

### CHAIN OF CUSTODY

Chain of Custody (CoC) certified under the Australian Forest Certification Scheme (AFCS) and the Programme for Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC). Chain of Custody is the traceability of certified wood and wood products back to its' origins – the Forest and ensures products come from sustainable managed forests.

**The Australian Forestry Standard (AFS)** - AS 4708, is the leading management standard of the Australian Forest Certification Scheme (AFCS), which has over 7.8 million certified hectares of native forests and plantations in Australia. The AFCS also includes a **Chain of Custody Standard** -AS 4707, to track forest and wood products through the supply chain. These Standards are recognised by Standards Australia and are internationally recognised through the endorsement and mutual recognition of PEFC. All products displaying the AFS label are products from independently certified organisations that are identified by the unique certification number under the AFS trademark logo.



**The Program for the Endorsement of Forest Certification schemes (PEFC)** was launched in 1999. PEFC is a framework for the mutual recognition of credible national or regional forest certification schemes which have been developed to meet internationally recognised requirements for sustainable forest management. Over 209 million hectares of forests are currently certified under the PEFC – which is the world's largest forest certification scheme. All products displaying the PEFC label are products from independently certified organisations that are identified by the unique certification number under the PEFC logo.



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