

Compliance efforts and challenges Pulp and Paper sector in China

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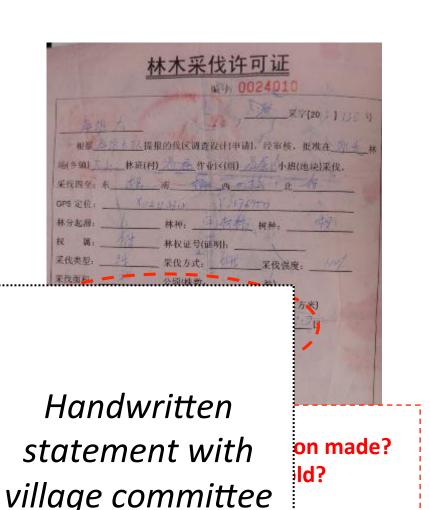
Preview

- 1. Main aspects of P&P supply chain
- 2. Demonstrate 'legal compliance' views of Suppliers
- 3. Good example of practices
- 4. Challenges and way forward

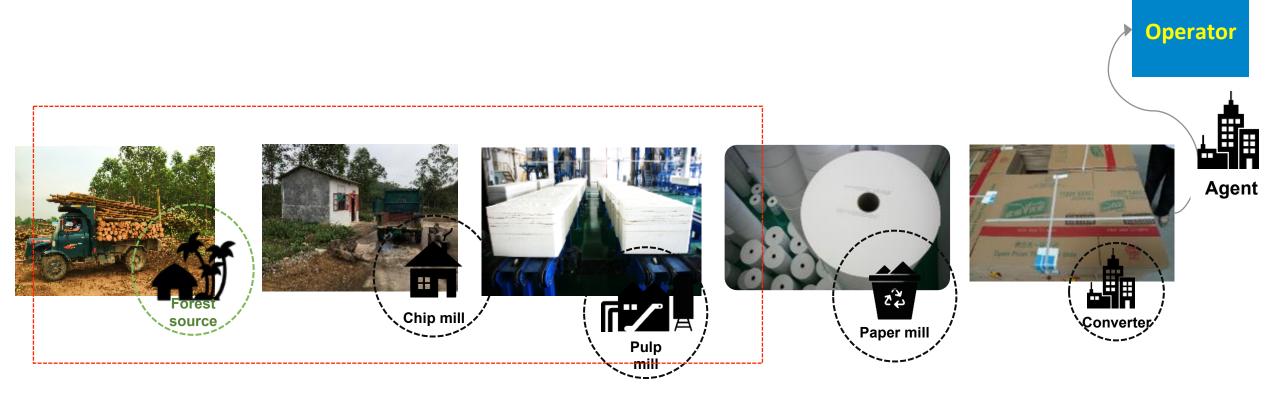


Major concerns sourcing P&P from China

- Species, inconsistent with declaration, risk of mixing
- Creditability with documentation
- Inconsistent regulation enforcement
- Lack of domestic demand for DDS
- Issuance of logging ban



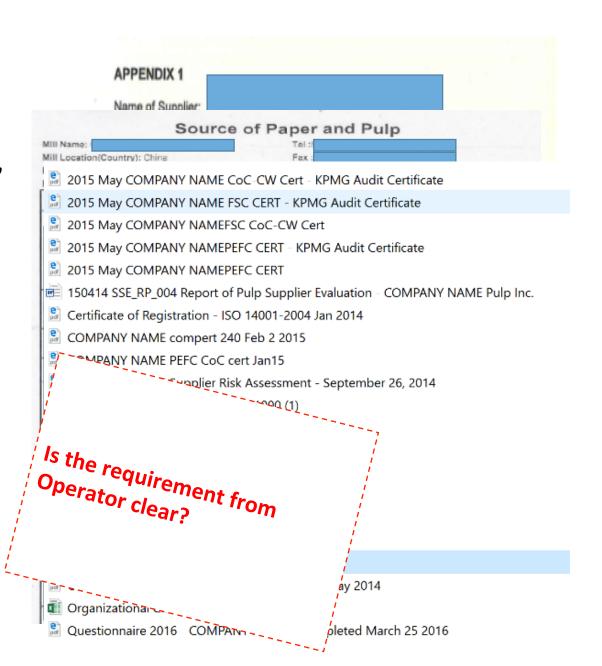
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- Majority of the risks exist at the source level
- Simplest way = change supplier, go certification
- More sustainable way = work with producers

Type of responses

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- "Don't understand the question"
- "we don't know, what need to do?"
- "I declare our product is compliant".
- " (some info/doc),...Are they enough?"
- We have our own policy, here is what we've done.... are they sufficient?"



Example – Chip Mill

Information gathering

- Communication/site observation
- Questionnaire

Risk assessment

- Uncertified;
- Origin of sources unclear/incomplete;
- Unable to provide doc/records;
- Close to areas of environmental values;
- Known risk of species mixing;



Mitigation

- Field visit (traceability + legality + other elements)
- Stakeholder interview
- Further issues identified (e.g. undeclared sources)
- Corrective action plan (i.e. basic coc + request to stop using particular source)

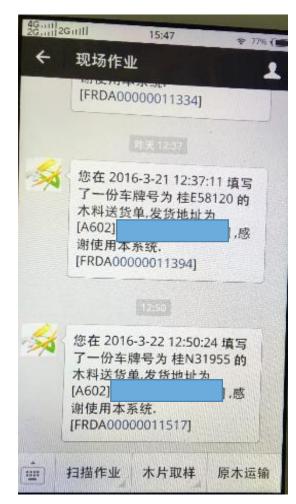
Mitigation implementation



Developed APP to help traceability - unique ID per chip delivery







Example - Pulp/Paper Mill

Have a DDS system in place

Procedures

What/when to assess? By whom? Monitoring?

Guidance

How? E.g. the criteria

Tools

e.g. assessment protocol + repor Note: scorecard International

Note:

Internal alignment + training needs

Supplier Evaluation
Report

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Internal alignment + le Strategy/approach

Approved Pulp

Pulp Supplier Risk

Assessment

Annual Pulp

Pulp

Procurement

Verification

of Incoming

Supplier List

"Only accept wood that the legality and provenance is checked and verified"

Purchase Order

 Records of Pulp Purchased

Records of Pulp

 Sample of Pulp Traceability

Received

Example – Operator



- Develop responsible sourcing policy
- Set requirements/expectations for suppliers
- Develop tools to assist suppliers
- Supplier engagement + capacity bullul
- Map the supply chain
- Prioritization

TEMPLATE OUTLINE:

PULP AND PAPER DUE DILIGENCE

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STEP 1: ESTABLISH STRONG MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

A. ADOPT, AND CLEARLY COMMUNICATE TO SUPPLIERS AND THE PUBLIC, A COMPANY POLICY

Include information about your company policies or standards and programs regarding sourcing of pulp

and paper materials, and how you communicate those policies or standards to suppliers and to the public. The policy and programs should address compliance with been on legal barvesting as well as elements.

regarding conformance to sustainable forestry and responsible sourcing (environmental and social

INTRODUCTIO

This Pulp and Paper Due Dil diligence applicable to pape

B. STRUCTURE INTERNAL MANAGEMENT TO SUPPORT SUPPLY CHAIN DUE DILIGENCE

Discuss the resources assigned to this program, including their staff and/or business group area of expertise. Include information on the management sponsors for your program.

Internal Training and Communication

List internal training and communications, including target audiences, and processes for ongoing training to relevant employees. Indicate where training materials are kept.

C. ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF CONTROLS AND TRANSPARENCY OVER THE PLANT-BASED MATERIALS SUPPLY CHAIN

Describe your traceability and other systems to interact with your suppliers and their suppliers and understand your pulp and paper materials supply chain, including pulp mills and lorest sources. Include your process for existing suppliers, as well as potential new suppliers.

D. STRENGTHEN COMPANY ENGAGEMENT WITH SUPPLIERS

Describe your expectations for suppliers, and the tools you use to communicate those expectations to them. This could include policies or standards, codes of conduct, contract language, specifications, a company website, or.

Supplier Capacity Building

Describe ways you interact with suppliers to educate them and otherwise build their understanding of

Challenges and way forward

Incentives to change, no demand from domestic market **Implementation capacity**, internal alignment, workload, human resources, international resources;

Solution: long term contract + training + field support + accumulated efforts of Operators

Effectiveness and consistency of DDS procedures/tools

Solution: monitoring internal performance + refining tools + external training + platform to share experience

Global regulations/Operator requests to supplier differ in requirements,

need an one-for-all solution package;

Solution: platform to share and learn;

Final remarks

Responsible practices is possible, certification is not the only solution;

Solutions exist, share of experience;

Understand the suppliers;



Recovered paper

Issues

- Risk of pre-consumer material originating from controversial sources.
- Social issues; China the largest recovered paper importer; Highest estimated number of waste pickers worldwide; No domestic formal recycling infrastructure;

Can do

- Know the split: virgin VS recovered paper; imported VS domestic;
- Gather info/doc about the supplier (collecting/sorting facility) and the material;
- ✓ Supplier product description, invoice, shipping document, contract;
- ✓ Reports/pictures of on site investigations;
- ✓ Government-issued certificate;
- ✓ Certificate of origin;
- ✓ Supplier audit report







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