

Group Sustainability Charter

As a leading global provider of pulp, paper and biotech solutions manufactured from renewable woodfibre-based resources, we aim to build a thriving world by unlocking the power of these renewable resources to benefit people, communities and the planet.

Our sustainability strategy – to create long-term value for all stakeholders from relevant, sustainable woodfibre products and through continuous improvement in critical areas – underpins this aim.

We base our commitment to sustainability on being a trusted, transparent, and innovative partner in building a biobased circular economy, guided by our values: *As OneSappi, we do business safely with integrity and courage, making smart decisions that we execute with speed.*

We work to balance Prosperity, People and Planet, thereby realising our vision of a more renewable, responsible world – one in which we thrive:

- By leveraging technology through reliable and relevant solutions that meet the needs of people worldwide and through our commitment to the circular bioeconomy, we generate **Prosperity**. Our robust investment in innovation and R&D enables us to develop new processes, products and biomaterials by extracting more value from each tree. So doing, we maintain a competitive global advantage and continue to attract investors, leverage growth opportunities and can invest more in our processes, our people and the communities in which we operate.
- By maintaining a safe, healthy workplace for our **People** where diversity is valued and providing people with purpose-driven, meaningful development opportunities, we enhance productivity and our ability to serve global markets. Using woodfibre, we create sustainable products and business value, stimulate rural economies, and create a positive social impact in the communities in which we operate.
- By searching for and investing in innovative ways to leave the **Planet** better than we found, we can produce more with less – an approach with obvious environmental and economic benefits. This approach is based on continuous improvement and includes focused decarbonisation action to support our approved science-based greenhouse gas (GHG) emission reduction targets. It also necessitates using less process water and improving effluent quality, enhancing biodiversity and promoting sustainable forestry through internationally accredited, independent environmental management and forest certification systems.

Throughout our business, we collaborate to realise the ambitions of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). We report transparently and regularly on performance against ambitious global and regional targets aligned with our priority SDGs.

In addition, we pro-actively seek input from our stakeholders to inform our strategies, actions and targets.

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This charter aligns with our holistic view of sustainability as integral to a thriving world, embedded in **Prosperity**, **People** and the **Planet**.

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Priority SDGs* for:

Sappi Southern Africa

Sappi group (Global)



* United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.