

Resources to Inform the Development of an ANSI/BIFMA Sustainable Office Furniture Assessment Standard

- BIFMA Sustainability Guidelines
<http://www.bifma.org/documents/SusGdlines.pdf>
- ASTM E2432-05 Standard Guide for General Principles of Sustainability Relative to Buildings
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- ASTM E2129-05 Standard Practice for Data Collection for Sustainability Assessment of Building Products
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- ASTM E1991-05 Standard Guide for Environmental Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) of Building Materials/Products
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- ASTM E2114-05a Standard Terminology for Sustainability Relative to the Performance of Buildings
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- ASTM E917-05 Standard Practice for Measuring Life-Cycle Costs of Buildings and Building Systems
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- Collaboration for High Performance Schools Section 01350
<http://www.chps.net/manual/index.htm#specs>
- MBDC Cradle to Cradle
website: <http://www.mbdc.com/certified.html>
document: http://www.mbdc.com/docs/Certification_Outline.pdf
criteria: <http://www.mbdc.com/docs/CertificationCriteria.pdf>

- Natural Step System Conditions
<http://www.NaturalStep.org>
- GreenSeal Office Furniture Choose Green Report --
http://www.greenseal.org/recommendations/CGR_office_furniture.pdf
- Unified Sustainable Textile Standard© 2.0
<http://mts.sustainableproducts.com/standards.htm>
- SCS EPP Standards -- Carpet Face Fiber, Carpet Broad Loom, and Flooring Management Systems
 - http://www.scs-certified.com/manufacturing/manufacture_facefiber.html
 - <http://www.scs-certified.com/carpet/>
 - http://www.scs-certified.com/manufacturing/manufacture_flooring.html
- Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Sustainability Reporting Guidelines (2000) Social Equity Performance Indicators
http://www.sustainableproducts.com/susproddef2.html#Performance_Indicators
- Business for Social Responsibility – issue briefs
<http://www.bsr.org/CSRResources/IssueBriefsList.cfm?area=all>
- Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool (EPEAT)
Description of Voluntary Environmental Performance Criteria for Computers, Laptops and Monitors and EPEAT Product Rating System as Designed by the EPEAT Development Team --
<http://www.epeat.net/files/EPEAT%20Full%20Criteria%20050602.pdf>
- EPA/WBDG Federal Green Construction Guide for Specifiers: 12700-Systems Furniture: <http://fedgreenspecs.wbdg.org>
- DfE Furniture Flame Retardancy Partnership: Furniture foam flame retardants alternatives assessment
<http://www.epa.gov/dfepubs/flameret/ffr-alt.htm>