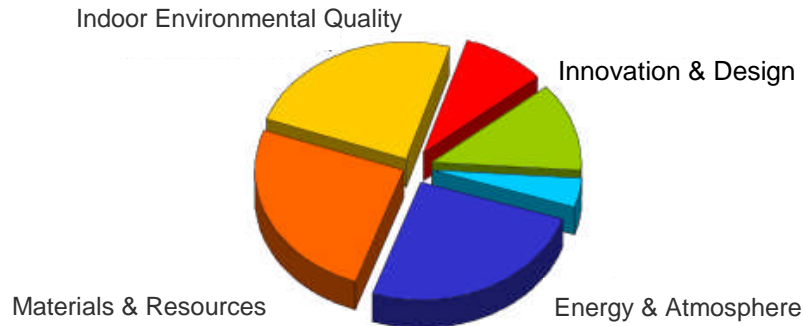


LEED® Projects: What Can Furniture Do For You?

Version 2.0

Furniture contributes most to LEED for Commercial Interiors (CI) projects but can sometimes assist in LEED for New Construction and LEED for Existing Buildings. Here's where furniture can support your LEED-CI project.



ENERGY & ATMOSPHERE

Topic	Credit	Intent	Capability	Points
Optimize Energy Performance – Lighting Power	EA 1.1	Conserve energy	Allsteel provides LED task lights and high-efficiency electronic ballast lights that can help to reduce required lighting power.	1-3

MATERIALS & RESOURCES

Topic	Credit	Intent	Capability	Points
Construction Waste Management	MR 2.1 & 2.2	Divert construction waste from landfill	Packaging can be recycled with other on-site wastes, depending on local recycling capacity.	1-2
Recycled Content	MR 4.1 & 4.2	Increase demand for recycled content in products	Allsteel workstations contain recycled content. Post- and pre-consumer content information is provided for all furniture.	1-2
Regional Materials	MR 5.1	Improve local economies and decrease transportation	Allsteel products are manufactured in Muscatine, IA, 52761, contributing to projects within a 500-mile radius.	1-2
Rapidly Renewable Materials	MR 6	Reduce depletion of finite and long-cycle materials	Allsteel can provide PLA fabrics and wheatboard substrates for worksurfaces.	1
Certified Wood	MR 7	Encourage environmentally responsible forestry	Allsteel is seeking FSC certification.	1



INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Topic	Credit	Intent	Capability	Points
Low-Emitting Materials, Systems Furniture & Seating	EQ 4.5	Reduce indoor air contaminants from systems furniture and seating	All Allsteel products (currently excluding veneer) meet the requirements of LEED-CI EQ 4.5 Option C with SCS Indoor Advantage™ certification. New veneer finishes are being evaluated for inclusion.	1
Controllability of Systems – Lighting	EQ 6.1	Provide individual control to promote productivity	Allsteel can provide task lighting to suit individual occupant's needs.	1
Controllability of Systems – Temp & Ventilation	EQ 6.2	Provide individual thermal and ventilation control	Allsteel systems products work well on raised floor systems. Allsteel offers design support for furniture placement.	1
Daylight 75% & 90%	EQ 8.1 & 8.2	Provide connection between indoors and outdoors for occupants	Allsteel can assist in design and appropriate furniture application for these credits.	1-2
Views for 90% of Seated Spaces	EQ 8.3	Provide connection between indoors and outdoors for occupants	Allsteel can assist in design and appropriate furniture application for these credits.	1

EQ 4.1, 4.2, 4.3 & 4.4 do not apply to office furniture.

INNOVATION & DESIGN PROCESS

Topic	Credit	Intent	Capability	Points
Innovation in Design	ID 1.1-1.5	Recognize projects for innovative features and sustainability that may not be addressed by a LEED credit	Cradle to Cradle SM certification can assist in receiving an Innovation credit. Allsteel Acuity [®] and Stride [™] are Cradle to Cradle Silver Certified ^{CM} . The BIFMA standard called level [™] certification is being considered for an Innovation credit.	1-5

Allsteel can suggest ideas for other potential Innovation credits.

Innovation and Design in LEED-NC

Although furniture selection is not required in LEED-NC credit calculations, LEED-CI EQ 4.5 can sometimes be used in a LEED-NC project as an Innovation credit. The LEED-NC project owner must have control of all furniture.

LEED for Commercial Interiors Version 2.0	
Certified	21-26 points
Silver	27-31 points
Gold	32-41 points
Platinum	42-57 points

LEED for Commercial Interiors Version 3.0	
Certified	40-49 points
Silver	50-59 points
Gold	60-79 points
Platinum	80 points & above

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