

# Sterling® Premium

# AN AMERICAN CLASSIC. REBORN.

Sterling Premium is a fresh, beautiful sheet, thoughtfully designed with a clean and balanced true-white shade for brand-building color accuracy and a premium print surface for the highest quality impression.

# **FEATURES:**

- Optics
  - Premium brightness
  - True-white shade for brand-building color accuracy
- Performance
- Surface consistency for the highest quality reproduction and flawless press performance for exceptional print results
- Offering
- Comprehensive range of basis weights in Gloss and Silk finishes
- Matching Digital product: Sterling® Premium Digital™
- 7 & 9 pt. offerings meet USPS minimum requirements
- Service
  - Wide selection of common stocking sizes
- Responsible Fiber Sourcing
  - Sheets made with chain-of-custody fiber: FSC, SFI, PEFC
  - Manufactured with 10% recycled fiber
- Manufactured in the USA with Pride
- Purchase Sterling Premium and put Americans to work
- Proven quality and performance, manufactured in the U.S., backed by our guarantee of full customer and technical support from start to finish

# **APPLICATIONS:**

- Annual reports
- Magazine inserts
- Presentation folders
- Corporate collateral
- Catalogs

- Books
- Posters
- Greeting cards
- Direct mail

# STERLING PREMIUM SPECIFICATIONS:

| Basis Wts     | GSM  | Brightness  | Gloss   | Opacity  | Caliper   |
|---------------|--|---|---|--|---|
| 80            | 118  | 94  | 72  | 94.5   | 3.5   |
| 100           | 148  | 94  | 72  | 96   | 4.6   |
| 80            | 216  | 94  | 72  | 98   | 6.9   |
| 100           | 271  | 94  | 72  | 99   | 9.1   |
| 80            | 118  | 94  | 38  | 94.5   | 3.9   |
| 100           | 148  | 94  | 38  | 96   | 5.1   |
| 80 (7 pt.)*   | 216  | 94  | 38  | 98   | 7.4   |
| 100 (9 pt.)** | 271  | 94  | 38  | 99   | 9.5   |
|               | 80<br>100<br>80<br>100<br>80<br>100<br>80 (7 pt.)* | 80 118<br>100 148<br>80 216<br>100 271<br>80 118<br>100 148 | 80 118 94<br>100 148 94<br>80 216 94<br>100 271 94<br>80 118 94<br>100 148 94<br>80 (7 pt.)* 216 94 | 80 118 94 72<br>100 148 94 72<br>80 216 94 72<br>100 271 94 72<br>80 118 94 38<br>100 148 94 38<br>80 (7 pt.)* 216 94 38 | 80 118 94 72 94.5<br>100 148 94 72 96<br>80 216 94 72 98<br>100 271 94 72 99<br>80 118 94 38 94.5<br>100 148 94 38 96<br>80 (7 pt.)* 216 94 38 98 |

Noted \*7 pt. and \*\*9 pt. minimum caliper items are guaranteed for postal applications. With the exception of noted \*7 pt. and \*\*9 pt. minimum caliper items, Billerud manufactures to basis weight, not to specific bulk standards.



# MOST POPULAR STOCKING SIZES

To review a complete list of material numbers and availability of cartons and skids please see the Billerud Stocking Guide at billerud.com.

|                   | 23× <u>29</u> | 25× <u>38</u> | 28× <u>40</u> |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Gloss Text        |               |               |               |
| 80 lb.            | •             | •             | •             |
| 100 lb.           | •             | •             | •             |
| Gloss Cover       |               |               |               |
| 80 lb.            | •             | •             | •             |
| 100 lb.           | •             | •             | •             |
| Silk Text         |               |               |               |
| 80 lb.            | •             | •             | •             |
| 100 lb.           | •             | •             | •             |
| Silk Cover        |               |               |               |
| 80 lb. (7 pt.)*   | •             | •             | •             |
| 100 lb. (9 pt.)** | •             | •             | •             |

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# **ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATIONS:**

Buyers of Sterling Premium sheetfed products have the confidence of knowing they support responsible forest management because this product line carries three chain-of-custody certifications:

- Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®), BV-COC-953662; "Forests for all forever."
- Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI®), BVC-SFICOC-09000011; "Good for you. Good for our forests."
- Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC), BVNAUS-PEFC-COC-09000012; "Promoting sustainable forest management."

This product complies with Lacey Act requirements.









# PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP AND SUSTAINABILITY:

Sterling Premium is acid free and designed for permanence. Sterling Premium is manufactured using elemental chlorinefree bleach (ECF), and recycled pulp that is processed chlorine-free (PCF).

To review product stewardship and sustainability information, please see the Billerud Product Regulatory Profile Sheet posted at billerud.com.

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