

Virginia

Facts & Figures

- The company has seven facilities in Virginia, in addition to wood and fiber supply offices at Brookneal and Skippers, and a logyard at Dunganno.
- In the state, Georgia-Pacific manufactures corrugated packaging and building products.
- More than 1,100 employees work for Georgia-Pacific's Virginia operations. In 2008, local operations generated approximately \$69 million in gross employee wages.

Safety and Environmental Compliance

Georgia-Pacific's safety and environmental compliance goal is 10,000 percent; this is achieved with 100 percent of employees complying 100 percent of the time. To help meet this goal, employees receive extensive training and are recognized by the company for their accomplishments.

An industry leader in safety, Georgia-Pacific is the first company to participate in the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) Corporate Pilot. OSHA cited strong management systems that promote safe and healthful working conditions as a reason for the company's selection.

To participate in the OSHA VPP program, facilities undergo a rigorous evaluation process to demonstrate how their policies and programs maintain excellent health and safety conditions for all employees. Georgia-Pacific has 81 sites recognized by the OSHA VPP program.

GP's Brookneal, Emporia and Skippers facilities received OSHA VPP Star designations for outstanding performance.

In 2007, the Milford gypsum facility achieved a 0.0 OSHA Incident Rate. More than 50 facilities companywide reached this safety milestone in 2007.

Commitment to Our Communities

Through the Georgia-Pacific Foundation, the company partners with many local and statewide organizations to make investments that improve the quality of life in communities where GP employees live and work.

To make a meaningful impact, the GP Foundation has four key investment areas—Education, Enrichment of Community, Environment and Entrepreneurship.

Learn more about GP's community involvement and read the corporate social responsibility report at www.gp.com.



International consumer brands:

Headquartered at Atlanta, Georgia-Pacific (www.gp.com) is one of the world's leading manufacturers and marketers of tissue, packaging, paper, pulp, building products and related chemicals. The company employs 45,000 people at 300 locations in North America, South America and Europe.

Our familiar North American consumer tissue brands include Quilted Northern®, Angel Soft®, Brawny®, Sparkle®, Soft 'n Gentle®, Mardi Gras®, So-Dri® and Vanity Fair®, as well as the Dixie® brand of disposable cups, plates and cutlery.

Internationally, the company markets both retail and away-from-home consumer products such as bathroom and facial tissue, handkerchiefs, paper towels and tabletop products for foodservice in Europe and other locations. Market-leading brands include Lotus®, Moltonel®, Colhogar®, Tenderly® and Delica®.

Leading building products:

Georgia-Pacific's building products business has long been among the nation's top suppliers of building products to lumber and building materials dealers and large do-it-yourself warehouse retailers. The company is a major producer of wood panels (Plytanium® plywood, Blue Ribbon® OSB), lumber, gypsum products (ToughRock®, DensGlass®, DensArmor Plus®), chemicals (Nitamin™) and other products.

Innovative packaging:




The company's innovative process and supply chain expertise, coupled with its solid business relationships, has made Georgia-Pacific the best and most competitive in the packaging industry.

Cellulose, pulp & paper:

Georgia-Pacific Cellulose produces a variety of pulps that are used to manufacture wide-ranging products, including fine writing and printing paper, coffee filters and tea bags, disposable wipes, diapers and feminine hygiene products.

Georgia-Pacific is a leading producer of communication/printing paper; its branded office papers dominate category sales at warehouse clubs and mass retailers.

A Look at Our Facilities

Location	Products	End-use / Unique Features	OSHA VPP
Big Island Containerboard	Corrugating Medium, Recycled Linerboard	Corrugating medium is the fluted layer in corrugated boxes, while linerboard (made from 100% recycled fiber at Big Island) is the smooth layer surrounding the medium. Products are shipped separately to box plants for assembly.	
Brookneal OSB	Oriented Strand Board	OSB is used in flooring and other building applications. Brookneal burns by-products as fuel, saving non-renewable fossil fuels.	
Emporia Softwood Plywood	Plytanium® Plywood and Veneer	Double-sanded A-C plywood is used for a variety of construction purposes. The high-quality flooring panel has a fully sanded face combining subfloor and underlayment in a single panel.	
Jarratt Softboard Sheathing	Sheathing, Hushboard, High-density Roofing and Expansion Joint substrate	Soft board sheathing has varied construction functions. Primary customers include apartment builders, build-up roofers and single-ply roofers.	
Martinsville Packaging	Corrugated Boxes and Sheets	Martinsville containers are used for furniture packaging, distribution channel boxes, and food and apparel packaging.	
Milford Gypsum	Joint Systems	Interior and exterior gypsum panels (ToughRock® and DensGuard®) for residential housing and commercial buildings.	
Skippers OSB	Oriented Strand Board	OSB is used in flooring and other building applications and is sold at large national retail building supply stores.	

Manufacturing Processes

Containerboard: Recycled fiber from old corrugated containers and virgin wood chips are converted to pulp, which is then manufactured into one of two products: linerboard or medium.

Gypsum: Wallboard and joint compounds manufactured from natural and synthetic mineral gypsum. Rock is milled, calcined (heated), hydrated, and continuously formed into drywall. Synthetic gypsum is a byproduct of coal-fired power plants.

Hardboard: Whole tree chips and panel shavings are mixed with water, glue, heat and pressure to form product for furniture, appliance and home do-it-yourself projects.

Lumber: Logs are cut into dimensional boards or studs and are available in a variety of species.

OSB/Oriented Strand Board: Wood strands are compressed and arranged in three perpendicular layers and bonded with phenolic resin under extreme heat and pressure.

Packaging: Linerboard and medium are combined on a corrugator to form a corrugated sheet. The sheet is sent to either a die-cutter or flexo folder for finishing. Slots, scores and slits are then cut into the sheet to make a box. Double- and triple-wall boxes, bulk bins, water-resistant packaging and high-finish and

preprinted packaging for point-of-sale displays are then produced.

Plywood: Odd numbers of cross-laminated layers (each layer has one or more plies) are glued together and formed under extreme heat and pressure.