



Thinking and Acting Responsibly

A company with its eye firmly on the future, Taylor Corporation draws its inspiration from this corporate value statement: **Taylor is committed to maintaining high standards by serving as responsible managers of natural resources, being good corporate citizens and protecting the health and safety of our employees, clients and visitors.**

Committed to Making a Difference

Each year, we analyze our data to plan sustainability-minded projects that increase efficiency and protect the environment. The following metrics show our progress in 2021 and will help us set future goals:

	Recycling* (tons)	Waste (tons)	Hazardous Waste (tons)	Waste to Energy (tons)	Recycle Rate Goal	Recycle Rate Actual	Diversion Rate Goal	Diversion Rate Actual
2021	32,571	8,712	48.6	3,694	80%	78.9%	89%	87.8%
2020	31,654	8,990	35.9	4,044	-	77.9%	-	87.8%

*Recycling includes: Paper, plastics, corrugated containers (OCC), metals, electronics, organic waste, yard waste and secure shred tonnage.

The global pandemic continued to have far-reaching effects on business operations in 2021. In some areas, it is difficult to compare our sustainability metrics for 2020 and 2021 for the simple reason that the volume and mix of materials manufactured by Taylor varied so widely between the two years. Likewise, the aggressive recycling and diversion goals that Taylor had set for the first time were quickly rendered obsolete due to unforeseeable changes to our business. However, our continued progress in regard to environmental sustainability is readily apparent in several key metrics:

Taylor continued to focus on **converting waste to energy** in 2021 – nearly 3,700 tons – despite lower production volumes that resulted in less waste generation overall. In fact, 14 of Taylor’s production facilities now divert 100% waste to energy and eight additional sites divert a portion of their waste to energy.

Fourteen of Taylor’s production facilities are certified both by the **Sustainable Forestry Initiative® (SFI®)** and the **Forestry Stewardship Council® (FSC®)** and another 12 are solely FSC® certified. Twenty-six total facilities have one or both certifications.

The Dayton, Ohio, facility achieved **ISO 14001 certification** during 2021, bringing the total to three Taylor facilities that are certified.



Sustainability in Action: Taylor Print & Services Solutions

Taylor Corporation encourages each business unit to pursue other environmental projects directly relevant to their customers and industry sector. For example, Taylor Print & Services Solutions establishes its own waste reduction goals for both diversion and recycling rates.

Waste Reduction

Diversion

Our 2021 actual performance 74.7%
 Our 2022 goal..... 78%

Recycling

Our 2021 actual performance 60.8%
 Our 2022 goal..... 64%

Fighting Climate Change

Taylor Print & Services Solutions also discloses information regarding carbon and climate change risk to CDP. Considered the gold standard of environmental reporting, CDP evaluated their performance during 2021 compared to relevant industry peers.

CDP SCORE

B

We received a score of B which is:

- Higher than the global average of B-
- Higher than the North American regional average of C
- Equal to the Paper Products & Packaging activity group average of B