

## **Is bamboo for you?**

**While we sometimes use and recommend bamboo paper and display systems, nothing is perfect. Please keep in mind the fact that much of the world's bamboo is sourced from tropical rainforest areas that have been leveled in order to allow bamboo planting. While bamboo itself is a sustainable source of paper pulp, growing it and transporting it has its environmental costs. Compared to petroleum based plastics, wood products and energy-consuming metals, however, we believe that bamboo is a "reasonable" alternative.**