



PRODUCTION CAPACITY

270,000

air dried metric tonnes annually



ECONOMIC IMPACT

\$552.6M

(CAD)



NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

283

NUMBER OF INDIRECT JOBS SUPPORTED BY OPERATION

735



ENERGY PURCHASE AGREEMENT: YES

ENERGY PRODUCTION ON SITE

43 MWh

generated primarily from biomass

PROPERTY TAX OBLIGATION

\$475,000



PRODUCTS

Northern Bleached Softwood Kraft (NBSK) pulp



MILL OVERVIEW

Located on the western edge of the Canadian Rocky Mountains in the East Kootenay region of British Columbia, Skookumchuck Pulp is a vital employer to the area. Commissioned in 1968, Skookumchuck Pulp has seen substantial modernization work making the mill one of Domtar's most sophisticated facilities. Skookumchuck is a word derived from the local First Nations language meaning "strong water" and the name of the creek that supplies the mill with water. The Domtar Skookumchuck Pulp Mill facility is a leading producer of high quality Northern Bleached Softwood Kraft pulps. These pulps are used by customers worldwide to make a wide variety of products from tissue and paper towels to fine writing paper.



ENVIRONMENTAL CONTRIBUTIONS

- 90% of the mill's energy comes from renewable sources with 40% reduction in greenhouse gases since 1990
- 100% of power use is self-generated green electricity
- 100% of wood fibre is low risk using the FSC risk assessment process



COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

Skookumchuck provided Living Lakes Canada with a donation of \$10,000 to support the organization in their efforts to monitor, restore and develop policy for the long-term protection of lakes, rivers, aquifers, wetlands, and watersheds. In 2024, the mill also provided support to the Kimberly Trails Society, Kimberly Minor Hockey, and academic scholarships for local communities. The Skookumchuck mill provides support for Traditional Language and Knowledge programs, as well as business procurement events and elder retreat support to the Ktunaxa Nation.



AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified to all globally recognized chain-of-custody / Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®), Sustainable Forestry Initiative® (SFI®) standards