

## Green Cleaning Product Certification Criteria

Product Category	Products Included	Percentage Required	Accepted Certifications
Cleaning products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ General-purpose, bathroom, glass, and carpet cleaners used for industrial and institutional purposes</li> <li>▪ Cleaning and degreasing compounds</li> <li>▪ Hard surface cleaners</li> <li>▪ Carpet and upholstery care products</li> </ul>	75%	<p>Certified by Green Seal or UL EcoLogo (formerly Environmental Choice), or</p> <p>Recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) Safer Choice (formerly EPA’s Design for the Environment), or</p> <p>Devices that use only ionized water or electrolyzed water and have third-party-verified performance data equivalent to the other standards mentioned above.</p>
Disinfectants, metal polish, floor finish, strippers, and other products not included in cleaning products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Disinfectants</li> <li>▪ Digestion additives for cleaning and odor control</li> <li>▪ Drain or grease trap additives</li> <li>▪ Odor control additives</li> <li>▪ Hard floor care</li> </ul>	75%	<p>Certified by Green Seal or UL EcoLogo (formerly Environmental Choice), or</p> <p>Recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) Safer Choice (formerly EPA’s Design for the Environment), or</p> <p>Comply with the California Code of Regulations maximum allowable VOC content for the specific product category.</p>
Disposable janitorial paper products and trash bags	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Paper towels and napkins</li> <li>▪ Facial tissue</li> <li>▪ Toilet tissue</li> <li>▪ Hand towels</li> <li>▪ Kitchen towels</li> <li>▪ Plastic trash bags</li> </ul>	75%	<p>Certified by Green Seal or UL EcoLogo (formerly Environmental Choice), or</p> <p>Meet California integrated waste management requirements, for plastic trash can liners (California Code of Regulations Title 14, Chapter 4, Article 5, or SABRC 42290-42297 Recycled Content Plastic Trash Bag Program) or</p> <p>Comply with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s Comprehensive Procurement Guidelines for Janitorial Paper and Plastic Trash Can Liners, or</p> <p>Are derived from rapidly renewable resources or made from tree-free fibers.</p>
Hand soaps and hand sanitizers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Industrial and institutional hand cleaners</li> <li>▪ Hand cleaners</li> <li>▪ Hand sanitizers</li> <li>▪ Hand soaps</li> </ul>	75%	<p>Are free of antimicrobial agents (except as a preservative and unless required by health codes and other regulations), or</p> <p>Certified by Green Seal or UL EcoLogo (formerly Environmental Choice), or</p> <p>Are recognized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) Safer Choice (formerly EPA’s Design for the Environment).</p>