



SUSTAINABLE GLOBAL WOOD PURCHASING

Kimball international strives to ensure that wood used in the manufacturing of our products is obtained from environmentally and socially responsible sources.



Knowing we are procuring wood responsibly not only supports our sustainability initiatives, but also provides assurance that our wood-based components have the lowest possible burden on the global environment. It is Kimball International's policy to work with partners who share our values of responsible management of wood from the forests where our raw materials are harvested. Kimball International strives to use wood from properly managed forests to reduce the environmental impact we have on our industry.

Kimball International expects suppliers of wood-based materials to follow all applicable laws of the United States of America including the Lacey Act, in addition to laws of the country where they are located and international treaties and agreements to which the United States is a signatory. We will not use species listed in CITES (Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora) Appendices I or II, for the manufacturing of our products. Our Supply Chain Team will give preference to suppliers who participate in the following programs: Forest Stewardship Council (FSC), Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI), American Tree Farm System (ATFS), Canadian Standards Association (CSA), Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC), and Composite Panel Association's Eco Certified Composite (ECC). Kimball International conducts business ethically based on our Business Partner Code of Conduct and expects our business partners to do so as well.