

Technical Resource

Armor Protective Packaging® Recycling Information

For Armor Protective Packaging®, commitment to the environment is second nature. ARMOR products have been "green" and certainly "sustainable" long before it was the vogue buzzword that it is today. ARMOR's corrosion inhibiting and rust removal products are safe, clean and easy to use, thus providing environmental and economic benefits while protecting the consumer and the environment over their full commercial life cycle. Below is information concerning the recycling aspect of ARMOR films and papers for your reference.

ARMOR POLY® FILMS

ARMOR POLY® Films are fully recyclable. There are a couple of key activities that need to be completed for a recycler to accept this material and find it worth the recycling efforts.

- 1. <u>Cleanliness of bags and films</u>. The bags or films cannot have oil residue, contaminants such as papers, wire tags, or other foreign matter in the bundle. In order for a recycler to pick up film it must be clean.
- 2. Weight/Compaction. In order to maximize a truck/trailer, the bags or films must be bailed or compacted in some manner in order to maximize weight. If the bags are simply placed inside a bin and not compacted or bailed, the load will be very light and will not make economic sense for a recycler to collect. A recycler will also want bails to be palletized for collection.

ARMOR WRAP® PAPERS

ARMOR WRAP® Papers are fully recyclable. In fact, paper mills have said ARMOR WRAP® is actually provide superior fiber to OCC and DLK furnishes on the market.

Recycling Companies:

Recyclers of films:

- Plastics Recycling Technology 1320 East Main St., Versailles, OH ph. (937) 526-3361 www.plasticsrecyclingtech.com
- Nexcycle Plastics Inc 235 Wilkinson Rd., Brampton, Ontario Ph. 905.454.2666 www.npiplastic.com
- Gar Plastic Inc 240 North Birdsey Street, Columbus, WI Ph. 920-623-5775 www.garplastic.com
- Petoskey Plastics 4226 U.S. South 31 Hwy, Petoskey, MI
 Ph. 800-999-6556 www.petoskeyplastics.com

Recycler of films and papers:

General Mill Supply Co. - 50690 General Mill Drive, Wixom, MI
 Ph. (800) 626-6977 www.genmill.com