

Global Edge Protector Market to Reach USD 5.3 Billion by 2035, Driven by Demand for Sustainable Packaging

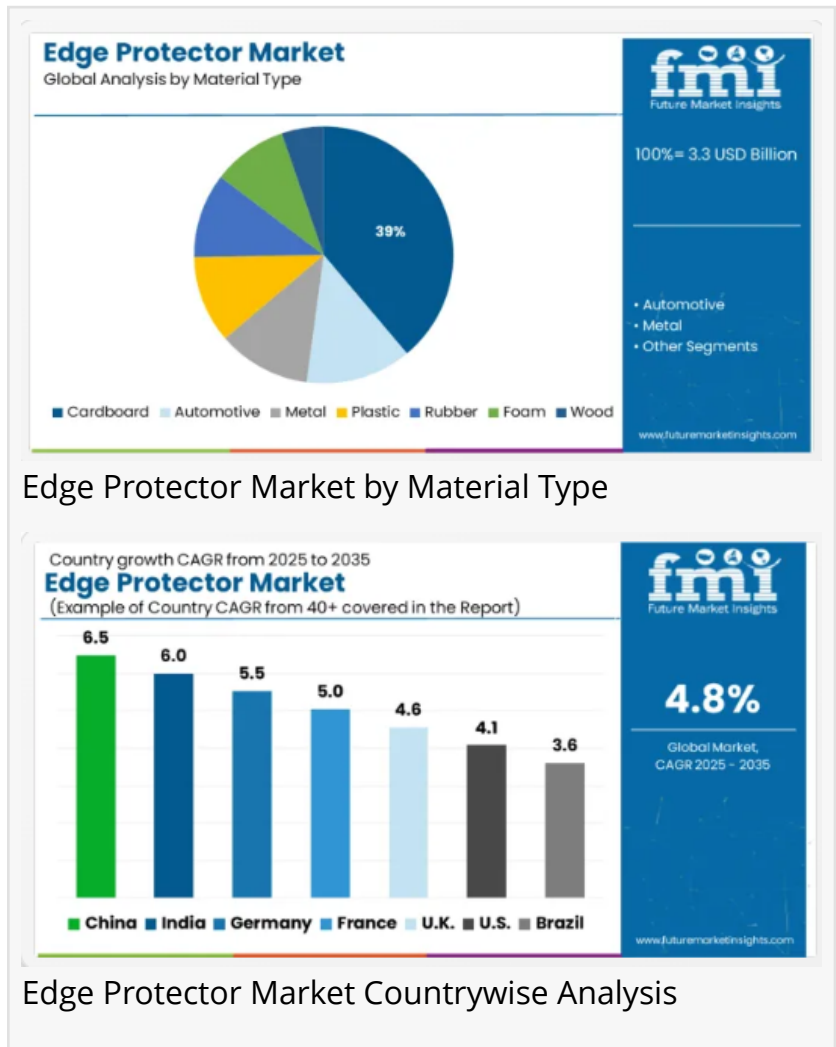
Edge Protector Market set to grow at 4.8% CAGR to 2035, fueled by global trade, sustainable materials, and logistics sector demand.

NEWARK, DE, UNITED STATES, August 12, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The global [Edge Protector Market](#) is projected to witness sustained growth over the next decade, with its valuation expected to rise from USD 3.3 billion in 2025 to USD 5.3 billion by 2035, registering a steady CAGR of 4.8%. The upward trajectory is being propelled by expanding global trade networks, a sharp focus on damage prevention in logistics, and increasing demand for eco-friendly protective packaging solutions.

Protecting Products, Powering Supply Chains

As manufacturers, distributors, and logistics providers face mounting pressure to deliver goods safely and efficiently, edge protectors have emerged as an indispensable solution. These packaging components play a critical role in safeguarding products during transit, storage, and stacking, significantly reducing damage rates and returns. Industries ranging from manufacturing, consumer electronics, and food & beverage to e-commerce are accelerating their adoption to ensure product integrity in increasingly complex supply chains.

The shift toward sustainable packaging is also shaping market dynamics. Recyclable and biodegradable protectors, particularly those made from cardboard, are replacing traditional



materials, aligning with both corporate sustainability goals and stringent environmental regulations aimed at reducing plastic waste.

Dominance of the Angular Segment

In 2025, the Angulars segment is forecast to capture 46.5% of total market revenue, making it the largest product category. Known for their superior structural strength and ability to protect corners during palletized transportation, angular protectors prevent crushing, abrasion, and shifting of goods. Their compatibility with high-speed packaging lines and adaptability to varying load dimensions further strengthen their dominance.

As automation becomes a mainstay in warehousing and logistics operations, demand for precisely engineered angular protectors is set to rise, driven by their minimal material wastage, recyclability, and enhanced compression resistance.

Cardboard Leading the Material Race

By material type, Cardboard edge protectors are projected to command 38.9% market share in 2025, underscoring their role as the preferred sustainable option. Cardboard offers a compelling combination of rigidity, recyclability, and cost efficiency, making it suitable for diverse applications from light consumer goods to heavy industrial shipments.

Manufacturers are investing in multi-ply and laminated cardboard technologies to improve performance in challenging environments, offering better water resistance and impact absorption. Cardboard's easy customization and printing capability also make it attractive for branding and traceability in logistics.

Shipping and Logistics: The Largest End-Use Sector

The Shipping and Logistics segment is set to account for 41.7% of the market's revenue in 2025, cementing its place as the largest end-use sector. With global and last-mile delivery volumes surging, the need for secure, damage-resistant packaging has never been greater. Edge protectors are increasingly being deployed to stabilize loads, optimize stacking, and minimize transit damage—critical factors in reducing returns and meeting sustainability targets.

Regional Growth Opportunities

The North America, Asia-Pacific, and Europe markets are leading growth, supported by thriving manufacturing hubs, advanced logistics networks, and a strong push toward eco-friendly packaging solutions. Emerging economies in Asia-Pacific are particularly poised for expansion due to rapid industrialization and the adoption of automated packaging systems.

A Competitive Market Landscape

Key players such as Gateway Packaging Pty Ltd, Angleboard, VPK Packaging Group, Kunert Gruppe, Samuel Grant Group Ltd, Great Northern Laminations, Propagroup, Alsamex Products Ltd, and Nomaco are at the forefront of innovation. Their strategies focus on material innovation, product customization, and expansion into high-growth regions.

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Driving Efficiency and Sustainability in Packaging

Edge protectors are not just about product safety—they are integral to supply chain optimization. By maintaining the static strength of packaging, they prevent compression damage, support heavy loads, and integrate seamlessly into pallet wrapping and bundling operations. Their functional resistance to moisture, mechanical stress, heat, and light ensures consistent performance in demanding environments.

The industry's growing emphasis on design improvements is yielding edge protectors that offer both structural reinforcement and environmental benefits. As sustainability becomes a competitive differentiator, edge protectors made from recyclable cardboard are increasingly replacing traditional wood or plastic alternatives.

Market Outlook

The decade ahead promises strong opportunities for manufacturers and suppliers in the edge protector space. Rising fuel costs, stricter waste regulations, and heightened competition in the logistics sector will continue to drive demand for efficient, cost-effective, and sustainable packaging solutions.

With global trade expansion and packaging automation shaping market needs, companies that can deliver high-performance, customizable, and eco-friendly edge protectors will be well-positioned for growth.

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