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# WOOD PROCUREMENT POLICY

*Norbord and its employees are committed to the practice of sustainable forestry through constructive interaction with forest landowners, wood producers, forestry professionals and our customers*

## Beliefs

Norbord believes:

- The procurement of forest resources should be managed to optimize the yield of wood fiber while protecting forest health and respecting the needs of other forest users.
- Adherence to applicable forest management regulations, environmental laws and other standards to which we subscribe is the shared responsibility of every Norbord employee involved in wood procurement.
- The health and safety of forest workers must be protected at all times.

## Practices

Norbord:

- Ensures that involved employees understand their roles with respect to managing fiber procurement, including the maintenance of Norbord's procurement standards and ethical business practices.
- Uses legally procured and harvested wood;
- Periodically assesses forest management practices on forest lands that supply wood to our facilities in order to foster continual improvement.
- Supports relevant research that advances the practice of sustainable forestry.
- Supports the training of wood producers and promotes the use of forestry professionals for their expertise in the planning and implementation of forest operations.
- Maintains third party chain-of-custody certification in all wood procurement operations.
- Facilitates the sharing of information on sustainable forestry practices with our wood producers or their agents to foster a better understanding of the long-term impacts on regional wood supply and forest health.
- Measures our performance and reports the results to our senior management and the certification bodies to which we subscribe.



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