

We take our responsibility from an ethical and legal perspective seriously to ensure that our actions have a minimal effect on the worlds environment. We are constantly looking for ways to reduce our environmental impact.



Amstore & The Environment



Print & Packaging - FSC / Recycled materials



We source the vast majority of our paper from mills that are FSC (Forest Stewardship Council) accredited. This ensures that the paper used is from a sustainable resource and has been audited by the FSC. We also provide the option for recycled paper in situations where this makes sense.



RoHS

RoHS stands for Restriction of Hazardous Substances. This standard was introduced in 2003 and has been enforced since July 2006. The RoHS standard applies to a number of products including electronic and electrical equipment. USB flash drives and memory cards fall under this category for example.

The standard identifies a series of chemicals and restricts their use to an amount PPM (parts per million). The reason behind this is that it is considered that these chemicals have harmful effects on users, such as cancer and blindness. The chemicals covered include: Cadmium, Lead, Mercury, Hexavalent chromium, (PBBs), (PBDEs)

WEEE

WEEE relates to Waste Electrical Electronic Equipment. This EU directive requires that all electrical and electronic equipment be marked with indications as to how they should be recycled if they contain materials covered by the RoHS directive.

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CE

All our USB flash drives and Memory cards are CE marked. This is a self-certifying process that indicates that the products comply to all the relevant European directives such as low voltage directive and so forth.



Carbon Neutral



We have an on-going commitment to reduce our carbon footprint. One of the key elements of this strategy has been the in-depth review from The Carbon Neutral Company. This includes, but is not restricted to, couriers, travel into work by staff, recycling and waste management and electricity used in the day to day activities. Through our annual charge we off-set our carbon foot-print through positive environmental projects.

However this is just the beginning. During 2008 we also raised money for the World Land Trust through a charity challenge climb up Kilimanjaro. They offer invaluable protection and reforestation of the world's rainforests.

To find out more about becoming Carbon Neutral please see their website www.carbonneutral.co.uk

To find out more about the work of the world land trust see www.worldlandtrust.co.uk

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