

As part of our overall commitment to conduct business in an environmentally friendly manner, Aurora Specialty Textiles Group, Inc. continues to offer innovative and sustainable products and services to our customers. The cornerstone of that product offering is the Weaves Of Green™ line of polyester fabrics.

Weaves Of Green™ fabrics are woven from post-consumer PET fibers by Southern Industrial Fabrics, Inc. SIF and their yarn suppliers have certified to Aurora that the fiber content is 100% post-consumer PET.

The source for the PET is recycled plastic drink bottles. The process of recycling the bottles into fabric begins with sorting the bottles by color and the removal of any non-PET materials such as caps, bases and labels. The PET is then washed and ground into flake. The flake is heated and extruded into fiber which can be made into yarns of different types depending upon the type of fabric being made. The yarns are woven or knitted into fabrics which can be made into an infinite number of finished products.

To help insure that the polyester fabric solution is sustainable, Aurora established the FabRecycle™ polyester fabric recycling program. Through this program, we are taking back printed and scrap polyester fabrics from our customers. We combine that material with scrap generated in our own processing, bale it and accumulate it for recycling into products such as carpet padding and insulation. Program details can be found on our website www.auroratextile.com.

We appreciate your interest in working with Aurora and your support of our efforts to protect our environment.

Sincerely,

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