

TECHNICAL NOTE

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LEED & FSC CHAIN OF CUSTODY INFORMATION

Formaldehyde and VOC Content

PyroGuard[™] fire retardant formulation does not contain formaldehyde. See PyroGuard[™] Certification Section 2.01 E.

Water based preservative formulations – Dura-Guard[®] (ACQ, MCA) and CCA used by Hoover Treated Wood Products Inc. do not contain formaldehyde.

Plywood treated with PyroGuard[™] or the above preservatives will have a minimum exposure durability classification from the panel manufacturer of "Exposure 1". The referenced APA publication, "Formalde-hyde in Structural Panels" documents that structural panels with this classification are manufactured with phenolic resin adhesives that do not contain urea- formaldehyde.

The formulation of PyroGuard[™] and the above preservatives are inorganic do not contain Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs). Wood is a natural organic material.

Recycled Content

Lumber and plywood used by Hoover Treated Wood Products are not from recycled sources, and as such contain 0% post-consumer and 0% post-industrial recycled content.

Manufacturing Locations

Hoover Treated Wood Products Inc. has factory treating operations in Thomson GA, Milford VA, Pine Bluff AR, Detroit MI, Oxford PA and Winston OR.

FSC Chain of Custody

Hoover Treated Wood Products Inc. has obtained a multi-site FSC Chain of Custody through SCS Global Services. Our certification number is SCS-COC-005470. Verification may be obtained at http://info.fsc.org or www.fsc-info.org

Treated lumber and plywood can be provided with an FSC chain of custody by SPECIAL ORDER.

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Reference: APA, the Engineered Wood Association, technical Report "Formaldehyde in Structural Panels", SPE-1040D, April 2002.

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