

# Product Safety Statement Arctic Paper Grycksbo AB

This is to certify that all products produced at Arctic Paper Grycksbo comply with the following:

## **PRODUCTION CONDITIONS**

All production at Arctic Paper Grycksbo AB meets the conditions in Sweden's implementation of the Industrial Emissions Directive 2010/75/EU (IED) and the general application of IED and Best Available Technique 2014/687/EU (BAT) conclusions.

## **COMPLIANCE** with 94/62/EC

Arctic Paper Grycksbo AB complies with the European Parliament and Council Directive 94/62/EC of 20 December 1994 on packaging and packaging waste including later amendments. This directive is also part of Swedish legislation as SFS 2018:1462 Regulation on producer responsibility on packaging.

# **RECYCLABILITY**

The paper is well suited for recycling and is recyclable according to EU directives, 9462/2.

# **PULP BLEACHING - ECF**

All products from Arctic Paper Grycksbo are produced from 100% virgin fibers. The pulp used is by definition ECF (Elemental Chlorine Free). This guarantees that all paper from Arctic Paper Grycksbo is produced from ECF pulp.

## **REACH and SVHC**

REACH is a European legislation regarding chemical substances. Paper is according to REACH, defined as not being a chemical, but an article not containing any substances that can be intentionally released during normal conditions of use. This means that the products supplied by Arctic Paper Grycksbo are not supposed to be registered according to REACH.

Arctic Paper Grycksbo as a company though is, according to the REACH-vocabulary, a downstream user of chemicals. This means that we have to make sure that the chemicals we use in our production process are registered according to REACH.

Consequently, there is a process established where we secure that the products from Arctic Paper Grycksbo comply with the regulations under EG 1907/2006, and subsequent amendments, concerning REACH XIV, XVII and the ECHA candidate list concerning Substances of Very High Concern as of 14th June 2023.

We guarantee that the paper manufacturing process conforms to established technology involving the use of generally recognised chemicals.

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#### THE NORDIC SWAN

The products comply with the Nordic Swan criteria, however we have chosen not to license our products. This means that we ourselves are not allowed to label the products but the paper as such is approved as "Inspected paper" to be used in any labelled product.

### **FOOD CONTACT**

The products are approved for contact with dry and fatty food according to the German standard BfR XXXVI. The products also comply with regulation EC No 1935/2004, and our quality control system lives up to regulation EC No 2023/2006. Our product G-Flexmatt also complies with the Code of Federal Regulations, Food and Drugs (FDA), 21 CFR Ch. I (1 April 2021 edition), §§176.170 and 176.180.

The certificates were issued by ISEGA – Forschungs und Untersuchungs GmbH Aschaffenburg.

#### SAFETY OF TOYS

The products comply with the European Standard Safety of Toys – DIN EN 71-3:2019 (Migration of Certain Elements) and DIN EN 71-9:2007 (Organic Chemical Compounds - Requirements).

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#### **RISK SUBSTANCES**

The levels of such contaminants as Polychlorphenols (PCP), Polychlorbiphenyls (PCB), Phthalates, Primary Aromatic Amines and Formaldehyde are below the detection limit of the analytical method.

The determination was done by ISEGA - Forschungs und Untersuchungs GmbH Aschaffenburg.

The products do not contain any of the following substances: PBB (Poly-Brominated Biphenyls), PBDE (Poly-Brominated Diphenyl Ethers), TBBP-A-bis, Organic Tin Compounds, Azo Compounds, Perchlordecone, Chlorinated Paraffines, Asbestos, Ozone Depleting Substances, Polychloronaphtalene, Polychlorinated Terphenyls.

# **HEAVY METALS**

Regarding the content of heavy metals according to DIN EN 71-3:2019, such as Aluminium, Antimony, Arsenic, Boron, Barium, Cadmium, Cobalt, Chromium, Copper, Mercury, Manganese, Nickel, Lead, Selenium, Tin, Strontium and Zinc, the amounts are far below the limit value for the standard Safety of Toys.

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## **BISPHENOLS**

The products do not contain any Bisphenols.

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