LEED – LEADERSHIP IN ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

The right products for the right needs

Committed to . . .

Cleaning for Health®

More than products and equipment – a complete package of planning, products and performance.

Green Cleaning

Cleaning to protect without harming the environment.

Using ProTeam products and training can significantly improve your cleaning operation.

How ProTeam Goes Beyond:

Performance/Filtration

- ProTeam vacuums are exclusively designed to remove and hold more soil from carpets while containing 99.9% of harmful airborne particulates 1 micron and larger.
- ProTeam HEPA backpacks and canisters are 99.97% efficient at filtering particles .3 micron or larger.

Ergonomics

- Studies by Ohio State University & Battelle Memorial Institute determined that backpack vacuum cleaners allow workers to clean more than twice the area in half the time versus traditional vacuums. ProTeam's lightweight vacuums distribute 90% of the weight on the hips, reducing stress and fatigue.

Sustainability

- Provide a 3 year motor warranty with a recyclable body with a lifetime guarantee.
- Easy to fix and upgrade.
- Less equipment in landfills.

Training

- ProTeam offers in-depth training programs on Green Cleaning to give cleaning professionals the ability to positively impact the health and safety of all building occupants.
- Educational DVD on set-up, training and operation.

ProTeam makes 18 different vacuums

Results of Green Cleaning:

Many companies have embraced the concepts of sustainability and stewardship associated with Green Cleaning. Incorporating a Green mission has become a very powerful tool for companies who understand the demand for healthier, safer working environments.

- Countless organizations have seen dramatic improvements in worker productivity simply by instituting cleaning programs that are focused on Cleaning for Health.
- Scientific studies have documented productivity gains between 0.5% and 7% associated with greener indoor office environments. Most experts agree that 2% is about average. If the average cost per square foot for salaries and benefits is $130, even a 1% improvement in productivity works out to about $1.30 per square foot.
- Schools and universities have seen significant gains in student health, performance and attendance after switching to Green Cleaning programs.
- The 2005 survey of Green Buildings by Turner Construction Company says of those involved with green schools, over 70% reported that green schools reduced student absenteeism and improved student performance.
- Purchasing analysis shows that yearly janitorial supply costs actually drops after a few months of instituting a proper cleaning and maintenance system.
- Using proper equipment with adequate training and education, combined with using effective, non-toxic cleaning solutions, results in lower operating and maintenance costs, faster, more effective cleaning and improved performance.

Team Cleaning

- A flexible, efficient and cost-effective cleaning system for custodial operations. Team Cleaning applies the power of systems to reduce costs and maximize productivity and enables a facility to make the transition from simply using green cleaning products to utilizing a green cleaning system.

How ProTeam Stacks Up

- ProTeam products meets and/or exceeds all industry regulation testing standards set by the Carpet & Rug Institute and the U.S. Green Building Council's LEED rating system on performance and filtration.

Carpet and Rug Institute

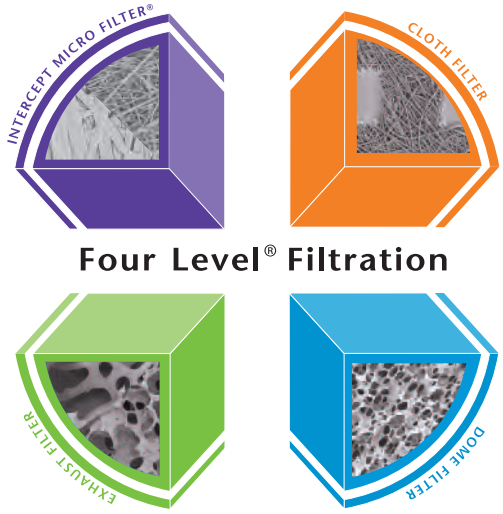
- Vacuum cleaners meet criteria levels of Soil Removal, Dust Containment and Carpet Appearance Retention.

U.S. Green Building Council

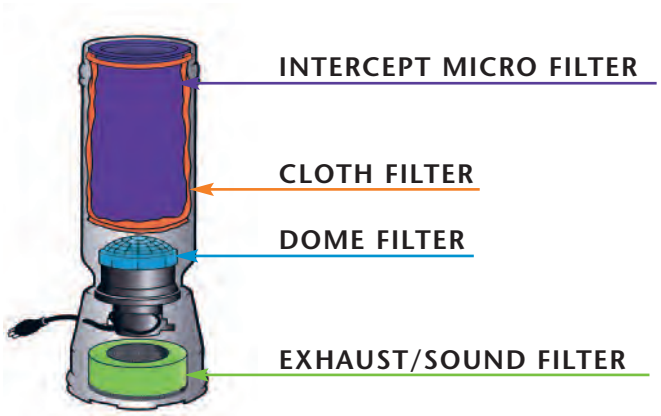
- Vacuum cleaners are certified by the Carpet and Rug Institute "Green Label" Testing Program for vacuum cleaners and operate with a sound level of less than 70 dB.
- Powered equipment is ergonomically designed to minimize vibration, noise and user fatigue.

PROTEAM'S EXCLUSIVE FOUR LEVEL FILTRATION

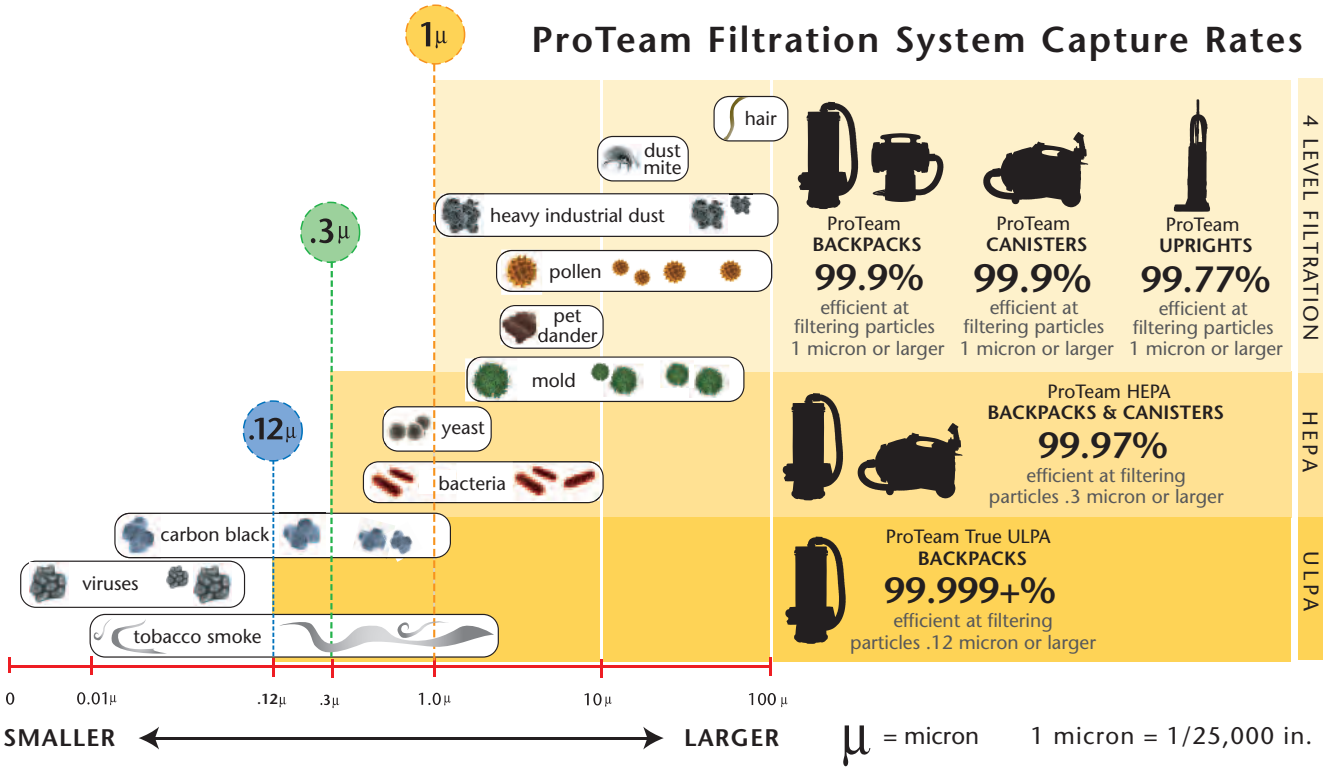
Successfully contains microscopic debris and provides extremely high levels of protection against the reintroduction of these pollutants back into an environment.



Four Level® Filtration



ProTeam Filtration System Capture Rates



µ = micron 1 micron = 1/25,000 in.

AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION.

ProTeam The Vacuum Company

Partners In Indoor Air Quality Education

The American Lung Association and ProTeam are partners in a national program to educate the public about the benefits of healthy indoor air quality and ways to promote lung health.

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