



ELASTOMERIC ROOFING

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## Technical Bulletin

### What is the USGBC and LEED®?

#### The USGBC

The United States Green Building Council (USGBC : [www.usgbc.gov](http://www.usgbc.gov)) is the nation's foremost coalition of leaders from across the building industry working to promote buildings that are environmentally responsible, profitable and healthy places to live and work. Membership has grown to over 4000 organizations.

#### The LEED Program

The LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Green Building Rating System® is a voluntary, consensus-based national standard for developing high-performance, sustainable buildings. Members of the U.S. Green Building Council representing all segments of the building industry developed LEED and continue to contribute to its evolution.

LEED was created to:

- define "green building" by establishing a common standard of measurement
- promote integrated, whole-building design practices
- recognize environmental leadership in the building industry
- stimulate green competition
- raise consumer awareness of green building benefits
- transform the building market

LEED provides a complete framework for assessing building performance and meeting sustainability goals. Based on well-founded scientific standards, LEED emphasizes state of the art strategies for sustainable site development, water savings, energy efficiency, materials selection and indoor environmental quality.

### ERSystems Products and the LEED Program

ERSystems highly reflective coatings and membranes meet LEED requirements for reflectivity and emissivity and the high recycled content of several products may contribute toward additional LEED points.

Please call **ERSystems** at **800.403.7747** for more information regarding LEED and the USGBC.

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