



# Carb Issue Update: Labeling Considerations For Fabricators

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## Our End of the Bargain

- We now indicate CARB compliance on our paperwork and on our packaging
  - This is important in documenting your use of CARB compliant materials to maintain the “Chain of Custody” in documentation.
- Which you, as a fabricator, are required to do.
- You must keep these records (bill of ladings, invoices, etc.) for 2 years.



# Unit Tags



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**PureBond.**  
FORMALDEHYDE-FREE HARDWOOD PLYWOOD


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**CARBP2** COMPLIANT  
Columbia Forest Products  
CARB Phase 2 Compliant  
HWPW – VC; NAF Resin;  
Certified: HPVA TPC – 8

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**FSC** Mixed Sources  
Product group from well-managed  
forests and other controlled sources  
www.fsc.org Cert no. SW-COC-000065  
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HARDWOOD PLYWOOD & VENEER ASSOCIATION  
 INDUSTRIAL  
HARDWOOD PLYWOOD  
MEETS ANSI/HPVA HP-1-2004  
FORMALDEHYDE EMISSIONS  
M.L.L. 413

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UREA – FORMALDEHYDE – FREE PANEL – LEED. These panels are urea formaldehyde free as defined by the USGBC LEED Green Building Rating System. The core bonding process and veneer lay – on lamination process added no urea – formaldehyde resin to the finished product.

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Part Description:  
FSC-SW-COC-000065 FSC Mixed 91% 3/4"  
48.5" X 96.5" KayCore VC A 1 P/S  
Maple R/C Spl Maple PureBond FF

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Unit **11249004**

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# Paperwork

Part Code/Description		Qty Ordered	Qty Shipped		Total
			On-Grade	Ship	
<p><b>columbia</b> FOREST PRODUCTS <b>WE CARE.</b> After all, it's our company. <b>Shipment Packing List</b></p> <p>Trumann AR 202 Pinnett Avenue Trumann, AR 72472- Shipped 10-SEP-2008 Shipping Instruction Number <b>289136/1</b></p> <p>Sold To: 100586 ACME DEMO CUSTOMER 1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW Washington, DC 20500- Ship To: ACME DEMO CUSTOMER 1600 Pennsylvania Ave NW Washington, DC 20500-</p>					
<p>Order Number 248610 PO Number: DEMO-123 ACME DEMO CUSTOMER Part: ACME-2000 CFP Part: 488372 FSC-SW-COC-000065 PANEL: FSC Mixed 91%, 3/4", 4' X 8', KayCore VC, A, 1, P/S, Maple, R/C Spl, Maple, PureBond FF PACKAGING: 40 Piece Units, Ship All Panels Face Side Up, 10% Shop Allowable, 15.0 % Shop Discount Receiving Hours 9am-1pm Mon-Fri CARB Phase 2 Compliant HWPW-VC; NAF Resin Certified: HPVA TPC-8</p>					
	<u>Unit/Lot</u> 11241861	<u>Weight</u> 1200	<u>Qty</u> 24		
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## What to Look for:

- Manufacturers don't get a special number
- They earn the right to use their "Third Party Certifier's" number
- In Columbia's case, it's: HPVA TPC-8

## TPC Number

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## Labeling Requirements for Fabricators:

- CARB requires fabricators to clearly label all finished goods containing HWPW, PB, or MDF destined for sale in California.
  - CARB strongly recommends labeling of both the finished good and the box the finished good is contained in.
- Labels must include:
  1. Fabricator's name
  2. Date the finished good was produced
  3. A statement of compliance to denote that the composite wood product or finished good complies with the ATCM
  4. Finished goods made with NAF/ULEF based resins shall be labeled as such



## What This Means:

- As a manufacturer or fabricator of finished goods using our CARB-compliant panels, you would have to maintain our product paperwork for your records, and label your product to correspond with the CARB Phase (1 or 2) compliance on our unit labels.
  - For example, for PureBond veneer core plywood it's Phase 2. So for your own labeling, you need the following:

**Fabricator Name**

**Date of Manufacture**

**California 93120 compliant for formaldehyde Phase 2**

**Made with no-added formaldehyde based resins**





## Questions?

➤ Additional information links:

CARB Labeling Advisory

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/toxics/compwood/outreach/labelingadv.pdf>

CARB FAQ page

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/toxics/compwood/implementation/faq.htm>