Steelcase Contribution to LEED

LEED is a rating system that drives integrated design thinking as it relates to various aspects of green buildings.

Steelcase's products can contribute to a project's pursuit of LEED Certification across the two rating systems: Green Interior Design & Construction (ID&C), and Green Building Design & Construction (BD&C).





	Green Interior Design & Construction 2009	Green Building Design & Construction 2009	1 1
Cat.	Credit	Credit	TNT*
Materials & Resources	MR 3.2 – Resource Reuse, 30% Furniture and Furnishings		Reusing TNT* in a space may contribute.
	MR 4 – Recycled Content, 10-20% (post-consumer + ½ pre-consumer)	MR 4 – Recycled Content, 10-20% (post-consumer + ½ pre-consumer)	TNT* is made from 25% recycled materials by weight (Calculations from 2007/09) To reevaluate recycled content and split it into post-consumer and pre-consumer content, Steelcase is currently starting the process of aligning worldwide researches and calculations methods. Disclaimer: Calculations of recycled content are based on data provided by professional organizations, suppliers and other available information. Steelcase makes conservative assumptions when compiling this information to provide the most accurate recycled content calculations possible but variability in market conditions or manufacturing processes may result in higher or lower content. This document will be reviewed and updated periodically and is subject to change without notice.
	MR 5 – Regional Materials, 20% Manufactured Regionally	MR 5 – Regional Materials, Manufactured and Harvested or Extracted	TNT* is manufactured in Rosenheim (DE) by Steelcase. Projects ≤ 500 miles (800 km) from these locations may qualify. For the location of harvest or extraction, assume that it is greater than 500 miles (800 km). Due the mix of materials used in manufactured goods and the complicated supply chains for those materials, it is not possible to determine the location of every mine where the ore for steel comes from, or to track which oil field the petroleum used in making each plastic part is located. Only with wood — which comes from Central Europe and where we have PEFC certified chain of custody - we could actually go to the place where it is harvested. Even if it were possible, the likelihood that both those sources and our manufacturing locations would all be within 500 miles of your project site is remote at best. LEED Green Interiors Design and Construction recognized this difficulty and as a result, did not combine the criteria together in the way that LEED Green Buildings did.
	MR 6 – Rapidly Renewable	MR 6 – Rapidly Renewable	Steelcase offers wool textiles that may contribute to achieving the point for this credit.
	MR 7 – Certified Wood	MR 7 – Certified Wood	LEED only accepts FSC certified wood which Steelcase can provide at a higher price. Even though this certification is not yet accepted by LEED, Steelcase offers PEFC certified wood - at least 95% - since November 2006. Chain of custody: FCBA/06-00787.
Indoor Environm ental Quality	IEQ 4.5 – Low Emitting Materials, Systems Furniture and Seating	IEQ 4.5 – Schools	TNT* is Indoor Advantage certified in Europe, certifying compliance with the indoor air quality emission requirements defined by the ANSI/BIFMA M7.1-2007 standard, thus meeting the requirement.
Innovation in Design	ID 1 – Innovation in Design	ID 1 – Innovation in Design	TNT* environmental impacts have been assessed in 2007 through a Life Cycle Assessment approach, which results are transparently communicated in an Environmental Product Declaration (ISO/TR 14025). Innovation credits offer an opportunity to demonstrate how the applicant has gone beyond the LEED requirements or has advanced the state of knowledge on green buildings. Innovation credits are project specific and must be applied for in the context of each specific project.
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Products certifications	EPD (ISO/TR 14025)	yes
	Indoor Advantage	yes
	C2C	
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	DEEO (Letici)	
	PEFC (wood origin)	yes
	E1 (wood emissions)	yes
Materials certifications	E0,5 (wood emissions)	
	OekoTex (textiles)	n/a
	European Ecolabel (textiles)	n/a
	ISO 14001 (environment)	yes
Plants certifications	EMAS (environment)	yes
	OHSAS (health & safety)	
Designer	7	Steelcase
Manufacturer		Steelcase
Product's weight]	47.334 kg including packaging
Best seller ref.]	880 000 150