tesa[®] HAS DEVELOPED A PROGRAMME TO SUPERVISE PRODUCTION, SUPPLY CHAIN AND PRODUCTS TO PURSUE THE COMPANY'S ENVIRONMENTAL TARGETS.

- 1 Eco-sourced raw materials
- 2 Resource-friendly production
- 3 Non-toxic ingredients
- 4 Re-fill/Re-use of products



SUSTAINABLE SUCCESS WITH tesa ecoLogo® PRODUCTS

The tesa ecoLogo[®] makes it easier for customers to choose from our range when looking for environmentally friendly products. For better guidance, our environment icons explain the ecological advantages of each product and percentages provide information on the quantity of environmentally friendly materials used:



tesa ecoLogo® products are mainly based on recycled or bio-based raw materials. Thus tesa aims to minimize the usage of limited resources like crude oil. tesa ecoLogo® products are free of solvents and hazardous substances. Moreover, the packaging is made from bio-based and/or recycled material. With tesa ecoLogo® products, the consumer can be sure of buying an environment-friendly product.



Sustainable materials are used to the largest extent possible for many tesa ecoLogo® products, like wood, natural fibre and water.



Adhesive tape foils as well as the plastic parts of tesa ecoLogo products are made of recycled plastic.



The adhesive used as the tesa ecoLogo® products themselves are also solvent-free.



The refillable tesa ecoLogo® products help to conserve resources because they can be used again and again.



Carbon dioxide is one of the "greenhouse gases" which can cause global warming. "The Product Carbon Footprint" is a wellknown method within a life cycle assessment which is used to evaluate the environmental aspects of a product or service system through all stages of its life cycle. The tesa Sticks ecoLogo^{*} assortment show a decrease of carbon footprint of 25–32% due to 100% recycled housing compared to the nonrecycled version.



As the first manufacturer of adhesive tapes, tesa was the first manufacturer of adhesive tapes to be awarded the DIN CERTCO certification seal "DIN-certified recycled content". The recycled content of the product groups tesafilm[®] eco & clear and tesapack[®] eco & strong has been approved. DIN CERTCO is an independent certification organization which belongs to the TÜV Rheinland (German technical control board).



We take care to use recycled materials – for the core as well as for the packaging.