

## Grainger - GR01

Design by Allermuir

Grainger is a luxurious family of wingback armchairs and matching ottoman. The chair is available with a high or low back, both featuring exquisite upholstery detailing including piping to the arm panels and a deep buttoned back cushion.

### **Product Summary**

#### Scope of Assesment:

From extraction of raw materials through to production of the final Office Furniture unit (cradle to gate). See page 2 for more details.

### Data Used:

Primary data was used wherever possible including for energy use during the core module.

All secondary data was obtained from the Ecolnvent database. used in conjunction with SimaPro 7.3.2, using US, European and global data where relevant.

#### **Functional Unit:**

A Seating solution designed and manufactured to last 10 years.

#### **Regional Market:**

The primary market for our Office Furniture products is USA. The scope of this declaration reflects that.

**Environmental Summary** 

### **Material Declaration**

#### Material Amount (kg) Total (%) Global Warming Potential (Kg Co2 Eq): 563.82 Recycled Content (% By Weight): 28 Steel 1.54 PU foam 9.78 Total Energy Consumption (Mj): 18689.89 9.1 Recyclability (% By Weight): 99.00 Solid wood 31.9 34.29 Polypropylene 0.61 0.65 50 53.74 Fabric Date of Production: April 2016

#### **Environmental Product Analysis**

This Environmental Product Analysis has been created in accordance with, and following the principles of ISO14025 and ISO14044. All the Life Cycle Analysis data has been compiled, processed and verified by Oakdene Hollins Ltd.

Compilation and processing of LCA data performed by Dr. Dan Skinner (Oakdene Hollins Ltd.)

Verification of LCA and environmental data performed by Dr. Adrian Chapman (Oakdene Hollins Ltd.)

### Sustain

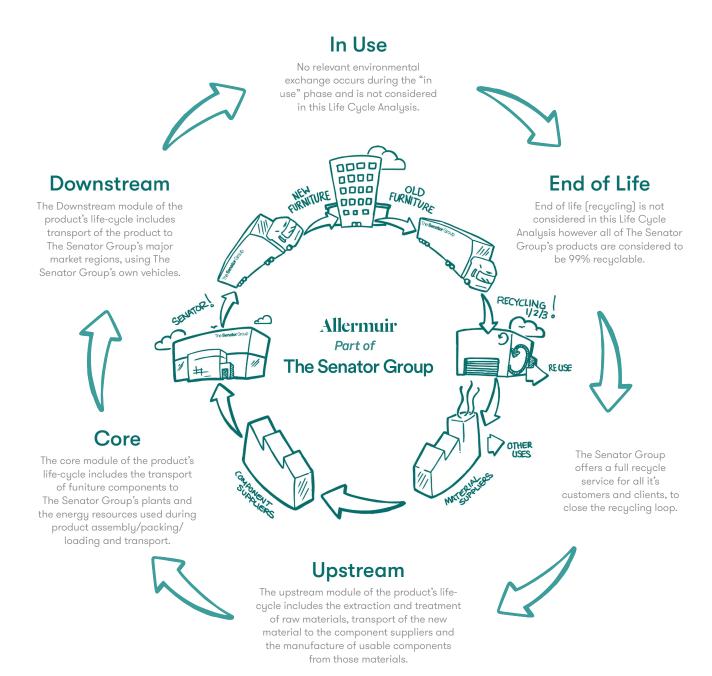
The Senator Group has for many years acknowledged that the key word upon which to focus our attention is Sustainability rather than Recyclability in pure isolation.

Our business takes a truly holistic approach to the design, manufacture, supply and reclamation of our products. We see this as a cyclical process.

From design to manufacture, use and reclamation we aspire to minimise all environmental impacts of The Senator Group's products and processes.

We harvest the resources back from the retired products then remanufacture or reintroduce the materials into our component manufacturers supply chain.

We believe in taking responsibility for our own actions ourselves, wherever possible, rather than relying on third parties, or abdicating our responsibilities by offsetting. The process of Sustainability is a cyclical one we understand this and we actively pursue this in everything that we do.



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<b>System Boundaries</b>	System	<b>Boundaries</b>
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Resource (Kg)	Upstream	Core	Downstream	Total
From the Air	677.70	0.19	0.09	677.98
From the Ground	540.24	17.44	40.51	598.19
From The Water	0.00	1.73	0.00	1.73

## **Energy Consumption**

Resource (MJ)	Upstream	Core	Downstream	Total
Biomass	7483.82	1.85	0.89	7486.56
Hydro	290.23	4.81	5.01	300.05
Solar	0.52	0.01	0.01	0.54
Wind	37.75	0.32	0.21	38.28
Non-Renewable Energy (MJ)	10179.84	210.88	473.74	10864.46
Total	17992.16	217.87	479.86	18689.89

## **Environmental Impact Potential**

Resource	Upstream	Core	Downstream	Total
Global Warming (Kg CO2 Equivalents)	523.28	12.72	27.82	563.82
Acidification (Kg SO2 Equivalents)	4.46	0.14	0.13	4.73
Eutrophication (Kg PO43 Equivalents)	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.18
Ozone Depletion (Kg CFC 11 Equivalents)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Photochemical Smog (Kg C2H4 Equivalents)	0.18	0.01	0.02	0.21

## **Toxic Emissions**

Resource (Kg)	Upstream	Core	Downstream	Total
From the Air	860.92	1198.89	2722.34	4782.15
From the Ground	0.26	0.11	0.31	0.68
From The Water	75.29	19.28	40.44	135.01

## **Recycled Content**

Total

Material	Recycled Content of Material (% by weight)	Recycled Content In Product (% by weight)
Material	Amount	Percent of Total
Steel	50.00	1.00
Fabric	50.00	27.00

Allermuir Certificates

### **Certificates**

### Description

ISO 9001

First Certified
Certified 1991

Quality Assurance
Envronmental Management

ISO 14001

FSC®

FISP

Accreditation

BS OHSAS 18001

Certified 2001

Chain of Custody

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Sustainability

Certified 2003

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Certified 2006

Health & Safety Standard

Certified 2015











All UK manufacturing Sites are accredited to ISO standards, 9001, 14001 and 18001. In addition to this the Global Headquarters is also accredited to Chain of Custody. We can provide FSC @ certified products upon request

# FISP (Furniture Industry Sustainability Program)

Awarded by FIRA, this sustainability certificate is designed to monitor all sustainability aspects of a company's facilities and operations. The Senator Group achieved one of the first sustainability certifications within the furniture industry – a public declaration of our commitment to improving our performance in every possible way.

#### Environmental Management

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## Chain of Custody

Independent certification to prove The Senator Group only purchases MFC/MDF/Chipboard from manufacturers who can prove they purchase their raw wood from sustainable sources.

## The Three R's

The Senator Group is committed to continually improving the sustainability of all environmental aspects within our business.

To meet both international standards and our own environmental targets we apply the three R's principle—

## Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.

While recycling is the element which receives the most exposure it is actually the last option available and should never be the prime target in anyone's battle to reduce waste.

It is our duty as individuals and as a company to initially attempt to Reduce usage. Then we should look to Reuse wherever possible and finally, only after these two processes have been exhausted, should we consider Recycling.

### **Assessment Considerations**

The following necessary assumptions and considerations were made during the course of the Life-Cycle Analysis:

- Manufacture of the furniture components was assumed to take place in the same factory in which the raw materials were processed, due to a lack of case-specific data.
- The transport of all materials, components and finished products was assumed to be via 16-32t Euro 6 lorries.
- All LCA data was modelled using the IMPACT 2002+ (v2.06) method.