

# TECHNICAL LETTER – LEED INFORMATION

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## LEED 2009 Green Building Rating System™

The following guideline can be used to help determine the potential contribution(s) Protecto Wrap Company products may help in attaining points according to the LEED 2009 Green Building Rating System for New Construction & Major Renovations.

### **MR Credit 2.1: Construction Waste Management: Divert 50% from Disposal – 1 Point**

### **MR Credit 2.2: Construction Waste Management: Divert 75% from Disposal – 1 Point in addition to MR Credit 2.1**

A construction waste management plan must be used to divert materials from disposal. To achieve the goal, recyclable materials need to be tracked throughout the construction process. When suitable recycle facilities or locations are available Protecto Wrap Company packaging materials are recyclable and may help to contribute in earning points in this section.

Wooden Pallet	Wood	30 lbs maximum
Core	Cardboard	.023 lbs/inch (products come in various sizes)
Box or Carton	Cardboard	2 lbs / box maximum
1 Gallon Pail	Steel	.5 lbs / pail
5 Gallon Pail	Steel	3 lbs / pail
1 Gallon Pail	HDPE	.75 lbs / pail
5 Gallon Pail	HDPE	2.5 lbs / pail
1 Gallon Jug	HDPE	.25 lbs / jug

### **MR Credit 4.1: Recycled Content: 10% (post-consumer + ½ pre-consumer) – 1 Point**

### **MR Credit 4.2: Recycled Content: 20% (post-consumer + ½ pre-consumer) – 1 Point in addition to MR Credit 4.1**

The recycled content of Protecto Wrap Company products may help to contribute in earning points in this section. Protecto Wrap Company products utilize several different adhesives that contain various amounts of Post-Consumer and Pre-Consumer recycled content. The following guideline gives you a general idea of the recycled content by adhesive type. Please contact your local Protecto Wrap Company Representative to identify which product/adhesive you are purchasing to determine if the product may help to contribute in earning points in this section.

<u>Adhesive</u>	<u>Weight % Post Consumer</u>	<u>Weight % Pre-Consumer</u>
Butyl	14 %	40 %
Asphalt	47 %	0 %
Block Co-Polymer	0 %	0 %

### **MR Credit 5.1: Regional Materials: 10% Extracted, Processed & Manufactured Regionally – 1 Point**

### **MR Credit 5.2: Regional Materials: 20% Extracted, Processed & Manufactured Regionally – 1 Point in addition to MR Credit 5.1**

In order to qualify for points under MR 5.1 and 5.2, products have to be extracted, harvested or recovered, as well as manufactured, within a 500 mile radius of the project site. The main Protecto Wrap Company manufacturing facility is located in Denver, Colorado. Protecto Wrap Company recommends contacting your local representative to request product specific/project specific information pertaining to this section.

### **MR Credit 6: Rapidly Renewable Materials**

Protecto Wrap Company products are not made from and do not contain, any materials that are rapidly renewable.

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### **MR Credit 7: Certified Wood**

Protecto Wrap Company products are not made from and do not contain, any wood based materials.

### **EA Prerequisite 2: Minimum Energy Performance (required)**

The intent of this prerequisite is to establish a minimum level of energy efficiency. Protecto Wrap Company roof underlayment's, air/vapor barriers, flashing products, and energy products used in conjunction with or solely as an air/vapor barrier, will decrease the amount of uncontrolled air infiltration / exfiltration through the building envelope. By decreasing the air leakage you reduce the energy consumption (load) of the building; therefore, increasing the energy efficiency and maximizing the energy performance of the building.

### **EA Credit 1: Optimize Energy Performance – 1 to 19 or 21 Points**

The intent of EA Credit 1 is to achieve increasing levels of energy performance. By decreasing the air leakage you reduce the energy consumption (load) of the building; therefore, increasing the energy efficiency and maximizing the energy performance. The use of Protecto Wrap Company roof underlayments, air/vapor barriers, flashing products, and energy products in conjunction with or solely as an air/vapor barrier, will decrease the amount of uncontrolled air infiltration / exfiltration through the building envelope and may help to contribute in earning points in this section.

### **EQ Prerequisite 1: Minimum Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Performance (required)**

The intent of IEQ Prerequisite 1 is to establish minimum indoor air quality (IAQ) performance. By decreasing the air leakage you reduce the energy consumption (load) of the building; therefore, increasing the energy efficiency and maximizing the energy performance. Uncontrolled air leakage also carries uncontrolled moisture in the form of vapor. Vapor that reaches the dew point temperature inside the wall cavity turns to unwanted moisture that can contribute to organic growth or mold which can have a negative impact on the indoor air quality of the building. The use of Protecto Wrap Company roof underlayments, air/vapor barriers, flashing products, and energy products in conjunction with or solely as an air/vapor barrier, will decrease the amount of uncontrolled air infiltration / exfiltration through the building envelope and may help to contribute in earning points in this section

### **EQ Credit 3.1: Construction Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management Plan: During Construction – 1 Point**

The intent of this section is to reduce indoor air quality problems resulting from the construction/renovation process. One of the requirements is to “Protect stored on-site or installed absorptive materials from moisture damage”. The use of Protecto Wrap Company roof underlayments, air/vapor barriers and flashing products on the exterior of the building, can protect installed absorptive materials such as sheathing, roof decking, insulation and interior framing and may help to contribute in earning points in this section

### **EQ Credit 4.1: Low Emitting Materials: Adhesives & Sealants – 1 Point**

The intent of this section is to reduce the quantity of indoor air contaminants that are odorous, irritating and/or harmful to the comfort and well-being of installers and occupants. Paints, Coatings and Primers must comply with the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) Rule #1168. The following Protecto Wrap Company products comply with this rule and may help to contribute in earnings points in this section.

Universal Water Based Primer	31 g/L
PW 6000 Primer	30 g/L
Protecto Sealant 25XL	0 %
Block Co-Polymer	0%

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**EQ Credit 4.2: Low Emitting Materials: Paints & Coatings – 1 Point**

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Universal Water Based Primer	31 g/L
PW 6000 Primer	30 g/L
Protecto Sealant 25XL	0 %
Block Co-Polymer	0 %

**EQ Credit 6.2: Controllability of Systems: Thermal Comfort**

Protecto Wrap Company does not offer a qualifying product.

**EQ Credit 7.1: Thermal Comfort: Design**

Protecto Wrap Company does not offer a qualifying product.

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