

# Environmental Fact Sheet

**Brand name:** Precision Laser (text)

## Green label:

- Certified Carbon Neutral
- Optional Carbon Neutral
- Department of Climate Change National Carbon Offset Standard (NCOS) Logo
- Program for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC)
- FSC 100%
- FSC Mixed Sources
- FSC Recycled
- Other:

FSC® 1996 Forest Stewardship Council A.C. The Global Benchmark for Responsible Forest Management SGS-COC-2262

## Comments if applicable:

Australian Paper sources fibrous raw materials for the manufacturer of Precision from suppliers who practice sustainable management of forests in line with strict international standards. All suppliers operate under ISO 14001 or FSC certified environmental systems.

## Environmental Management Systems (EMS)

- EMAS – Eco-Management & Audit Scheme
- IPPC – Integrated Pollution Prevention & Control
- ISO 14001
- Other: ISO 14040 Life Cycle Analysis

## Fibre Source:

100 % Virgin Wood Fibre  
% Recovered Fibre with %pre-consumer waste and % post-consumer waste  
% Other Fibre  
% Mill Broke

## Countries of origin (plus supplier if applicable):

### Pre-consumer sources:

### Post-consumer sources:

## Wood Source:

- FSC
- FSC Mixed Sources
- Plantations
- Forest thinnings, waste wood from timber industry
- Other:

## Mill's Certified Virgin Fibre Source:

- FSC Chain of Custody
- Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC)
- Canadian Standards Association (CSA)
- Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI)

Countries of origin (plus supplier if applicable):

## Bleaching:

- ECF – Elemental Chlorine Free
- TCF – Totally Chlorine Free
- PCF – Process Chlorine Free

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## Water:

All water usage and waste water emissions are tracked, quantified and are well under stringent Department of Primary Industries Water and Environment (DPIWE) regulations. The mill uses less than their allowance of water. There is continuous monitoring in conjunction with environmental regulators, to ensure ecosystem protection.

## Air:

Emissions are well under stringent Department of Primary Industries Water and Environment (DPIWE) regulations.

## Energy:

### Solid waste land filled:

The primary form of solid waste is clarifier sludge. This material is a non-hazardous cellulose material. This waste is being used as a medium for compost/revegetation material. Ongoing research is being undertaken on its suitability as a boiler fuel and or as rehabilitation cover. Each year, the mill uses more than 70,000 tonnes of waste paper that would otherwise go to landfill.

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