The work of the European Pallet Association, its National Committees and licensees forms the stable basis for the successful, open pallet pool and enables the global exchange of EPAL load carriers. There are more than 450 million EPAL pallets in circulation around the globe that are used throughout the sector and it would be impossible to imagine industry and logistics without them. Their meticulous adaption to the needs of the market has enabled the alignment of nearly all warehouse and transport systems throughout Europe to the standard dimensions. Constant quality assurance and high quality materials ensure trouble-free, safe performance for users and loading. Their multiple use saves a considerable amount of environmental and economic resources.

FACTS & FIGURES

- Materials: 11 boards of quality timber, 9 woodchip or solid wood blocks, 78 nails. Produced according to the EPAL Technical Regulations.
- Length: 800 mm
- Width: 1,200 mm
- Height: 144 mm
- Weight: Approx. 25 kg
- Safe working load: 1,500 kg

When stacking laden pallets on a solid, even surface, the bottommost pallet must not exceed a load of max. 5,500 kg.

MARKINGS

- “EPAL in oval” on the left and right corner block (since 08/2013)
- IPPC symbol, country code, registration number of the national plant protection authority, heat treatment, licence number-year-month on the central block

- EPAL control staples

HANDLING

- 4-sided accessibility with chamfered lower edge boards on both sides enables highly efficient handling during production, storage and transportation all the way along the supply chain.
- Compatible with all (conventional) standard load carriers, industrial trucks and warehouse systems.

QUALITY CONTROL

The international pool of EPAL load carriers is the only load carrier pool in the world subject to independent quality assurance by external inspection companies. This is the only way for EPAL load carriers to guarantee the consistently high quality that they offer the markets.

ISPM 15

- Compliance with the ISPM 15 standard is the most essential condition for the unrestricted use of load carriers in the international movement of goods. All EPAL Euro pallets are therefore produced according to the stringent specifications of the IPPC and can thus be deployed around the globe. Local plant protection agencies will provide information on the countries that recognise the IPPC standard.

REPAIR

- Damaged EPAL Euro pallets can be repaired cost effectively and in a climate-friendly manner by all EPAL-licensed pallet repair operations. Following the quality-assured repair, EPAL Euro pallets repaired according to standard receive a repair nail bearing the “EPAL” trademark and the licence number of the repair operation.
EPAL EURO PALLETT
800 x 1,200 mm

800 mm side

1,200 mm side

Top view