



GAF Green Building Playbook Using GAF Products on LEED® v4, Living Building Challenge™,

and Green Globes® Projects







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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For project teams using the LEED® v2009 Rating System, contact GAF for the 2013 GAF Green Building Playbook at <a href="http://gaf.com">http://gaf.com</a>.

## **About GAF**

Founded in 1886, GAF is the largest roofing manufacturer in North America.

As the industry leader, GAF proudly offers a comprehensive portfolio of award-winning, innovative roofing products for both steep-slope and commercial properties. Supported by an extensive national network of factory-certified contractors, GAF has built its reputation – and its success – on its steadfast commitment to Advanced Quality, Industry Expertise, and Solutions Made Simple.

GAF offers all major low-slope roofing technologies, including repair and maintenance products and roof restoration systems, as well as new roofing systems (BUR, modified bitumen, TPO, PVC, and liquid-applied roofing). GAF has developed single-ply, asphaltic and liquid-applied membranes with excellent durability and high reflectivity to meet the most rigorous industry standards while helping commercial property owners and designers reduce energy consumption.

For more information, visit <a href="http://www.gaf.com">http://www.gaf.com</a>.



Image: GAF's LEED®-certified Global Headquarters in Parsippany, NJ

GAF's global headquarters in Parsippany, New Jersey, is the first building in the world to be awarded a LEED® Resilient Design Pilot credit from the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC®). This achievement recognizes GAF for accommodations made in the building's design that allow it to function during an emergency event. The award helps further our commitment to global sustainability.

## **GAF Green Building Playbook**

## LEED® v4 for BD+C: New Construction and Major Renovation

## **About LEED®**

The LEED® (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Green Building Rating System is a voluntary, consensus-based, market-driven program that provides third-party verification of high-performance, energy-efficient sustainable buildings. The LEED® certification system is a program that certifies a building for satisfying specified green building criteria and requirements. GAF currently references the LEED® v4.0 BD+C: NC¹ rating system for this GAF Playbook. Starting last November 2016, all new projects were required to register under the v4.0 version of LEED®. A LEED® v4.1 (beta) version was released in January 2019 whereby individual LEED® v4.1 credits may be substituted for LEED® v4 credits. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.usgbc.org/leed">www.usgbc.org/leed</a>.

## Why LEED®?

The built environment has a profound impact on our natural environment, economy, health, and productivity. Green building practices can substantially reduce or eliminate negative environmental impacts and improve existing unsustainable design, construction, and operational practices. Working on a LEED® project? Please visit <a href="http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com</a> for LEED® documentation resources related to GAF products.

## Benefits of a "Green Building"

Environmental: A Green Building May...

- Protect and enhance ecosystems and biodiversity
- Improve air and water quality
- Conserve and limit natural resource use and reduce solid waste going to landfills

#### Economic: A Green Building May...

- Lower a building's operational costs
- Increase building values, assets, and profits
- Attract and retain superior employees
- Improve employee productivity and satisfaction and reduce sick days
- Promote eligible incentives for LEED® and other energy-efficiency improvements that are available at the federal, state, and local levels. For more information on relevant incentives, visit <a href="www.DSIREusa.org">www.DSIREusa.org</a> or <a href="www.energystar.gov">www.energystar.gov</a>.

#### Health & Community: A Green Building May...

- Enhance air, thermal, and acoustical quality
- Enhance occupant comfort and health
- Reduce the strain on the local infrastructures
- Improve overall quality of life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> LEED® v4 BD+C (Building Design and Construction) for NC (New Construction) addresses design and construction activities for both new buildings and major renovations. The LEED® credits referenced in this Playbook may also apply to various other LEED® rating systems.



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## LEED® v4 BD+C - NC Certification Levels:

Certified 40-49 points

Silver 50-59 points Gold 60-79 points

Platinum 80 points and above

## LEED® v4 BD+C - NC Addresses 8 Main Categories:

Integrative Process (IP) 1 pt.

Location and Transportation (LT)
16 pts.

Sustainable Site (SS) 10 pts.

Water Efficiency (WE) 11 pts.

Energy & Atmosphere (EA) 33 pts.

Materials & Resources (MR)
13 pts.

Indoor Environmental Quality (IEQ)
16 pts.

Innovation in Design (ID)
6 pts.

Regional Priority (RP) 4 pts.

Total: 110 points

Rating System and Version	LEED®1 v4 FOR BUILDING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION: NEW CONSTRUCTION							
Credit Category	Y							
	Sustainable Sites	Energy and A	Atmosphere		Materials ar	nd Resources		Indoor Environmental Quality
	SSc5	EAp2/EAc2	EAc5	M Rc2	MRc3	M Rc4	MRp2/MRc5	EQ c2
Credit Description	Heat Island Reduction	Min/ Optimize Energy Performance	Renewable Energy Production	BPDO – Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)	BFDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (e.g., recycled content)	BPDO – Material Ingredients (e.g., HPDs)	Construction & Demo Waste Flanning/ Management	Low-Emitting Materials
GAF PRODUCT LINE <sup>2</sup>	Opt 1 & 2			Option 1	Option 2	Option 1	Opt 1 & 2	Opt 1 & 2
07 21 00 THERMALINS	ULATION -			<b>Ø</b>			O <sup>2</sup>	<b>O</b>
Polyiso Insulation		<b>⊘</b>		EPD: Generic	<b>S</b>	HPD	<b>©</b>	Exempt*(exterior)
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation		<b>⊘</b>		EPD: Product- specific Type III	<b>⊘</b>	HPD or Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
EnergyGuard™ NH Ultra Polyiso Insulation		<b>Ø</b>			<b>⊘</b>	Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
EnergyGuard™ NH Barrier Polyiso Insulation		<b>Ø</b>			<b>⊘</b>	HPD or Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
EnergyGuard™ NH HD Polyiso Insulation		<b>Ø</b>			<b>⊘</b>	Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
EnergyGuard™ NH HD PLUS Polyiso Insulation		<b>⊘</b>			<b>⊘</b>	Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
07 54 00 THERMOPLAST	TIC MEMBR	RANEROOF	ING - SING	LE-PLY RO	OFING			
EverGuard Extreme® TPO 50-80 mil Smooth	(White & Energy Gray)	Title 24 ts (White)		EPD: Product- specific Type III	<b>⊘</b> ²	HPD or Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
EverGuard® TPO 45–80 mil Smooth	(4 Standard colors Gray excluded) <sup>a</sup>	Title 24 ts (3 colors)		EPD: Product- speafic Type III	<b>⊘</b> ²	HPD or Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt* (exterior)
Resilient Red List Free Adhered TPO Roofing System	(White & Tan; Gray excluded) <sup>2</sup>	Title 24 <sup>15</sup> (White)			<b>⊘</b> ²	Declare RLF	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt*(exterior)
TPO Single-Ry Roofing Membrane: Mechanically Fastened	(4 Standard colors Gray	Title 24 ss (3 colors)		EPD: Generic	<b>⊘</b> ²		<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
07 54 19 PVC MEMBRA	N E ROOFIN	١G						
EverGuard® PVC Smooth 50-80 mil	(White)	Title 24 ts (White)		EPD: Product- specific Type III	<b>Ø</b>		<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
ADHESIVES, PRIMERS, C	LEAN ERS, I	FASTEN ERS						
Drill-Tec™ Fasteners and Plates					<b>Ø</b>	<b>✓</b> HPD	•	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
EverGuard® TPO CleanWeld™ Conditioner						<b>✓</b> HPD		Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
EverGuard® TPO Seam Cleaner								Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
GAF 2-Part Roofing Adhesive						HPD  HPD		Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
EverGuard® TPO Low-VOC Bonding Adhesive						<b>✓</b> HPD		Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
07 72 73 VEGETATED RO	OOF SYSTE	MS						
LiveRoof® System – GAF Vegetative Roofing	<b>⊘</b>	<b>⊘</b>			<b>Ø</b>		<b>⊘</b>	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
07 31 13 ASPHALT SHIN	GLES							
Asphalt Shingle Roofing System: Fastened	(Select colors) <sup>2</sup>	Title 24 ts (Select colors)		EPD: Generic	<b>Ø</b>		<b>⊘</b> ⁵	Exempt* (exterior)
Glenwood® Shingles		Title 24 <sup>15</sup>		EPD: Generic		<b>⊘</b> HPD	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
Timberline® Cool Series® Shingles	(Standard colors) <sup>2</sup>	Title 24 <sup>ss</sup> (Cool Series)		EPD: Generic	<b>Ø</b>	<b>✓</b> HPD	<b>⊘</b> ⁵	Exempt* (exterior)
Timberline HD® Reflector Series® Shingles	(Select colors) <sup>2</sup>	Title 24 <sup>15</sup> (HD® Reflector Series)		EPD: Generic	<b>Ø</b>	<b>✓</b> HPD	<b>⊘</b> ⁵	Exempt* (exterior)



Rating System and Version	LEED® V4 FOR BUILDING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION: NEW CONSTRUCTION							
Credit Category	Y							
	Sustainable Sites	Energy and	Atmosphere		Materials an	d Resources		Indoor Environmental Quality
	SSc5	EAp2/ EAc2	EAc5	MRc2	M Rc3	M Ro4	MRp2/MRc5	EQc2
Credit Description	Heat Island Reduction	Min/ Optimize Energy Performance	Renewable Energy Production	BPDO – Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)	BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (e.g., recycled content)	BPDO – Material Ingredients (e.g., HPDs)	Construction & Demo Waste Planning/ Management	Low-Emitting Materials
GAF PRODUCT LINE <sup>2</sup>	Opt 1 & 2			Option 1	Option 2	Option 1	Opt 1 & 2	Opt 1 & 2
07 51 13 BUILT-UP ASP	HALT ROOF	ING – LOW	-SLOPE AS	SPHALTIC				
GAFGLAS® EnergyCap™ Mineral-Surfaced Cap Sheet	(White)	(White)		EFD: Generic		<b>✓</b> HFD		Exempt <sup>4,6</sup> (exterior)
Built-Up Asphalt Roofing Membrane: Hot Asphalt	(Select colors) <sup>2</sup>	(Select colors)		EPD: Generic	(Select products)			Exempt 4.6 (exterior)
07 13 52 MODIFIED BIT	UMINOUS	SHEET W AT	ERPROOFI	NG				
RUBEROID® Torch Smooth Membrane					<	<b>✓</b> HFD		Exempt* (exterior)
07 52 00 MODIFIED BIT	UMINOUS	MEMBRANI	E ROOFIN G	i				
APP-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Torch Applied	(White)	(Select products)		EPD: Generic	(Select products)			Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
RUBEROID® Mop Granule	(White)	(White)			<b>⊘</b>	<b>✓</b> HFD		Exempt <sup>4,6</sup> (exterior)
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Cold Adhered	(White)	(White)		EFD: Generic	(Select products)			Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Hot Asphalt	(White)	(White)		EFD: Generic	(Select products)			Exempt <sup>4,6</sup> (exterior)
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Torch Applied	(White)	(White)		EFD: Generic	(Select products)			Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
07 56 00 LIQUID-APPLI	ED ROOFIN	G – ROOF	COATINGS					
HydroStop® PremiumCoat® FinishCoat	(Select colors) <sup>3</sup>	Title 24 <sup>ss</sup> (White & Cotton)				<b>✓</b> HFD		Exempt <sup>s</sup> (exterior)
48 14 13 SOLAR ENERG	Y COLLECT	ORS						
Solar Roofing Program	<	<b>⊘</b> ′	<b>⊘</b>					Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
32 12 16 ASPHALT PAV	IN G							
StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating	(All SB150 colors contribute) <sup>3,11</sup>	<b>Ø</b>				<b>✓</b> HFD	<b>⊘</b> °	Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)
LOW-VOC ADHESIVES								
EverGuard®, Matrix™, LRF, OlyBond500®								Exempt <sup>4</sup> (exterior)

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- Additional GAF roof ng and/or pavement coating colors having a lower SRI or SR value respectively than the LEED\* credit minimum may still contribute to SSc5 credit a chievement usin the weighted average calculation path. Refer to the CAF Green Building Palybook or LEED\* Reference Guide under the SSc5: Heat bland Reduction credit for specif cs. The SSc5 LEED\* credit form can also be sourced to run samples SRI or SR scenarios using the weighted average nt using
- calculation path. Exterior wetapplied Adhesives and Sealants and exterior materials are exempt from LEED\* vd EQ.c2: Low-Entiting Materials credit requirements for the General Emissions Evaluation and VOC limits, and for Living Building Challenge\* (LBC). Impearative 08 for CDP MS vd. 1-2010 compliance, and for Green Globes Indoor Environment 3.72.1 VOCs. USGBC def nition (and adopted by IBC). "The building interior is def ned as everything visit in the waterproof in prembrane. The building exterior is def ned as everything outside and inclusive of the primary and secondary weatherproof ing systems such as waterproof in generatorians and water resistive barrier materials.

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- VOC requirements for wet-applied exterior materials. For LBC projects, Imperative 10 Red List also has exterior VOC requirements, addressed in Footnote 10.
- $A sphalt\ shingle\ recycling\ programs\ vary\ by\ region.\ Visit\ gaf.com/green\ for\ our\ "Find\ an\ Asphalt\ Shingle\ Recycler"\ map\ or\ visit\ Shingle\ Recycling.org.$
- This referenced product or system may employ hot asphalt in the installation process. Note that if pursuing the EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials credit hot-mopped asphalt for LEED® for Healthcare and LEED® for Schools is prohibited.

- Renewable energy generated onsite contributes to achieving EAc2: Optimize Energy Performance. The Prerequisite, EAp2: Minimum Energy Performance, must be achieved without accounting for onsite renewable energy.

- GAF's Resilient Red List Free Roof ng System's 2-Part Adhesive has VOC content of 68 g/L, which meets LBC VOC limits of 250 g/L based upon SCAQMD Rule #1168 for Single-ply Roof Membrane Adhesives.
- StreetBond\* SB150 Pavement Coating has 14 colors. 7 colors meet the LEED\* v4 SSc5 credit minimum Solar Refectance (SR) values. The other 7 colors contribute to credit compliance using the weighted average SR calculation method.
- 12. Recycled content for EverGuard® TPO and EverGuard Extreme® TPO is minimal with 1% Pre-Consumer recycled content
- StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating offers 14 colors, with all 14 SRI values exceeding the Green Globes Heat Island Reduction credit minimum SRI value.
- $\ensuremath{\mathsf{HPD}}$  Disclosure signif es that an  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{HPD}}$  is available for Red List chemical assessment purposes by LBC project teams.
- Can be used to comply with 2016 Title 24, Part 6, Cool Roof Requirements of the California Code of Regulations.
- Note: Living Building Challenge" is a trademark of the International Living Future Institute.
- Note: Green Globes is a registered trademark of Green Building Initiative, Inc.
- Note: OlyBond500® is a registered trademark of OMG, Inc.
- Note: For LEED® Online documentation purposes, GAF products listed are considered "Enclosure" and not "Structural."
- Note: Substituting the LEED® v4.1 (beta) version of some Material and Resources credits may contribute more LEED® product value for LEED® v4 projects.

FOR SPECIFIC PRODUCT DETAILS AND TO LOCATE THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION FOR LEED® V4, LIVING BUILDING CHALLENGE", AND GREEN GLOBES®, VISIT: GAF.COM/GREENARCHITECTS



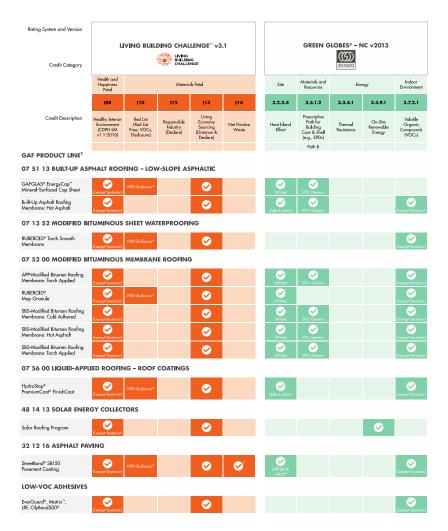
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## GAF Product Scorecard for Green Building Programs— Living Building Challenge™ and Green Globes®





## GAF Product Scorecard for Green Building Programs— **Living Building Challenge™ and Green Globes®** (continued)



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- For a complete listing of GAF rooling and povement coating products and submitted documen LEED\* projects, visit http://gafe.cos.core.card.com/ or transparency.carlolog.com/company/gaf. Also download the GAF Green Building Playbook: Using GAF Products on LEED\* v4 Projects at gaf.com/green.
- LELUY we Projects at gart.com/green.

  Additional GAF roofing and/or povement coating colors having a lower SRI or SR value respectively than the LEDY credit minimum may still contribute to SSc3 credit achievement us the weighted average calculation path. Refer to the GAF Green Sulding Phybook or LEDY Reference Quide under the SSc3- Heat Island Reduction credit for specifics. The SSc3 LEDY credit form can also be sourced to run sample SRI or SR scenarios using the weighted averagedual to the Control of the ST Co
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  Note: The exception is for LEED\* for Healthcare and LEED\* for Schools projects, which do have VOC requirements for wet-applied exterior materials. For IBC projects, Imperative 10 Red List also has exterior VOC requirements, addressed in Footnote 10.
- Asphalt shingle recycling programs vary by region. Visit gaf.com/green for our "Find an Asphalt Shingle Recycler" map or visit ShingleRecycling.org.
- referenced product or system may employ hot asphalt in the installation process. Note that if pursuing
  the EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials credit, hot-mopped asphalt for LEED® for Healthcare and LEED®
  for Schools is prohibited.

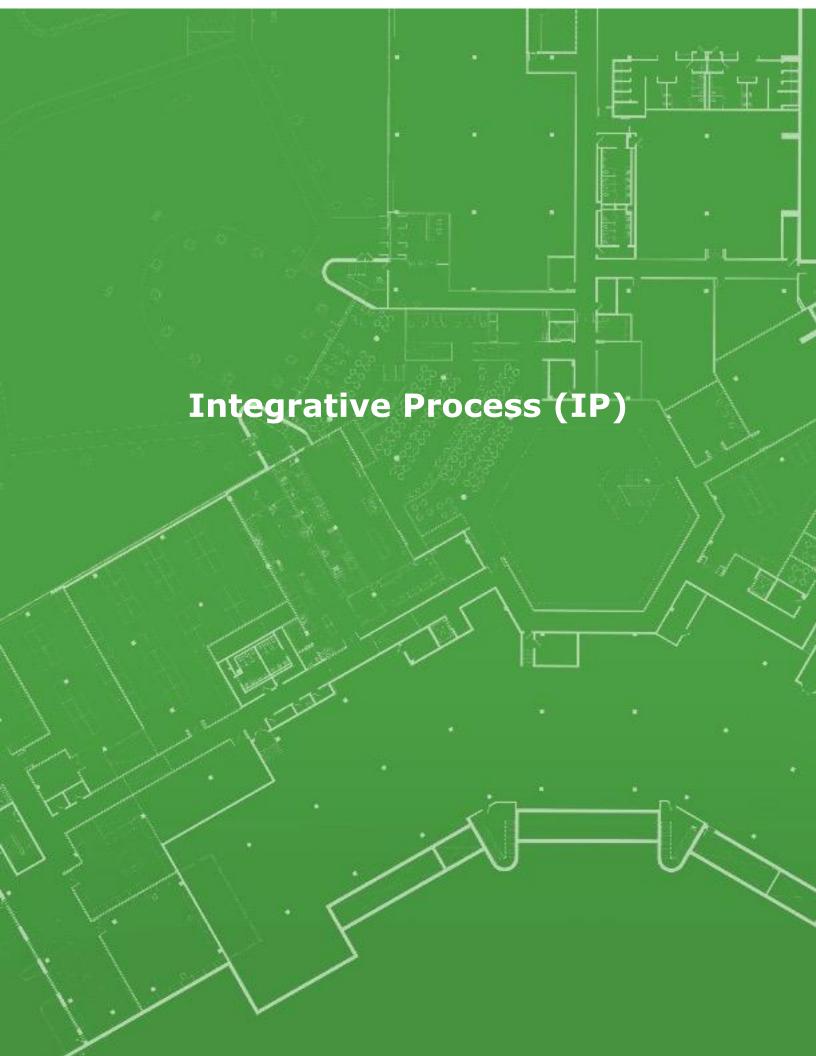
- StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating is fully recyclable with the asphalt.
- Energy/Guard\*\* Polytic and/or Ever Guard\*\* PTO and PYC membranes are recyclable only where appropriate recycling facilities are available. Polytics may be reused. Note: Adhered membranes are not recyclable at this time.
- GAF's Resilient Red List Free Roofing System's 2-Part Adhesive has VOC content of 68 g/L, which meets LBC VOC limits of 250 g/L based upon SCAQMD Rule #1168 for Single-ply Roof Membrane Adhesives.
- StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating has 14 colors. 7 colors meet the LEED® v4 SSc5 credit minimum Solar Reflectence (SR) values. The other 7 colors contribute to credit compliance using the weighted average SR colculation method.
- Recycled content for EverGuard® TPO and EverGuard Extreme® TPO is minimal with 1% Pre-Consumer recycled content.
- StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating offers 14 colors, with all 14 SRI values exceeding the Green Globes Heat Island Reduction credit minimum SRI value.
- HPD Disclosure signifies that an HPD is available for Red List chemical assessment purposes by LBC
- Can be used to comply with 2016 Title 24, Part 6, Cool Roof Requirements of the California Code of Regulations.
- Note: Green Globes is a registered trademark of Green Building Initiative, Inc.
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  Note: Substituting the IEED\* VA.1 (below) version of some Material and Resources credits may contribute more IEED\* product value for IEED\* VA.1 (petc) excitation.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For a complete listing of LEED® v4 contributing GAF roofing products and documentation for LEED® projects, visit http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com.



IP Credit (1 point)	Integrative Process					
Intent	To support high-performance, cost-effective project outcomes through an early analysis of the interrelationships among systems.					
IP Description Highlights	Beginning in pre-design and continuing throughout the design phases, identify and use opportunities to achieve synergies across disciplines and building systems. Use the Discovery and Analyses Guidelines described in the credit to inform the owner's project requirements (OPR), basis of design (BOD), design documents, and construction documents.					
GAF Contribution to LEED® credit IPc1	GAF roofing, insulation, and pavement coating products contribute to the integrative process in both the Energy-Related Systems and Water-Related Systems analysis, as well as the Implementation criteria.					
	<ul> <li>GAF and Energy-Related Systems</li> <li>StreetBond® SB 150 pavement coating adds reflectivity to help reduce heat islands that impact building cooling loads</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>EnergyGuard™ Non-Halogenated Polyiso insulation addresses thermal building envelope attributes</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>EverGuard® TPO roofing systems and LiveRoof® System address exterior materials analyses (reflective attributes and/or vegetative roofing)</li> </ul>					
	<ul> <li>EverGuard Extreme® TPO roofing with industry- tested high-temperature attributes partners well with solar PV roof systems</li> </ul>					
	GAF Energy provides solar roofing systems					
	<ul> <li>GAF and Water-Related Systems</li> <li>Supply sources of onsite rainwater related to roofing systems and catchment</li> </ul>					
	GAF certificate NSF P151: Health Effects from Rainwater Catchment System Components					
	<ul> <li>Landscaping and rainwater management related to vegetative roofing, the GAF LiveRoof® System</li> </ul>					



SS Credit 2 (1-2 Points)	Site Development: Protect or Restore Habitat
Intent	To conserve existing natural areas and restore damaged areas to provide habitat and promote biodiversity.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED <sup>®</sup> Credit SSc2	Specify a GAF vegetative roof system to contribute towards LEED® credit requirements² under "Option 1. Onsite Restoration."
IN <sup>3</sup> Bonus Point	SSc2 is eligible for an exemplary performance point when doubling the 30% restoration requirements under Option 1.

SS Credit 3 (1 Point)	Open Space
Intent	To create exterior open space that encourages interaction with the environment, social interaction, passive recreation, and physical activities.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit SSc3	Specify a GAF vegetative roof system to contribute towards LEED® credit requirements. <sup>2</sup>

SS Credit 4 (2-3 points)	Rainwater Management
Intent	To reduce runoff volume and improve water quality by replicating the natural hydrology and water balance of the site, based on historical conditions and undeveloped ecosystems in the region.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED <sup>®</sup> Credit SSc4	Specify a GAF vegetative roof system to contribute towards LEED® credit requirements. <sup>2</sup>
IN <sup>3</sup> Bonus Point	SSc4 is eligible for an exemplary performance point if 100% of rainwater that falls within the project boundary is managed and documented.



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SS Credit 5 (1-2 points)	Heat Island Reduction
Intent	To minimize effects on microclimates and human and wildlife habitats by reducing heat islands (thermal gradient differences between developed and undeveloped areas).
GAF Contribution¹ to LEED® Credit SSc5	Specify qualifying GAF roofing membranes and coatings, GAF Solar Roofing System, GAF vegetative roof system and/or GAF StreetBond® pavement coatings to reduce heat absorptions to contribute towards LEED® credit requirements under both Options 1 and 2. (See Tables 3 & 4)
	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights:



Image: EverGuard Extreme® TPO



Image: GAF Vegetative Roof System



Image: Coated asphalt parking lot using StreetBond® SB150 with Solar Reflectance (SR) Colorants

#### Choose one of the following two options:

### Option 1: Non-Roof and Roof (2 points)

Meet the criterion in Equation 1 (see page 16, or alternatively, an SRI and SR weighted average approach may be used to calculate compliance using Equation 2 (see page 16). SRI stands for Solar Reflectance Index and SR is Solar Reflectance.

For example, roofing materials having a higher SRI value than those listed in Table 1 may help offset non-roof hardscape areas not meeting the SR values, depending on the relative proportions of roof to non-roof areas and mitigation strategies in the project.

Use any combination of the following strategies for Option 1:

#### High-Reflectance Roof

Use roofing materials that have an SRI equal to or greater than the values in Table 1.

Table 1. Minimum solar reflectance index value, by roof slope.

Roof Type	Slope	Initial SRI	Or	3-yr Aged SRI
Low-sloped roof	≤ 2:12 (15%)	82		64
Steep- sloped roof	> 2:12 (15%)	39		32

### Vegetated Roof

Install a vegetated roof.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Refer to <u>www.usgbc.org/leed</u> for complete credit requirements.



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## SS Credit 5 (1-2 points)

## **Heat Island Reduction** (Continued)

#### TIP:

Option 1 in LEED® v4 BD+C now requires combining non-roof (hardscape) areas with roof areas into one performance calculation, if hardscape is present.

#### TIP:

SR (Solar Reflectance) values are now used to calculate non-roof (hardscape) areas, rather than SRI (Solar Reflectance Index) as in LEED® v2009.



Image: Asphalt streetscape coated with  $StreetBondSR^{@}$ 

#### TIP:

Try using the SSc5 LEED® credit form to run various roof and hardscape mitigation scenarios for quick calculations.

Go to: <a href="http://usqbc.org/leed">http://usqbc.org/leed</a> See Credit Library / Heat Island Reduction / Forms

#### TIP:

Only 75% of roofing and 50% of non-roofing area must meet the **minimum** SRI and SR values. Because it is a combined performance calculation, this means any areas that exceed the minimum SRI or SR values can actually help 'carry' the areas that are below the minimum SR or SRI values.

## IN stands for Innovation, one of eight LEED® credit categories.

### Credit Requirements<sup>2</sup> - Highlights: (continued)

#### Non-roof Measures

- Use paving materials with a three-year aged SR value of at least 0.28, or if aged values are unavailable, use an initial solar reflectance (SR) value of at least 0.33 at installation
- Provide shade with architectural devices or structures that have a three-year aged SR value of at least 0.28, or if aged is unavailable, use an Initial SR of at least 0.33 at installation
- Provide shade with vegetated structures
- Use an open-grid pavement system (at least 50% unbound)
- Provide shade with structures covered by energy generation systems, such as solar thermal collectors, photovoltaics, and wind turbines
- Use the existing plant material or install plants that provide shade over paving areas (including playgrounds) on the site within 10 years of planting. Install vegetated planters. Plants must be in place at the time of occupancy permit and cannot include artificial turf

Table 2. Typical SR (Solar Reflectance) Values

Standard Non-Roof Materials	Initial SR Index	3-Yr Aged SR Index
Grey cement concrete	0.26	0.18
White cement concrete	0.70	0.35
Asphalt concrete	0.05	0.10

**Source:** USGBC® LEED® Interpretation #10411

#### OR

### Option 2: Parking Under Cover (1 point)

Place a minimum of 75% of parking spaces under cover.
 Any roof used to shade or cover parking must (1) have a three-year aged SRI of at least 32, or if aged is unavailable, have an Initial SRI of at least 39 at installation (2) be a vegetated roof, or (3) be covered by energy generation systems, such as solar thermal collectors, photovoltaics, and wind turbines.



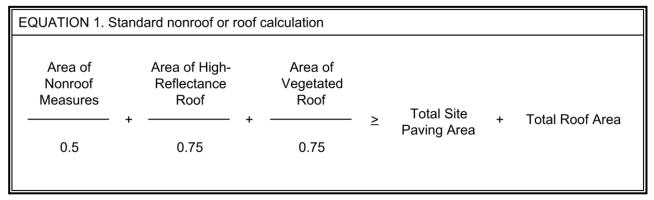
IN1 Bonus Point

SSc5 is eligible for an exemplary performance point if both Options 1 and 2 are achieved AND 100% of parking spaces have been located undercover.

## SSc5: Option 1 - Non-Roof and Roof (2 points)

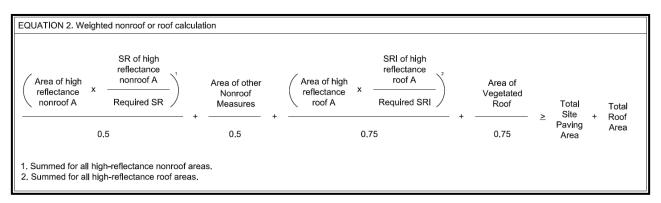
Meet the criterion in Equation 1, or alternatively, an SRI and SR weighted average approach may be used to calculate compliance using Equation 2.

**Equation 1.** Standard non-roof or roof calculation



Source: USGBC®

**Equation 2.** Weighted non-roof or roof calculation



Source: USGBC®

## GAF Roofing Products SRI Values

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values

Product Name	Product Area	Initial Reflectivity	Initial Emissivity	Initial SRI	3-Yr. Aged SRI		
Product Area: Asphaltic Cap Sheets							
GAFGLAS <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> Mineral- Surfaced Cap Sheet (White)	Cap Sheet	0.72	0.91	89	72		
RUBEROID <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> 30 Granule FR (White)	Cap Sheet	0.71	0.90	87	70		
RUBEROID <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> HW Plus Granule FR (White)	Cap Sheet	0.75	0.82	91	69		
RUBEROID <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> Mop Plus Granule FR (White)	Cap Sheet	0.74	0.84	90	70		
RUBEROID <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> Torch Granule FR (White)	Cap Sheet	0.72	0.91	89	pending		
RUBEROID <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> Torch Plus Granule FR (White)	Cap Sheet	0.74	0.90	92	77		
Product Area: Single-Ply Membr	anes						
EverGuard Extreme <sup>®</sup> TPO (Energy Gray)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.73	0.90	90	80		
EverGuard Extreme® TPO (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.83	0.84	103	89		
EverGuard Extreme® TPO FB Ultra (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.83	0.84	103	89		
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> Freedom™ TPO (Gray)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.40	0.89	45	46		
EverGuard® Freedom™ TPO (Tan)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.65	0.90	79 <sup>2</sup>	69		
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> Freedom™ TPO (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.76	0.90	94	81		
EverGuard® PVC (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.88	110	pending		
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> PVC Fleece-back (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.88	110	pending		
EverGuard® PVC KEE (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.88	110	pending		
EverGuard® PVC KEE Fleece-back (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.88	110	pending		

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Roofing and/or pavement coating materials having a lower SRI or SR value than the minimum values stated in SSc5 requirements may still contribute to achieving this credit in many cases using Equation 1 or by using the weighted calculation path using Equation 2 in the LEED® Reference Guide or by inputting various project scenarios in the SSc5 sample credit form or in LEED® Online.

## GAF Roofing Products SRI Values (continued)

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values (continued)

Product Name	Product Area	Initial Reflectivity	Initial Emissivity	Initial SRI	3-Yr. Aged SRI			
Product Area: Single-Ply Membranes (continued)								
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> PVC Smooth (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.87	110	93			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> PVC XK (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.87	110	93			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> PVC XK Fleeceback (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.87	0.87	110	93			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO (Energy Gray)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.72	0.87	88	82			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO (Energy Tan)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.72	0.89	88	80			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO (Gray)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.40	0.89	45	46			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO (Tan)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.65	0.90	<b>79</b> <sup>2</sup>	69			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO (White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.76	0.90	94	81			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO FB Ultra (Gray)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.40	0.89	45	46			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO FB Ultra (Tan)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.65	0.90	79²	69			
EverGuard <sup>®</sup> TPO FB Ultra(White)	Single-Ply Membrane	0.76	0.90	94	81			
Product Area: Coatings								
HydroStop <sup>®</sup> PremiumCoat <sup>®</sup> Finish Coat (Cotton)	Coating	0.71	0.90	87	82			
HydroStop <sup>®</sup> PremiumCoat <sup>®</sup> Finish Coat (White)	Coating	0.79	0.90	99	86			
United Coatings™ EnergyCote™ Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.91	0.87	115	97			
TOPCOAT® MB Plus (White)	Coating	0.83	0.88	104	90			
TOPCOAT® Membrane (White)	Coating	0.85	0.90	107	84			
TOPCOAT® Surface Seal SB (White)	Coating	0.84	0.90	106	70			
United Coatings™ Acron 60 Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.84	0.88	105	80			

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## GAF Roofing Products¹ SRI Values (continued)

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values (continued)

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Product Name	Product Area	Initial Reflectivity	Initial Emissivity	Initial SRI	3-Yr. Aged SRI
Product Area: Coatings (continu	ed)				
United Coatings™ Diathon® HT Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.82	0.89	103	89
United Coatings™ Diathon® Roof Coating (Light Tan)	Coating	0.71	0.93	88	71
United Coatings™ Diathon® Roof Coating (Tan)	Coating	0.67	0.90	82	50
United Coatings™ Diathon® Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.83	0.92	105	87
United Coatings™ Elastuff™ 103 Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.81	0.89	101	83
United Coatings™ Kymax™ Coating (White)	Coating	0.87	0.87	110	95
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Top Coat (Light Tan)	Coating	0.71	0.93	88	71
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Top Coat (Tan)	Coating	0.67	0.90	82	50
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Top Coat (White)	Coating	0.83	0.92	105	87
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ HT Coating (White)	Coating	0.82	0.89	103	89
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ MB Plus Coating (White)	Coating	0.83	0.88	104	90
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ TCM Coating (White)	Coating	0.85	0.90	107	84
United Coatings™ Roofshield® Coating (Tan)	Coating	0.66	0.90	80 <sup>2</sup>	55²
United Coatings™ Roofshield® Coating (White)	Coating	0.84	0.90	106	81
United Coatings™ Surface Seal SB Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.84	0.90	106	70

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## GAF Roofing Product¹ SRI Values (continued)

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values (continued)

Product Name	Product Area	Initial Reflectivity	Initial Emissivity	Initial SRI	3-Yr. Aged SRI
Product Area: Coatings (continu	ed)				
United Coatings™ Unisil HS Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.87	0.89	110	86
United Coatings™ Unisil Roof Coating (White)	Coating	0.85	0.85	106	80
Product Area: Shingles			L		
Glenwood® (Golden Prairie)	Shingle	0.17	0.92	16	18
Grand Sequoia® Reflector Series™ – Charcoal (Fontana, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.92	17	pending
Grand Sequoia® Reflector Series™ – Forest Brown (Fontana, CA plant)	Shingle	0.19	0.92	19	pending
Grand Sequoia® Reflector Series™ – Ocean Gray (Fontana, CA plant)	Shingle	0.19	0.92	19	pending
Grand Sequoia® Reflector Series™ – Sagewood (Fontana, CA plant)	Shingle	0.20	0.92	20	pending
Grand Sequoia® Reflector Series™ – Sandalwood (Fontana, CA plant)	Shingle	0.20	0.92	20	pending
Royal Sovereign® (White)	Shingle	0.27	0.91	28	25²
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> - White (Tampa, Fla plant)	Shingle	0.26	0.85	24	25²
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series <sup>™</sup> - Birchwood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.20	0.92	20	24 <sup>2</sup>
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Charcoal (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.16	0.92	15	pending

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## GAF Roofing Products SRI Values (continued)

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values (continued)

Product Area: Shingles (continu	ued)				
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Copper Canyon (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.17	0.92	16	16
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Golden Amber (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.20	0.92	20	21
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Hickory (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.91	17	pending
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Sagewood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.19	0.91	18	pending
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Sandalwood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.21	0.90	21	pending
Timberline HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ - Stone Gray (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.17	0.91	16	pending
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Sagewood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.19	0.91	18	pending
Timberline Ultra HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ – Hickory (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.91	17	pending
Timberline Ultra HD <sup>®</sup> Reflector Series™ – Hickory (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.91	17	pending
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Aged Chestnut (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.90	16	pending
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Birchwood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.20	0.92	20	24 <sup>2</sup>

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## GAF Roofing Product<sup>1</sup> SRI Values (continued)

Table 3. GAF Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) Values (continued)

Product Name	Product Area	Initial Reflectivity	Initial Emissivity	Initial SRI	3-Yr. Aged SRI
Product Area: Shingles (continue	ed)				
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Charcoal (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.16	0.92	15	pending
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Coastal Slate (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.18	0.91	17	pending
Timberline Ultra HD® Reflector Series™ – Sandalwood (Shafter, CA plant)	Shingle	0.21	0.91	21	pending
Timberline® American Harvest® - Amber Wheat	Shingle	0.18	0.92	17	18
Timberline <sup>®</sup> Cool Series <sup>®</sup> - Cool Antique Slate	Shingle	0.28	0.92	30²	<b>27</b> <sup>2</sup>
Timberline <sup>®</sup> Cool Series <sup>®</sup> - Cool Barkwood	Shingle	0.27	0.90	28	28²
Timberline® Cool Series® - Cool Weathered Wood	Shingle	0.28	0.92	30²	28²
Timberline <sup>®</sup> Natural Shadow <sup>®</sup> - Arctic White	Shingle	0.26	0.85	24	25 <sup>2</sup>



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## GAF Non-Roof Products: SR Values (Hardscape)

**SSc5: Heat Island Reduction** 

## Table 4. GAF Solar Reflectance (SR) Values

Product Name	Product Area	Initial SR	3-Yr. Aged SR
Product Area: Pavement Coatings			
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.72	n/a
(SR White)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.44	n/a
(SR Sun Baked Clay)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.48	n/a
(SR Irish Cream)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.33	n/a
(SR Limestone)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.38	n/a
(SR Paprika)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.35	n/a
(SR Mustard)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.33	n/a
(SR Khaki)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.35	n/a
(SR Sandstone)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.33	n/a
(SR Evergreen)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	$0.29^{2}$	n/a
(SR Fawn)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	$0.32^{2}$	n/a
(SR Terra Cotta)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	$0.28^{2}$	n/a
(SR Slate)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	$0.30^{2}$	n/a
(SR Brownstone)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	$0.30^{2}$	n/a
(SR Safety Blue)	Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 SR Pavement Coating	Pavement	0.26 <sup>2</sup>	n/a
(SR Sandy Beige)	Coatings		



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## GAF LEED® Case Study #1

#### **Project Profile**

Example project of how GAF roofing products contribute directly to achieving multiple LEED® v4 credit requirements.



#### **LEED® Credit SSc5: Heat Island Reduction**

EverGuard Extreme® TPO White roofing (Initial SRI of 94) exceeds the minimum LEED® credit threshold of Initial SRI 82.

#### **LEED® Credit MRc2:** *BPDO¹ – Environmental Product Declaration (EPD)*

EverGuard Extreme® TPO roofing has a third-party verified Product-specific Type III EPD, which means it contributes as 1 'whole' product to the 20 required for credit achievement.

EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Roof Insulation has an industry-wide (generic) EPD, contributing as 'one-half' product value toward credit achievement.

#### LEED® Credit MRc3: BPDO - Leadership Extraction Practices

EverGuard Extreme $^{\otimes}$  TPO roofing and EnergyGuard $^{\text{TM}}$  Polyiso Roof Insulation contribute with their recycled content.

#### **LEED® Credit MRc4:** *BPDO - Material Ingredients*

EverGuard Extreme® TPO roofing and EnergyGuard™ Polyiso both contribute with the required Health Product Declaration (HPD) transparency disclosures. EverGuard Extreme® also carries a Declare® Red List Free Label.

#### **LEED® Credit EQc2:** *Low-Emitting Materials*

GAF's low-VOC adhesives and sealants in this project are all exterior-applied, which exempts them from credit requirements.

#### **LEED® Credit IPc1: Integrative Process**

EverGuard Extreme® TPO roofing and EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation both contribute to the Energy-Related Systems compliance portion of this credit through the Discovery and Implementation process for the building envelope and roofing systems. EverGuard Extreme® TPO contributes towards Renewable Energy opportunities given its advanced heat and UV protection properties.

Contributing to the Water-Related Systems requirement, EverGuard Extreme® TPO is also certified through an NSF P151 Health Effects from Rainwater Catchment System Components.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> BPDO stands for Building Product Disclosure and Optimization.

## GAF LEED® Case Study #2

**Project Profile:** Historical Beach House Parking Lot - Annenberg Community Beach Club **Location:** Santa Monica, CA

#### **Project Challenge:**

Reduce the Heat Island Effect of the existing dark, non-reflective asphalt parking surface.

#### **GAF Solution:**

The project applied GAF's StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating that contains a SR (solar reflective) Colorantthat keeps asphalt cooler, which in turn keeps outdoor ambient temperatures lower. This reduction then contributes to lowering cooling demands and costs of the building while also reducing CO² emissions and pollution.

GAF's StreetBond®
SB150 contributes to
the following LEED® v4
credits:

### <u>LEED</u>® <u>Credit SSc5:</u> <u>Heat Island</u> Reduction

StreetBond® SB150
Pavement Coating
increased the Solar
Reflectance (SR) of the
black asphalt parking
pavement from Initial
SR 0.05 to Initial SR
0.33 using the Khaki
Colorant. StreetBond®
SB150 solar reflectance
colorant selections
range from SR 0.30 to
0.60.

Image: Coated asphalt parking lot with StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating applied

#### LEED® Credits EAp2 & EAc2: Optimize Energy Performance

GAF StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating contributed to reducing the cooling loads of the building by decreasing the outside summer ambient temperatures. StreetBond® increased the Solar Reflectance of the asphalt parking pavement by reflecting more of the summer sun's heat.

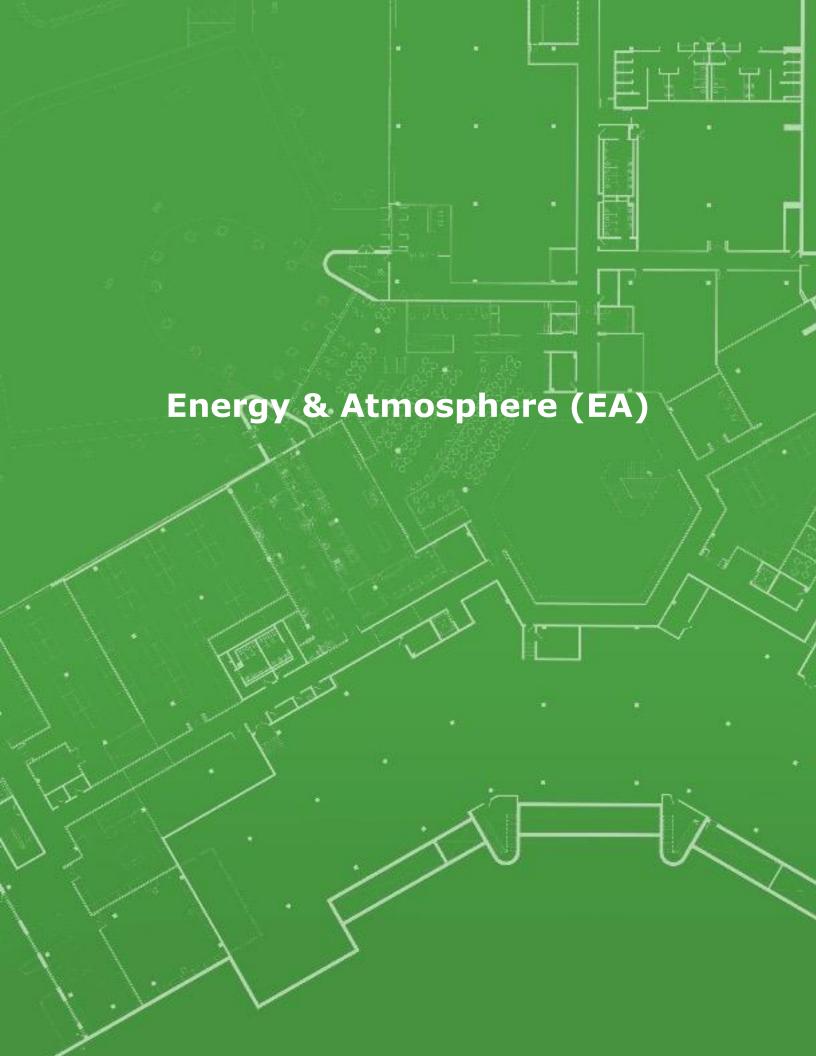
#### LEED® Credit: EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials

GAF StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating is water based, and low VOC (<25 g/L), and meets stringent SCAQMD air pollution regulations.

### **LEED Credit IPc1: Integrative Process**

GAF StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating contributes to the Energy-Related Systems path of this credit, specifically in the Discovery and Implementation process for Site Conditions. The Integrative Process identifies design opportunities to achieve synergies across disciplines and building systems. In this case, the default decisions for hardscape surfaces are explored, resulting in the StreetBond® reflective coating solution over the traditional non-reflective asphalt parking pavement, but without the cost of concrete.





EA Credit 1 (2-6 points)	Enhanced Commissioning
Intent	To further support the design, construction, and eventual operation of a project that meets the owner's project requirements for energy, water, indoor environmental quality, and durability.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED <sup>®</sup> Credit EAc1	Option 2. Building Envelope Commissioning (BECx) is new in LEED® v4.  GAF can contribute to achieving this credit option by supporting the design and construction team with roofing system drawings and specifications for the roofing portions of the thermal envelope.

EAp2 / EA Credit 2 (1-18 points)	Minimum / Optimize Energy Performance
Intent	To achieve increasing levels of energy performance beyond the baseline in the prerequisite standard to reduce harmful environmental and economic impacts associated with excessive energy use.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit EAp2/EAc2	Option 1: Use GAF EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Roof Insulation to improve thermal building performance compared to the baseline per ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA Standard 90.1-2010. (See Table 5)
	Other methods to improve energy performance using GAF products include the use of a reflective roofing membrane system, vegetative roof system, or solar roofing system <sup>2</sup> .

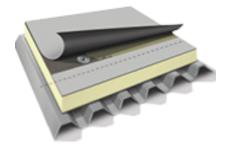


Image: GAF EnergyGuard™ Halogen-Free Polyiso

Roof Insulation

 $<sup>^{^{2}}</sup>$  Refer to  $\underline{\text{http://www.usgbc.org/leed}}$  for complete credit requirements.



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EAc2: Optimize Energy Performance
Points Awarded for Increase in Energy Performance over Base Standard
Table 5

Energy Efficiency Improvement <sup>1</sup>			
New Construction	Major Renovation	LEED® Points	
6%	4%	1	
8%	6%	2	
10%	8%	3	
12%	10%	4	
14%	12%	5	
16%	14%	6	
18%	16%	7	
20%	18%	8	
22%	20%	9	
24%	22%	10	
26%	24%	11	
29%	27%	12	
32%	30%	13	
35%	33%	14	
38%	36%	15	
42%	40%	16	
46%	44%	17	
50%	48%	18	
54%	54%	IN <sup>2</sup> Bonus Point	

Source: USGBC®

 $<sup>^{^{2}}</sup>$  IN stands for Innovation, one of eight LEED  $^{\text{@}}$  credit categories.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Building Performance Rating Method includes <u>ALL</u> of the energy costs within and associated with the building project.

Renewable Energy Production
To reduce the environmental and economic harms associated with fossil fuel energy by increasing self-supply of renewable energy.

## GAF Contribution<sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit EAc5



Image: GAF Solar Roofing System



Image: GAF Master Flow® Green Machine™Solar-Powered EcoSmart Roof Vent

Use a GAF Solar Roofing System or GAF Master Flow® Green Machine™ Solar-Powered EcoSmart Roof Vent product to contribute toward credit thresholds in Table 6.

Credit Requirements<sup>2</sup> - Highlights:

Specify renewable energy systems to offset building energy costs. Calculate the percentage of renewable energy with the following equation:

% renewable energy =

Equivalent cost of usable energy produced by the renewable energy system [divided by]

Total building annual energy cost

## **Onsite Renewable Energy Thresholds Table 6**

Percentage Renewable Energy <sup>2</sup>	LEED® Points
1%	1
5%	2
10%	3
15%	IN <sup>3</sup> Bonus Point



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**Materials & Resources (MR)** 

MR Credit 1 (2-5 points)	Building Life-Cycle Impact Reduction
Intent	To encourage adaptive reuse and optimize the environmental performance of products and materials.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit MRc1	GAF EverGuard® TPO products have contributed LCA (Life-Cycle Assessment) data to the Athena Impact Estimator, which is a tool used to calculate achievement of Option 4: Whole-Building Life-Cycle Assessment for this credit.
GAF	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights:
Life Cycle Assessment Report for Thermoplastic Polyolefin (TPO) Roofing Products	Demonstrate reduced environmental effects during initial project decision-making by reusing existing building resources or demonstrating a reduction in materials use through life-cycle assessment. Achieve one of the following options.
Image: GAF Life-Cycle Assessment (LCA) Report for TPO	Option 1. Historic Building Reuse
	Option 2. Renovation of Abandoned or Blighted Buildings
	Option 3. Building and Material Reuse
	Option 4. Whole-Building Life-Cycle Assessment
	For new construction (buildings or portions of buildings), conduct a life-cycle assessment (LCA) of the project's structure and enclosure that demonstrates a minimum of 10% reduction compared with a baseline building in at least three of the six impact categories, one of which must be global warming potential. No impact category assessed as part of the life-cycle assessment may increase by more than 5% compared with the baseline building.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Refer to <u>www.usgbc.org/leed</u> for complete credit requirements.



 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}~{\rm USGBC^{\scriptsize @}}$  does not review, certify, or endorse third-party products or services.

MR Credit 2 (1-2 points)	Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Environmental Product Declarations
Intent	To encourage the use of products and materials for which life-cycle information is available and that have environmentally, economically, and socially preferable life-cycle impacts.
	To reward project teams for selecting products from manufacturers who have verified improved environmental life-cycle impacts.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED <sup>®</sup> Credit MRc2	Select numerous GAF products with a published third-party Type III EPD. (See Table 9 for full list of products)
GAF EPD EverGuard® TPO	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights: Achieve one or more of the options below, for a maximum of 2 points.
Commerce GAF PROMOTE Find pick sorting  Promote Commerce	Option 1: Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) (1 point)
Image: GAF Product-specific Type III EPD for EverGuard® TPO	Use at least 20 different permanently installed products sourced from at least five different manufacturers that meet one of the disclosure criteria below.
TIP:	Product-Specific Declaration
Option 1 EPDs can be achieved sourcing:  • 20 products counting as 'Whole product,' or	Products with a publicly available, critically reviewed lifecycle assessment conforming to ISO 14044 that have at least a cradle-to-gate scope are valued as one quarter (1/4) of a product for the purposes of credit achievement calculation.
<ul> <li>40 products counting as 'Half product,' or</li> </ul>	Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)
80 products counting as 'Quarter product,' or	EPDs that conform to ISO 14025 and EN 15804 or ISO 21930 and have at least a cradle-to-gate scope.
any combination	<ul> <li>Industry-wide (generic) EPD – Products with third-party certification (Type III), including external verification, in which the manufacturer is explicitly recognized as a participant by the program operator are valued as one half (1/2) of a product for purposes of credit achievement calculation.</li> <li>Product-specific Type III EPD – Products with third-</li> </ul>
Polyiso Roof Insulation Boards	party certification (Type III), including external verification, in which the manufacturer is explicitly
Image: GAF Industry-Wide (generic) EPD for EnergyGuard® Polyiso	recognized as the participant by the program operator are valued as one whole product for purposes of credit achievement calculation.
	USGBC-approved program (future)



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## MR Credit 2 (1-2 points)

#### TIP:

Use the LEED® MR credit BPDO Calculator to track and document material purchases (or projections) and their eligible mix-and-match criteria for MR credit achievement.

Go to <a href="http://usgbc.org">http://usgbc.org</a> and search 'BPDO calculator.'



## EnergyGuard NH

Environmental Product Declaration

## for EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso TIP:

Looking for the actual product EPDs to view or document for this credit? Go to:

http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com/

or

https://www.transparencycat alog.com/company/gaf

or

http://www.gaf.com/green

# Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Environmental Product Declarations (Continued)

#### Option 2. Multiattribute Optimization (1 point)

Use products that comply with one of the criteria below for 50%, by cost, of the total value of permanently installed products in the project. Products will be valued as below.

- Third-party certified products that demonstrate impact reduction below industry average in at least three of the following categories are valued at 100% of their cost for credit achievement calculations.
  - global warming potential (greenhouse gases), in CO<sup>2</sup>e:
  - depletion of the stratospheric ozone layer, in kg CFC-11;
  - acidification of land and water sources, in moles H+ or kg SO<sup>2</sup>;
  - o eutrophication, in kg nitrogen or kg phosphate;
  - formation of tropospheric ozone, in kg NOx, kg 03, or kg ethane; and
  - depletion of nonrenewable energy resources, in MJ.
- Future USGBC-approved program for multiattribute frameworks.

#### **Location valuation factor** (a regional multiplier):

For credit achievement calculation, products sourced (extracted, manufactured, AND purchased) within 100 miles (160 km) of the project site are valued at 200% of their base contributing cost. Go to <a href="http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com</a> to determine project distances.

**Structure and enclosure** materials may not constitute more than 30% of the value of compliant building products. However:

Projects with significant amounts of structural and enclosure materials <u>may</u> exceed the 30% limit by calculating an alternative structure and enclosure limit.

Table 8. USGBC® EPD Process Comparison - MRc2 (LEED® v4)

EPD Types	Product-specific Declaration	Industry-Wide EPD	Product-specific EPD
Data are critically reviewed	X	X	X
Data are specific to product	X		X
Data are reported according to a PCR		possibly	Х

Source: USGBC®



## **GAF Products with EPD¹ Transparency Reporting** MRc2: BPDO - Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)<sup>2</sup>

### **Table 9. GAF Published EPDs**

	<u>LCA</u>	<u>EPDs</u>	
MRc2 - Opt. 1 Requirements: "Use at least 20 different permanently installed products sourced from at least five different manufacturers that meet one of the [MRc2 EPD] disclosure criteria."	Product-specific Declaration	Industry-wide (generic) EPD	Product-specific Type III EPD
Contributing GAF Products	¼ LEED® product value	½ LEED® product value	1 Whole LEED <sup>®</sup> product value
07 21 00 Thermal Insulation	ı – Roofing		
EnergyGuard® NH Polyiso Roof Insulation			✓
EnergyGuard® Polyiso Roof Insulation		✓	
07 54 00 Thermoplastic Men	nbrane Roofing - Single-P	ly	
EverGuard® TPO Roofing			<b>√</b>
EverGuard Extreme® TPO Roofing			<b>✓</b>
EverGuard® PVC Membrane Smooth			✓
TPO Single-Ply Roofing Membrane: Fastened		✓	
07 51 13 Built-Up Asphalt Ro	oofing – Low-Slope Aspha	ltic	
Built-Up Asphalt Roofing Membrane: Hot Asphalt		✓	
GAFGLAS <sup>®</sup> EnergyCap <sup>™</sup> Mineral-Surfaced Cap Sheet		✓	
07 52 00 APP-Modified Bitur	minous Membrane Roofing	g: Torch Applied	
APP-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Torch Applied		✓	
07 52 00 SBS-Modified Bitur	ninous Membrane Roofing	: Torch Applied	
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Torch Applied		✓	
07 52 00 SBS-Modified Bitur	ninous Membrane Roofing	ı: Hot Asphalt	
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Hot Asphalt		✓	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Visit <u>WWW.GAF.COM/GREEN</u> for EPD transparency documents.
<sup>2</sup> Project teams may optionally consider substituting the LEED® v4.1 (beta) version of the MRc2 credit that may reward even higher product values for EPDs than the current MRc2 LEED® v4 version.



## GAF Products with EPD¹ Transparency Reporting (continued) MRc2: BPDO - Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs)² (continued)

## Table 9. GAF Published EPDs (continued)

	<u>LCA</u>	<u>EPDs</u>		
MRc2 - Opt. 1 Requirements: "Use at least 20 different permanently installed products sourced from at least five different manufacturers that meet one of the [MRc2 EPD] disclosure criteria."	Product-specific Declaration	Industry-wide (generic) EPD	Product-specific Type III EPD	
Contributing GAF Products	¼ LEED® product value	½ LEED <sup>®</sup> product value	1 Whole LEED® product value	
07 52 00 SBS-Modified Bituminous Membrane Roofing: Cold-Applied				
SBS-Modified Bitumen Roofing Membrane: Cold Adhered		✓		
07 31 13 Asphalt Shingles – Steep Slope Roofing				
Asphalt Shingle Roofing Systems: Fastened		✓		
Timberline® Cool Series® Shingles		✓		
Timberline HD® Reflector Series™ Shingles		✓		
Glenwood® Shingles		✓		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Project teams may optionally consider substituting the LEED® v4.1 (beta) version of the MRc2 credit that may reward even higher product credit values for EPDs than the current MRc2 LEED® v4 version shown above.



 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Visit  $\underline{\mathbf{WWW.GAF.COM/GREEN}}$  for EPD transparency documents.

MR Credit 3 (1-2 points)	Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Sourcing of Raw Materials
Intent	To encourage the use of products and materials for which life cycle information is available and that have environmentally, economically, and socially preferable life-cycle impacts.
	To reward project teams for selecting products verified to have been extracted or sourced in a responsible manner.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit MRc3	Select GAF products that can contribute to Option 2;  Leadership Extraction Practices. (See Table 10)
TIP:	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights:
Use the LEED® MR credit BPDO Calculator to track and document material purchases (or projections) and their eligible mix-and-match criteria for MR credit achievement.	Option 1: Raw Material Source and Extraction Reporting (1 point)
	<b>Option 2: Leadership Extraction Practices</b> (1 point)
Go to <a href="http://usgbc.org">http://usgbc.org</a> and search 'BPDO calculator.' Be sure to source the latest version.	Use products that meet at least one of the responsible criteria below for at least 25%, by cost, of the total value of permanently installed building products in the project.
Source the latest version.	Recycled content
	Extended producer responsibility
	Bio-based materials
Recycled content is the sum of	Wood products
postconsumer recycled content plus	Materials reuse
one-half the preconsumer recycled content, based on cost.	USGBC-approved program (future)
	<b>Location valuation factor</b> (a regional multiplier):
Products meeting recycled content criteria are valued at 100% of their cost for the purposes of credit achievement calculation.	For credit achievement calculation, products sourced (extracted, manufactured, AND purchased) within 100 miles (160 km) of the project site are valued at 200% of their base contributing cost. Go to <a href="http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com</a> to determine project distances.
	<b>Structure and enclosure</b> materials may not constitute more than 30% of the value of compliant building products. However:
	Projects with significant amounts of structural and enclosure materials <u>may</u> exceed the 30% limit by calculating an alternative structure and enclosure limit.
IN <sup>3</sup> Bonus Credit	Option 1: Source at least 40 products from five manufacturers. Option 2: Purchase 50%, by cost, of the total value of permanently installed building products that meet the responsible extraction criteria.

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### GAF Products<sup>1</sup> Recycled Content MRc3: BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials

#### **Table 10. GAF Recycled Content**

Commercial Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
Product Area: Single-Ply Membrane		
EverGuard® TPO (White) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® TPO (Tan) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® Energy Tan TPO 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® Energy Gray TPO 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® Freedom™ TPO (White) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® Freedom™ TPO (Tan) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® TPO Fleece-Back (White) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® TPO Fleece-Back (Tan) 45 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
EverGuard® PVC (White) 50 mil, 60 mil, 80 mil	7.0%	7.0%
EverGuard® PVC Fleece-Back (White) 60 mil, 80 mil	7.0%	7.0%
EverGuard® Steep-Slope TPO (White) Residential	0%	1.0%
EverGuard Extreme® TPO (White) 50 mil, 60 mil, 70 mil, 80 mil	0%	1.0%
Product Area: Roof Insulation <sup>4</sup>		
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation AA Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation AA Panel		11%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation A Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation A Panel	29%	10%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation B Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation B Panel	23%	7%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation C Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation C Panel	18%	6%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 1" Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 1" Panel	32.0%	11%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 1.5" Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 1.5" Panel	25.0%	8%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 2" Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 2" Panel	20%	7%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 2.5" Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 2.5" Panel	16%	6%

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>EnergyGuard™ Insulation is sourced from manufacturing facilities nationwide and recycled content is based on GAF national averages. Sourcing location will not be determined until time of shipment and is subject to change. Depending on material sourcing, check packaging to determine if EnergyGuard™ Insulation is labeled RA, RN, or no designation. Confirm with GAF Customer Services.

# GAF Products<sup>1</sup> Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Commercial Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 3" Panel	14%	4%
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 3" Panel		
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 3.1" Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 3.1" Panel	14%	4%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 3.3" Panel		
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 3.3" Panel	13%	4%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 3.5" Panel	12%	4%
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 3.5" Panel	12%	4%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation 4" Panel	11%	4%
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation 4" Panel		
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation X Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation X Panel	32%	11%
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation Y Panel	20%	7%
EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation Y Panel		
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation Z Panel EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation Z Panel	14%	4%
EnergyGuard™ Not Polyiso Insulation 2 Panel		
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation Q Panel  EnergyGuard™ NH Polyiso Insulation Q Panel	25.0%	8%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 1" Panel	24.5%	18.5%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 1.5" Panel	18.8%	14.2%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 2" Panel	15.4%	11.6%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 2.5" Panel	13.1%	9.9%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 3" Panel	11.4%	8.6%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polylso Insulation 3.1" Panel	10.8%	8.2%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 3.3" Panel	10.3%	7.7%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 3.5" Panel	10.3%	7.7%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation 4" Panel	9.1%	6.9%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation X Panel	24.5%	18.5%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation Y Panel	15.4%	11.6%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation Z Panel	11.4%	8.6%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation Q Panel	18.8%	14.2%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation AA Panel	0%	n/a
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation A Panel	21.9%	15.9%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation B Panel	16.8%	12.7%
EnergyGuard™ RA Polyiso Insulation C Panel	14.0%	10.5%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 1"	26.4%	13.7%

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on any product.

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### GAF Products¹ Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO - Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Commercial Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 1.5"	19.1%	11.8%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 2"	15.8%	10.9%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 2.5"	12.9%	10.1%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 3"	11.3%	9.7%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 3.1"	11.0%	9.7%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 3.3"	10.5%	9.5%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 3.5"	9.6%	9.3%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation 4"	8.7%	9.1%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation X Panel	26.4%	13.7%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation Y Panel	15.8%	10.9%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation Z Panel	11.3%	9.7%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation Q Panel	19.1%	11.8%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation AA Panel	26.4%	13.7%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation A Panel	22.8%	12.8%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation B Panel	17.5%	11.4%
EnergyGuard™ RN Polyiso Insulation C Panel	14.4%	10.5%
EnergyGuard™ Perlite Cant Strip	33.0%	2.0%
EnergyGuard™ Perlite Edge Strip	28.0%	2.0%
EnergyGuard™ NH Ultra Polyiso Insulation	pending	pending
EnergyGuard™ NH Barrier Polyiso Insulation	pending	pending
Product Area: Cover Board		
EnergyGuard™ HD Plus Polyiso Cover Board ½" EnergyGuard™ NH HD Plus Polyiso Cover Board ½"	38.5%	10.2%
EnergyGuard™ HD Polyiso Cover Board ½" EnergyGuard™ NH HD Polyiso Cover Board ½"	43.8%	10.4%
EnergyGuard™ HD Fiberboard	28.0%	3.0%
DensDeck® Roof Board	0%	0%
DensDeck® Prime Roof Board	0%	0%
Securock® Gypsum-Fiber Roof Board	0%	95.0%
EnergyGuard™ Perlite	28.0%	2.0%

Note: DensDeck® is a registered trademark of Georgia Pacific. Securock® is a registered trademark of USG.



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<sup>3</sup> Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.

# GAF Products<sup>1</sup> Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Commercial Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
Product Area: SBS Modified Bitumen Membrane		
RUBEROID® 20 Smooth	0%	0%
RUBEROID® 30 Granule	0%	0%
RUBEROID® 30 Granule FR	0%	0%
RUBEROID® Mop Granule FR	0%	4.4%
RUBEROID® Mop Plus Smooth	0%	5.0%
RUBEROID® Mop Granule	0%	4.8%
RUBEROID® Mop Plus Granule FR	0%	0%
RUBEROID® Mop Smooth 1.5	0%	5.0%
RUBEROID® EnergyCap™ Mop Plus Granule FR (White)	0%	0%
RUBEROID® EnergyCap™ 30 Granule FR (White)	0%	0%
RUBEROID® UltraClad® SBS	0%	0%
RUBEROID® HW Smooth	0%	4.6%
RUBEROID® HW Granule	0%	4.7%
RUBEROID® HW 25 Smooth	0%	0%
RUBEROID® HW Plus Granule	0%	5.6%
RUBEROID® HW Plus Granule FR	0%	5.5%
RUBEROID® HW Granule FR	0%	4.4%
RUBEROID® EnergyCap™ HW Plus Granule FR (White)	0%	0%
Product Area: APP Modified Bitumen Membrane		
RUBEROID® Torch Plus Granule FR	0%	7.5%
RUBEROID® Torch Smooth	0%	4.3%
RUBEROID® Torch Granule	0%	7.3%
RUBEROID® EnergyCap™ Torch Plus Granule FR (White)	0%	0%
RUBEROID® EnergyCap™ Torch Granule FR (White)	0%	0%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ APP Granular – Hickory⁴	0%	7.3%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ APP Granular – Shakewood⁴	0%	7.3%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ APP Granular – Slate <sup>4</sup>	0%	7.3%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ APP Granular – Tan <sup>4</sup>	0%	7.3%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ APP Granular – Weathered Wood <sup>4</sup>	0%	7.3%
WorkHorse™ RoofMatch™ SBS Granular <sup>4</sup>	0%	4.8%

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This product is discontinued



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.

### GAF Products¹ Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO - Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

#### Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Product Area: Built-Up Roofing Membrane			
GAFGLAS® FlexPly™ 6 Ply Sheet	0%	0%	
GAFGLAS® Ply 4 Ply Sheet	0%	4.8%	
GAFGLAS® #75 Base Sheet	0%	0%	
GAFGLAS® #80 Ultima™ Base Sheet	0%	0%	
GAFGLAS® Mineral-Surfaced Cap Sheet	0%	0%	
GAFGLAS® Stratavent® Nailable Venting Base Sheet	0%	39.7%	
GAFGLAS® Stratavent® Perforated Venting Base Sheet	0%	39.7%	
GAFGLAS® EnergyCap™ Mineral-Surfaced Cap Sheet (White)	0%	0%	
Product Area: SBS Modified Bitumen			
LIBERTY™ SBS Mechanically Attached Base Sheet	0%	0%	
LIBERTY™ SBS Self-Adhering Cap Sheet	0%	4.9%	
LIBERTY™ Self-Adhering Base/Ply Sheet	0%	0%	
Product Area: Underlayment			
StormSafe™ Anchor Sheet	0%	0%	
WeatherWatch® XT <sup>4</sup>	0%	0%	
UnderRoof™ HT <sup>4</sup>	0%	0%	
Shingle-Mate® Roof Deck Protection	60.0%	0%	
Product Area: Vegetative Roofing	Product Area: Vegetative Roofing		
GardenScapes™ Drainage Mat	0%	50.0%	
Product Area: Fasteners & Plates			
Drill-Tec™ Fasteners & Plates	25.0%	0%	
Residential Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>	
Product Area: Shingle			
Timberline® Cool Series® Shingles	0%	8.7%	
Camelot® Shingles <sup>4</sup>	0%	32.0%	
Camelot® II Shingles	0%	21.2%	
Grand Canyon® Shingles	0%	30.0%	
Sentinel® Shingles (White <sup>4</sup>	0%	17.3%	
County Mansion® II Shingles <sup>4</sup>	0%	11.4%	
Royal Sovereign® Shingles (White)	0%	12.9%	
Grand Sequoia® ArmorShield® SBS-Modified IR Shingles	0%	17.4%	
Timberline HD® Shingles (White)	0%	9.3%	
Marquis Weathermax® Shingles	0%	18.1%	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This product is discontinued



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If a product you are evaluating is not shown in Table 10, it may not contain any recycled content. Consult GAF for additional information on any product.

Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.

# GAF Products<sup>1</sup> Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Residential Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
Monaco® Shingle <sup>4</sup>	0%	10.1%
Slateline® Shingles	0%	19.8%
Timberline® American Harvest® Shingles	0%	6.9%
Timberline® ArmorShield® II Shingles	0%	20.0%
Timberline® Natural Shadow® Shingles	0%	5.9%
Timberline Ultra HD® Shingles	0%	33.5%
Woodland® Shingles	0%	14.7%
Glenwood® Shingles	pending	pending
Product Area: Starter Shingle		
StarterMatch™ Starter Strip Shingles	0%	11.1%
WeatherBlocker™ Starter Strip Shingles	0%	36.0%
Pro-Start® Starter Strip Shingles	0%	43.4%
Product Area: Cap Shingle		
Seal-A-Ridge® (Cool Series Shingles)	0%	30.7%
Seal-A-Ridge® ArmorShield® SBS-Modified IR Ridge Cap Shingles	0%	35.5%
Ridglass® Ridge Cap Shingles (Cool White)	0%	37.1%
Ridglass® Ridge Cap Shingles (Cool Barkwood)	0%	37.1%
Ridglass® Ridge Cap Shingles (Antique Slate)	0%	37.1%
Ridglass® Ridge Cap Shingles	0%	37.1%
TimberTex® Ridge Cap Shingles	0%	37.1%
Z®Ridge Ridge Cap Shingles	0%	37.1%
Product Area: Solar Ventilation/Ventilation		
Master Flow® Green Machine™ Solar-Powered Intake Booster Vent	25.0%	0%
EcoSmart Roof Vent	25.0%	0%
Master Flow® Green Machine™ Solar-Powered EcoSmart Gable Vent	25.0%	0%
Master Flow® Green Machine™ Solar-Powered EcoSmart Ridge Vent	25.0%	0%
Cobra® Exhaust Vent	80.0%	20.0%
Product Area: Underlayment		
Shingle-Mate® Roof Deck Protection	60.0%	0%
Product Area: Insulation Panels		
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 2.5"	16.5%	9.1%

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on any product.

Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If a product you are evaluating is not shown in Table 10, it may not contain any recycled content. Consult GAF for additional information on any product

# GAF Products<sup>1</sup> Recycled Content (continued) MRc3: BPDO – Sourcing of Raw Materials (continued)

Table 10. GAF Recycled Content (continued)

Residential Roofing Products <sup>2</sup>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Postconsumer</b>	Recycled Content <sup>3</sup> <b>Preconsumer</b>
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 3.0"	14.7%	9.1%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 3.5"	12.9%	9.0%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.0"	11.5%	8.9%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.5"	10.4%	8.9%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.0"	9.5%	8.8%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.5"	8.8%	8.8%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.0"	8.1%	8.7%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.5"	7.4%	8.7%
ThermaCal®1 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 7.0"	7.0%	8.7%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 3.5"	12.9%	9.0%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.0"	11.5%	8.9%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.5"	10.4%	8.9%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.0"	9.5%	8.8%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.5"	8.8%	8.8%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.0"	8.1%	8.7%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.5"	7.4%	8.7%
ThermaCal®2 Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 7.0"	7.0%	8.7%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 1.5"	32.6%	9.9%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 2.0"	20.3%	9.3%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 2.5"	16.5%	9.1%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 3.0"	14.7%	9.1%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 3.5"	12.9%	9.0%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.0"	11.5%	8.9%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 4.5"	10.4%	8.9%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.0"	9.5%	8.8%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 5.5"	8.8%	8.8%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.0"	8.1%	8.7%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 6.5"	7.4%	8.7%
ThermaCal® Non-Ventilated Roof Insulation Panels 7.0"	7.0%	8.7%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Recycled content is based on weight. Sourcing varies by region and is determined when the product is ordered.



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MR Credit 4 (1-2 points)	Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Material Ingredients
Intent	To encourage the use of products and materials for which life-cycle information is available and that have environmentally, economically, and socially preferable life-cycle impacts.
	To reward project teams for selecting products for which the chemical ingredients in the product are inventoried using an accepted methodology and for selecting products verified to minimize the use and generation of harmful substances.
	To reward raw material manufacturers who produce products verified to have improved life-cycle impacts.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED <sup>®</sup> Credit MRc4	Specify GAF's numerous products that have published HPD and Declare RLF Label chemical ingredient disclosures that contribute to achieving Option 1 of this credit.
	(See Table 11 for a full list of products)
TIP:	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights:
Mix-and-match! Products can	Option 1: Material Ingredient Reporting (1 point)
comply under different programs; it is not necessary to find 20 products that all comply using the same path	Use at least 20 different permanently installed products from at least five different manufacturers that use any of the following programs to demonstrate the chemical inventory of the product to at least 0.1% (1000 ppm).
for Opt. 1.	<ul> <li>Manufacturer Inventory. The manufacturer has published complete content inventory for the product following specific guidelines.</li> </ul>
Health Product Declaration Collaborative	<ul> <li>Health Product Declaration (HPD). The end use product has a published, complete Health Product Declaration with full disclosure of known hazards in compliance with the Health Product Declaration Open Standard.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Cradle to Cradle. The end use product has been certified at the Cradle to Cradle v2 Basic level or Cradle to Cradle v3 Bronze level.</li> </ul>
Declare.	Declare. The Declare product label must indicate that all ingredients have been evaluated and disclosed down to 1000 ppm.
Images: GAF disclosure types for	ANSI/BIRMA e3 Furniture Sustainability Standard.
numerous products. See Table 11.	<ul> <li>Cradle to Cradle Material Health Certificate. The product has been certified at the Bronze level or higher and at least 90% of materials are assessed by weight.</li> </ul>
	UL Product Lens™ Certification.
	<ul> <li>Facts – NSF/ANSI 336: Sustainability Assessment for Commercial Furnishings Fabric at any certification level.</li> </ul>
	USGBC-Approved Program (future).
	AND/OR

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Refer to <u>www.usgbc.org/leed</u> for complete credit requirements.



# MR Credit 4 (1-2 points)

# Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Material Ingredients (continued)

#### TIP:

Use the LEED® MR credit BPDO Calculator to track and document material purchases (or projections) for MR credit achievement.

Go to <a href="http://usgbc.org">http://usgbc.org</a> and search 'BPDO calculator'

### the total value of permanently installed products in the project. • GreenScreen v1.2 Benchmark

- Greenscreen v1.2 Benching
- Cradle to Cradle Certified
- International Alternative Compliance Path REACH Optimization (outside U.S. only)

optimization using the paths below for at least 25%, by cost, of

Option 2: Material Ingredient Optimization (1 point)

Use products that document their material ingredient

USGBC-approved program (future)



#### AND/OR

### **Option 3: Product Manufacturer Supply Chain Optimization** (1 point)

Use building products for at least 25%, by cost, of the total value of permanently installed products in the project that meet specific guidelines.

Products meeting Option 3 criteria are valued at 100% of their cost for the purposes of credit achievement calculation.

#### Image: GAF Declare Red List Free Label for EnergyGuard<sup>®</sup> NH Polyiso

#### TIP:

Looking for the actual product HPDs or Declare Labels to view or document for this credit?

Go to:

http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com/
or http://www.gaf.com/green

or

https://www.transparenc ycatalog.com/company/g af

#### **Location valuation factor** (a regional multiplier):

For credit achievement calculation of Options 2 and 3, products sourced (extracted, manufactured, AND purchased) within 100 miles (160 km) of the project site are valued at 200% of their base contributing cost. Go to <a href="http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com</a> to determine project distances.

**Structure and enclosure materials** may not constitute more than 30% of the value of compliant building products. However:

Projects with significant amounts of structural and enclosure materials  $\underline{may}$  exceed the 30% limit by calculating an alternative structure and enclosure limit.

#### IN<sup>1</sup> Bonus Point

Option 1: Purchase at least 40 permanently installed building products that meet the credit criteria.

Option 2: Purchase at least 50%, by cost, of permanently installed building products that meet the credit criteria.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3}\, HPD$  stands for Health Product Declaration.



 $<sup>^{\</sup>mbox{\tiny $1$}}$  IN stands for Innovation, one of eight LEED $^{\mbox{\tiny $8$}}$  credit categories.

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# **GAF Products¹ with Transparency Ingredient Reporting MRc4: BPDO – Material Ingredients**

#### **Table 11. GAF Reporting Disclosures**

Product Name	LEED® Repor	LEED® Reporting Program	
Product Name	HPD <sup>2</sup>	Declare RLF <sup>3</sup>	
Single-Ply Membrane			
EverGuard Extreme® TPO	✓	✓	
EverGuard® TPO	✓	<b>√</b>	
Resilient Red List Free Adhered TPO Roofing System		✓	
SBS-Modified Bitumen Membrane			
RUBEROID® Mop Granule Membrane	✓		
APP-Modified Bitumen Membrane			
RUBEROID® Torch Smooth Membrane	✓		
Built-Up Membrane			
GAFGLAS® EnergyCap™ Mineral-Surfaced Cap Sheet	✓		
Insulation			
EnergyGuard™ Polyiso Insulation	✓		
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) Polyiso Insulation	✓	✓	
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) Ultra Polyiso Insulation		✓	
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) HD Polyiso Insulation		✓	
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) HD PLUS Polyiso Insulation		✓	
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) Polyiso Insulated Sheathing⁴		✓	
EnergyGuard™ NH (Non-Halogenated) Barrier Polyiso Insulation	✓	✓	
Roofing Coatings			
HydroStop® PremiumCoat® Finish Coat	✓		
Shingles			
Timberline® Cool Series® Shingles	✓		
Timberline HD® Reflector Series™ Shingles	✓		
Glenwood® Shingles	✓		

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# GAF Products<sup>1</sup> with Transparency Ingredient Reporting MRc4: BPDO – Material Ingredients (continued)

Table 11. GAF Reporting Disclosures (continued)

Product Name	LEED® Reporting Program	
roduce name	HPD <sup>2</sup>	Declare RLF <sup>3</sup>
Adhesives		
GAF 2-Part Roofing Adhesive	✓	
EverGuard® TPO Low-VOC Bonding Adhesive	✓	
Primers, Cleaners, Flashing, & Sealants		
EverGuard® TPO Seam Cleaner	✓	
EverGuard® CleanWeld™ Conditioner	✓	
Fasteners & Plates		
Drill-Tec™ Fasteners and Plates	✓	
Pavement Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating	✓	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> HPD stands for Health Product Declaration.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Declare<sup>®</sup> is a transparency label from the Living Building Challenge program. RLF stands for Red List Free, or free from 'worst-in class' chemical ingredients.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4}$  This product is discontinued

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> HPD stands for Health Product Declaration.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Declare is a transparency label from the Living Building Challenge program. RLF stands for Red List Free, or free from 'worst-in class' chemical ingredients.

MR Credit 5 (1-2 points)	Construction and Demo Waste Managemen	
Intent	To reduce construction and demolition disposed of in landfills and incineration recovering, reusing, and recycling materials.	n facilities by
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® credit MRc5	Recycle or salvage nonhazardous cons demolition materials.	struction and
TIP:	Examples of potential roofing material	ls include:
For tips on recycling roofing materials, go to the GAF website <a href="https://www.gaf.com/green">www.gaf.com/green</a> .	TPO and PVC membranes, polyiso insuasphalt shingles, where appropriate faavailable.	
TIP:	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights:	
Check out the GAF Commercial Roof Recycling Program flyer "Zero Waste Jobsite Policies" in this credit section, on the following pages.	This credit implements the Construction ar Waste Management (CWM) Plan developed corresponding LEED® MR Prerequisite 2 the diversion goals and strategies, and identificable haulers and recyclers to handle the design.  This credit measures actual performangoals.	d in the at establishes es construction ated materials.
	Project teams may select 1 of 2 option	s (See Table 7):
	Option 1: Diversion (1-2 points); or	
	Option 2: Reduction of Total Waste	(2 points)
00000	Table 7. MRc5: CWM Options	
	Construction Waste Management (CWM)	LEED® Points
Image: Construction Hauler	Option 1: Diversion Path 1: Divert min. 50% including min. 3	
	material streams; OR	1
	Path 2: Divert min. 75% including min. 4 material streams	2
	Option 2: Reduction of Total Waste Material	
	Do not generate more than 2.5 lb. of construction waste per square foot of the building's floor area.	2
IN <sup>2</sup> Bonus Point	Achieve both Option 1 (either Path 1 or Pa Option 2	th 2) and

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 $<sup>^{^{2}}\</sup>mbox{Refer to}~\mbox{\underline{www.usgbc.org/leed}}$  for complete credit requirements.



EQ Credit 2 (1-3 points)	Low-Emitting Materials
Intent	To reduce concentrations of chemical contaminants that can damage air quality, human health, productivity, and the environment.
GAF Contribution <sup>1</sup> to LEED® Credit EQc2	Specify GAF low-emitting adhesives, sealants, and roof and pavement coatings to contribute toward achieving the low-emitting materials goal.
	See <b>Table 12</b> on page 54 for low-emitting GAF adhesives, sealants, and roof and pavement coatings.
TIP: Exterior-applied products are exempt from this Low-	Credit Requirements <sup>2</sup> - Highlights: This credit includes requirements for product
Emitting Materials credit, except for LEED® for Healthcare and LEED® for Schools projects.	manufacturing as well as project teams. It covers the VOC content of materials, volatile organic compound (VOC) emissions into indoor air, and the testing methods by which indoor VOC emissions are determined.
(visit <a href="http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoScorecard.com</a> for current GAF VOC contents)	The building interior and exterior are organized in seven categories, each with different requirements and thresholds of compliance. Therefore, identifying this dividing plane is a key step.
	Refer to Illustration 1 (next page) to identify exterior from interior.
TIP:	DEFINING INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR
Use the roof drawing in Illustration 1 (next page) to	The building interior is defined as everything within the waterproofing membrane.
identify the dividing plane of the building interior from the exterior for your project.	The building exterior is defined as everything outside and inclusive of the primary and secondary weatherproofing system, such as waterproofing membranes and air- and water-resistive barrier materials.
TIP:	
For interior-applied products, (and Healthcare & Schools projects) use the LEED® v4 Low-Emitting Materials Calculator to track products and their low-emitting and	Option 1: Product Category Calculations (1-3 points) Achieve the threshold level of compliance with emissions and content standards for the number of product categories listed in Table A.
emissions criteria.	Option 2: Budget Calculation Method (1-3 points)
Go to <a href="http://usgbc.org">http://usgbc.org</a> and search "Low-Emitting Materials Calculator."	The Budget Calculation Method may be used if some products in a category do not meet the criteria. (Equations not shown)
IN <sup>3</sup> Bonus Credit	Option 1. Earn all points and reach 100% of products. Option 2. Reach 100% of products.

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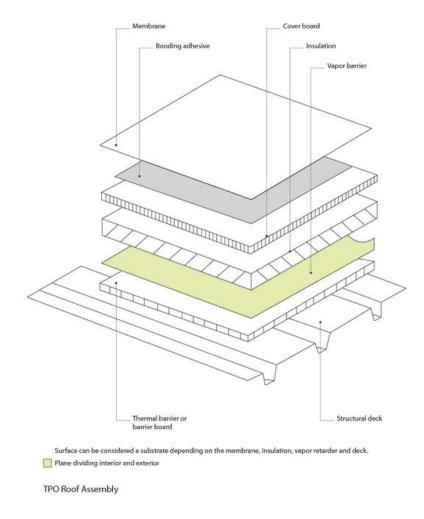
 $<sup>^{^{3}}</sup>$  IN stands for Innovation, one of eight LEED  $^{\! @}$  credit categories.



 $<sup>^{^{2}}</sup>$  Refer to  $\underline{\text{www.usgbc.org/leed}}$  for complete credit requirements.

### **Definition of Building Interior and Exterior**

LEED® v4: EQ Credit 2 - Low-Emitting Materials



#### **Illustration 1. TPO Roof Assembly**

Source: USGBC® LEED® v4 BD+C Reference Guide

Drawing illustrates the specific plane distinguishing the building interior from the exterior for LEED® purposes.

EQc2 credit requirements vary for interior and exterior applications, making this an important first step.

For example, exterior-applied products are exempt from low-emitting materials credit requirements, except for Healthcare and Schools.

#### Low-Emitting Materials - Definition for building interior and exterior:

- Building Interior is everything within the waterproofing membrane.
- Building Exterior is everything outside and inclusive of the primary and secondary weatherproofing system, such as waterproofing membranes and air-and-water-resistive barrier materials.



Source: USGBC®

# **EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials Option 1. Product Category Calculations**

### **Table A.** Thresholds of compliance with emissions and content standards for 7 categories of materials

Category	Threshold	Emissions and Content Requirements
Interior paints and coatings applied onsite	At least 90%, by volume, for emissions; 100% for VOC content	<ul> <li>General Emissions Evaluation for paints and coatings applied to walls, floors, and ceilings</li> <li>VOC content requirements for wet-applied products</li> </ul>
Interior adhesives and sealants applied onsite (including flooring adhesive)	At least 90%, by volume, for emissions; 100% for VOC content	<ul> <li>General Emissions Evaluation</li> <li>VOC content requirements for wet-applied products</li> </ul>
Flooring	100%	General Emissions Evaluation
Composite wood	100% not covered by other categories	Composite Wood Evaluation
Ceilings, walls, and thermal and acoustic insulation	100%	<ul> <li>General Emissions Evaluation</li> <li>Healthcare, Schools only:         <ul> <li>Additional insulation</li> <li>requirements</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Furniture (include in calculations if part of scope of work)	At least 90%, by cost	Furniture Evaluation
Healthcare and Schools Projects only: Exterior-applied products	At least 90%, by volume	Exterior-Applied Products

Source:  $USGBC^{\mathbb{R}}$   $LEED^{\mathbb{R}}$  v4: BD+C - NC

Note: Exterior products are exempt from the General Emissions Evaluation requirement of this credit (CDPH Standard Method v1.1-2010, also known as chamber testing). Exterior products are also exempt from credit requirements for VOC content limits, excepting LEED® for Healthcare and LEED® for Schools projects.

### **VOC Limits for GAF Products EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials**

Table 12 (For a complete list of products, please visit <a href="http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com">http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com</a>)

Product Name	VOC Limit of Product (g/L less water)	VOC Limit Allowed <sup>1</sup> if EXTERIOR applied (g/L less water)
Adhesives		
OlyBond500® Insulation Adhesives (Spot Shot & Bag-in-Box)	0	exempt
OlyBond500® Green	0	exempt
GAF 2-Part Roofing Adhesive	68	exempt
LRF Adhesive O	0	exempt
LRF Adhesive M	0	exempt
EverGuard® Low VOC TPO Bonding Adhesive	250	exempt
EverGuard® Low VOC PVC Bonding Adhesive	245	exempt
EverGuard® WB181 Bonding Adhesive	8	exempt
Matrix™ 102 SBS Membrane Adhesive	289	exempt
Matrix™ 103 Cold Process Adhesive	289	exempt
Matrix™ 201 Premium SBS Flashing Cement	289	exempt
Matrix™ 202 SBS Flashing Cement	289	exempt
Matrix™ 203 Plastic Roof Cement	289	exempt
Matrix™ 204 Wet/Dry Roof Cement	289	exempt
MajorSeal™ Liquid Flashing	25	exempt
Primers, Cleaners, Flashing & Sealants		
Acrylex 400 Multisurface Roof Primer	100	exempt
Adhere-It® II Primer	n/a	n/a
CleanAct Rinsable Primer	n/a	n/a
Epoxy Primer (formerly Uniseal Primer)	100	exempt
Lock-Down Primer	420	exempt
StableRust Primer	100	exempt
SureBond Primer	200	exempt
TPO Red Primer	50	exempt
UniBase Primer	50	exempt
Unisil Primer (Part A & B)	100	exempt
UniTile LV Sealer (Part A & B)	420	exempt
XR-2000 Primer	166	exempt
United Cleaning Concentrate (UCC)	n/a	n/a
HydroStop® PremiumCoat® Butter Grade Flashing	25	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Butter Grade Flashing	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Liquid Fabric	27	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Spray Grade Flashing	38	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ WOB Flashing	56	exempt
FlexSeal™ Caulk Grade Sealant	295	exempt

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  Exterior-applied products are exempt from EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials, except for LEED® v4 for Healthcare and LEED® v4 for Schools. Note: OlyBond500® is a registered trademark of OMG, Inc.



# VOC Limits for GAF Products (continued) EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials (continued)

Table 12 (continued) (For a complete list of products, please

visithttp://gaf.ecoscorecard.com)

Product Name	VOC Limit of Product (g/L less water)	VOC Limit Allowed <sup>1</sup> if EXTERIOR applied (g/L less water)
Primers, Cleaners, Flashing & Sealants (cont'd)		
FlexSeal™ Sealant	295	exempt
EverGuard® Pourable Sealer (Part A & B)	2	exempt
EverGuard® One-Part Pourable Sealant	25	exempt
EverGuard® Low VOC Primer	243	exempt
M-Thane™ One-Part Pourable Sealant	50	exempt
Matrix™ 307 Primer	320	exempt
Roof Coatings		
FireOut™ Fire Barrier Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Acron 60 Roof Coating	10	exempt
United Coatings™ Acron DS Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Diathon® Base Coat	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Diathon® DS Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Diathon® HT Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Diathon® QS Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Diathon® Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 101 Base Roof Coating	250	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 103 Roof Coating (A & B)	250	exempt
United Coatings™ EnergyCote™ Roof Coating	28	exempt
United Coatings™ FireShield® MB Roof Coating	29	exempt
United Coatings™ Kymax™ Coating	250	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ Base Coat	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ HT Coating	50	exempt
HydroStop® BarrierGuard® Waterproofing	50	exempt
HydroStop® PremiumCoat® Finish Coat	50	exempt
HydroStop® PremiumCoat® Foundation Coat	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Unisil Roof Coating	250	exempt
United Coatings™ Unisil HS Roof Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ TCM Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ QS Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ WOB Coating	55	exempt
United Coatings™ Roof Mate™ MB Plus Coating	29	exempt
United Coatings™ Roofshield® Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings <sup>™</sup> Surface Seal SB Roof Coating	429	exempt

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### VOC Limits for GAF Products (continued)

### **EQc2: Low-Emitting Materials** (continued)

Table 12 (continued) (For a complete list of products, please visit

http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com)

Product Name	VOC Limit of Product (g/L less water)	VOC Limit Allowed <sup>1</sup> if EXTERIOR applied (g/L less water)
Architectural & Wall Coatings		
United Coatings™ Acrysheen Sealer	100	exempt
United Coatings™ Aquathon® Wall Coating	50	exempt
United Coatings™ CanyonTone™ Clear Wall Coating	120	exempt
United Coatings™ Canyon Tone Stain®	100	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 120 Coating - Part A	508	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 120 Coating - Part B	508	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 120 Coating - Roller Grade	25	exempt
United Coatings™ Elastuff® 120 Coating - Spray Grade	25	exempt
United Coatings™ Rhino Top Smooth Coating	250	exempt
United Coatings™ Rhino Top Textured Coating	100	exempt
Pavement Coatings		
StreetBond® SB150 Pavement Coating	50	exempt
StreetBond® SB120 Pavement Coating	50	exempt
DuraShield Pavement Coating	50	exempt
StreetBond® Concrete Primer WB	100	exempt
StreetBond® Adhesion Promoter Concentrate	10	exempt
StreetBond® CemBase Asphalt Fortifier	25	exempt
StreetBond® Sealer Concentrate	100	exempt

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RP Credits (1-4 points)	Regional Priority A LEED® Incentive Credit Category
Intent	Regional Priority (RP) credits are existing LEED® credits that have been designated as having additional regional importance for the project's region.
	They provide an incentive for the achievement of credits that address geographically specific environmental, social equity, and public health priorities.
TIP: To identify the six Regional Priority credits for your project, enter the project location and LEED® rating	A specific location, referenced by project address, has six RP credits that have been identified by USGBC® regional councils and chapters. A project may earn up to four bonus points as a result of achieving these credits elsewhere in the rating system that are designated for a project's location, with one bonus point earned per eligible credit.
system and version at the link below.  RegionalPriorityCredits	For example, if a project team pursues and achieves the two points for SSc5: Heat Island Reduction and it is a designated Regional Priority credit for your project's location, you automatically earn an extra bonus point. RP credits may specify a particular threshold level.
	Projects registered on LEED® Online automatically see the associated Regional Priority credits.
	Projects registered prior to May 8, 2016, used a zip code look-up for RP selections.



### Comparison of LEED® v2009 to LEED® v4 for Roofing

Is LEED® v4 harder or easier for roofing? Here's a possible interpretation of how the new SSc5 combined credit will affect projects:

# LEED® v2009 SSc7.1 Heat Island Effect: Nonroof SSc7.2 Heat Island Effect: Roof vs.

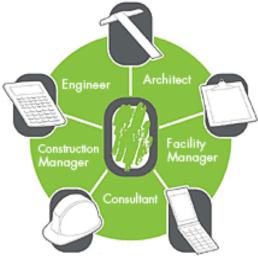
LEED® v4

SSc5 Heat Island Reduction: Nonroof and Roof			
Credit Features	v4 Easier	v4 Harder	
Combining 2 credits into one credit and one performance calculation.  Weighted averages approach applies for combined nonroof/roof areas.	High SRI roof can 'carry' non- reflective hardscape, depending on roof-to-hardscape proportions and SRI/SR values. High SRI roof can reduce size of hardscape area requiring mitigation.	Large hardscape areas with small roofs will require more aggressive hardscape mitigation strategies in the combined nonroof/roof credit	
Solar Reflectance Index (SRI) of roofs		SRI increased: from 78 to 82 for low-sloped from 29 to 39 for steep-sloped	
Solar Reflectance (SR) is the new metric in v4 vs the SRI metric in v2009 for hardscape and shading devices		The minimum SR value increased	
Vegetated roof area		Qualifying area increased from 50% to 75%; weighted averages still apply	
Initial SRI value vs. 3-Year Aged SRI option	A project seeks 3-Year Aged SRI values, but if unavailable, can use the Initial SRI value		
Exemplary performance		Both Opt. 1 & 2, and 100% of Parking Under Cover (Opt. 2) must be achieved	
Tree canopy shade – growth years	Increased from 5 to 10 years; no more summer solstice calculations		
Parking under cover		Increased from 50% to 75% of spaces	

Note: This chart reflects LEED $^{\circledR}$  v4 SSc5 for BD+C for New Construction and Major Renovations. Other rating systems may differ.

# Need LEED® documentation for your GAF product? Check out the GAF ecoScorecard website! http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com/





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### Now More Than Ever, It's Easy To Be "Green"... When Making Your Roofing Choices.

As the industry leader, GAF is proud to offer a broad array of environmentally preferable solutions. We have options for both residential and commercial properties, including products containing recycled materials, reflective or "cool" roofing, re-cover roofing to reduce landfill waste, vegetative roofing, and solar roofing products. We have also worked to incorporate sustainable practices into our manufacturing process, including the recycling of shingle waste at plants and a Zero-Waste-to-Landfill effort. GAF was a leader in the HPD pilot program for LEED® v4 and has been working to establish more HPDs, LCAs, and EPDs as well as Declare Red List Free Labels for our product line over time. Be sure to ask about our Certified Green Roofer™ program that recognizes professional roofing contractors for recycling!

#### Want to learn more?

**GAF Technical Services** can provide detail and answer questions on project specific conditions.

**Technical Services Hotline**: 1-800-766-3411

**For more information** about the GAF commitment to green manufacturing processes and our full line of energy-saving products, visit "Sustainable Buildings and Resilient Design" at <a href="www.gaf.com/green">www.gaf.com/green</a>.

#### **Helpful Links**:

www.gaf.com GAF

http://gaf.ecoscorecard.com GAF ecoScorecard

<u>www.coolroofs.org</u> Cool Roof Rating Council (CRRC)

www.energystar.gov Federal Tax Credits

www.roofpoint.org RoofPoint

www.DSIREusa.org State Incentives for Renewables & Efficiency

#### **LEED® v4: Roofing-Related Provisions** — a guide published by NRCA

The National Roofing Contractors Association (NRCA) has published a 130-page guide titled *LEED® v4:* Roofing-Related Provisions written to assist roofing contractors who want to understand roofing-specific issues related to USGBC's LEED® v4 Green Building Rating System.

The NRCA guide takes a deep-dive into each roofing-related LEED® credit with relevance specific to roofing contractors. But don't be scared off by the size of the guide — it's written for a comprehensive understanding of both green building and LEED®, yet it's also structured for skipping directly to the succinct practical advice that roofing contractors need for a prospective LEED® project.

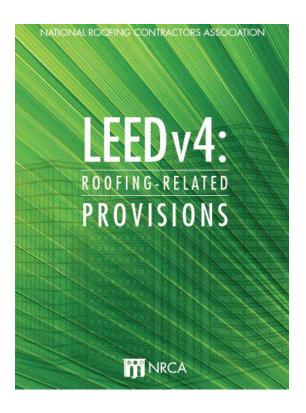
Roofing contractors will appreciate having this interpretation of green building and the LEED® process, as it's uniquely tailored to their specific roles and responsibilities in a clear, chronological format. It covers the LEED® v4 rating systems in both the Building Design and Construction (BD+C) and Building Operations and Maintenance (O+M) families.



#### Want to learn more? (continued)

For roofing contractors who participated in earlier versions of LEED®, NRCA includes an analysis of the roofing-related provisions that have changed in LEED® v4, saving the reader's time. There have been quarterly updates to LEED® v4 since the guide was published in 2014, so be sure to check all Addenda for any changes to specific LEED® credits at <a href="http://www.usgbc.org">http://www.usgbc.org</a>.

NRCA Members can purchase the guide at <a href="http://www.nrca.net">http://www.nrca.net</a>.



#### Glossary of Terms<sup>1</sup>

#### **Appurtenance**

Any built-in, nonstructural portion of a roof system, such as skylights, ventilators, mechanical equipment, partitions, and solar energy panels.

#### **Building Exterior**

A structure's primary and secondary weatherproofing system, including waterproofing membranes and airand water-resistant barrier materials, and all building elements outside that system.

#### **Building Interior**

Everything inside a structure's weatherproofing membrane.

#### **Emissivity**

The ratio of the radiation emitted by a surface to the radiation emitted by a black body at the same temperature.

#### **ENERGY STAR® Rating**

The rating a building earns using the ENERGY STAR® Portfolio Manager to compare building energy performance to similar buildings in similar climates. A score of 50 represents average building performance.

#### **Environmental Product Declaration**

A statement that the item meets the environmental requirements of ISO 14021-1999, ISO 14025-2006 and EN 15804, or ISO 21930-2007.

#### **Extensive Vegetative Roof**

A roof that is covered with plants and typically not designed for general access. Usually an extensive system is a rugged green roof that requires little maintenance once established. The planting medium in extensive vegetated roofs ranges from 1 to 6 inches in depth. (Adapted from U.S. EPA.)

#### Hardscape

The inanimate elements of the building landscaping. It includes pavement, roadways, stonewalls, wood and synthetic decking, concrete paths and sidewalks, and concrete, brick, and tile patios.

#### **Heat Island Effect**

The thermal absorption by hardscape, such as dark, non-reflective pavement and buildings, and its subsequent radiation to surrounding areas. Other contributing factors may include vehicle exhaust, air conditioners, and street equipment. Tall buildings and narrow streets reduce airflow and exacerbate the effect.

#### Infrared (Thermal) Emittance

A value between 0 and 1 (or 0% and 100%) that indicates the ability of a material to shed infrared radiation (heat). A cool roof should have a high thermal emittance. The wavelength range for radiant energy is roughly 5 to 40 micrometers. Most building materials (including glass) are opaque in this part of the spectrum and have an emittance of roughly 0.9, or 90%. Clean, bare metals, such as untarnished galvanized steel, have a low emittance and are the most important exceptions to the 0.9 rule. In contrast, aluminum roof coatings have intermediate emittance levels. (Adapted from Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory.)

#### **Intensive Vegetated Roof**

A roof that, compared with an extensive vegetated roof, has greater soil volume, supports a wider variety of plants (including shrubs and trees), and allows a wider variety of uses (including human access). The depth of the growing medium is an important factor in determining habitat value. The native or adapted plants selected for the roof should support the site's endemic wildlife populations. (Adapted from Green Roofs for Healthy Cities.)

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#### Glossary of Terms<sup>1</sup> (Continued)

#### **Life-Cycle Inventory**

A database that defines the environmental effects (inputs and outputs) for each step in a material's or assembly's life cycle. The database is specific to countries and regions within countries.

#### Location Valuation Factor (formerly termed Regional Materials in LEED® v2009)

For credit achievement calculation for LEED® v4 credits MRc2, MRc3, and MRc4 (Options 2 & 3 only), products that are sourced (extracted, manufactured, and purchased) within 100 miles of the project site are valued at 200% of their base contributing cost. What was formerly a LEED® credit and point in v2009 is instead a multiplier for the LEED® v4 material credits.

#### **Low-Sloped Roof**

<2:12 pitch

#### Post-

#### **consumer Recycled Content**

Defined as waste material generated by household or by commercial, industrial and institutional facilities in their role as end-users of the product, which can no longer be used for its intended purpose.

#### **Pre-consumer Recycled Content (Post-Industrial)**

Defined as material diverted from the waste stream during the manufacturing process, determined as the percentage of material, by weight. Examples include planer shavings, sawdust, bagasse, walnut shells, culls, trimmed materials, over issue publications, and obsolete inventories. The designation excludes rework, regrind, or scrap materials capable of being reclaimed within the same process that generated them (ISO 14021). Formerly known as post-industrial content.

#### **Primer**

A material applied to a substrate to improve adhesion of subsequently applied coatings.

#### **Product (permanently installed building product)**

An item that arrives on the project site either as a finished element ready for installation or as a component to another item assembled onsite. The product unit is defined by the functional requirement for use in the project; this includes the physical components and services needed to serve the intended function of the permanently installed building product. In addition, similar products within a specification can each contribute as separate products.

#### Rainwater Management Onsite (formerly Storm Water Control in LEED® v2009)

To capture and retain a specified volume of rainfall to mimic natural hydrologic function. Examples of rainwater management include strategies that involve evapotranspiration, infiltration, and capture and reuse.

#### Recycling

The collection, reprocessing, marketing, and use of materials that were diverted or recovered from the solid waste stream.

#### Regionally Extracted or Manufactured Materials (see Location Valuation Factor)

#### Reuse

A strategy to return materials to active use in the same or related capacity.

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#### Glossary of Terms<sup>1</sup> (Continued)

#### **Raw Material**

The basic substance from which products are made, such as concrete, glass, gypsum, masonry, metals, recycled materials (e.g., plastics and metals), oil (petroleum, polylactic acid), stone, agrifiber, bamboo, and wood.

#### **Roof Area**

The area of the uppermost surface of the building that covers enclosed Gross Floor Area, as measured when projected onto a flat, horizontal surface (i.e., as seen in Roof Plan view).

#### Sealant

A material with adhesive properties that is formulated primarily to fill, seal, or waterproof any gaps or joints between two surfaces. Sealants include sealant primers and caulks.

#### **Solar Reflectance (SR)**

The fraction of solar energy that is reflected by a surface on a scale of 0 to 1. Black paint has a solar reflectance of 0; white paint (titanium dioxide) has a solar reflectance of 1. The standard technique for its determination uses spectrophotometric measurements, with an integrating sphere to determine the reflectance at each wavelength. The average reflectance is then determined by an averaging process, using a standard solar spectrum, as documented by ASTM Standards E903 and E892.

#### Solar Reflectance Index (SRI)

A measure of the constructed surface's ability to stay cool in the sun by reflecting solar radiation and emitting thermal radiation. It is defined such that a standard black surface (initial solar reflectance 0.05, initial thermal emittance 0.90) has an initial SRI of 0, and a standard white surface (initial solar reflectance 0.80, initial thermal emittance 0.90) has an initial SRI of 100. To calculate the SRI for a given material, obtain its solar reflectance and thermal emittance via the Cool Roof Rating Council Standard (CRRC-1). SRI is calculated according to ASTM E1980. Calculation of the aged SRI is based on the aged tested values of solar reflectance and thermal emittance.

#### Steep-Sloped Roof

>2:12 pitch

#### **Thermal Emittance (See Infrared Emittance)**

#### Three-year Aged SR or SRI Value

A Solar Reflectance or Solar Reflectance Index rating that is measured after three years of weather exposure.

#### Title 24

California's energy-efficiency standards for residential and nonresidential buildings.

#### **Waste Diversion**

A management activity that disposes of waste through methods other than incineration or landfilling. Examples include reuse and recycling.

#### **VOCs (Volatile Organic Compounds)**

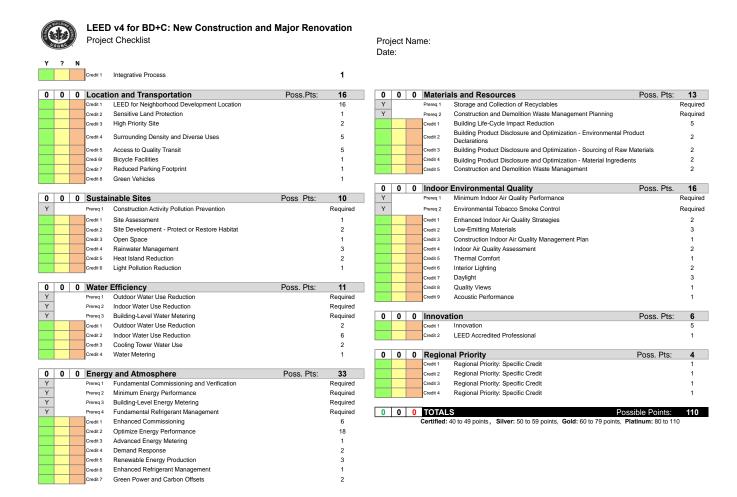
Carbon compounds that participate in atmospheric photochemical reactions (excluding carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, carbonic acid, metallic carbides and carbonates, and ammonium carbonate). The compounds vaporize (become a gas) at normal room temperatures.

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### **LEED® v4 Project Checklist**





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