

WHY AUSTRALIAN MADE MATTERS



- Australian Paper produces 600,000 tonnes of paper per year. We are Australia's only manufacturer of office papers, and the largest local manufacturer of envelopes.



- We support more than 5,700 local jobs, many in regional Australia. We also underpin 21,000 jobs in Victoria's forest products sector.



- Our operations support \$494m in flow on household income.



- Australian Paper's contribution to Government revenue is equivalent to \$1.88 for every A4 ream of office paper we make.



- Our operations contribute \$911m in flow on Gross Domestic Product.



- Australian made paper is made from low grade wood that doesn't make the cut for high value saw logs.



- We recycle up to 80,000t waste paper each year. With an additional 21,000t of wastepaper for packaging grades.



- Using imported recycled paper is addressing another countries land fill problem that Australia then needs to clean up.



- Imported recycled paper creates almost its equivalent weight in additional carbon emissions, compared to local paper.



- Made Carbon Neutral may not be fully Carbon Neutral. If transport, timber harvesting and end of life disposal aren't taken into account.

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