“Our sustainability program is rooted in a strong culture of environmental stewardship and social responsibility. Each day we work to meet a challenge – not only to provide quality carpet products, but to also take innovative steps to aid in the resiliency of the built environment and regeneration of the natural world.”

Maya Henderson, Sustainability Manager

**SETTING AND ACHIEVING ENERGY EFFICIENCY GOALS**

Bentley manufactures carpet products that consistently exceed state and industry standards while embracing environmental sustainability. In 1999, Bentley was one of the first private owners to invest in solar panels as an alternative energy source. Through on-site photovoltaics and Renewable Energy Credits, Bentley utilizes 100% renewable energy each year. These sustainability efforts have helped the company improve energy intensity by 25% since 2010.

In 2014, Bentley achieved a 10% improvement in energy intensity compared to the prior year. In 2015, Bentley was recognized by the U.S. Department of Energy Better Buildings initiative. This initiative strives to make homes, commercial buildings and, industrial plants more energy efficient by accelerating investments and sharing successful best practices. By joining the Better Plants Challenge, Bentley has set a goal to achieve an additional 25% improvement in energy intensity from a 2014 baseline by 2024.

**RECENT AWARDS**

- 2015 recipient of Southern California Edison and The Climate Registry’s Cool Planet Award in the manufacturing sector
- 2014 The Climate Registry ClimatEfficient Certificate
- 2013 Sustainable Business Council (SBC) Industry Achievement Award
- 2012 EPA Climate Leadership Award for Excellence in Greenhouse Gas Management
- 2011 California Waste Reduction Award Program (WRAP) Award
- 2008 CalRecycle Sustainable Business Award
- 2006 Climate Action Champion Award

Bentley Mills, Inc.

For more than 30 years, Bentley Mills, Inc. has defined design, color, quality, and customer service in the commercial carpet industry. As the largest carpet design and manufacturer in California, and the first and only U.S. carpet manufacturing facility to be LEED Certified, Bentley is proud to be consistently recognized for their eco-conscious philosophy and sustainable commerce.

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**COOL PLANET**

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