

Bioglass

COVERINGS ETC.

BioGlass is made from 100% PCR glass, is primarily for interior use, and is 100% recyclable. It is commonly used as solid surfacing in interior applications such as flooring, wall, counters, and worktops.



BioGlass is made of 100% recycled or reclaimed glass pieces, heated and agglomerated under pressure into slabs. The material contains no binders, colorants, fillers or other additives. Raw materials are salvaged or purchased locally.



BioGlass can be recut for reuse or recycled curb-side. Coverings Etc. plans to increase usage of PCR packaging, to reduce packaging; to feature PCR FSC certified cartons produced from 100% wind energy; to purchase certificates to offset CO2 emissions; and to organize an employee carpooling, bicycle and public transportation program.



BioGlass does not emit VOCs during manufacturing. All manufacturing facilities are certified by International Standards for environmental practices UNI EN ISO 14001.



Coverings Etc. is an equal opportunity employer. Their showrooms host educational and environmental events. Coverings Etc. supports projects guided by principles of sustainability, and has donated approximately \$16,000 worth of Future Friendly™ materials Eco-Cem® and Eco-Terr® to the Faubourg St. Roch Project.



Crush Glass

FIRECLAY TILE

Fireclay Tile Glass is made of 100% recycled glass, with an energy efficient production process that creates little to no pollution and waste. It is available in matte or gloss and in a wide variety of shapes and colors.



Fireclay is made from 100% PIR glass, salvaged locally. The manufacturing process is waste and energy efficient. Production takes one-fourth the energy of a casting glass. Tiles are shipped with recycled and compostable packing.



The manufacturing process uses approximately a ton and a half of recycled glass a week with glass salvaged from local window and solar panel manufacturers. Fireclay's CRT glass tile gives new life to difficult-to-recycle CRT e-waste. Fireclay Tile purchases carbon offsets for their manufacturing emissions.



Toxic chemicals, VOCs, and pollutants are not emitted during manufacture or use. No MSDS is provided.



There is no outsourcing of labor and each company member has full health insurance and fair wages.

River Crystals and Agates

INTERSTYLE

Interstyle River Crystals and Agates are collections of tiles made from post-consumer recycled glass, suitable for indoor and outdoor use.



Agates and River Crystals are made from 100% pre-consumer recycled glass. Glass is a long-lasting and abundant material. As a mono-material, it can easily be recycled at end of useful life.



Interstyle's manufacturing process reduces waste and energy. Interstyle harvests rainwater, has a closed loop system, and incorporates exhaust heat into the drying process. Recycled fiber is used for packaging.



Interstyle's glass products are mono-material and have low toxicity.



Interstyle believes in keeping manufacturing in North America, with a high quality work environment. Their facility is intentionally located near public transit and bike routes.

Barcode

INTERSTYLE

Barcode is a line of decorative glass tiles by Interstyle. It is made of fused strips of glass. Barcode can be used for decorative interior wall and floor tiling.



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La Leaf Collection

ARTISTIC TILE

La Leaf is a collection of glass tiles with gold, silver, or copper leaf applied to the underside, and sealed. It is either antiqued or smooth in appearance.



La Leaf Tiles are made primarily from glass, a durable and abundant material. Artistic Tile's manufacturing process recycles post-production scrap material, and tiles can be reclaimed and reused.



Artistic Tile partners with SmartWay to ensure efficiency in transportation, uses solar power for a significant portion of their energy, and incorporates rainwater in the tile-cutting process. Products are shipped in biodegradable bubble wrap.



Tiles do not contain harmful VOCs, and do not require harsh cleaning chemicals.



Artistic Tile is a family-run business. They contribute to a wide variety of charities, including housing initiatives in the Bronx and Brooklyn.

