



## OVERVIEW. HOW WE'RE SUSTAINABLE.

AT THE CORNERSTONE OF JASPER GROUP'S SUSTAINABLE EFFORTS IS WOOD. OTHER ASPECTS OF OUR SUSTAINABLE CORPORATE CULTURE ARE LISTED BELOW. ADDITIONALLY, WE ARE ALWAYS SEEKING NEW WAYS TO MINIMIZE IMPACT TO OUR EARTH, SO CHECK BACK TO SEE HOW WE'VE IMPROVED.

### PRODUCT

---

- WOOD. REMOVED, IT IS THE MOST DIVERSE, PROCESS FRIENDLY AND WIDELY UTILIZED NATURAL RESOURCE IN MANKIND'S HISTORY. IT IS 100% RENEWABLE, RECYCLABLE AND BIODEGRADABLE. WE CAN QUOTE/OFFER EVEN MORE ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY SOLID WOOD AND ENGINEERED WOOD OPTIONS IF NEEDED.
- LAMINATE. MOST OF THESE OFFERINGS ARE GREENGUARD CERTIFIED.
- PARTICLE BOARD. MADE OF 100% RECYCLED CONTENT.
- FASTENERS. ALL BOLTS, SCREWS, NUTS, INSERTS, WASHERS, CLAMPS AND BRACKETS ARE 100% RECYCLED STEEL.
- GLIDES (PLASTIC PORTION). MADE OF 15% REGRIND.
- POLYCORD (UPHOLSTERED PRODUCTS). CONTAINS A SMALL PERCENTAGE OF RECYCLED MATERIAL AND IS RECYCLABLE.
- FLEXIBLE POLYURETHANE FOAM (UPHOLSTERED PRODUCTS). CONTAINS 10% BIO-OILS AND IS RECYCLABLE.
- POLYESTER FIBER BATTIN (UPHOLSTERED PRODUCTS). CONTAINS A SMALL PERCENTAGE OF RECYCLED MATERIAL AND IS RECYCLABLE.
- TEXTILES. MANY OF THE FABRIC OPTIONS UTILIZE UP TO 100% RECYCLED CONTENT, NO TOXIC MATERIAL, NO PLASTICIZERS, NO HEAVY METALS OR FORMALDEHYDE AND HAVE A 100% BIODEGRADABLE BACK CLOTH. CRYPTON FABRICS UTILIZE UP TO 100% RECYCLED POLYESTER. TERRATEX FABRICS ARE MADE FROM 100% RECYCLED OR RENEWABLE MATERIALS AND ARE COMPOSTABLE AT THE END OF THE FABRICS' USEFUL LIFE. EXCESS FABRICS ARE DONATED TO LOCAL CHARITIES FOR ADDITIONAL USE.

### LOCATION

---

- MANUFACTURING FACILITIES ARE OFTEN LOCATED WITHIN 500 MILES OF PROJECT LOCATION(S).
- ATTAINABLE ONE-STOP SHOPPING IS POSSIBLE WITH OUR EXTENSIVE ARRAY OF PRODUCTS.

### TRANSPORTATION

---

- SEVERAL OF OUR KEY COMMERCIAL CARRIERS ARE MEMBERS OF THE SMARTWAYS<sup>SM</sup> TRANSPORT PARTNERSHIP.
- SMARTWAYS<sup>SM</sup>, LAUNCHED IN 2004 BY THE EPA, IS AN INNOVATIVE BRAND REPRESENTING ENVIRONMENTALLY CLEANER, MORE FUEL EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS.

### CORRUGATED PACKAGING

---

- RECYCLABLE.
- UP TO 100% REUSABLE RECYCLED CONTENT.
- VAST MAJORITY IS 5-32% PRE-CONSUMER AND 3-14% POST-CONSUMER RECYCLED CONTENT.

## FACILITIES

---

- WOOD NOT USED IN THE DIRECT MANUFACTURING PROCESS MAY BE USED IN CORNER BLOCK APPLICATIONS. ADDITIONAL SCRAP IS BURNED IN BOILERS TO GENERATE STEAM USED TO HEAT OUR MANUFACTURING FACILITY AND OPERATE DRY KILNS.
- USE T-8 LIGHTING.
- MAKE USE OF POWER FACTOR CAPACITATORS.
- ENCOURAGE ALL INTERNALLY AND OUR EXTERNAL GREEN PARTNERS TO REDUCE ENERGY CONSUMPTION, WATER USAGE AND TO CONSERVE.
- CONDENSATION PUMPS ARE USED TO AID IN WATER SAVINGS AND EXTEND BOILER LIFE.

## PROCESSES

---

- OUR LIBRARY DIVISION UTILIZES ULTRAVIOLET FINISHING PROCESSES.
- MANY OF OUR ASSEMBLY PROCESSES USE WATER BASED GLUES THAT CONTAIN NO HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS.
- TRADITIONAL FINISH LINES UTILIZE EFFICIENT SPRAY GUNS AND TRAINING IN PROPER APPLICATION TECHNIQUES TO REDUCE WASTED MATERIAL. EXCESS MATERIAL, SOLVENTS AND WASTE ARE THEN RECYCLED.
- SEATING PRODUCTS MEET THE CPSIA FOR LEAD AND PHTHALATES. RESULTS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

## REGULATIONS

---

- IN COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE OSHA REGULATIONS FOR ALL FACILITIES.
- MEET OR EXCEED ALL APPLICABLE DEM AND EPA REGULATIONS FOR AIR EMISSIONS, STORM WATER AND HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL.
- EFFECTIVE JUNE 2010, ALL FINISHED PRODUCT SOLD BY OUR COMPANY CONTAINING COMPOSITE PANELS WILL BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH (CARB) ATCM 93120 AND LABELED AS SUCH.

## BIFMA

---

- ALL OUR PRODUCTS ARE CONSTRUCTED TO MEET AND/OR EXCEED BIFMA STANDARDS FOR PERFORMANCE, DURABILITY AND STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY. MANY HAVE BEEN TESTED AND RESULTS ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

## LEED POINTS

---

- WE MAY CONTRIBUTE UP TO A TOTAL OF SEVEN POINTS TOWARD YOUR "GREEN BUILDING RATING SYSTEM." THIS WILL BE UPDATED WHEN LEED 2009 IS OFFICIALLY RELEASED.

## GREENGUARD

---

- WE HAVE ENTERED INTO A LETTER OF INTENT TO PURSUE GREENGUARD INDOOR AIR QUALITY CERTIFICATION FOR OUR VISION LAMINATE CASEGOODS SERIES.

## INDIANA HARDWOOD LUMBERMEN'S ASSOCIATION

---

- MEMBER SINCE 2006.
- MANY OF THE HARDWOODS JASPER GROUP USES IN ITS MANUFACTURING PROCESSES ARE FROM INDIANA FORESTS THAT HAVE BEEN VERIFIED AS SUSTAINABLE HARDWOOD FORESTS BY THE IHLA BASED ON DATA FROM THE US FOREST SERVICE AND INDIANA DNR DIVISION OF FORESTRY.

## U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL (USGBC)

---

- MEMBER SINCE 2009.
- ESTABLISHED IN 1993, THERE ARE NOW OVER 6300 MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS COMMITTED TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF "GREEN" BUILDINGS BY INCREASING PRODUCTIVITY, IMPROVING HEALTH, CONSERVING THE EARTH'S RESOURCES AND REDUCING COST TO OPERATE AND MAINTAIN.