

Coming soon: EPAT 2.0

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The Paper Working Group (PWG) and Environmental Paper Assessment Tool® (EPAT) have seen significant development in the past six months. New companies are signed up to the EPAT; we have engaged an even broader range of stakeholders, including an international contingent; updates to version 2.0 are nearly finalized; and the first phases of delivering 2.0 to the marketplace are under way.

As was the case developing the first EPAT version, the process creating 2.0 has been as important as the final product. Metafore and the PWG received a lot of valuable feedback and look forward to delivering EPAT 2.0 to the marketplace this winter. Version 2.0 aims to enhance discussion of the environmental performance of paper through:

- Improved results and reporting display
- Ability to view data from individual companies along the supply chain
- Updated indicators and protocols, and, most of all
- Broader range of potential EPAT users with a version that can be utilized by large corporations and small companies alike.

To learn more about EPAT contact inquiries@epat.org.