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Arch ShredTM Desc. 310123 Color White

Guidelines for use: Nine steps to make paper using Arch ShredTM (100% post consumer recycled cotton).

RINSE AS REQUIRED.

- 1. Add contents of 8 ounce bag to 2 ½ gallons of water.
- 2. Beat 30 minutes, 60 minutes, or 90 minutes. The shorter time the Arch ShredTM is beaten the longer the fibers.
- 3. Put 10 gallons of water in a 20 gallon tub.
- 4. Add beaten pulp to tub.
- 5. Put the deckle on the mold.
- 6. Pull sheet.
- 7. Couch.
- 8. Air dry over night.
- 9. Take off couching felt when dry.

Use a paper beater for best results. Because Arch ShredTM is 100% post consumer recycled cotton, the fibers are longer than those found in linters. The longer fibers do not work well in kitchen blenders. These longer fibers add to the charm of the finished paper. Shorter beating times result in longer fibers and quicker draining which is better suited to teaching.

The colors available in Arch ShredTM are a blend of similar colors found in the recycling process. Each batch of color will be unique. Further the variety of similar shades adds a depth and beauty not possible when using traditional dyes.

4 ounces of Arch ShredTM makes 10-12 sheets of 11"x13" paper. These instructions are for preparing an 8 ounce bag at one time. Scale up or down as needed.