

Grenada (Mississippi) Mill



KEY STATISTICS (as at december 31, 2022)

Workforce

Number of employees	163
Indirect jobs*	530

Annual capacity

Newsprint	235,000 metric tons
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Economic impact (M US\$)

Payroll and benefits	\$ 20.0
Total cost of wood fiber	13.4
Amount spent to purchase energy	4.6
Amount paid in taxes	1.1
All other operating costs	64.0
TOTAL**	\$ 103.1

* Research by the Economic Policy Institute indicates that for every 100 jobs in the paper industry, 325 additional jobs are supported in supplier industries and in local communities owing to respending of wages.

** The total includes salaries and benefits, taxes and fees, and other operating expenses, less electricity sale profits.

Resolute Forest Products' Grenada (Mississippi) mill operates one of the most modern, high-speed and efficient newsprint machines in North America. The mill produces a high-quality, cost-competitive product sold to newspaper publishers across the Southeastern United States, Mexico and Latin America. Proximity to ports along the Gulf of Mexico provides cost-effective access to international markets.

The mill, which was built in 1989, is considered one of region's preferred employers and has been recognized on several occasions by the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) for its work to improve energy efficiency.

Supporting Sustainability

The Grenada newsprint mill is committed to sustainability and has undertaken multiple initiatives:

- The Grenada mill sources wood fiber and maintains chain-of-custody certificates under the standards of the Sustainable Forest Initiative® (SFI®), the Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC) and the Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®).
- The mill's environmental management system is certified according to the ISO 14001:2015 standard.
- Mill employees completed 2022 without a single recordable injury, achieving 500,000 consecutive injury-free hours. For every 250,000-hour milestone, Resolute rewards employees with \$5,000 or more to donate to local organizations. More than \$85,000 has been contributed locally since 2015 thanks to the mill's safety performance.

Prioritizing Energy Efficiency

A three-year initiative to improve energy efficiency at the mill—known as the thermomechanical pulp interstage screening project - resulted in 85 million kWh in savings since its inception. The project's success helped reduce Grenada's refining energy use by 38%, qualified the mill for TVA incentives, and contributed to Resolute's 87% reduction in absolute scope 1 and 2 greenhouse gas emissions in relation to 2000. The mill obtains 32% of its energy from renewable sources, predominantly biomass fuel.

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ABOUT US

Resolute Forest Products is a leading producer of a diverse range of wood, pulp, tissue and paper products, which are marketed in 60 countries. The company operates some 40 facilities, as well as power generation assets, in the United States and Canada and has third-party certified 100% of its managed woodlands to internationally recognized sustainable forest management standards.

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