

Raw Material Policy

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Raw material from responsibly managed forests

One of Rottneros most important sustainability aspects is that the raw material comes from responsibly managed forests. When felling, responsible forestry means that nature is taken into account and that forests and natural areas with high conservation values are excluded.

We only use raw materials from suppliers who are certified according to FSC® or PEFC, the world's largest forest certification system with standards for forestry and traceability (Chain of Custody). All pulpwood we purchase is either certified or checked by a certified supplier.

Rottneros is certified according to PEFC and FSC® Chain of custody and according to FSC® Controlled Wood. With certification according to Chain of custody, the company can show that the raw material comes from responsible forestry and has a controlled origin, it is the link between the certified forestry and the certified end product.

The raw material that is not certified meets the requirements according to FSC® controlled Wood and PEFC Controlled Sources.

This means that Rottneros does not buy:

- illegally harvested timber
- timber harvested in violation of traditional and human rights
- wood from forests with threatened high conservation values
- wood from forests with genetically modified trees as well as
- timber from large-scale conversion of forest to plantation or other land use



The mark of
responsible forestry

