

Earth Friendly Solutions

Windows, Walls and Floors



Q What properties should a product have to be labeled "sustainable"?

A Several properties can be considered when promoting a product as environmentally friendly. We believe these five, commonly asked for, are essential.

1. Manufactured from PCW (Post-Consumer Waste)

a. There are typically questions regarding recycling media with ink on it, therefore we believe a product made of post-consumer waste is the most certain way to impact a sustainability effort.

2. Recyclable

a. Latex inks are considered "environmentally friendly" and media printed with latex inks should be able to be recyclable. Have a sample of your printed media tested by your recycling operator to verify if it is acceptable for recycling. These guidelines also apply to media printed with UV inks. Base media recycling codes are #1-Polyester-PET, 3#-Polyvinyl Chloride PVC #5-Polypropylene PP.

3. PVC-Free

a. PVC products emit harmful byproducts. Papers, Polyester and Polypropylene do not contain PVC elements. PVC is the most environmentally damaging plastic. The PVC lifecycle – its production, use, and disposal – results in the release of toxic, chlorine-based chemicals.

4. FSC Certified

a. These products meet the Forest Stewardship Council standards for sustainable and environmentally responsible forest management.

5. LEEDs Certified

a. The Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design organization certifies that the building materials used, meet a green building credit rating system. The more LEEDs credits, the higher the building efficiency.

Papers

	PCW	Recyclable	PVC-Free	FSC Certified	LEED Certified
Lintec 2000 series UV printable Polyester films 2mil optically clear films with removable or permanent adhesive "Scratch resistant" coating			✓		
Lintec Eco-2000ZC 2mil optically Polyester, permanent window film Contains 80% recycled polyester	✓		✓		
Quality EZ Cling Clear Window Film 4mil clear Polyester PET (#1 recycle stream) Light-tack adhesive for smooth surfaces		✓	✓		
Sihl Syntitac Polypro w/ Easy Tack Self adhesive white Polypropylene film for windows and walls			✓		
Continental PanoRama ITac Green 3mil smooth white Polypropylene with washable, low tack adhesive			✓		
Continental PanoRama Innova Ice Perforated Polyester vinyl for exterior window applications, 60/40 pattern			✓		

Wallcovering

	PCW	Recyclable	PVC-Free	FSC Certified	LEED Certified
Dreamscape Terralon Paper based wallcovering manufactured from 31% PCW LEEDS credits eligible for green building applications, 3 textures available	✓		✓		✓
Dreamscape Nolar / Nolar Sailcloth PVC-Free, wet strength paper-based wallcovering		✓	✓	✓	
Sihl Design2Wall PVC-Free, paper based wallcovering Smooth and textured surfaces available			✓	✓	
Neenah Enviroscape Mural Textured and Smooth 10mil Pre-pasted wallcovering supports LEEDS credit certification supports green building applications			✓	✓	✓

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Wallcovering (cont'd)

	PCW	Recyclable	PVC-Free	FSC Certified	LEED Certified
Berger Samba Recycled UV backlit/ frontlit, Latex front lit fabric PCW: 100% recycled soda bottles					
Neenah Digiscape Wallcoverings Smooth, Canvas and Type 2 paper based wallcoverings LEEDS credit supports green building applications					
Ultraflex Adventurascapes 100% polyester fiber, adhesive backed film with anti-slip and anti-microbial surface High tack adhesive for indoor and outdoor wall and floor applications					

Floor Graphics

Instashield Floor Guard Economy 3.7mil Polyolefin film laminate with slip rating					
EcoJet White White Polypropylene film with removable adhesive - UV printable					
Ultraflex Adventurascapes 100% polyester fiber, adhesive backed film with anti-slip and anti-microbial surface High tack adhesive for indoor and outdoor wall and floor applications					