

vag RATING SYSTEM

UNDERSTANDING THE EMOJI RATING:

We label our products with emojis to help you find those that best align with your company values.

Below is the guide so you can best understand what they mean.

- = Good: Cost competitive, comparable to other products on the market but sourced from suppliers who have passed 3rd party audits on social compliance and environmental impact.
- = Better: Always cost competitive and have some sustainable features (recycled content, material made from rapidly renewed resource, biodegradable, etc.)
- = Best: When possible, sourced as closely as possible to end client (North American made), preferred use of sustainable material, third party accreditation, and/or supplier is Certified B Corporation and/or supplier has significant audited giving projects, etc. Product quality is very high AND it is still cost competitive.
 - o = Made by a women-owned business
 - 🚨 🛮 = Made by a company which supports social causes
 - = Made by a company in which the employees are unionized
 - = Made by a **black-owned** business
 - = Made by an indigenous-owned business
 - = Made by a refugee-owned business
 - = Made by a Certified B Corporation
 - = Made by a company which supports environmental causes
 - = Made with certified organic materials
 - = Made with **recycled** materials
 - = Made with **biodegradable** materials
 - = Made with vegan materials or ingredients; cruelty-free, no animal testing.
 - = Made in Canada
 - = Made in the USA