

VERTERRA VS RECYCLED PAPER

	VERTERRA	RECYCLED PAPER
BIODEGRADABLE	Naturally biodegrades in fewer than 2 months after disposal.	Does not biodegrade, due to the wax laminates. The products also CANNOT be recycled again as they are mixed media, and go to a landfill after use.
COMPOSTABLE	BPI-certified 100% compostable. Will break down within 60 days and acts as a fertilizer for better plant growth.	Does not compost. After use the products go to a landfill.
RENEWABLE SOURCE	Made only of fallen palm leaves that are gathered, cleaned, and pressed.	Made of recycled waste stream paper, chemically cleaned, then reformed to pulp for reprocessing.
HOT FOODS	No heat transference. Maintains shape.	Products will transfer heat, but will maintain shape.
HOT LIQUIDS	No heat transference. Maintains shape.	Products will transfer heat. Some maintain shape, others do not.
SUN RESISTANCE	The sun has no affect on VerTerra.	The sun has no affect on recycled paper.
MICROWAVABLE	Can be used to reheat foods in the microwave on High up to 2 minutes.	Often can be used in the microwave.
OVEN SAFE	Can be used to cook food in the oven up to 350 degrees, for up to 45 minutes.	Cannot be used in the oven.

