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# THE AUSTRALIAN ECOLABEL PROGRAM

**LICENCE NO:** QTP - 2008

**ISSUED TO:** Queensland Tissue Products Pty Ltd

**PRODUCT:**

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| <i>Toilet Tissue</i>           | QTP Single, Two Ply, Interleaf, Jumbo      |
| <i>Hand Towel</i>              | QTP Standard, Interleaf, Centrefold        |
| <i>Facial Tissue</i>           | QTP 100, 224                               |
| <i>Sanitary Paper Products</i> | Softex Range of Sanitary Paper Products    |
| <i>Sanitary Paper Products</i> | EarthCare Range of Sanitary Paper Products |

**STANDARD:**

GECA 17-2004 – Sanitary Paper Products

**SITE ADDRESS:**

45 Antimony Street  
Carole Park, Qld, 4300.

**Re-certification Date:**

6<sup>th</sup> June 2011

Petar Johnson  
**Director**  
Environmental Assurance



### 3.2.2 Recycled Content Requirements

Certified products must incorporate at least 90% by weight preferably sourced fibre content. “Preferably sourced fibre” may include any combination of pre- or post-consumer recycled fibre or forestry residues, as defined above. Toilet paper must incorporate at least 25 % by weight post consumer recycled content.



#### **Results:**

Queensland Tissue Products sources recycled fibre from a diverse range of sources. These include:

- Post Industrial non conforming paper and sanitary paper products from other manufacturing facilities including their ABC plant in Sydney, NSW.
- Post Consumer fibre from a variety of local supplier including:

The manufacturing site rotates a mix of brands and respective fibre sources into its ongoing production mix depending on schedules of production. It was critical for this assessment to ensure that enough recycled paper was purchased to ensure a balance between purchased recycled fibre and recycled fibre content of sanitary paper production records.

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The assessment demonstrated that an extensive record of recycled paper procurement has existed for the last 12 months for the site.

The production run schedule also confirms that each distinct production batch records the source of fibre used allowing a documentary trail of evidence confirming recycled fibre mix.

The product fibre formulations have been declared as having the following composition:



Product Name	Recycled Content Mix.
EarthCare Range of Sanitary Paper Products	100% Post Consumer Fibre Source

**Result: Compliant**