



Information & Materials Management Systems

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## Environmental Policy

The Corporate Vision of Kardex Systems, Inc. is to be a leader in green manufacturing processes and to continually seek out new procedures that provide for good stewardship of the environment.

One of the most environmentally sensitive manufacturing processes we utilize is painting of metal parts. Our paint operations consist of a state-of-the-art powder coat system to eliminate VOC's going to the atmosphere. Over-spray paint is captured and redirected back to the process.

Kardex manufacturing processes do not produce any hazardous materials. Cleaning systems are environmentally friendly, and process water goes directly to the township treatment plant. Kardex uses less than 2,000 gallons of process water per day.

All scrap metal (steel, aluminum, and other metals) is recycled. Scrap, damaged, and surplus wood pallets are sold to a recycling company. Cardboard and trash are separated to allow recycling. Our policy is to supply packaging with the highest recycle content available at any given time, generally in the range of zero to thirty percent.

Energy conservation is an on-going process. Energy efficient lights, burn-off oven and air compressors are some of the best currently available. Cycling of the heating systems are also recent additions as well.

Our mandate is continuous improvement with respect to protecting our environment for our generation as well as generations to come.