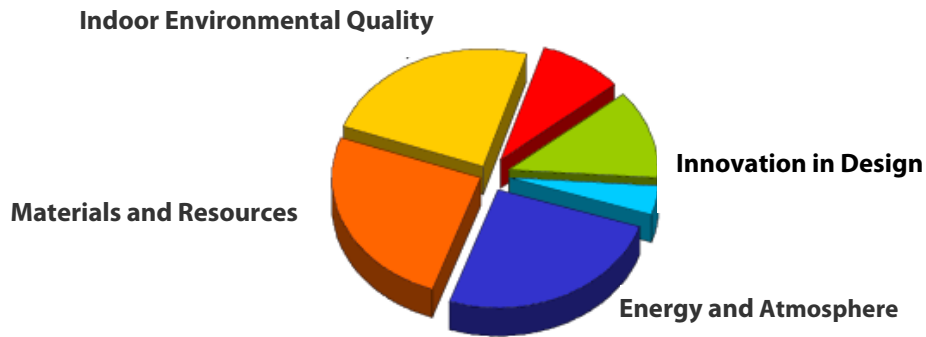


LEED & Allsteel Furniture

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.	V 2.0= 1-3 V 3.0= 1-5

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 & 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 & long-cycle materials	Allsteel can provide PLA fabrics and wheatboard substrates for worksurfaces.	1
Certified wood	MR 7	Encourage environmentally responsible forestry	Allsteel is FSC Chain of Custody certified.	1

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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	Allsteel products (currently excluding most 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.

IEQ credit 4.4, refers to composite wood and agrifiber that is made to specifications on-site and excludes furniture. All the low-emitting furniture impacts are covered in IEQ credit 4.5 and HNI furniture is certified as meeting the ANSI/BIFMA M7.1-2007. SCS Indoor Advantage certificates serve as proof in LEED projects.

EQ 4.5 applies to systems furniture only, not private office or conference room furniture. If you are using private office veneered furniture, you need to allow time in your timeline for the wood furniture finishes to off-gas. (or unwrap offsite)

INNOVATION & DESIGN PROCESS

Topic	Credit	Intent	Capability	Points
Innovation in Design	ID 1.1 - 1.5	Recognize projects for innovative features & sustainability that may not be addressed by a LEED credit	Cradle to Cradle certification can assist in receiving an ID credit. Allsteel Acuity and Stride are Cradle to Cradle Silver Certified. The BIFMA "level™" Certification has been accepted for an ID Credit.	1-5

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 and Design credit. The 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	43-57 points

LEED for Commercial Interiors Version 3.0	
Certified	40-49 points
Silver	50-59 points
Gold	60-69 points
Platinum	80-110 points

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