

OrthoLite designs and manufactures insoles for over 500 million pairs of footwear each year and partners with global leading footwear brands, such as Nike, Clarks, Adidas, ASICS, New Balance, Vans and Timberland. Since its founding in 1997, OrthoLite has been a leader in driving sustainability through innovation within the footwear sector.



Since we have partnered with Trilantic North America, OrthoLite has continued building momentum and generating more breakthrough sustainable innovations. Trilantic North America's experience in branded components and the footwear industry has helped accelerate our growth. We are proud of what we have accomplished thus far and look forward to continuing our journey towards our zero waste goal.

Glenn Barrett
FOUNDER & CEO

Key Initiatives

RECYCLED PRODUCTS

All OrthoLite insoles today contain a baseline level of recycled content. The Company has also led the industry's development of next-generation sustainable insoles, including OrthoLite Eco (castor-oil blend replacing petroleum), OrthoLite Hybrid (20%+ recaptured waste content) and OrthoLite Recycled (98% recaptured waste content).

WATER RECYCLING

To dramatically reduce OrthoLite's impact on the environment, the wastewater generated from manufacturing facilities is processed and reused within the campus. When the recycled water can't be reused, OrthoLite's system converts it into solid refuse that is treated to the strictest environmental standards.

SOLAR ENERGY

Clean solar energy is used in OrthoLite factories to heat water for manufacturing and to power HVAC systems—in turn reducing the dependence on fossil fuels. On cloudy days, the factory uses heat powered by an efficient air compressor, limiting OrthoLite's environmental impact.

BLUE BOX & ECO BAGS PROGRAM

OrthoLite products are transported to footwear factories in 100% recyclable, reusable blue boxes alongside product bags made with calcium carbonate, sourced from limestone and naturally biodegradable in 10-12 months. By reducing the use of cardboard, thousands of trees are saved every year, OrthoLite's carbon footprint is reduced, and the need for hundreds of thousands of gallons of water a year is eliminated.

CIRQL

In 2022, OrthoLite proudly released Cirql—the first-ever EVA plastics-free, recyclable and industrially compostable midsole foam with an end-of-life solution. Cirql foam is made from GMO-free, responsibly-sourced plants and biodegradable materials through a zero-waste, chemical-free foaming process.

300k+

Metrics ton of recycled rubber kept out of landfills per year

5%+

Minimum recycled rubber waste content in all OrthoLite formulations

98%

Of OrthoLite® Recycled™ insoles made of recycled rubber waste

Zero Waste

End goal

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