Recycling

Powering our Circular Economy

To create the most sustainable business model possible, we embrace the concept of a circular economy and look beyond basic recycling to evaluate our entire value chain.

International Paper is among the world’s largest stewards of wood and recovered fiber.

We recover, reprocess and facilitate the sale of 7 million tons of fiber each year.

92% of all corrugated packaging in the United States is recycled. Of that, International Paper recovers 12%.

Since 2010, International Paper has increased our recovery of old corrugated containers by 63%.

Through our work with The Recycling Partnership, we are helping to improve recycling in communities across the U.S.

Sources:
1 AF&PA, 2019
2 Two Sides