

<b>PRODUCT INFORMATION</b>	<b>TYPE OF PRODUCT</b>	Bamboo floors, panels, and veneer
	<b>COMPANY NAME</b>	Teragren
	<b>PRODUCT/COLLECTION NAME</b>	Fine Bamboo flooring, Panels, and Veneer
	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	Vertical or flat plane bamboo strips or panels made from the MOSO species of bamboo from China. Teragren also manufactures a variety of parts and accessories from bamboo.
<b>MATERIAL FEEDSTOCK</b>	<b>MATERIAL CONTENT</b>	MOSO species of bamboo
	<b>RECYCLED CONTENT %</b>	0%
	<b>RAPIDLY RENEWABLE CONTENT %</b>	All bamboo products are rapidly renewable. The plant regrows from the same rootstalk and a new plant matures in just a few years. They are also 100% recyclable.
	<b>HARMFUL ADDITIVES</b>	N/A
	<b>HARMFUL EMISSIONS</b>	All Teragren products admit only 0.03ppm or lower of formaldehyde.
	<b>EMISSION STRENGTH OVER TIME</b>	N/A
	<b>TREATMENTS</b>	Water based, solvent free Signature color stains.
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	<b>MANUFACTURING PROCESS</b>	All Teragren bamboo is harvested at maturity between 5 ½ to 6 years. This ensures consistent hardness and clarity of color. Cutting at maturity also avoids performance problems such as cupping and warping. Placed in a natural borate solution to set color and to eliminate pests and mildew. Kiln dried to deliver moisture content between 7% and 9%.  Dust from processing is used to fuel the boilers.  Teragren's factory burns pre-consumer recycled sawdust and other bamboo waste to create steam, which powers the kilns, drying rooms, and heats the hydraulic presses.
	<b>HARMFUL EMISSIONS</b>	N/A
	<b>LOCATION OF MANUF. PLANT</b>	Longyou China in the Zhejiang province.
	<b>TESTS/CODES</b>	Large Chamber Test for Formaldehyde Emissions
	<b>3<sup>RD</sup> PARTY CERTIFICATION</b>	SCS Indoor advantage gold Floor Score California Section 01350
	<b>INSTALLATION</b>	<b>INSTALLATION PROCEDURE</b>

	<b>INSTALLATION ADHESIVES</b>	Exceed E1 standards All adhesives are free of urea-formaldehyde and comply with IEQ Credit 4.4: Low-Emitting Materials— Composite Wood and Agrifiber Products.
	<b>UNIT COST</b>	Per square foot: Elements \$4.69 Synergy Naturals long strip \$5.39, Synergy Naturals \$6.59, Signature Naturals \$6.69, Signature Colors \$6.95 Studio \$7.89 Portfolio Naturals \$8.39, Portfolio Colors \$9.89
	<b>LIFE CYCLE ANALYSIS EXTRACTION</b>	Moso bamboo is harvested within a 10 year cycle or shorter. Teragren harvests its bamboo between 5.5 to 6 years to ensure optimal density, performance and plant health.
	<b>END OF SERVICE LIFE</b>	Teragren bamboo products can be recycled at construction materials recycling centers.  Any material that is not recycled is 100% compostable.  Care should be taken not to breath in any released dust when removing Teragren floor products.
<b>MISC. PROPERTIES</b>	<b>QUALITIES/PROPERTIES OF PRODUCT</b>	Bamboo is readily renewable, growing new plants from remaining stalk; the plant is ready to be re-harvested within a few years. The manufacturing process also ensures the product against warping. Moso bamboo is 154 times harder than Pine.
	<b>MISC. COMMENTS</b>	Teragren has an on site manufacturing plant located in China. This makes Teragren products manufactured on location.
	<b>CONTRIBUTION TO LEED POINTS</b>	MR Credit 6, MR Credit 7, IEQ Credit 4.4
<b>COMPANY PROFILE</b>	<b>GREEN PHILOSOPHY</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Enhance home and business environments for years and years</li> <li>· Pay farmers and their families fair-market prices for raw materials in China</li> <li>· Pay fair wages to factory workers in China</li> <li>· Reduce dependence on dwindling timber resources</li> <li>· Rely on renewable-resource materials</li> <li>· Adhere to stringent, environmentally sensitive specifications</li> <li>· Promote green building· Help neutralize our company's environmental footprint</li> </ul>
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<b>MAINTENANCE</b>	<b>AFTER INSTALLATION</b>	Vacuum or sweep floors and remove spills right away. Damp mop only, do not wet mop or use water on the floor as this could warp the wood. In high traffic areas, use rugs with either a non-abrasive or felt-back. Install wood guards on feet of furniture. Use curtains to block the suns rays, which can be damaging to the wood. Repairing divots or scratches: when scratches or gouges happen, either replace the effected board(s) or use <u>Mohawk Fil Stiks</u> Recommended cleaning products: WoodWise Floor Cleaner by Design Hardwood Products Bona Swedish Formula Hardwood Floor Cleaner by BonaKemi. For coatings use: TyKote Sandless Recoating System or Bona Prep Recoating Adhesion System

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