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Technical Bulletin – LEED Regional Materials (MRc5 Regional Materials)

In order to earn points on LEED Material Resource Credit 5, building materials or products are to be “extracted, harvested, or recovered, as well as manufactured within a 500 mile radius of the project site. This purpose is to increase demand for building materials and products that are extracted and manufactured within the region, thereby supporting the use of indigenous resources and reducing the environmental impacts resulting from transportation.

Components of steel, including iron ore, are melted and blended together to produce various grades of steel. There are currently no standards in the industry to process and track the origin of steel components. Additionally steel mills source recycled materials from a variety of recycling operations.

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