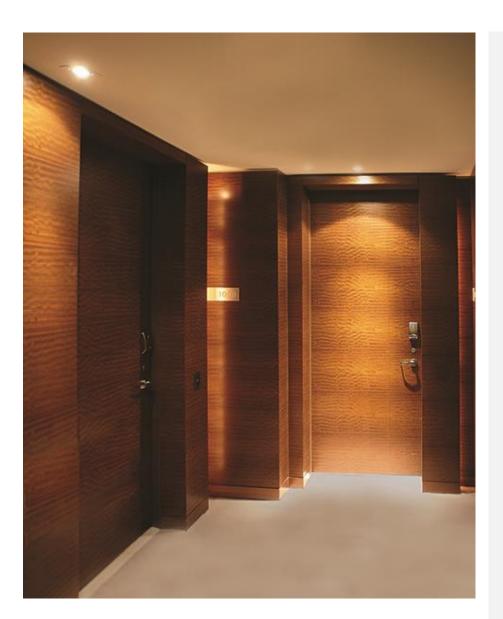
# ARCHITECTURAL WOOD DOOR LEAF

INTERIOR FLUSH DOOR, INTERIOR STILE AND RAIL DOOR



Horizontal Grain, 5-Ply Flush Door



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We embrace sustainable practices and emphasize continuous improvement and the utilization of Lean Manufacturing to reduce waste, improve our processes and products so that we can be a good steward for generations to come.

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	Information about basic material and the material's origin						
	Description of the product's manufacture						
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	Testing results and verifications						
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# **Company Description**

In two Wisconsin manufacturing plants, Eggers Industries employs the highest level of artistic craftsmanship alongside hot press technology and bonded cores to produce the most elegant, high-performing doors. Our flush doors can be specified to your needs—lead-lined, bullet-resistant, acoustical, impact resistant eiDoor®, FSC certified, non-rated and fire-rated through 90-minute.

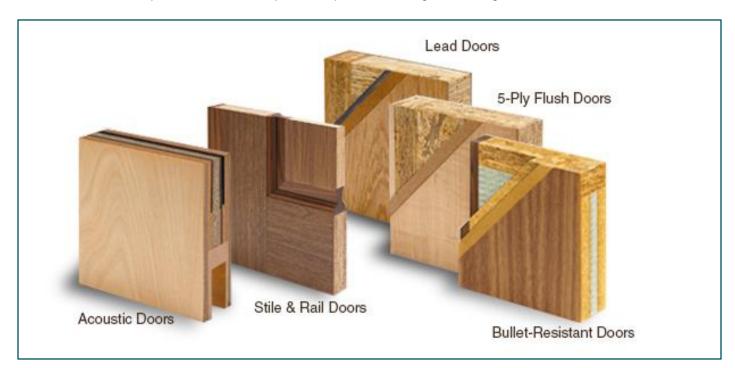
Our True Stile and Rail doors are expertly manufactured for lasting service and can be created to match a variety of custom architectural designs many of which are available up to 90-minute fire rated.

Eggers has been a Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) certified manufacturer since 2002 and we offer multiple door constructions as FSC certified.

All of our factory finished flush and stile and rail doors are certified by SCS Global Services for Indoor Advantage Gold, which is the Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) standard for building materials. The standard was developed with multistakeholder input and aligns with CA 01350. It qualifies for many building schemes, including LEED v4, WELL Building, and Living Building Challenge.

## **Product Description**

This environmental product declaration (EPD) covers Eggers interior flush and stile and rail doors, which include non-rated, rated, acoustical, bullet resistant, lead-lined and impact resistant constructions. These doors are designed for installation in interior spaces. The results represent a production-weighted average door leaf.







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Tables 1 and 2 show the available material construction options for Eggers flush and stile and rail doors.

**Table 1: Door Construction Options - Flush** 

Interior Flush Doors		
Door Core Options	Face Material Options	Additional Options
Particleboard Structural Composite Lumber (SCL) Agrifiber Stave Lumber Fire-resistant Composites Acoustical	Wood Veneer Bamboo High Density Fiberboard High Impact Vinyl High Pressure Laminate Medium Density Overlay	Lead-lined Acoustical (except Acoustical core) Factory Finishing Glazing Applied Moulding

Table 2: Door Construction Options - Stile and Rail

Interior Flush Doors		
Door Core Options	Face Material Options	Additional Options
Particleboard Structural Composite Lumber (SCL) Stave Lumber Fire-resistant Composites Acoustical	Wood Veneer Bamboo High Density Fiberboard	Acoustical (except Particleboard or Acoustical cores) Factory Finishing Glazing

## **Industry Standards**

- Architectural Woodwork Standards (AWS) Edition 2
- ANSI/WDMA I.S. 1A Industry Standard for Interior Architectural Wood Flush Doors
- ANSI/WDMA I.S. 6A Industry Standard for Interior Wood Stile and Rail Doors





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## **Manufacturing Process**

Our interior door products are manufactured using bonded core constructions and hot press technology, which meet or exceed the WDMA and AWS standards. Specified door cores are cut to size, bonded to stiles and rails and precision calibrated for thickness. High density fiberboard cross-bands and the specified door faces are adhered to the core using water based adhesives. The doors are trimmed to the specified size, beveled and machined for all applicable hardware applications. The doors are machine sanded and prefinished using water based stains and UV curable sealer and topcoats. Preparation for shipping includes individually wrapping doors in a protective polybag and stretch film wrapping the shipping load. Figure 1 illustrates the declared product system.



Figure 1: Cradle-to-gate product system

#### **Material Content**

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Table 3: Material composition of a production-weighted average door leaf

Material	% Content by weight
Engineered Wood	80.9
Fire Resistant Composites	7.10
Wood	6.18
Adhesives	1.63
Polymers/Plastics	1.25
Glass	1.05
Stains/Coatings	0.82
Lead	0.66
Natural Fiber	0.29
Steel	0.10
Fiberglass	0.05





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# Life Cycle Assessment (LCA)

#### **Declared Unit**

The declared unit is a wood door leaf measuring 21 ft<sup>2</sup> (1.95 m<sup>2</sup>) at a nominal thickness of 1-3/4" (44.45 mm). The mass of the corresponding reference flow is 126 lbs (57.1 kg).

## **System Boundaries**

This EPD declares the impacts of a production-weighted average wood door leaf from cradle to gate. Therefore, post-manufacturing life cycle stages are not considered in this declaration. The applied system boundary represents the life cycle modules A1, A2, and A3 as defined by EN 15804 and shown in Figure 2.

PRO	DUCT S	TAGE	CONSTR PROCES		USE STAGE		END OF LIFE STAGE			.GE					
Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Construction- installation process	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste Processing	Disposal
<b>A1</b>	A2	А3	A4	<b>A5</b>	B1	B2	В3	В4	В5	В6	В7	<b>C1</b>	C2	СЗ	C4
Х	Х	Χ	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND

Figure 2: Cradle-to-Gate or "Information Module" (The life-cycle activities and related processes shall include modules A1, A2, and A3—the product stage)





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## **Life Cycle Impact Assessment**

In accordance to the guiding PCR, TRACI 2.1 impact characterization methodology is used to calculate the declared environmental impacts. Additional inventory metrics are also calculated per the guiding PCR. The declared impacts and inventory metrics are summarized in Table 4 and represent a production-weighted average door leaf.

Table 4: LCA Results, per declared unit

Туре	A1-A3	Unit
TRACI 2.1 Impact Category		
Global warming potential	111	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq
Acidification potential	0.684	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq
Eutrophication potential	0.030	kg N eq
Ozone depletion potential	2.03E-07	kg CFC-11 eq
Smog creation potential	8.34	kg O₃ eq
Primary Energy Consumption		
Non-renewable fossil	1458	MJ (HHV)
Non-renewable nuclear	161	MJ (HHV)
Renewable (solar, wind, hydroelectric, and geothermal)	335	MJ (HHV)
Renewable (biomass)	2.60E-10	MJ (HHV)
Material Resource Consumption		
Non-renewable material resources	130	kg
Renewable material resources	443	kg
Net fresh water (inputs minus outputs)	348	L
Waste Generation		
Non-hazardous waste generated	4.97	kg
Hazardous waste generated	0.00134	kg





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## Other Environmental Information

## **Carbon Sequestration**

The guiding PCR permits separate reporting of carbon sequestered in wood components. The net Global Warming Potential credit for carbon storage is calculated using the FPInnovations PCR Carbon Sequestration Calculator, which adheres to guidance set by ISO 14047 and adopted by the International Council of Forest and Paper Associations (ICFPA).

As indicated in Table 5, 49.9 kg (87.3%) of door material content is made of wood and other renewable origins (engineered wood products, natural wood products, and natural fibers), serving as a basis for calculation. Moreover, approximately 10% of the engineered wood is considered to be resinous compounds; therefore, this mass is subtracted from the calculation (Puettmann, et al., 2013). To calculate this subtraction, the engineered wood portion was reduced by 10%. The resulting mass of 45.2 kg (79.2% of total door material content) is entered into the calculator. The wood product description nonstructural panels was found to be closest to wood door leaf. This mass is assumed to be oven dry mass. The carbon content is considered to be the default value of 50%. The output of the calculator is shown in Table 5. According to this calculator, 45.9 kg CO2-eq. are sequestered per declared unit in the product phase, A1-A3.

Table 5: FPInnovations carbon sequestration calculator results

User inputs	Unit	Description
Nonstructural panels		Choose similar product if not in list - do not enter new product name
45.2	oven dry kg	Wood mass only; no resins or moisture
50%		50% provided as default
Calculator Outputs	Unit	Description
Initial Greenhouse Gas Credit		
-82.9	kg CO₂ eq.	Carbon sequestered in product at manufacturing gate
Greenhouse Gas Emissions		
7.14	kg CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon dioxide emissions from recycled wood (accounted as 100% CO2 emission)
7.14	kg CO2	Carbon dioxide emissions from combusted wood waste
5.16	kg CO2	Carbon dioxide emissions from aerobic landfills
1.30	kg CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon dioxide emissions from fugitive landfill gas
6.64	kg CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon dioxide emissions from combusted landfill gas
27.38	kg CO <sub>2</sub>	Total carbon dioxide emissions
0.39	kg CH₄	Methane emissions from fugitive landfill gas
0.39	kg CH₄	Total methane emissions
Net GWP Credit		
-45.9	kg CO₂ eq.	Sequestration, net of greenhouse gas emissions





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## Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) Certification



**FSC Certified Wood** 

Eggers Industries has been a FSC certified secondary manufacturer since 2002. Several FSC Mix door constructions are available upon request.

## **Indoor Air Quality Certification**



Indoor Air Quality - Low Emitting Materials

Eggers Industries doors are certified to the most transparent Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) standard for building materials SCS Global Indoor Advantage Gold which is compliant to CA 01350 test method. These test methods adhere to American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) Practice D5116 for small-scale chamber product testing and ASTM Practice D6670 for full-scale chamber testing. The test methods determine

individual volatile organic compounds (VOC) emissions based on the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment's (OEHHA) Chronic Reference Exposure Levels (CRELs).

All interior flush and stile and rail door constructions are included in our SCS Indoor Advantage Gold certification.





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