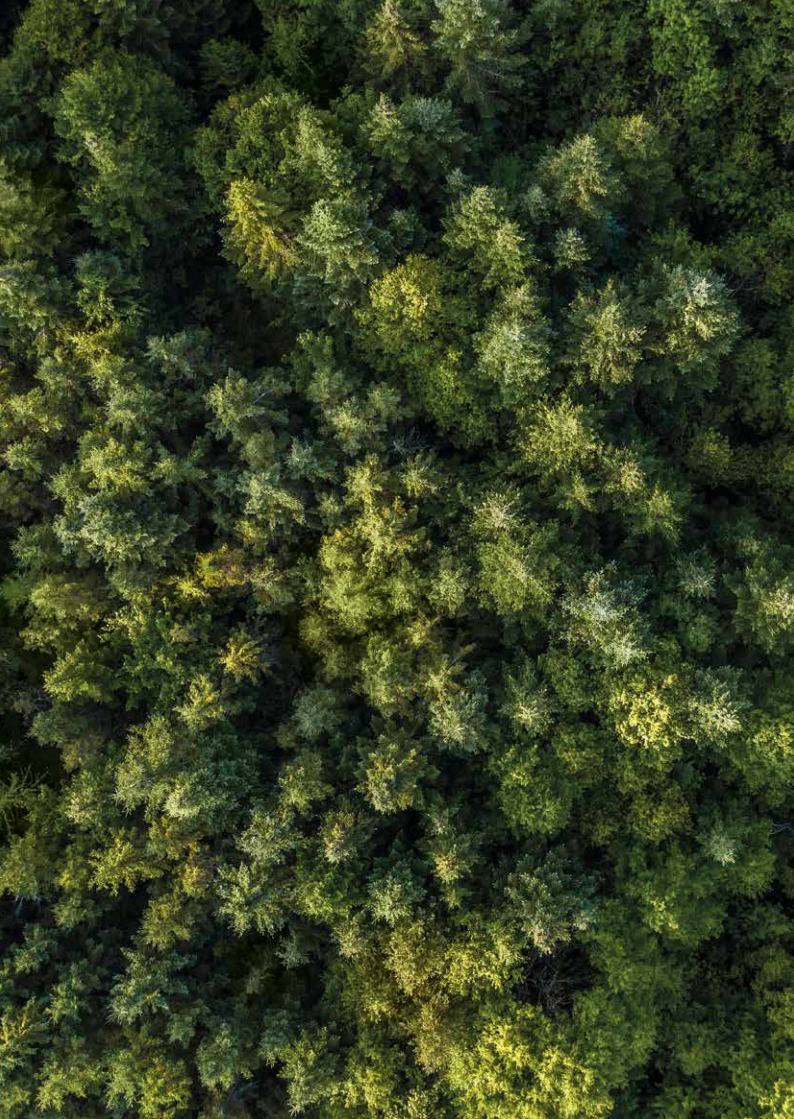




UPM Conifer

Strengthen your performance
with UPM Conifer

UPM Pulp



Stable performance and strength with UPM Conifer

UPM's bleached softwood kraft pulp (NBSK) is made from slow-growing pine and spruce tempered by the demanding northern environment.

Sourced from sustainably managed boreal forests, UPM Conifer is produced in our three pulp mills in Finland. The long and slender fibres of UPM Conifer provide strength, cleanliness and stable quality for a wide range of end uses.

As the world's leading multifibre pulp supplier, UPM Pulp combines world-class production, a broad portfolio of hardwood and softwood pulps, and deep technical expertise to help customers optimize their fibre furnish and enhance performance.

A hand is holding a small, green evergreen branch against a blurred background of a forest. The branch is held vertically, with the hand at the bottom. The background shows sunlight filtering through the trees, creating a warm, dappled light effect.

**Legally
harvested
and traceable
pulp from
Finland**

Traceable wood sourcing from sustainably managed forests

All the wood for our Finnish pulp mills comes from sustainably managed boreal forests. More than half of the wood comes from private forest owners, with the remainder sourced mostly from UPM's own forests. A small proportion of the wood comes from forests in Sweden and the Baltics.

UPM adheres to internationally recognized principles of sustainable forestry. All wood used by UPM is 100% traceable to legal sources. We use certified chain of custody and controlled wood systems verified by independent external auditors to ensure that our wood is responsibly sourced.



Characteristics of UPM Conifer

Bright and clean UPM Conifer is our main bleached softwood kraft pulp (NBSK) grade. With fibres that are long and slender, UPM Conifer works well in various end uses that require strength.

This softwood pulp has high reinforcement strength and fast development of tensile strength.

This enables lower refining energy and supports stable runnability and predictable performance.

UPM Conifer is made from both juvenile and mature wood. Roundwood and sawmill chips are utilized in its production. Fibre length can be controlled by adjusting sawmill chip content.

Characteristics of UPM Conifer Thin

UPM Conifer Thin is our special bleached softwood kraft pulp (NBSK) grade. Its high fibre count provides a smooth surface, good formation characteristics and high cleanliness. UPM Conifer Thin has fast development of tensile strength and internal bond strength. It is easily refined, as it responds well to low refining intensity and co-refines seamlessly with hardwood pulps.

UPM Conifer Thin is particularly well suited for customers with limited refining capacity and co-refining applications together with hardwood pulp.

This pulp is produced from the first thinning wood of pine and spruce with flexible thin-walled fibres. No sawmill chips are utilized in its production.



**Suitable
for various
end
products**

UPM Conifer

Tissue

- Toilet
- Towel
- Facial

Board

- Folding boxboard

Printing & writing

- Copy,
- Magazine

Specialty papers

- Labels
- Filter

UPM Conifer Thin

Tissue

- Toilet
- Towel,
- Facial

Specialty papers

- Dense papers with moderate requirement for tear strength
- Certain release papers
- Baking papers
- Silicone-free requirements
- Special Interleaving Papers (in contact with glass)





UPM pulp mills in Finland

UPM Kaukas in Lappeenranta

700,000 t/a of softwood pulp on two production lines



UPM Kymi in Kouvola

870,000 t/a of softwood and birch pulp on two production lines



UPM Pietarsaari

800,000 t/a of softwood and birch pulp on two production lines

Highly efficient pulp mills

UPM Conifer is produced in our three modern pulp mills in Finland: UPM Kaukas in Lappeenranta, UPM Kymi in Kouvola and UPM Pietarsaari.

Their combined annual production capacity is 2.37 million tonnes of softwood and birch pulp. Our pulp production is based on the EU's Best Available Techniques (BAT) approach, and continuous development of sustainable and efficient operations to reduce the use of raw materials, water and energy.

Flexible, interchangeable production across our pulp mills, together with regular investments and scheduled maintenance shutdowns every 18 months to two years, ensures a high level of supply security. During shutdowns, maintenance, repairs and upgrades further improve environmental and production efficiency.

UPM is committed to developing operations towards a low-carbon energy economy and our mills play a key role. Highly energy-efficient pulp mills produce renewable electricity, mostly from renewable biomass, in excess of their own needs.



Technical expertise for efficient operations

UPM's local sales and technical customer service teams support customers with furnish optimization, refining efficiency and end-product performance across different end uses. UPM Pulp's products help you optimize refining while reducing energy consumption and costs.

Basic technical customer service

- Pulp quality reporting & benchmarking
- Technical data & claim handling

Advanced services

- Customer-specific projects & studies
- Simulations & fibre furnish optimization
- Laboratory refining & trial support
- Advanced troubleshooting & analytics



UPM's global R&D network, & modern research laboratories



UPM's technical experts based at mills and local markets



Cooperation with chemical & machinery suppliers and partners



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