



## Special News Bulletin

### Up-date European Corrugated Base Papers List

**TO: WCO MEMBERS**

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World Containerboards European sister association, **Cepi ContainerBoard**, has published the updated version of the European Corrugated Base Papers List (so called 'List of Grades').

The 'List of Grades' was first issued in 1992 and the main goal of the list is to cover most of the paper and board qualities used by the corrugated industry.

The document is subdivided into groups of products used for the production of corrugated board. The main amendments are referring to property requirements (for example: new SCT-CD minimum requirements for light weight recycled liner, Semi Chemical Fluting has been divided into two grades and CCT is introduced as an alternative to SCT-CD measurements). A chapter about technical trends and developments has been added and moisture variations have been adjusted.



This document which gives some definitions, classifications and quality requirements is addressed to the European industry; however, it gives some interesting indications to worldwide producers.

The List can be downloaded from the WCO homepage ([www.wco-containerboard.org](http://www.wco-containerboard.org))

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