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BEST PRACTICES IN THE FIELD OF MANUFACTURING ENVIRONMENT, HR, **IMAGE BUILDING & BRANDING BY PULP & PAPER INDUSTRY**



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Topic - BEST PRACTICES IN THE FIELD OF MANUFACTURING, ENVIRONMENT, HR,IMAGE BUILDING & BRANDING BY PULP & PAPER INDUSTRY

Indian pulp and paper mills have been flourishing over the decades and currently producing around 25 million tons of assorted grades of paper per annum. Across all segments, packaging sector is the leader of the pack. Currently on the world production map, we are a shade behind Japan which is producing about 26 million tons of paper and board annually.



Indian paper mills thrive on a varied technology canvas. Many mills are still manufacturing paper on machines which are not synchronized with current requirements. Relatively modern machines used by major paper manufacturers contain latest features with the support of advanced technology setting them at par with the best. Thus such mills hold a latent advantage in comparison to mills having machines with very limited instrumentations and technological support as far as the operational scale of economics are concerned. Though both ways the paper produced may be of high quality, efficiency and the cost advantages obtained due to their scale of operations differ significantly.

In the midst of mounting competition, it is essential that scale of operation and economics are revisited periodically to improve working parameters and achieving new benchmarks. It is therefore even more imperative to bring on a common sharing platform all such manufacturing practices which help in enhancing efficiency of operations and to be in the competition.

Most Paper mills are by and large located in remote areas away from large cities or in tier 3 towns. As a result, mills are facing serious issues in meeting their desired manpower requirements. With mills shifting

their offices to the factory site in order to consolidate operations is further adding to the already difficult situation. Furthermore, this is posing a major problem of different nature altogether, job opportunities for "Qualified spouses" get minimized and they miss the city life also. On other hand the Paper

Technology course at IIT – Roorkee has been discontinued which has created a dearth of qualified manpower. No doubt to some extent it is being abridged by regional institutions which have courses on Paper making but there still remains a big vacuum. To handle such social issues with pay packages which are not the best in the market poses a serious challenge for HR department.



Paper mills have been blatantly accused by many companies, in particular by telecommunication giants of being guilty of cutting the tree and making

paper. As per the information gathered, they did it primarily to avoid posting hard copies of crores of bills every month which was based more on economics than anything else. Much to the chagrin of the paper industry, they succeeded in their mission by creating a jaded image of paper industry in the minds most people even 5 years old. It was presented in a lopsided manner as if we are the only reason for deforestation and global warming. The fact is that India manufactures > 75 % of paper by using recycled paper, 15% by wood pulp (including imported pulp) and 10% agricultural waste.

It is only through farm forestry we meet our needs, in reality we are net planter of trees. Of late paper industry has awakened and resorted to this unwanted on slaught and the results are quite positive. Efforts of various organizations including IPPTA, IPMA, IARPMA and state associations on this front are laudable.



Historically paper mills have shied away from investing efforts in BRAND BUILDING since time immemorial. We make good papers, we make specialty papers, we have many firsts, but we have not differentiated our product from masses. True that such efforts need huge funds, but it is equally true that FIRST SMALL STEP is missing. In the developed world lots of products display that they have been either packed or printed on a RECYCLED PAPER. Such products receive preference and respect at the hands of customers. Time has come to let the world know the HIDDEN GOODNESS about our product and company

which shall help indirectly in creating demand, respect and value.

In consideration of the above scenario IPPTA has chosen the theme of Best Practices in the field of manufacturing, Environment HR, image building & branding by pulp & Paper Industry. Manufacturing, HR personnel, corporate communication personnel and those engaged in branding and image buildings are invited to share their views.

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