# **Tradex cares about the environment**

## **Energy Efficiency**

Many of our manufacturing facilities are now using bio-mass to generate heat energy. Wastage of palm oil, coal, or rubber wood chips is used to heat thermal oil or water before being channeled into ovens using coil systems. Bio-mass dust created from palm oil wastage or rubber wood chips can then be further used in paint or fertilizer.

#### Waste Water Management

Using green-friendly waste water treatment management strategies, many of our manufacturing facilities have substantially reduced water usage and water pollution created during production. Waste water is treated and when possible, reused, prior to release into the sewage system.

## **Air Quality**

Tradex's manufacturing facilities have also made significant investments to control air pollution. Advanced chimney and scrubber systems have been installed and are monitored daily to ensure air quality levels meet or exceed standards set by the local Department of Environment (DOE).

#### **Recycled Materials**

Tradex has implemented new, innovative recycling practices at many of its manufacturing facilities to reduce landfill waste. When possible, gloves rejected during production are shredded and recycled for use as carpeting or toys. In addition, facilities have partnered with raw material suppliers to enable the return of drums, packaging bags, and other materials for repeated use.

## **Product Packaging**

Today, nearly all of Tradex's product packaging is made from recyclable materials. Tradex also continues to reevaluate supply chain strategies to reduce packaging material requirements and maximize warehouse and shipping space.









