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CATALYST PAPER 2009 ANNUAL REPORT

Catalyst





## COMPANY PROFILE

Catalyst Paper manufactures diverse specialty printing papers, newsprint and pulp, and is headquartered in Richmond, British Columbia, Canada. Its customers include retailers, publishers, commercial printers and paper manufacturers in North America, Latin America, the Pacific Rim and Europe. With six mills strategically situated in British Columbia and Arizona, Catalyst has a combined annual capacity of 2.5 million tonnes.

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## PRODUCTION NOTES

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In accordance with PEFC chain-of-custody this paper contains 100 per cent certified wood fibre. It is also Catalyst Cooled™, having been manufactured with no net carbon emissions to the atmosphere.

Printed by Blanchette Press, Richmond, British Columbia, using inks that comply with CONEG regulations for heavy metal content and are formulated to contain vegetable-derived raw materials including soya, canola and linseed oils as well as resins derived from pine and fir tree gum.





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## PAPER FACTS

inside pages (269 g)

### Inputs

Raw Fibre (g)	260
% certified sources	100
Filler (g)	51
Water (L)	21.0
Work (person-secs)	2.6
Energy (cal)	1,490
% renewable	88

### Emissions

Greenhouse gases (g)	34*
Air Particulate (mg)	9.4
Effluent BOD (mg)	62
Solid waste (cm <sup>3</sup> )	19

This Paper Facts label identifies the weight, inputs and emissions for the inside pages of each paper copy of this report. It demonstrates Catalyst's focus on its operations' environmental footprint as well as its commitment to transparency.

Catalyst produces mechanical printing papers, also referred to as groundwood papers, which do not rely on chemical processes to separate the fibres. Mechanical paper production uses less fibre and energy with fewer emissions than papers made using chemical processes.

While commonly seen in applications such as magazines, catalogues and advertising inserts, Catalyst's annual disclosure reports demonstrate the application of its products in non-traditional uses.

Catalyst customers can use its Paper Facts Calculator at [www.catalystpaper.com/calculator](http://www.catalystpaper.com/calculator) to identify the inputs and emissions of specific weights of Catalyst paper grades, compare them to typical North American sheets, and make informed choices.

\* Catalyst Cooled™ – offset to zero