

January 31, 2025

To: Steel Dynamics Customers

Re: LEED Information

Steel Dynamics, Inc. (SDI) is one of the largest domestic steel producers and metal recyclers, with facilities located throughout the United States, and in Mexico and has one of the most diversified value-added product and end-market portfolios in the domestic steel industry. Our company operates using a circular manufacturing model, producing lower-carbon-emission, high-quality steel using electric arc furnace (EAF) technology with recycled ferrous scrap as the primary raw material input.

Recycled Content

SDI has prepared the following information to help calculate the recycled content for products seeking U.S. Green Building Council’s LEED certification. The values were calculated using 2024 data and following ISO 14021:2016.

Facility	Recycled Content		
	Post-Consumer	Pre-Consumer	Total Recycled Content
2601 CR 700 E. Columbia City, IN 46725	75.9%	22.4%	98.3%

Regional Materials

Grades of ferrous scrap are procured from various sources, most of which are within a 500-mile radius of our plant site. The sources include obsolete automobiles, buildings, equipment, and home scrap generated onsite among others.

Environmental Product Declarations (EPD)

Available EPDs can be downloaded from <https://www.steeldynamics.com/certifications/>.

If you have any further questions, please contact the sales representative assigned to your account. We appreciate and value your business.