

PRODUCT CERTIFICATE

BiC Media Clic BIO BASED Ecolutions[®] ballpen



BIC[®] Media Clic BIO BASED Ecolutions [®] barrel is made with patented **bio-based (70%) and biodegradable (100%).** Material origination primarily from non-Genetically Modified Organisms (no GMO) sugar cane or corn certified OK Compost.

The calculation of the percentage of bio-based or biodegradable materials of our products **complies with ISO 14021 and EN 16935** standards for environmental claims and communications.

We have a process with our suppliers to ensure the traceability of all raw materials and guarantee their origins, especially regarding bio-based and biodegradable materials used in our BIC[®] Ecolutions [®] range.

Comply with the following European product safety regulations:

- REACH regulation (EC) n°1907/2006 and its amendments.
- European Directive 2001/95/EC and its amendments on general product safety.
- European Regulation (EC) n°1272/2008 and its amendments, relative to the classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (for inks).
- International standard ISO 11540 and British standard BS 7272-1:2008 on writing and marking instruments caps.
- British standard BS 7272-2:2008 + A1: 2014 on writing and marking instruments end closures.

PRODUCT LIFE CYCLE

- Biomaterial: made in Germany
- Biodegradable barrel under industrial conditions.
- Cartridge: made in France
- Full product manufactured and printed in Spain
- Shipped in FSC certified carton outer boxes made in Spain
- 100% of BIC[®] writing instruments are recyclable thanks to Terracycle[®]/Ubicuity[™] Program.

OUR FACTORY



ISO 9001 - I S O 1 4 0 01 Integrated Management System Certifications for the Tarragona facilities from Lloyd's Register.

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Member of the leading global business association for open and sustainable trade. They bring together over 2,400 retailers, importers, brands and associations from more than 40 countries. BSCI audited.

ecovadis

GOLD RECOGNITION We have been granted a Gold recognition level by Ecovadis.



ELECTRICIT

Factory and printing facilities are using **100% renewable electricity.**

Sedex? Member

SMETA 4-PILLAR AUDITED 4 Pillars: Environmental, Business Ethics, Health & Safety, Labour



IMPRIM' VERT A commitment for printing activities business, to reduce the impact of their activity on the environment.



MANUFACTURED & PRINTED IN BIC FACTORIES IN EUROPE





Coca:Cola

Coca-Cola social audit passed with the maximum positive audit result in terms of compliance with Labour Standards & Human Rights, Health & Safety, Environmental Management and Business Integrity.



UN GLOBAL COMPACT We are officially part of the UN Global Compact family – the world's largest corporate sustainability initiative.



WORKPLACE We are assessed by Intertek as conforming to the requirements of: Workplace Conditions Assessment