

Lavergne Plastics are UL Environment 2809 Validated (ECVP)

Lavergne is proud that a number of its ocean-bound and recycled plastic resins have been validated by the [UL 2809 Environmental Claim Validation Procedure \(ECVP\)](#), acknowledging the high levels of post-consumer recycled (PCR) content and the efficacy of its closed loop system.

It's a great step forward for the circular economy. We routinely ask: "[Is Infinite Recycling possible?](#)" With the right technology, tools and team — yes, it is.

Lavergne's work is also an inspiring story. Lavergne collects Ocean-Bound Plastics (OBP) from the [Caribbean island nation of Haiti](#), washes, sorts and recycles them into durable plastic resins that industry leaders like [HP](#) use to manufacture printers, [laptops](#), notebooks, ink cartridges and accessories.

Lavergne's plastic resins are also used by leading companies in the automotive, appliance and consumer goods industries.

Eco-Labels

Eco-labels are an important way to help customers feel confident that the product they purchase meets their sustainability goals.

Programs like UL ECVP 2809 and the [US Electronic Product Environmental Assessment Tool \(EPEAT\)](#) are taking us in the right direction.

However, some eco-labels are not entirely transparent about how they reach their validation. [UL certification processes](#), on the other hand, are built on scientific rigor, analysis and unwavering standards.

The UL 2809 Validation

The [UL 2809 Environmental Claim Validation Procedure \(ECVP\)](#) for Recycled Content evaluates the amount of recycled content in products including:

- Post-consumer recycled content
- Pre-consumer (post-industrial) recycled content
- Closed loop recycled content
- Total recycled content

An extra bonus comes from Ocean-Bound Plastics — those post-consumer items like drink bottles and food containers that inevitably make their way through the lakes, [rivers](#) and canals towards the ocean.

Thanks to this third party procedure, consumers can have full confidence that specific HP products contain a validated percentage of recycled plastic in the form of high-quality recycled parts.

Lavergne's UL 2809 Validated Product Line-up

Lavergne is pushing the envelope on a growing product suite of innovative, dependable recycled plastics resins. UL has recognized the innovative work, as Lavergne now has a long list of UL 2809 validated products.

The table below outlines the Lavergne line-up of UL 2809-validated products.

As you scan the line-up, please you will see we're mostly talking about [Polyethylene Terephthalate or "PET"](#), the type of materials in used drink bottles, as well as Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene "ABS," the materials derived from [recycled e-waste](#) like printers, keyboards or mice.

As the old plastics are collected and recycled, we specify that they're Post-Consumer Recycled plastics or "PCR," or Ocean-Bound Plastics or "OBP."

Each of those products meet the high standards of UL 2809.

Lavergne is proving that with the right technologies and processes, PCR and OBP can play a key role in technologically demanding sectors like electronics, automotive and appliances.

A Better Future for the Economy and the Planet

Lavergne's work over the past 30 years has evolved to offer a complete circular solution — delivering technological, environmental, and economic advantages.

Lavergne is leading the way — by using UL validated recycled plastics!

It's leading the way to a more sustainable future for our industry and the planet.

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