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Sappi Europe Announces Price Increase for Coated Mechanical Reels

Sappi Europe, a leading producer of high-quality graphic papers, today announced a general price increase of 20 Euros per tonne, or local currency equivalent across its Coated Mechanical portfolio, effective for all deliveries from October 2026.

This adjustment is driven by a continued escalation in key input costs and the need to ensure the long-term financial sustainability of our operations. Despite significant internal efficiency programs and cost-saving initiatives, the industry continues to face a structurally elevated cost environment. Costs related to energy, transport, labour, chemicals, and fibre remain at levels that materially impact production economics.

As a strategic supplier to publishers, printers, and the broader communications industry, Sappi Europe remains committed to ensuring high quality product availability to the European market.

Customers will be contacted individually by Sappi Europe's sales organisation to discuss the implementation details.

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About Sappi

Sappi is a leading global provider of everyday materials made from woodfibre-based renewable resources. As a diversified, innovative and trusted leader focused on sustainable processes and products, Sappi is building a more circular economy by making what it should, not just what it can. Its raw materials offerings (including dissolving pulp, wood pulp and biomaterials) and end-use products (packaging papers, specialty papers, graphic papers, casting and release papers, forestry products) are manufactured from woodfibre sourced

from sustainably managed forests and plantations. Many of Sappi's production facilities use internally generated bioenergy, enabling many of its operations to be energy self-sufficient.

Sappi produces 4.6 million tons of paper, 2.3 million tons of paper pulp, 1.5 million tons of dissolving pulp per year. Globally, it has over 11,979 employees, 401,000 ha of owned and leased sustainably managed forests in South Africa. Sappi Limited (JSE) is headquartered in Johannesburg, South Africa with manufacturing operations across three continents and sells its products in more than 150 countries.

Sappi Europe is a division of Sappi Limited where its European mills hold chain of custody certifications under the Forest Stewardship Council™ (FSC™ C015022) and the Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification (PEFC/07-32-76) systems. Our papers are produced in mills accredited with ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 50 001 and ISO45 001 certification. We have EMAS registration at 5 of our 8 mills in Europe.

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