



## LEED® for New Construction (NCv2.2) Rating System Guide for MCAA Contractors

### Material & Resources - Credit 5.2

#### MCAA Contractor Involvement - NONE

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#### 1 Point - Regional Materials: 20% Extracted, Processed & Manufactured Regionally

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##### Intent

Increase demand for building products that incorporate recycled content materials, thereby reducing impacts resulting from extraction and processing of virgin materials.

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##### Requirements:

Use building materials or products that have been extracted, harvested or recovered, as well as manufactured, within 500 miles of the project site for a minimum of 20% (based on cost) of the total materials value. If only a fraction of a product or material is extracted/harvested/recovered and manufactured locally, then only that percentage (by weight) shall contribute to the regional value.

Mechanical, electrical and plumbing components and specialty items such as elevators and equipment shall not be included in this calculation. Only include materials permanently installed in the project. Furniture may be included, providing it is included consistently in MR Credits 3-7.

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##### How MCAA Contractors Can Impact This Credit

MCAA contractors have no impact on this credit. The reuse of mechanical or plumbing components in this credit as well as many of the other material & resource credits are not included in the calculations.

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##### Primary Responsible Parties

The general contractor, the construction manager or the architect are the primary responsible parties for this credit.