

MANUFACTURER COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABILITY
Is there a written, working environmental policy in place? Is it easy to find on their Web site or product literature?
Does this policy strive to make important improvements in manufacturing, reducing and reusing first, then recycling?
Do they comply with their industry's voluntary testing programs?
EXAMINE THE PRODUCT'S COMPOSITION
What are the raw materials used to create the product?
And where do they come from?
Did the materials come from renewable resources? Is the manufacturing process energy efficient?
Does the manufacturing process release harmful substances?
Are adhesives needed to make the product viable? What are they using?
Are coatings or finishes needed to make the product viable?
What are they using?
EXAMINE OTHER ASPECTS OF THE PRODUCT
Does the product nurture the health and well-being of its occupants?
Does the product do the job well?
How much energy does it use?
Does the product release VOCs? At what rate?
How is the product packaged and transported?
How is the product installed and maintained?
Does it have a color or texture that can lead to reduced lighting energy or an expanded range of thermal comfort conditions?
Can the product be maintained in a benign manner? Using safe cleaning products?
EXAMINE STRATEGIES FOR DISPOSAL
Is the product durable? Biodegradable? Recyclable?
Can the parts be separated for recycling?
Can it be made into something else?
Can the product be returned to its manufacturer at the end of its useful life?
COST CONSIDERATIONS
What is the price range for the product?
Does the manufacturer provide life cycle cost analysis on this product?

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Yes. Please see the Green Page on our website.
Yes. Small footprint, sustainably harvested materials, hand crafted pieces.
Yes. All products are UL Listed .
Sticks, vines , paper , metal frames, adjunct wiring
Natural materials are gathered locally , metals / paper from local suppliers
Pruned vines, unwanted saplings, invasive species; Hand made products, solar-heated studio, reused materials.
No. The safety of our employees comes first.
Yes. Primarily water-based adhesives.
In some instances. Whenever possible, water-based finishes are used.
Industrial water-based flame retardant, poly-acrylic finish, water-based stains.
Yes. All products are designed to be soothing and inspiring .
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Varies according to the lamping.
No.
Packed in recycled packaging. Shipped FedEx Ground/UPS.
Varies. Qualified Electricians install wall and ceiling fixtures. Clean when dusty.
N/A
Yes. Feather duster, dry cloth, compressed air, reverse function on vacuum
Yes to all.
Yes, separate parts for compost and metal recycling.
No.
No.
\$250 - \$3,500
No.