



## Our Commitment to the Environment

There are approximately 50 billion water bottles consumed around the world each year, and only about half of those get recycled. The rest end up in landfills, littered through our neighborhoods, or floating in our oceans.

Bottled water consumption has more than doubled since 2000: in 2015 there was the equivalent of more than 5 bottles of water consumed for every person in the USA every single week. This, of course, means that the amount of oil required to produce the energy used for the water bottling process continues to grow. In 2007, the last year global statistics of oil consumption were available, between 32 million and 54 million barrels of oil were used to produce the bottled water that was consumed in the USA alone. This energy is used to make the bottles from PET pellets (1 million tonnes in the USA), treat water, bottle the water, label the bottles and transport the bottled water. Most of the energy consumption occurs in the creation of the bottles themselves.

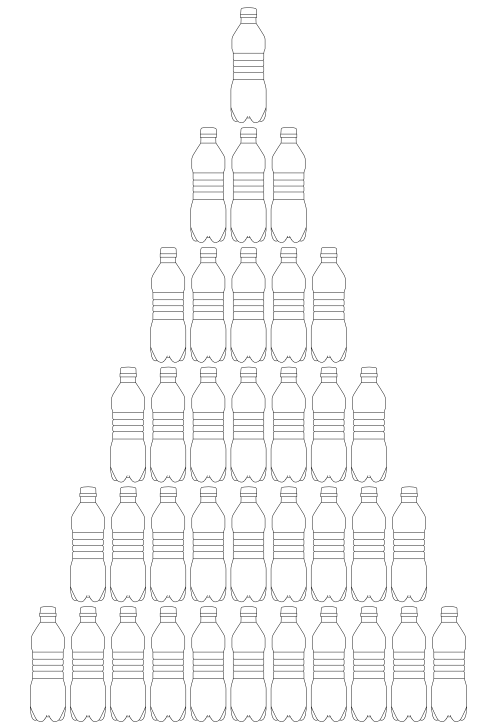
To help in the lifecycle of this plastic product, we've chosen to manufacture our material so that it recycles these PET bottles. We're doing our part to reduce the waste. This acoustical and tackable material is made from PET bottles in a zero-waste process with post industrial recycling. An environmentally friendly, sustainable and waste reduced alternative to traditional acoustical/tackable material that looks great in any office, education or open space installation.



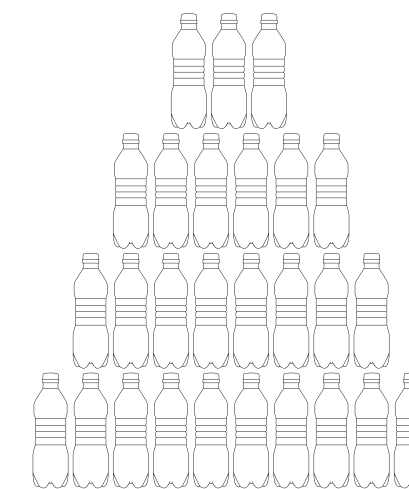
### ezoBord is...



- low VOC
- formaldehyde free

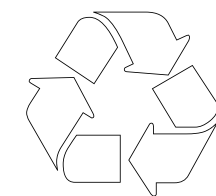


**+/- 36 PET BOTTLES**  
are used to make one  
12mm thick ezoBord sheet



**+/- 27 PET BOTTLES**  
are used to make one  
9mm thick ezoBord sheet

### Did you know...



For every pound of recycled PET bottles (approximately 23), energy use is reduced by 84% and greenhouse gas emissions are reduced by 71%.