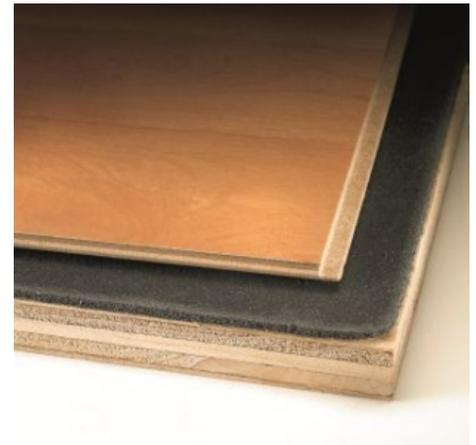


Foam SOLUTIONS

Company History

Founded (as Fabricushion Ltd.) in 1954 Foam Solutions entered the marketplace manufacturing foams for a vast array of purposes - upholstery, bedding and even bras!

Today the family business continues to produce quality foam rubber products from its Markham manufacturing facility for various industries, including; flooring, footwear, footcare, and yoga. Additional services offered include: custom finishing, die cutting, printing, perforating, and laminating. Roughly 90 per cent of their flooring products include recycled tire rubber and they remain a company committed to sustainable practices.



QuietBLOCK® flooring underlay

Old Tires, New Products

Foam Solutions started using recycled tires in products in the 1990s, developing a unique production process.

Through Ontario Tire Stewardship, Foam Solutions sources recycled tire crumb rubber to use in its eco-friendly products, derived from the more than 12 million scrap tires produced in Ontario each year. As Canada's premiere manufacturer of rubber carpet cushion and acoustical underlayment, Foam Solutions manages operations and products with a strong commitment to the environment.

The company is well-known for their flooring underlayment line, which determines how flooring feels underfoot, lasts over time, and absorbs the sound of foot traffic. Foam Solutions underlay line includes QuietBLOCK®,

QuietMAXX®, CUSH-N-TRED® and Eco-Cushion®, Sounda Leopard, to name a few. To determine which products are suitable in residential versus commercial settings, visit foamsolutionsinc.com.

Foam Solution's products feature seam lock systems to guard against moisture, as well as mold and odour mitigation. All Foam Solutions products contribute to Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED®) building points and are easy to install for both professional and DIY projects.

The Carpet and Rug Institute has given all Foam Solutions products their Green Label Plus approval for indoor air quality.

GREEN SPACES

Foam Solution's products are installed in top tier buildings around the world including:

- Canadian Embassies (World-wide)
- House of Commons (Ottawa, ON)
- Four Points Pearson Airport (Toronto, ON)
- Royal York Hotel (Toronto, ON)
- Many other hotels worldwide!

In each of these buildings, the products have been placed beneath the surface flooring (carpet, laminate, engineered wood, LVT) and prolong the life of the floor. The products also add to the acoustical value of the room by absorbing the sound of foot traffic and airborne noise. An underlay reduces sound transmission and is particularly useful in buildings that require sound insulation in multi-level structures.

There are usually minimum Impact Insulation Class (IIC) and Sound Transmission Class (STC) requirements that a building is obligated to meet. The IIC measures impact sound, which travels between floors; while the STC measures airborne sound that flows through floors and ceilings by noises such as talking and use of multi-media players.

Using products made from recycled rubber, projects can also attain points toward LEED® certification. For a full list of the LEED credits that Foam Solutions products qualify for, click [here](#) or visit foamsolutionsinc.com.



Residential carpet cushion

Contributions to Ontario's Green Economy

With approximately 35 employees and business partnerships across North America, Foam Solutions is committed to Ontario's green economy. Their longest-standing employee has been with the forward-thinking company since 1965 and several employees have been working there since the early '80s.

Over the past five years Foam Solutions has used 1,733 metric tonnes of recycled crumb rubber in their products. With over 90 per cent of their flooring products including recycled tire rubber, Foam Solutions helps to direct the 12 million tires produced each year away from landfills.

ABOUT

- **Registered recycled product manufacturer** through Ontario Tire Stewardship
- Established in 1954 (as Fabricushion Ltd.) in Markham, Ontario.
- Foam Solutions works with customers to design products and programs that fit their needs. Products can be ordered by contacting (905) 475-0801.
- Distribution facilities are located in Ontario with branches across Canada.
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- www.foamsolutionsinc.com