



How Elkay Cabinet Products Contribute Towards LEED® Certification Points

Thank you for your interest in using sustainable products. Whether you're striving to achieve LEED certification for a project or you're simply interested in practicing good environmental principals, Elkay, as a responsible manufacturer, utilizes sustainable processes that may contribute towards LEED certification points.

Elkay cabinets may help your building or project achieve LEED certification by contributing towards credits in two areas: Materials and Resources and Regional Materials.

Materials and Resources Credit 4 – Recycled Content

Elkay cabinets constructed from particle board are manufactured with at least 20% recycled material by weight, and can contribute towards earning up to 2 certification points.

Material and Resources Credit 5 – Regional Materials

Elkay cabinets manufactured in Waconia, MN or Ringold, VA (Cane Creek) secure their raw materials locally. If your project site is within a 500 mile radius of one of these two locations, it contributes towards earning up to 2 certification points.

Note: products shipped from other Elkay cabinet manufacturing facilities are not eligible for this credit.

The Elkay cabinet products mentioned above may help you achieve LEED certification by contributing towards overall certification points, but the use of our cabinets alone will not qualify your project for LEED certification. Elkay cabinets are only a part of the building process and therefore need to be included in the project's total calculations. The project's total calculations will determine whether or not the project qualifies for LEED certification.

For a great online resource, visit the U.S. Green Building Council website at: <http://www.usgbc.org>. We recommend their frequently asked questions section found by doing a quick search using: FAQ.

Thank you for your commitment to sustainable building principles and your interest in Elkay cabinets. For more information please contact Customer Care.

