

Promotion of Sustainability Management



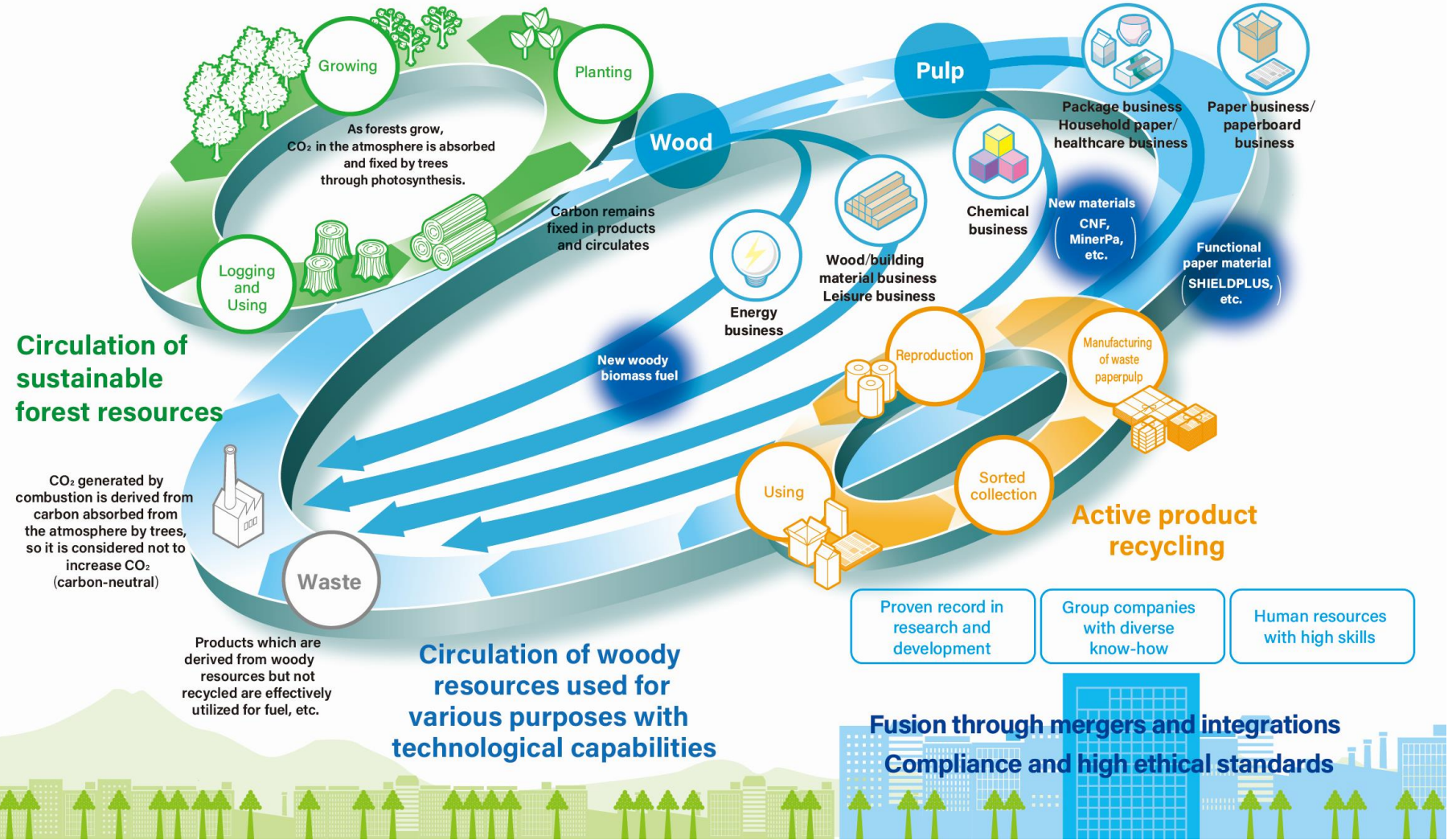
Mission

The Nippon Paper Group aims to contribute to better living and cultural progress everywhere it does business

VISION	MATERIALITY AND SDGs	
<p>1. Drive social sustainability through our business</p>	<p>Achieve the following through the value chain</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Response to climate change • Utilization of sustainable forest resources • Preservation of biodiversity • Promotion of resource circulation • Reduction of environmental burden • Respect for human rights 	
<p>2. Delight our customers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Response to changes in the social environment - Stable supply of products - Improvement in safety 	
<p>3. Instill pride in employees</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Realization of diverse work styles - Active participation of diverse human resources - Promotion of occupational safety and health 	
<p>4. Give back to society</p>	<p>In addition to business growth achieved through activities 1 to 3 above, the following will be realized:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Enhancement of governance - Communication with stakeholders - Coexistence with local communities and society 	



Promotion of "three circulations" taking advantage of the characteristics of woody resources





Reinforcement of “Three Circulations”

Grow the business and help to bring about a circulation-oriented society by reinforcing “three circulations” , which take advantage of woody resources

Circulation of Sustainable Forest Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Aim to maximize forest values by using our domestic and foreign plantations and forests (about 170,000 ha)- We have developed unique breeding and proliferation technologies using plantations of Amcel as fields, greatly improving the productivity of the plantations of Amcel- Apply the breeding and proliferation technologies to other forests to increase the CO₂ fixation amount per unit area and improve the productivity of forest management
Circulation of Woody Resources Used for Various Purposes by Using Technological Abilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Develop various environmentally friendly products using woody resources and increase the CO₂ fixation amount- Aim to grow the business and circulate carbon through woody resources using biomass materials such as CNF and MinerPa® as well as new biomass fuel- Reduce the CO₂ generation amount during transport using “Long lasting roll” of Nippon Paper Creca and CNF reinforced resin, which enables weight reduction
Active Product Recycling	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Actively utilize unused wastepaper, which has so far been difficult to recycle (establish technologies and the collection system)- Construct collection schemes for paper cups and liquid packaging products and barrier paper materials, and minimize environmental burden



◆ Separation of supervision and business execution

- Strengthen the function of outside directors

◆ Clarifying authority and responsibilities in business execution

- Create Chief Officer positions
(Technology, Raw Materials, R&D, Logistics)

◆ Addressing sustainability related issues

- Disaster Response
(Formulate and manage Business Continuity Plan)
(Prepare for natural disasters such as earthquake or heavy rain)
- Develop disclosure based on TCFD recommendations