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Bekaert Specialty Films achieves ISO 14001:2004

[Bekaert Specialty Films](#), manufacturer of Solar Gard window film, has earned ISO 14001:2004 certification.

To achieve this voluntary certification, Bekaert Specialty Films established an Environmental Management System (EMS) to ensure the company's activities and products have minimal impact on the environment. Bekaert Specialty Films' EMS helps monitor and improve energy efficiency, resource conservation, waste management and chemical control. Additionally the EMS aims to:

Reduce the environmental impact of BSF's manufacturing operations
Improve the work environment and create cross-functional teams that foster awareness, understanding and responsibility across the organisation
Enhance relations with the community, regulators and stakeholders.

"ISO 14001:2004 certification is an extension of our commitment to protecting the environment and ensuring the health and safety of employees, customers and the communities in which we operate," said Christophe Fremont, president, Bekaert Specialty Films. "More and more companies are prioritising window film in their budgets, and our environmental standards will give them confidence that our products are the right choice to achieve their energy savings goals."

Independent analyses show that window film can help organisations reduce energy expenditures by up to 30%. Recognised by the Department of Energy as an energy-saving solution, window film reduces the load HVAC systems have to manage and helps save electricity. Through the [HYPERLINK "http://solargard.com/Energy/Toolbox"](http://solargard.com/Energy/Toolbox) Solar Gard Energy Toolbox, facility managers can receive customised energy analyses and quantify the value of professional window film installation.

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