

Green Story:

Environmental impact and sustainability specifications of Brentano Green fabrics

Product Name: **Caress-3911**

Contents: 100% Polyurethane Face, 60% Polyurethane, 40% Nylon

Usage: Leather alternative, Upholstery, Panel, Eco-fabric

- 1) Our polyurethane is biodegradable.
- 2) Naturally soft and flexible, polyurethane does not require the solvents used to soften PVC or leather.
- 3) Polyurethane faux leather offers a greener alternative to vinyl (PVC). PVC contains chloride and is not biodegradable. It leaches toxic additives in landfills and emits carcinogenic dioxin when incinerated.
- 4) Polyurethane faux leather offers a greener alternative to leather. Leather production is a chemical-laden process, including the use of heavy metals.
- 5) General cleaning of polyurethane surfaces often requires only soap and water.
- 6) **Caress** passes the California Section 01350 emissions test, which tests potential interior products for extremely low levels of toxic chemicals, including VOCs.
- 7) **Caress** is manufactured in facilities that are conscientious of the green movement. A variety of policies are in place, such as air and water pollution decrement systems, as well as reduction and reuse of solvents.
- 8) **Caress** is manufactured in an ISO 14001 certified facility. ISO 14001 creates an Environmental Management System (EMS) to identify and achieve environmental goals.

For more information, please visit www.iso.org

- 9) All pigments and chemicals used in the facilities comply with EPA guidance.

COLOR OPTIONS:



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Caress is classified in our “leather” category of **eco-friendly faux leathers**, all of which surpass 100,000 double rubs and have a breaking strength of 245 lbs.