



Cleaning & Decontamination

Blue and Green AB

Sustainable Cleaning for a Cleaner Rail Experience



Keeping rolling stock clean is about more than appearance. For train operators, metro systems, depots and maintenance providers, effective cleaning supports passenger experience, staff safety, asset protection and long-term operational efficiency.

From traffic film and brake dust to graffiti, interior stains and daily passenger-area cleaning, rail vehicles are exposed to demanding conditions every

day. Surfaces must be cleaned quickly, safely and effectively, often within tight maintenance windows and with minimal disruption to operations.

Blue & Green AB develops and produces cleaning, washing, graffiti removal and surface protection products for the railway and wider public transport sector. With a strong Nordic environmental profile and many years of practical experience in chemical product development, the company supports operators and maintenance teams with solutions for both exterior and interior rolling stock applications.

Blue & Green's rail offering covers train exterior washing, exterior & interior graffiti removal, graffiti shadow removal, surface protection, floor care, textile

cleaning, glass cleaning and passenger-facing interior surfaces. The aim is simple: to help rail customers achieve cleaner vehicles, better-protected surfaces and more sustainable maintenance routines.

From Cleaning to Protection

Modern rail cleaning is no longer only about removing dirt. The best results are achieved when cleaning, decontamination and protection are considered as part of the same process.

Train exteriors are exposed to traffic film, brake dust, iron particles, insects, oil, grease and general grime. These contaminants can be difficult to remove, especially when vehicles operate in harsh weather conditions or on busy urban and regional routes. Blue & Green offers products designed to clean these surfaces efficiently while also supporting a clean, uniform and well-maintained finish.

Tackling Graffiti Quickly and Effectively

Graffiti remains one of the most visible and costly cleaning challenges in public transport. It can cover large exterior surfaces or appear as smaller tags on interior floors, walls, seats, panels and windows. If left untreated, graffiti can damage the passenger environment, affect brand perception and increase the time required for maintenance teams to return vehicles to service.

Blue & Green provides a dedicated range of graffiti removal products for rolling stock, including solutions for exterior graffiti, interior tags and graffiti shadows. The company's range includes both thin-flowing and thixotropic products, allowing customers to select the right solution depending on surface,



working method and type of contamination.

The process does not stop once graffiti has been removed. Shadows, residues and surface sensitivity are often just as important. Blue & Green's method is designed to remove graffiti and shadows while helping preserve the surface.

A Proven 4-Step Method

Blue & Green's approach to train and metro interiors is built around a proven 4-step method:

- 1. Clean** – Remove daily dirt, stains and general contamination from passenger-facing surfaces.
- 2. Remove graffiti** – Use effective products adapted to the surface and type of graffiti.
- 3. Remove shadows** – Treat remaining residues and shadow to restore the surface as far as possible.
- 4. Protect** – Apply suitable interior protection where relevant to make future cleaning easier and improve surface resistance.

This method is designed for practical use by cleaning and maintenance personnel. It supports a structured process for surfaces such as floors, walls, windows, textiles and other interior areas where cleanliness is directly linked to passenger comfort. For staff, the right product choice is also a work environment issue. Incorrect dosing or unsuitable chemicals can create unnecessary risk, damage surfaces or produce poor results. Blue & Green therefore places strong emphasis on advice, guidance and training, helping customers choose the right product, correct dosing and appropriate working technique.

Sustainability as a Practical Requirement

For rail operators and maintenance providers, sustainability is no longer a separate ambition. It is increasingly part of procurement, compliance,



brand responsibility and day-to-day operations.

Blue & Green has built sustainability into its product development, production, supply chain and customer guidance. The company is certified according to ISO 14001 for environmental management and ISO 9001 for quality management. It also offers eco-labelled and environmentally assessed products, including Nordic Eco-labelled products and products assessed through recognised environmental systems.

The company develops and improves products in its own laboratory in Landskrona, located in the same building as its production facility. This close connection between development and production enables Blue & Green to work directly with product performance, environmental adaptation and customer-specific requirements.

Supporting Depots with Knowledge, Not Just Products

A product is only effective when it is used correctly. In rail cleaning, that means understanding the surface, the contamination, the available equipment, the cleaning window and the environmental requirements.

Blue & Green supports customers with product knowledge, guidance and training. This includes advice on dosing, working methods, surface compatibility and process design. The aim is to help operators and maintenance teams achieve consistent results while avoiding unnecessary product use, surface damage or inefficient routines.

For depots and maintenance teams, this combination of products and expertise is central. The right process can reduce repeated cleaning, improve working conditions, support more predictable maintenance and extend the value of protective treatments.

Cleaner Trains, Better Protected Surfaces

As the rail sector continues to focus on sustainability, operational efficiency and passenger satisfaction, cleaning and washing solutions must deliver on more than appearance. They must support safe working methods, protect vehicle surfaces, meet environmental expectations and perform reliably in real-world depot conditions.

Blue & Green's position in the railway sector is built on that combination: practical cleaning performance, graffiti expertise, Nordic environmental standards and in-house product knowledge.



“Graffiti removal is most effective when removal, shadow treatment and future protection are planned together.”

