

Statement on the compostability and bio-degradability of packaging: EN13432 standard

European Standards for Compostable Packaging, EN13432, require packaging to be compostable and bio-degradable under industrial composting conditions.

The majority of paper face stocks supplied by Avery Dennison – Label and Packaging Materials are viewed as chemically unmodified paper materials, coming from a natural origin, so they can be accepted as biodegradable without testing.

Avery Dennison LPM-E S9500 adhesive is EN 13432 certified and awarded with an 'OK' compost conformity mark. This product component, according to EN13432 requirements and conditions, is therefore considered to be compostable and biodegradable.

The Avery Dennison product AO474 Thermal Eco L10 FSC - S9500 BG40WH is EN 13432 certified and awarded with an 'OK' compost conformity mark

The Avery Dennison film face stocks Natureflex clear, Natureflex white and PLA clear are EN 13432 certified, and so are considered to be compostable and biodegradable according to EN13432 requirements and conditions.

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