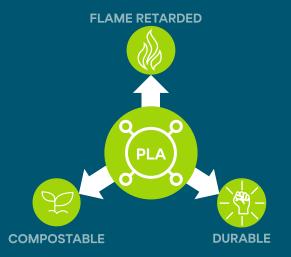


We have a globally patented award winning technology for **HIGH PERFORMANCE** renewable materials





# **Our Low Carbon Grades:**

#### Grade



Durable Grade

### **Applications**

Injection Moulding Extrusion 3D Printing

Toys, durable applications not requiring fire resistance

### **Features**

High impact strength
High HDT
High renewable content
(85% + by mass of
polymer)

#### **Benefits**

Suitable for demanding applications requiring the toughness and durability of ABS.

Reduced carbon footprint over ABS and derived from renewable feedstock

### Grade



Flame Retarded Grade

### **Applications**

Injection Moulding Extrusion 3D Printing

Electronics and Electricals, home appliances, plug casings

#### **Features**

High HDT
Flame Retarded
(UL94V-0)
High renewable content
(85% + by mass of
polymer)

High Impact Strength

#### **Benefits**

Developed for applications requiring fire resistance. Durability comparable to flame retarded ABS

### Grade



Compostable Grade

### **Applications**

Injection Moulding Extrusion 3D Printing

Horticulture and disposable items

### **Features**

High renewable content (85% + by mass of polymer) Industrially compostable

### Benefits

Low carbon footprint, multiple end of life options



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# FIOREON Launches breakthrough PLANT-BASED plastic for Consumer Electronics



HALOGEN FREE

Floreon is redefining the capabilities of plant-based plastic (PLA) by developing its world-first **flame retardant technology**. Certified for use with electrical white goods appliances, the halogen-free flame retardant PLA is a significant breakthrough for the consumer electronics industry.

### Meeting a consumer need

In Floreon's consumer study, 91% of UK adults said they would buy a white goods appliance made with plant-based plastic components. Floreon has been working hard to create a commercially viable formulation that meets this need. Thanks to its flame retardant plant-based plastic, global consumer electronic brands can bring such innovation to the market.

# Working collaboratively with Clariant

The flame retardant plant-based plastic was developed in collaboration with additive expert Clariant. Managing Director of Floreon, Shaun Chatterton said:

**66** To collaborate with a world-leading additives business and produce an innovative solution for global electrical household brands is a pioneering move forward in white goods sustainability. It is an exciting culmination of a decade of development. **99** 

## Redefining plant-based plastic (PLA)

Without Floreon's additive expertise, PLA is a brittle material that has prevented brands from taking advantage of its low carbon footprint in the past. Floreon is now bringing a plant-based plastic with all the same performance qualities as commonly used plastics, but with the added environmental benefits of deriving from renewable resources.

# Floreon seeks first movers for plant based alternative to ABS plastic

The successful addition of a halogen-free flame retardant to Floreon's plant-based plastic enables major brands to lower their material carbon footprint by switching to a low carbon and renewable alternative to common plastics used today.

Manuel Mueller from Clariant commented:

**66** We recognise Floreon as leaders in plant-based plastic development. The company is an important collaborative partner for Clariant's sustainability development, allowing us to create leading-edge, innovative solutions together. **99** 

Ideal applications include the rigid plastic casings for phone chargers, which need to be fire resistant for safety reasons.

# ■FIOCEON Application Highlight: Vacuums and Home Cleaning





Floreon is a PLA based compound with enhanced durability and toughness.

By incorporating our halogen-free flame retardant element



TOPEON Therma-Tech it becomes perfect for electrical applications.



# **MATERIAL SUBSTITUTION POTENTIAL:**

PP and ABS

# **COMPONENTS:**

**External Casing Product Tools** Rigid Plug Casing Charger Unit

Material	Carbon Footprint (CO2eq/kg plastic)*
ABS	3.8
PP	1.6
PLA	0.6

### **FLOREON FEATURES:**



Certified Fire Resistance Certified Renewable Content **Low Carbon Footprint Halogen Free** 

### **BENEFITS:**



- Improved **sustainability** characteristics
- Safe and functional material
- Long lasting and durable
- sustainability commitments



\*Reference: Vink & Davies 2014

# ■FIOCEON Application Highlight: Storage Organiser





Floreon is a PLA based compound with enhanced durability and toughness.

This makes Floreon Dura-Tech ideal for rigid applications such as containers and storage boxes.



# MATERIAL SUBSTITUTION POTENTIAL:

PP and ABS

# **COMPONENTS:**

Body Lid

Internal Separators

Material	Carbon Footprint (CO2eq/kg plastic)*
ABS	3.8
PP	1.6
PLA	0.6

## **FLOREON FEATURES:**



Certified Renewable Content Low Carbon Footprint

### **BENEFITS:**



- Improved **sustainability** characteristics
- Safe and functional material
- Long lasting and durable
- Helps brands meet
   sustainability commitments



# Floreon Application Highlight: Toys



Floreon is a plant-based plastic that is ideal for toys and other applications requiring **safety** and **durability**.

the mouldability of plastics but with the added benefits of renewability and a low carbon footprint.



# MATERIAL SUBSTITUTION POTENTIAL:

PP and ABS

# **COMPONENTS:**

Entire construction of toys



Material	Carbon Footprint (CO2eq/kg plastic)*
ABS	3.8
PP	1.6
PLA	0.6

### **FLOREON FEATURES:**



Certified Renewable Content Low Carbon Footprint Safe, Non-Toxic Durable



### **BENEFITS:**

- Improved **sustainability** characteristics
- Safe and functional material
- Long lasting and durable
- Helps brands meet sustainability commitments



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