



PACKAGING SUCCESS TOGETHER®

Established: 1877

Location: Delaware, Ohio

Total Ohio Employees: 1,000+

Website: www.greif.com



Primary Recycling Material: Cardboard, mixed paper, office and household waste paper, corrugated paper and containers (OCC)

Landfill Diversion: 600,000+ tons (in Ohio), → 3MM tons/year (in all of North America)

Mission: Be the best performing customer service company in the world.

About Us: Greif is a global industrial packaging manufacturer and a leading recycler in North America where their paper business is a net positive recycler. Greif is serious about sustainability and focuses on reducing the environmental impact of their products. They call it circularity.

Recycling Process: It starts with collecting fiber from previously used Greif products and other sources and ends with the production of 100% recycled paperboard products. Greif's recycling facilities work with local businesses and organizations, such as schools, manufacturing facilities, retail stores and recycling plants to buy, collect and sort waste paper material. This material is formed into high-density bales that are transported to paper mills for pulping. Collected fiber is broken down through a pulping process. Once the fibers are separated and free of contaminants, recycled paper board is formed. That paper board is used to create a broad range of products for industrial and consumer packaging, including corrugated boxes, tubes and cores for paper, plastic films, floor coverings, yarns, and other applications, and cardboard boxes. Once these products fulfill their original purpose, the cycle begins again. Waste paper can be re-made into new paperboard a minimum of seven times before the fibers are too broken down to re-use.



CIRCULAR OHIO

“ Take the time to understand what your recycler takes. Every time we as consumers put something in our bin that can't be used, we are creating our own inflation by driving up the cost of products. ”

John Grinnell, VP/GM of Greif Recycling

