

# *CORRUGATED PACKAGING: MAXIMUM FUNCTIONALITY – MINIMUM IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT*



Corrugated Packaging is a high performance concept designed to protect and promote goods. Use corrugated packaging and be reassured that it is also the most environmentally friendly choice.

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- ▲ Corrugated packaging is made of a natural and renewable raw material
  - Europe's forests are growing and each year the forest based sector only harvests 55% of the yearly growth of wood.
  - Growing more trees helps to slow down global warming, and to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> levels.
- ▲ Over 80 % of the paper used for the production of Corrugated packaging is recycled paper!
- ▲ Corrugated is one of the few packaging materials that reach the target set by the European Directive on packaging & packaging waste.
- ▲ The European Corrugated Packaging Industry helped develop the European Declaration on Paper Recovery, a voluntary standard which guarantees a recovery rate of 60%.
- ▲ Paper based packaging is 100 % recyclable and close to 70 % of paper and board packaging is recycled.
- ▲ Corrugated packaging is fully biodegradable.

Check out [www.fefco.org](http://www.fefco.org) for more information and the latest updates.

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Recycling generates a new paper based product up to 7 times over