

Triskimex Group Inc. (BOHM Furniture) is a European furniture manufacturer which strives to bring products to the North American markets that are manufactured according to old European traditions as well as current strict European standards. In order to create environmentally intelligent products we take into account all aspects of the products' life cycle: raw materials, manufacturing processes, design, and customer satisfaction.

We prefer eco-manufacturing intelligence: Our commitment is to deliver products that have as big of an environmental footprint as possible. In positive way, of course.

Energy: Our products are made in the Czech Republic. We use local resources that are as close to the manufacturing plant as possible, thereby using less energy for the transportation of raw materials. The use of energy is monitored throughout the process by the computer program PIKO 32. When the amount of energy used exceeds a certain level, the system regulates its consumption. "Green energy" is used in the manufacturing process as well. The wood is harvested locally and certified according to FSC (FSC-SGS-COC-28-3). Parts of the wood that have no further use are utilized for heating the facility and the wood dryer. This means less energy is used in the manufacturing process.

VOC & Other chemicals: To connect the frames of our furniture we use water-based glues (fa.Kleiberit), wooden dowels, screws and nails. To finish our products we use water-based paints and treatments. Thus, the amount of VOC is reduced to a minimum so our products are Zero/Low rated. The foam is manufactured according to high European Oeko – Standards in Austria.

Recycling: All manufacturing waste is sorted and recycled. Our special mattresses will never end up in the landfill because each and every part is replaceable. Our furniture, due to its natural materials, is recyclable as well. We use packaging produced from recycled paper (supp. fa Kohap, Uhlirske Janovice, CZ) that can be recycled again after it has been used.

Our suppliers are part of the local "Plan for waste management" and are required to follow strict limits set by the plan.

We prefer respect: We respect the environment. Therefore, we design products that last for a lifetime. We do not support the idea of buying furniture every 2-3 years. Our products are made to stay with you and your family for much longer. All our producers manufacture according to ISO 9000 standard. By the end of 2008 all our supply companies will have ISO 14001 certification as well.

We prefer fun and delight: It's not only about the manufacturing process but about the designs as well that make our products stand above the rest. All our products have many elements that can be combined in hundreds of different ways. And what do the designers and decorators tell us? They love this feature. Why? They are able to express the latest design while still providing the comfort that our customers expect.

We prefer a smart future: We understand that our products, as good as they are, leave room for improvement either through better manufacturing processes or in the design itself. Therefore, we are looking forward to innovative ways of improving both sides of the process.