



**A  
SELECTION  
OF  
RAW MATERIAL  
INVENTORY  
2008-11**

Commonly seen as "trash,"  
"waste," or "garbage" this stuff,  
accordingly, goes to landfill.

Here at Dym Products, it's raw material.

The systems to catch and process most  
of these materials don't exist...yet.

NYT bag  
plaid canopy

rays guns and trucks and  
1 "product" box

glo-bonz toy

1st  
dym-  
products  
globe

stems and bases  
(orig. for ray guns)

I  
felt  
(with detailing, from G.o.C.)

II  
felt  
(with detailing, from G.o.C.)

plastic flag bases

laser-cut plastic  
circles (orig. for  
ray guns)

II  
dymproducts printed fabrics and curtains

baby clothes—  
sentimental\*

I  
dymproducts printed fabrics and curtains

framed drawing

pastels from Rita\*

catalogs

catalogs

"product" boxes 1999

model toys\*

I  
lincoln logs\*

II  
lincoln logs\*

large legos\*



1.5" thick black  
acacia crosscuts:  
8 @ 5x5  
13 @ 5x7

\* not to be confused with garbage

brown packing paper

brown packing paper + foam sheets

box of bubble wrap

2 monster pillows

clothing projects

thin, transparent fabrics

painted rug scraps

rug scraps

light blue fabrics

rug scraps

1" thick plywood scraps

black, dark blue, gray cloth, incl. old clothes

old clothing for scrap fabric, patterned

red and white cloth + old clothing for red & white forms

white and cream fabrics and felt (stored in beanbag chair cover\*)

white and cream fabrics and felt

x-cut black acacia slabs, chunks, blocks

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toy / wood veg.\*    toy / bldg. set\*    toy / tower blocks\*    styrofoam peanuts

toy / wagon blocks\*    toy / train\*    packing materials

big plastic junk    real garbage    plastic scraps    string, straps, cord, etc.    tiny metal bits + silicon

box of cables    II tiny carpet scraps    I tiny carpet scraps    sandpaper used tape etc.

broken toy plastic    mostly sawdust

scraps of sheet plastic    scraps of cloth, etc.    blue NYT bags    clear hard plastic from packaging

scraps of silver tarp

scraps of cloth 2 bags    ceramic pieces (?)    also: monkey tail from costume, beanbag chair inside cover, largers cloth (not incl. felt)

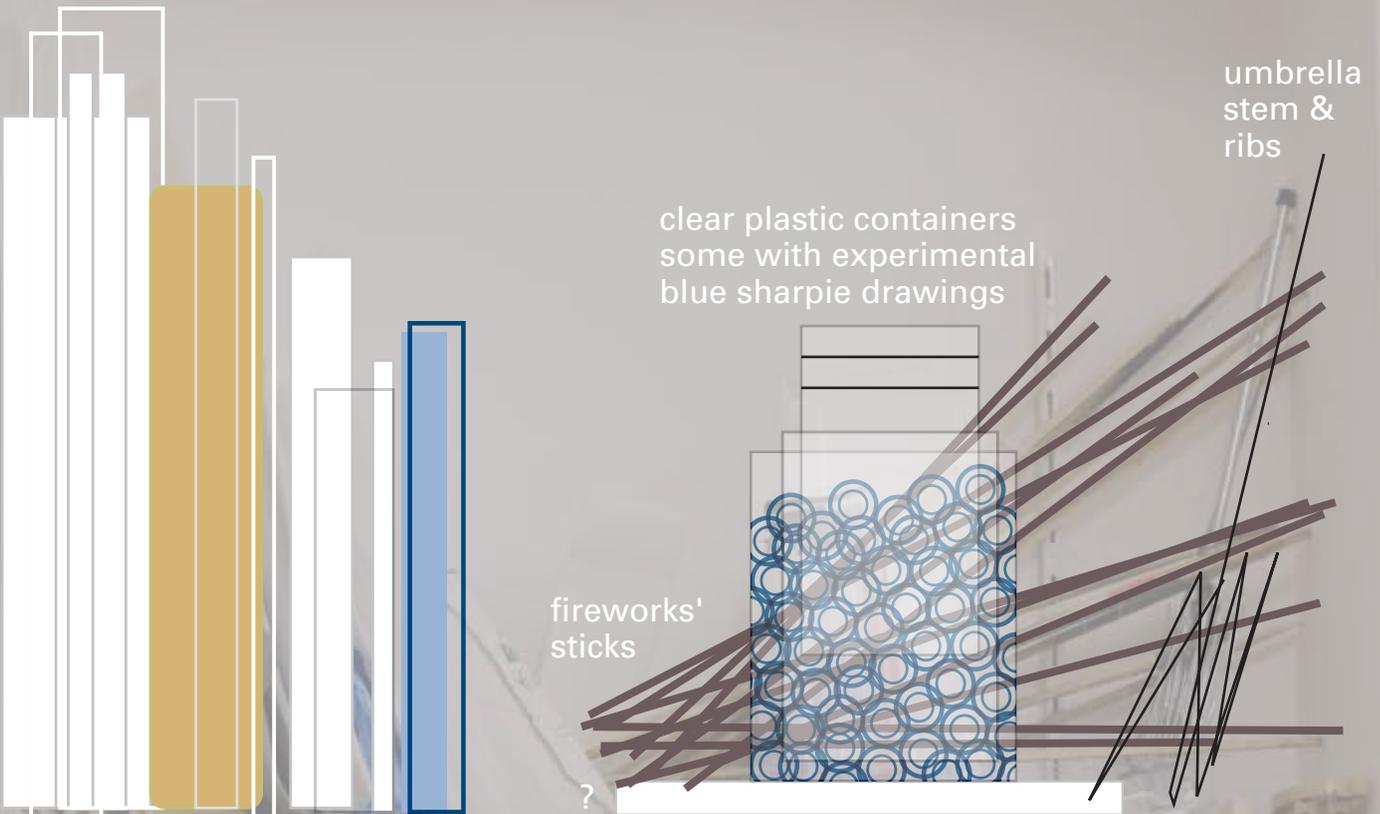
beach plastic    stiff painty rags, used rubber gloves, paint pours, etc.

good dishes\*    II caps, mostly milk

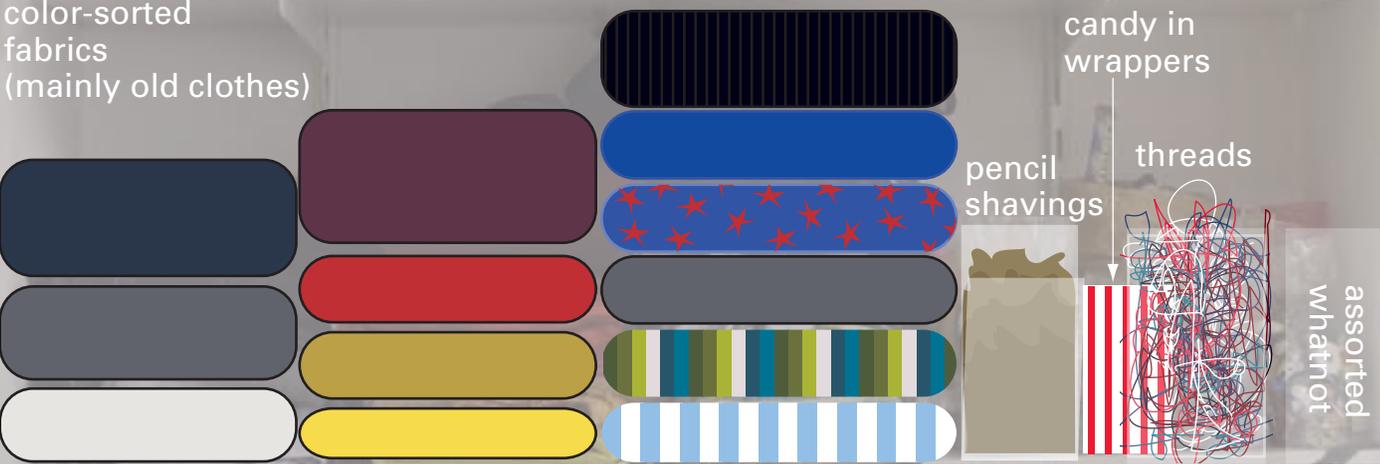
good dishes\*    I caps, mostly milk    more fabric scraps

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foam & sheet goods  
 — white packing foam sheets  
 — yellow seat cushion foam [used for curtain #2, One for Each of Us]  
 — blue plastic sheeting

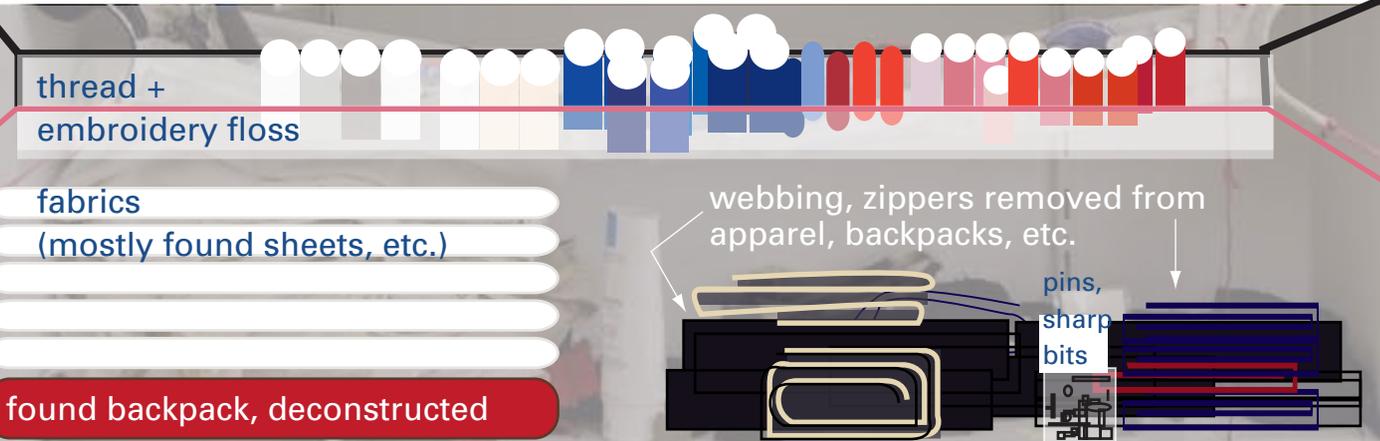


color-sorted fabrics (mainly old clothes)



thread + embroidery floss

fabrics (mostly found sheets, etc.)



old socks, whole

embroidery floss spools

buttons

buttons

old socks, cut up

HD video tapes

plastic sheeting

plastic sheeting  
plastic sheeting

jump rope

2-sided tape

pencils

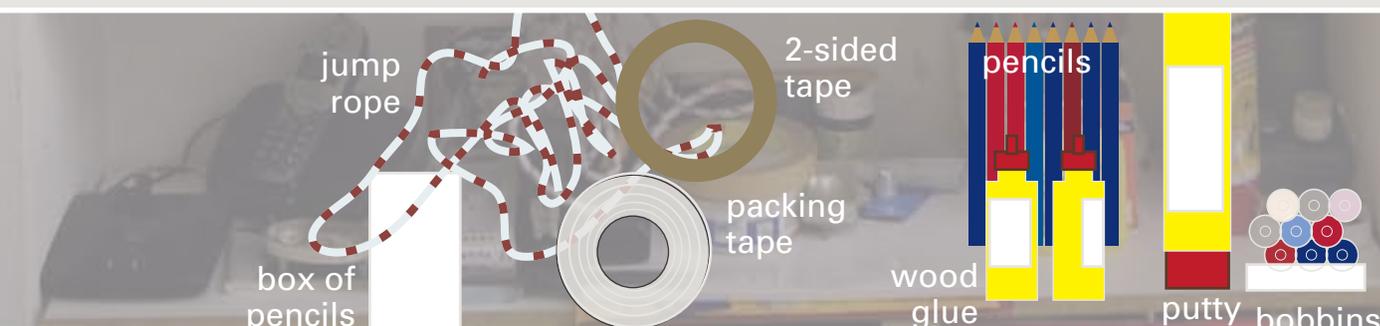
box of pencils

packing tape

wood glue

putty

bobbins



# Stocked fabrics as of 02-10-09

Not including:  
felt and felt scraps;  
clothing in the  
reconstruction, repair, revision pile

## Abbreviations:

OWD off-white stretch G.O.C. denim;

[hpws] hot pink wool sweater; Berkeley (2006); after excess shrinkage: deconstructed and incorporated into other sweater, Berlin (2007); second deconstruction Berkeley (2008)

[wnps] wool navy pinstripe suit, purchased Saratoga thrift (ca. 1998)

small scraps OWD used to test inks  
catalog nightgown (2005); stained & unflattering; used some: NL shirt + private underwear; a few scraps left

### striped fabrics (mostly old clothes)

### white fabrics (yardage, clothes, bed linens, and miscellaneous)

raw silk yardage, bought Paris (1991?)

scraps of pants with porno hook&eye fly, bought 2nd-hand Wmsburg thrift (2006); too absurd to wear, used some for daily bag

yardage, bought Paris (1991?), gave to JL (1996), JL gave back (2006), used some for tote bag (2006) which became, in turn, shelves 11-12 backing (2008) collision #1 screen (2008) which became, in turn, shelf-with-sifter (2008)

- pink pants, b/c u likes pink; badly stained
- 2nd-hand striped-denim pants, a; worn out
- post-wedding brunch dress; broken zipper, worn out
- mediocre catalog shirt (2004); remaining scraps; worn out
- 2nd-hand shirt, from H&J to A; worn out
- pretty good shirt, bought Paris (2002); worn out
- 2nd-hand XL guatemala-fabric nylon-lined swim trunks, from H&J; too weird to wear
- linen dress shirt, A, (~1999); no longer fashionable + worn out
- leftover cotton yardage, bought LA (~2000), used other part for pareo
- 2nd-hand velvet pants, from SC neighbor to a; worn out
- pajamas given to A for birthday, 1998; worn out; used some for ATN Re-Gift Scarf

- smaller scraps, off-white denim
- transparent fabric (piece from used "plaid" shirt; H&J; saw extra from slip from (H&J)
- 2 printed soft-book pages; moldy
- sparkly cami, H&J; taken apart (straps elsewhere)
- shoulder pads from navy pinstripe jacket
- acrylic padding from (?) gray pinstripe jacket
- slip from H&J; taken apart
- slip from H&J; worn out
- part of child's t; worn out
- sliding t, A; worn out
- XL piqué polo shirt or RTG, worn out
- crib sheet, elastic removed; mold stains
- baggie of scraps navy seersucker from MS for shirt repair
- 6 rolls elastic bandage (A's arm (2008); u's burn (2008))

partial collection collars, waistbands

- umbrella cover, navy nylon
- small scrap OWD, painted blue
- small scrap felt, painted blue
- blue fleece with machine embroidered bunny from soft book; moldy
- orange t knit, small child Paris (2004); stained & frayed
- lt. gray ISDA t scraps SF (2002); used part for black form hat (SC 2004)
- pink t scraps, AA shirt printed for ATN show
- lt. gray silk (?) sweater, (H&J) hand-me-down (2007)
- beige ribbed tank, JL hand-me-down (2006); worn out
- cream/yellow lamby fleece yardage left from a's giraffe halloween costume (2004)
- yellow acrylic felt yardage left from a's superman halloween costume (2005)
- lt. yellow t, A's mailorder AA (2003); worn out
- elec. blue t, A's midget handjob, LA (2001); worn out
- [hpws] bits; purchased Berkeley 2006?, deconstructed Berlin 2007 after excessive shrinkage
- waistband, [wnps]
- square pieces, A's houndstooth socks, worn out
- wool herringbone cuff fabric cut off A's suit
- pockets incl. lining fabric, [wnps]
- more [hpws] bits
- remains of yardage, Venice CA (2001) bought to make hat for A (Where is that hat?)
- lining + collar (cashmere?) from CLD's retired Burberry raincoat
- sample hat, gift M"L" Berlin 2008 plus scraps of same fabric
- wool navy yardage, Venice CA (2001), used some for JL winter hat
- velcro pocket, a's favorite blue plaid shorts (2005), deconstructed under protest (2008); totally worn out
- pocket, A's DKNY black pseudo neoprene pants (2004), deconstructed; used some for a's superhero gloves (2008); badly cut, worn out
- zippered pocket, A's favorite gray tech fabric shorts (2003), hand-sewn repair by J (2006); deconstructed; totally worn out
- pieces from gray wool lining, Berlin thrift store (2007), completely deconstructed, used most to make grey coat w/ plaid inserts
- pieces from navy pinstripe jacket, completely deconstructed, used some for S.o.A.B. jacket

- red-painted OWD circles removed from G.O.C. beanbag chairs
- scrap left from kitchen couch cushions re-cover
- 3 pairs child's orange pants; stained, worn out
- red cord scrap, Williamsburg thrift store shirt purchased\* for R/W forms (2006)
- 5 big pieces t-knit from 3 different articles of clothing
- RTG red-orange linen suit, worn to our wedding
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- 2 red t-shirts, A's, worn out
- red fleece yardage, Paris (2003), purchased to make experimental winter coat, used some for a's new warm pokey hat, 2 pairs of gloves
- spin embroidery on red canvas, spare piece from Spin Stool designed for ABMAC (2001)
- 60s upholstery yardage, leftover from yard sale victorian couch re-upholster (2002-4)
- scraps from H&J khaki pants
- navy duck baby pants, worn out by both boys
- slate linen shirt, (H&J) donation, worn out
- army pants, A's via H&J, small hole, still wearable, maybe I should return them?
- yardage purchased to re-upholster found office chairs, untouched, no longer unappealing pattern
- ice-cream pants, mens, from H&J; tried to re-size; stained and fragile with age
- yardage, white muslin
- yardage, fine canvas, 2 pieces
- yardage, OWD
- yardage, fine canvas, 1 piece
- yardage, white diamond machine quilted batting left from RTG's cradle bedding re-do (2001)

\* purchases of used textiles ceased in early 2007 when we clarified the project rules; purchases of new textiles ceased in 2006

a-d-cu-ls apparel-deconstructed-cut-up-leftovers-scrap;

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CLTF Curtain Lining Transparent Fabric, initially purchased for G.O.C. (2003), additional large quantities purchased for The Conversation (2006-7);

FStF From Start to Finish

Not including:

felt and felt scraps;

clothing in the reconstruction, repair, revision pile

patterned fabrics  
(mostly yardage)

assorted pieces yardage, DYMPRODUCTS textile designs' digital printing for I.A.T. (2005-6); good pieces for cuffs, hems, scarfs, hat linings

squirrel-acorn-antler print 3/4 sleeve t-shirt; bought Berkeley (2007) shrunk too short after many washings

lt. blue with white thread patterning linen dress, completely deconstructed; gift of (H&J); ill-fitting, water stains

2 larger pieces yardage, DYMPRODUCTS textile designs on denim, one printed on correct, dark side, two printed on verso, light side

more white fabrics  
(yardage, clothes, bed linens, and miscellaneous)

pinned-together "bag" of 4 long & skinny transparent CLTF

Italian hotel towel, A snagged (okay, stole) as gift (1999)

Davert rice bag, Berlin (2007)

misprint from RTG / FStF chair

totebag, worn out

small miscellaneous scraps

too-beige OWD yardage, bought after using up original OWD for G.O.C. before found better OWD

coarse canvas yardage

2-3 pockets from various pants' deconstruction

white cord yardage, inked, test for G.O.C.

unfinished AA t, accidentally put in order (2000)

t, Target; poor quality fabric

pale, pale pink cotton-poly poplin (?) yardage, for ABMAC model

shorts from Wmsburg thrift store pants purR/W forms (2006)

several small pieces, larger sections yardage OWD

duck leftover from digital printing RTG / FStF, 2006-7

small piece muslin yardage, bought for testing (2000?)

7 types lining fabrics of the following colors: red; burgundy; gold; brown; lt. peach; navy yellow-orange

1 piece CLTF

2 pieces silvery CLTF yardage left, leftover from I.O.S.O.

partial collection collars, waistbands

small pieces, a-d-cu-ls:

A gray dress shirt, bleach stained; gray mens' trousers; gray velvet yardage bought to re-upholster found armchair; slate-blue linen shirt, H&J, worn out; brown twill, worn out baby pants; navy twill, H&J ragpile

black stretch denim legs cut off from pants purchased early in 2nd pregnancy

gray velvet yardage bought to re-upholster found armchair

navy widewale cords pieces from deconstructed child's pants (2008); ripped knee to cuff and worn out

lavender velvet from deconstructed pants, Los Feliz LA (ca. 2005); worn out after some patching; used some to line JL winter hat

orange Sunbrella canvas, removed from chromed steel chair, narrow strips sewn together to make larger piece (~24" x 36")

denim pieces from A's ruined jeans stored in damp moldy SC garage during 8 months abroad (2002-3)

pseudo-patched little kid jeans, gift J+CLD, then genuinely patched by DP; worn out

more denim pieces from A's ruined jeans stored in damp moldy SC garage during 8 months abroad (2002-3)

[hpws] scraps

brown Berlin sweater (2007) scraps

sleeve from burnt sienna knobby thrift cardigan, deconstructed, some used for monster hand-puppet (2008)

pieces, A's gray/white houndstooth socks

pieces, M's green/blue argyle socks

a's gray GAP baby sweater; stained, pilly

ISDA sweater pieces, SF (2002)

trunk of brown wool Berlin sweater (2007), bought for warmth, hot washed, shrunk, reconstructed to zippered cardigan with [hpws] detailing (2008)

gray Target ribbed lambswool sweater (2002); trunk shrunk unwearably short, sleeves still long

gray cable J.Crew turtleneck sweater, birthday present (1990), A wore for many years, made awkward cardigan with gray velvet edges (2006), deconstructed (2008), used some to make unlined pokey hat (2008); many holes, frayed cuffs

brown vintage button-cardigan, secret gift from (H&J); many moth holes

behind (not shown):

red fleece yardage, Paris (2003), purchased to make experimental winter coat, used some for \_a\_'s new warm pokey hat, 2 pairs of gloves

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This is a lossy  
copy of a lost  
original file.  
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mainly  
age in  
clamshell box made from  
many many laminated plastic bags:  
Thread cuttings (2008-present)  
overflowing chinese take-out  
shaped box made from laminated  
nytimes bags.  
Backstock fabric (purchased  
& printed circa 2001).  
Sewing equipment in shallow box  
made from laminated nytimes bags:

This table is available for installations.

Two-sided painting  
(sign paint on laminated  
digital prints) is approx.  
10' x 10'.  
Logo Removal Service  
(a dymproducts service)  
combo banner and  
equipment carrier.  
Project boxes  
for repeat clients.  
boxes are made  
from water-stained  
drawings (drawn, 2005;  
ruined 2007).  
Very tiny fabric  
scraps being saved  
for probable paper-  
making, stored in bag  
made from old jeans' legs  
Wire hangers, straightened  
and awaiting a purpose.  
Tent roof fabric, removed  
from tent under construction.  
Table-top constructed (February  
2009) from scraps of 1/2" plywood  
(blue) plus pieces of extraneous  
plywood desktop (black) plus legs  
(not shown) rescued from trash.  
19th c shirtwaist, for reference only.

Chewed gum accumulation, loose and in  
bubble-pack packaging, as well as styrofoam  
sealers from small bottles in clamshell box  
made from laminated plastic bags.  
Miniature mock-up for grim reaper costume  
(Halloween 2009) sewed from old pant legs.  
Structural pieces from broken table.  
These resemble clothes' hangers  
and are awaiting a new purpose.  
Clothes hanger padding made from  
armrest cover of child's car-seat  
Unfinished undergarment (corset).  
Leftover canvas (purchased 2007) printed  
with tabletop during construction (2009).  
Cap-form object made from glue mixed with  
sawdust (removed from 2007 sculpture).