

RADD RAXX SURF COMPANY understands that every company has a responsibility to consider the impact that its manufacturing has on the world ecology. We take that responsibility seriously

Sourcing and Transportation

We have sourced our components used in manufacturing our surfboard racks and in packaging and shipping our products to customers with the impact on our environment as a central factor.

Transportation of components over long distances increases the carbon footprint of the product. We located sources of components that are near “The Assemblage” where we manufacture our products.

Our **foam board cradle**, **neoprene girdle**, **skate wheel attachment** and **wall brackets** are made locally or sourced from companies within a 200- mile radius of “The Assemblage”, keeping transportation-related carbon gas emissions low.

Component Sustainability Features

In addition, our components have their own unique sustainable features.

The high-density **foam board cradle** manufactured in the US contains no less than 30% recycled content XLPE in single stage materials. As part of the manufacturing process, the foam contains recycled content from multiple collection points to recycle scraps, trims, and end of life components. The top three rubber based PSAs used have been recognized as USDA Bio Preferred, achieving the minimum 24% bio-based content.

The **neoprene girdle** is made from a product called “Eco-Sponge” developed with standards from the World Business Council for Sustainable Development. In addition, the closed cell bonded neoprene meets or exceeds Oeko-Tex Standard 100 for neoprene material. The product we use is PVC free and meets the RoHS (Restriction of Hazardous Substances 2.0) standard, and the US Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act of 2018. All neoprene used in our products are certified as compliant with both national and international safety and sustainability standards.

The steel used in our **board rack slide track** comes from recycled steel, a process that has been going on since the 1800s. The slide track used in our system contains between 25 to 100% recycled steel. The **stainless-steel swing swivel** and locally manufactured **skate wheel strap** and **wall brackets** are purchased from companies that practice sustainable methods of operation.

Shipping and Packaging

All of our **shipping material** is completely biodegradable and recyclable. Boxes are made from 100% pre-consumer material. Packaging materials used to protect your board rack system during shipping is made from recycled material and is itself 100% recyclable.

Built to Last a Lifetime

The Radd Raxx surfboard system is virtually indestructible. Many cheaper racks are disposable—intended to be discarded after they are used. We make our rack to last a lifetime, reducing the need for more products, more manufacturing, and more adverse effects on the environment. With each new generation of the Radd Raxx surfboard system, we look at every component and explore the most environmentally sustainable product that we use to improve the product we deliver to our customers.

You can use our rack to store your boards with confidence that we care as much about the end of clutter and chaos that comes naturally with stationary racks as about minimizing the impact on the environment and climate vital to the health and growth of the surfing community.

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