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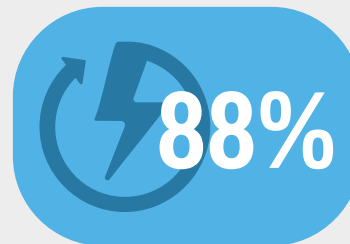
RESPONSIBLE PULP & PAPER PRODUCTS

- ✓ Our fibre is derived from well-managed, sustainable North American and European forests
- ✓ Our mills are low-carbon and energy efficient leaders
- ✓ We have long-lasting relationships with key environmental groups
- ✓ We have leading renewable energy and waste management practices
- ✓ It is our procurement policy that we do not source fibre that comes from deforestation



100% of our forest fibre is managed under our FSC, PEFC and SFI chain of custody systems

Long-standing relationships with 10 of the world's leading environmental groups



88% of our energy comes from green, renewable sources

We've reduced our carbon emissions footprint by 59% since 1990



46% of our power is self-generated green electricity; some of which is sold back to the North American grid

38% of our solid waste is beneficially reused





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ETHICAL FIBRE SOURCES

- ✓ All of our forest fibre comes from well-managed, sustainable North American and European Forests
- ✓ Forest fibre sources include sawmill waste chips and pulp logs
- ✓ We offer FSC®, PEFC™ and SFI® certification



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FORESTRY
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LEADING MANUFACTURING

- ✓ Our mills use ISO-14001 environmental management systems and best-available technology to minimize emissions



PIONEERS

- ✓ Early innovators in light-weight papers which provide more printable paper using the same raw materials
- ✓ Early adopters of elemental chlorine free (ECF) technologies for pulp manufacturing



SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

- ✓ Mill safety programs to deliver improved employee safety
- ✓ Active outreach and partnerships with Indigenous Peoples and local communities



INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS

- ✓ FDA certification on select products
- ✓ SAGE carbon-neutral on select products



ABOUT PAPER EXCELLENCE

Paper Excellence is a diversified manufacturer of pulp and specialty, printing and writing, and packaging papers.

AWARDS

- » Corporate Knights Top 50 Best Corporate Citizens in Canada (Catalyst Paper Corp awarded 12 times in 2007 to 2019)
- » EarthCare Award from the Sierra Club U.S. honouring individuals or organizations that have made a unique contribution to international environmental protection and conservation

COLLABORATION

- » Since 1998, four of Paper Excellence's coastal BC mills have been a Great Bear Rainforest partner, working with other forest companies and Greenpeace, STAND (formerly ForestEthics), and Sierra Club of Canada.

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