC)

THE COST:

- Compensation and medical costs associated with employee slip and fall accidents total approximately \$70 billion annually (NSC)
- The average cost of a slip and fall related injury exceeds \$12,000 (Wausau Insurance)

THE HUMAN FACTOR:

- 65% of all lost work days are due to slip and fall accidents
- 22% of slip and fall accidents resulted in more than 31 days away from work (Bureau of Labor Statistics)

THE RISK:

- The average cost to defend a slip and fall lawsuit is \$50,000 (NFSI)
- 57% of all food service general liability claims are slip and fall accidents (C.N.A. Insurance)
- Since 1980, personal injury lawsuits have risen by more than 300% in the food service industry. (National Floor Safety Institute)
- Plaintiffs win 51% of premises liability claims (JVR)

THE SOLUTION: Anchor Safe Backing keeps mats in place!



Standard mat backing



Anchor Safe backing

Anchor Safe backing is available on most Waterhog mats at a 30% upcharge.

