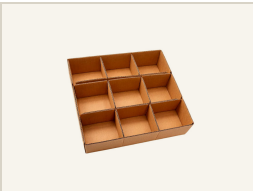


Moulded pulp tray, twelve cavity

WET-PRESS · NESTABLE · FLANGED RIM

Against the other three ways of seating discrete items

FORMAT AGAINST FORMAT

	PULP TRAY, 12 CAVITY	PULP TRAY, 6 CAVITY	DIVIDER INSERT	CRINKLE VOID FILL
	 Pulp tray, 12 cavity CP-PLP-T12	 Pulp tray, 6 cavity CP-PLP-T06	 Divider insert CP-DIV	 Crinkle void fill CP-VF-CR18
Form	Moulded pulp tray, 12 cavity	Moulded pulp tray, 6 cavity	Slotted kraft grid	Loose crimped strands
Positions per unit	12, in 3 × 4	6, in 2 × 3	9 or 16 cells	None — unpositioned
Position size	70 mm cavity, 34 mm deep	70 mm cavity, 30 mm deep	133 × 99 mm or 99 × 74 mm, full depth	Takes the shape of the item
Footprint	320 × 240 × 42 mm	240 × 160 × 38 mm	Cut to the CP-CTN carton	10 kg carton, 500 × 400 × 400 mm
Material	Recycled wet-press pulp	Recycled wet-press pulp	32 ECT B-flute kraft	Shredded recycled kraft
Seats by	A drafted cavity the item sits into	A drafted cavity the item sits into	A wall on all four sides	Friction against the strands
Stacks or nests	Nests at 5 mm pitch, flanged rim takes a lid	Nests at 5 mm pitch	Ships flat, assembles at the bench	Compressed in the carton, loosens 1:1.3
Customer-facing surface	Yes — wet-press wall, uncoated	Yes — wet-press wall, uncoated	Rarely — it sits below the goods	Yes — it is what the box opens onto
Best for	Produce and jarred goods on a half-pallet footprint	Small runs of round or jarred goods, six to a pack	Glassware and bottles that must not touch	Anything whose shape a fixed cavity would not fit
Recycled content, band	band 70–100	band 70–100	band 70–100	band 70–100
Listings held by every size	CircleFibre 90, ReturnReady, SoilSafe 180	CircleFibre 90, ReturnReady, SoilSafe 180	CircleFibre 90, ReturnReady	CircleFibre 90, ReturnReady, SoilSafe 180
Minimum order	1,000	1,000	250	4 cartons
Lead time from approval	8 days	8 days	6 days	2 days
Catalogue status	Published catalogue	Published catalogue	Inferred — not yet in the published catalogue	Published catalogue

A cavity, a wall or a fill. The first two hold an item in a known place and the third holds it wherever it happens to be, which is the whole of the difference between a tray and a fill. The twelve is the only one of the four that arrives in the shape it works in *and* closes over what it seats. That is a narrow thing to be good at, and it is worth saying plainly what it costs: a tool is a decision that lasts years rather than an order, and the tray cannot be made up to fit anything its cavity was not cut for. What it buys is a pack that shuts without a second component on the bill.

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CHOOSING BETWEEN THEM

Choose the 12 cavity tray

When the count is twelve and the pack goes on a pallet. Same cavity and same wall as the six; the flanged rim takes a board lid or a second tray inverted, closing the pack with no extra material.

Choose the 6 cavity tray

When the pack is six round items and the tray is part of what the customer sees. Wet-press gives a denser, smoother wall than dry-press, which is what makes that possible.

Choose the divider insert

When the items are not round, not uniform, or too tall for a tray. Cell walls run the full internal depth of the carton, so nothing touches anything.

Choose crinkle void fill

When the shapes vary order to order and no fixed cavity would fit them all. It positions nothing, but it also never fails to fit.

Against the six the trade is footprint against closure, and closure usually wins on a pallet. Against a divider grid it gives up fit and buys the bench time back. Against a vacuum-formed insert and its clear lid, it gives up transparency and about a quarter of the cavity load, and removes the separation step at the kerb entirely — one material out, where there had been two.

Loads, board grades and closures are taken from the CambiumPak product specification. The pulp tray, 12 cavity, the pulp tray, 6 cavity and the crinkle void fill are ratified catalogue families. Figures for the divider insert are inferred from the nearest ratified family member and are not yet in the published catalogue.