

<b>PRODUCT INFORMATION</b>	<b>TYPE OF PRODUCT</b>	Carpet Backing
	<b>COMPANY NAME</b>	Shaw
	<b>PRODUCT/COLLECTION NAME</b>	Ecoworx tile, Ecoworx Broadloom, Ecoworx Performance Broadloom
	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	Carpet tile backing
<b>MATERIAL FEEDSTOCK</b>	<b>MATERIAL CONTENT</b>	Nylon 6
	<b>RECYCLED CONTENT %</b>	44% total recycled material 36% pre-consumer recycled content 8% post-consumer recycled content
	<b>RAPIDLY RENEWABLE CONTENT %</b>	N/A
	<b>HARMFUL ADDITIVES</b>	N/A
	<b>HARMFUL EMISSIONS</b>	N/A
	<b>EMISSION STRENGTH OVER TIME</b>	N/A
	<b>TREATMENTS</b>	FlorSept® system antimicrobial protection
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING PROCESS</b>	Ecoworx carpet backing is manufactured using a 5-step process. 1. Performance precut for maximum tuft bind. 2. Thermoplastic laminate for superior delamination strength. 3. Fiberglass reinforcement for unmatched stability. 4. Final thermoplastic layer for added stability. 5. Die-cut into carpet tiles.
	<b>HARMFUL EMISSIONS</b>	N/A
	<b>LOCATION OF MANUF. PLANT</b>	Various
	<b>TESTS/CODES</b>	Radiant Panel Fire -Class 1 TVOCs < 500 micrograms/sqm/hr.
	<b>3<sup>RD</sup> PARTY CERTIFICATION</b>	Cradle to Cradle Silver CRI Green Label Plus NSF 140 2007e Platinum
<b>INSTALLATION</b>	<b>INSTALLATION PROCEDURE</b>	Can be installed using either glue or Lokdots. Lokdots are a lightweight alternative to glue; they weigh and cost less than glue installation. Before installing, allow Lokdots, carpet, and installation location to remain between 65 and 95 degrees F, for 24 hours, and perform required moisture tests. Additional installation details available at: <a href="http://www.shawcontractgroup.com/Html/PerformanceLokDots">http://www.shawcontractgroup.com/Html/PerformanceLokDots</a>
	<b>INSTALLATION ADHESIVES</b>	Full spread Shaw Sureset N5000 releasable adhesive Ecoworx ES, Shaw's environmental self-adhesive system
	<b>UNIT COST</b>	Varies, depending on what carpet it is used with. There is no increased cost for using Ecoworx backing versus traditional PVC backing.

	<b>LIFE CYCLE ANALYSIS EXTRACTION</b>	
	<b>END OF SERVICE LIFE</b>	100% recyclable, can be returned to Shaw
<b><u>MISC. PROPERTIES</u></b>	<b>QUALITIES/PROPERTIES OF PRODUCT</b>	Strongest, most durable backing-- 5x greater tensile strength, 8x greater tear strength, and 2x greater delamination strength than traditional PVC backing.
	<b>MISC. COMMENTS</b>	Ecoworx backing weighs 40% less than traditional carpet backing making it easier to install and cheaper to ship.
	<b>CONTRIBUTION TO LEED POINTS</b>	IEQ Credit 4.3 MR Credit 4
<b><u>COMPANY PROFILE</u></b>	<b>GREEN PHILOSOPHY</b>	Cradle-to-Cradle design is an integral part of the Shaw commitment to sustainable design through innovation. Shaw takes it cue from nature, designing so that waste is never an option. The company seeks out materials that can be recycled back into Shaw products to minimize waste and the environmental impact.
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<b><u>MAINTENANCE</u></b>	<b>AFTER INSTALLATION</b>	Use a chair matt under chairs with wheels. Vacuum regularly. Soiled tiles can be replaced. When additional construction is performed, lay down paper rather than plastic to protect carpet.