

# Only the Leaders are Green Seal Certified.



**ENHANCED  
BIODEGRADATION**

## **Full Cycle® Floor Pads The First to Meet Green Seal's GS-20 Standard!**



Full Cycle® products are certified by Green Seal™ for Environmental Innovation based on faster biodegradation in landfill conditions and 100% recycled content/natural fiber. [GreenSeal.org/GS20](http://GreenSeal.org/GS20).

### **Who is Green Seal and What is GS-20?**

Green Seal is a nonprofit organization that uses science-based programs to empower consumers, purchasers, and companies to create a more sustainable world. GS-20 identifies innovative environmental initiatives and recognizes environmental benefits of leadership products, services, processes, and technologies. [GreenSeal.org](http://GreenSeal.org).

### **Environmental Innovation**

If you or your customers have a preference or requirement to use proven-green products, Americo's Full Cycle floor pads have been certified by Green Seal for environmental innovation and performance.

- Made with 100% recycled PET and natural fibers.
- Made with water based latex, avoiding phenolic based resins.
- In a controlled test simulating landfill conditions, results showed that Americo pads biodegraded 92.5% over a time span of 616 days.\*
- End-of-life instructions are provided to market for disposing of used pads to landfills with methane-to-energy collection systems where facilities exist.\*\*
- Demonstrated performance equal to, and in some cases, superior to that of competitive products available in the market.

\*ASTM D5511 testing shows 92.5% biodegradation in 616 days of Americo's Full Cycle® floor pad. The ASTM D5511 test is a method that evaluates the biodegradability of plastic in anaerobic, or oxygen-less, conditions. The actual rate of biodegradation of Americo's Full Cycle® floor pads, as well as the rate of all plastic materials in landfills, will be slower and will vary, dependent upon actual landfill conditions. \*\*Landfills that have gas to energy collection systems are not widely available in certain areas of the United States. To locate a landfill near you that captures landfill gas and converts it to energy, visit: [www.americofullcycle.com/waste-to-energy](http://www.americofullcycle.com/waste-to-energy).

California Notice: California law prohibits the sale of plastic packaging and plastic products that are labeled with the terms 'biodegradable', 'degradable', 'decomposable', or any form of those terms, or that imply in any way that the item will break down, biodegrade, or decompose in a landfill or other environment. These restrictions apply to all sales in or into the State of California, including such sales over the internet.

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