

Film, Paper Mill, Carpet and Label Cores



Sonoco understands that each customer is unique, and customizes its solutions to provide a value-oriented yet perfectly tailored core for each of our clients. Our mill, film, label, and carpet cores leverage more than a century of Sonoco experience to find the solution that's right for your company.

Film cores

Sonoco is the leading provider of cores to film producers, who rely on the strength, smoothness, straightness, and surface properties of our product for efficient film winding. Sonoco's fibre and plastic high-performance film cores feature a range of surface qualities and characteristics designed to minimise surface markings and improve winding and unwinding characteristics, optimising performance. As winding speeds

increase, our expertly designed cores dissipate radial pressures, protect internal diameter integrity and reduce core length movement, allowing manufacturers to improve processes and reduce costs from waste.

We manufacture film cores using proprietary adhesives and high-quality paper, testing them repeatedly for dimensional consistency and strength. We can optimise the film core for your needs, eliminating overcompensation. Ultimately, the result is a more cost-effective core that performs reliably.

Benefits:

- Improved systems costs
- Custom surface properties
- Designed for specific strength performance needs
- Decreased waste

About Sonoco Australia/New Zealand

Sonoco has been serving industrial and consumer markets in Australia and New Zealand since 1949.

We currently have 11 locations in Australia and New Zealand, with more than 200 employees. As a total packaging solutions provider, our goal is to help customers reduce their overall systems costs. Together, we find opportunities to reduce costs by improving productivity, minimizing downtime, effectively managing inventory, and reducing waste.

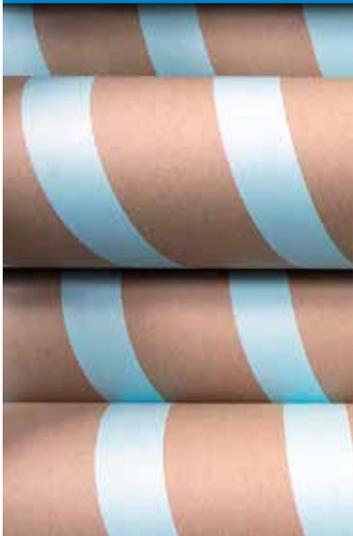
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Paper mill cores

As technology advances, we understand that you need to produce a higher quality product while cutting costs. With our vast international footprint, we have access to advanced technologies in Europe and North America, putting us at the forefront of paper rewind innovation. The collaboration with our international partners gives us the ability to manufacture a far superior core than that of our competitors allowing maximum outputs from your process.

Benefits:

- Higher crush resistance
- Greater dynamic strength
- Greater axial strength
- Desired moisture content control
- Tight length tolerances around the world.

Carpet and textile cores

In the retail market, presentation is everything. If you're dealing with a delicate material, don't settle for markings or breakage caused by seam gaps or rough ends.

With a commitment to new products and process innovations with fibre tubes, core bobbins and spools, we have earned a reputation as the leading high-value packaging and services provider to the textile industry.

Benefits

- Broad range of colour and printing options for easy identification
- Optimized core strength to match manufacturing specifications
- Custom scoring, notches and grooves to enhance string-up efficiency
- Dimensional stability to facilitate smooth winding and unwinding
- Special surface finishes for exact performance requirements
- Variety of options customizable to specific needs
- Collaborative design process to streamline the customer's core unpacking process

Label cores

Sonoco is a leading provider of label and tape cores and our total systems approach gives tape producers high-quality, value-based solutions. Based on our careful study of each customer's needs, we recommend and design the best core for each application. We manufacture tape cores using proprietary adhesives and high-quality paper, and we test our cores repeatedly for dimensional consistency and strength. We help customers build their brands by printing crisp, clean graphics on both the inside and outside of the core. Our global network guarantees supply security and just-in-time delivery for customers around the world.

Benefits

- Wide range of inside diameters and wall thicknesses
- High-quality printing and graphics capabilities
- Tight length tolerances