

## Big River Packaging BRP Natural Bakery Boxes\*

These boxes are uncoated and no chemicals are used to change their natural organic appearance, but the 'natural' is more than skin deep. Here are some notes on the material we've chosen for our natural brown/brown bakery box line.

This natural paperboard uses typically 25-30% less fiber than other box materials. Compared to other virgin fiber products, that's 25-30% fewer trees to produce the same amount of boxes. Against bleached paperboard, it is better for the environment because strong solvents are not used to bleach the pulp. Also, the fiber for these brown/brown boxes comes from SFI (Sustainable Forestry Initiative) lumber - lumber collected and reforested utilizing environmentally friendly practices.

These boxes don't just look natural, they are truly better for the planet. While not recycled, natural bakery boxes use less material than common board boxes, aren't bleached with strong chemicals, and have an organic look true to their environmentally responsible make-up. They are a good green solution and unquestionably safe for food.

\* [http://www.brpboxshop.com/bakery\\_boxes/natural\\_bakery\\_boxes.html](http://www.brpboxshop.com/bakery_boxes/natural_bakery_boxes.html)

### The Box Window Film\*:

The Food-safe film used on all of our boxes (not just the Natural Boxes) is not your typical petroleum-based plastic. Yes, it is safe for the environment because it is a cellulose-based product made from plants. Like our line of Natural Bakery Boxes, the wood pulp used to make our window material is harvested in accordance with the Sustainable Forestry Initiative Standard. The SFI certifies practices like replanting more trees than are harvested each year and making sure no endangered hard woods are used. Your bakery box window material is recyclable, biodegradable, and compostable.

\* [http://www.brpboxshop.com/frequently\\_asked\\_questions.html](http://www.brpboxshop.com/frequently_asked_questions.html)

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