

Section 1. Registration Information

Source Identification

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| Facility Name: | Blandin Paper Company |
| Parent Company #1 Name: | UPM-Kymmene Group |
| Submission Type: | First Time |
| Receipt Date: | September 1999 |
| Status: | Deregistered |
| Deregistration Effective Date: | February 2001 |

Facility Identification

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| Facility ID: | 1000 0016 1567 |
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Dun and Bradstreet Numbers (DUNS)

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| Facility DUNS: | 6158943 |
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Facility Location Address

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| Street 1: | 115 Southwest 1st Street |
| Street 2: | N/A |
| City: | Grand Rapids |
| State: | MN |
| ZIP: | 55744 |
| ZIP4: | 3699 |
| County: | Itasca |

Facility Latitude and Longitude

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| Latitude (decimal): | 47.232639 |
| Longitude (decimal): | -93.531222 |

Local Emergency Planning Committee and Regulations

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| LEPC: | N/A |
| OSHA PSM: | Yes |
| EPCRA 302: | Yes |
| CAA Title V: | Yes |

Process Chemicals

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| Program Level: | Program Level 3 process |
| Chemical Name: | Sulfur dioxide (anhydrous) |
| CAS Number: | 7446-09-5 |
| Flammable/Toxic: | Toxic |

Process NAICS

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| NAICS Code: | 322121 |
| NAICS Description: | Paper (except Newsprint) Mills |

Section 6. Accident History

Accident History ID: Accident 1

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| Date of Accident: | November 1997 |
| Time Accident Began (HH:MM): | 11:30 |
| NAICS Code of Process Involved: | 322121 |
| NAICS Description: | Paper (except Newsprint) Mills |
| Release Duration: | 000 Hours 05 Minutes |

Release Event

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| Gas Release: | Yes |
| Liquid Spill/Evaporation: | N/A |
| Fire: | N/A |
| Explosion: | N/A |
| Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction: | N/A |

Release Source

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| Storage Vessel: | Yes |
| Piping: | N/A |
| Process Vessel: | N/A |
| Transfer Hose: | N/A |
| Valve: | N/A |
| Pump: | N/A |
| Joint: | N/A |
| Other Release Source: | N/A |

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

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| Wind Speed: | N/A |
| Units: | Meters/second |
| Direction: | N/A |
| Temperature: | N/A |
| Atmospheric Stability Class: | N/A |
| Precipitation Present: | N/A |
| Unknown Weather Conditions: | Yes |

On-Site Impacts

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|----------------------------------|---|
| Employee or Contractor Deaths: | 0 |
| Public Responder Deaths: | 0 |
| Public Deaths: | 0 |
| Employee or Contractor Injuries: | 2 |
| Public Responder Injuries: | 0 |
| Public Injuries: | 0 |
| On-Site Property Damage (\$): | 0 |

Known Off-Site Impacts

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|--------------------------------|---|
| Deaths: | 0 |
| Hospitalizations: | 0 |
| Public Deaths: | 0 |
| Other Medical Treatments: | 0 |
| Evacuated: | 0 |
| Sheltered-in-Place: | 0 |
| Off-Site Property Damage (\$): | 0 |

Environmental Damage

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|------------------------------------|-----|
| Fish or Animal Kills: | N/A |
| Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage: | N/A |
| Water Contamination: | N/A |
| Soil Contamination: | N/A |
| Other Environmental Damage: | N/A |

Initiating Event

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| Initiating Event: | Equipment Failure |
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Contributing Factors

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| Equipment Failure: | Yes |
| Human Error: | N/A |
| Improper Procedures: | Yes |
| Overpressurization: | N/A |
| Upset Condition: | N/A |
| By-Pass Condition: | N/A |
| Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: | N/A |
| Process Design Failure: | N/A |
| Unsuitable Equipment: | N/A |
| Unusual Weather Condition: | N/A |
| Management Error: | N/A |
| Other Contributing Factor: | N/A |

Off-Site Responders Notified

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| Off-Site Responders Notified: | No, not notified |
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

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| Improved or Upgraded Equipment: | Yes |
| Revised Maintenance: | N/A |
| Revised Training: | N/A |
| Revised Operating Procedures: | Yes |
| New Process Controls: | N/A |
| New Mitigation Systems: | N/A |
| Revised Emergency Response Plan: | N/A |
| Changed Process: | N/A |
| Reduced Inventory: | N/A |
| None: | N/A |
| Other Changes Introduced: | N/A |

Chemicals in Accident History

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Quantity Released (lbs): | 10 |
| Percent Weight: | N/A |
| Chemical Name: | Sulfur dioxide (anhydrous) |
| CAS Number: | 7446-09-5 |
| Flammable/Toxic: | Toxic |

Accident History ID: Accident 2

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Date of Accident: | February 1996 |
| Time Accident Began (HH:MM): | 13:00 |
| NAICS Code of Process Involved: | 322121 |
| NAICS Description: | Paper (except Newsprint) Mills |
| Release Duration: | 000 Hours 07 Minutes |

Release Event

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| Gas Release: | Yes |
| Liquid Spill/Evaporation: | N/A |
| Fire: | N/A |
| Explosion: | N/A |
| Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction: | N/A |

Release Source

| | |
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| Storage Vessel: | N/A |
| Piping: | Yes |
| Process Vessel: | N/A |
| Transfer Hose: | N/A |
| Valve: | N/A |
| Pump: | N/A |
| Joint: | N/A |
| Other Release Source: | N/A |

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

| | |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| Wind Speed: | N/A |
| Units: | Meters/second |
| Direction: | N/A |
| Temperature: | N/A |
| Atmospheric Stability Class: | N/A |
| Precipitation Present: | N/A |
| Unknown Weather Conditions: | Yes |

On-Site Impacts

| | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Employee or Contractor Deaths: | 0 |
| Public Responder Deaths: | 0 |
| Public Deaths: | 0 |
| Employee or Contractor Injuries: | 1 |
| Public Responder Injuries: | 0 |
| Public Injuries: | 0 |
| On-Site Property Damage (\$): | 0 |

Known Off-Site Impacts

| | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Deaths: | 0 |
| Hospitalizations: | 0 |
| Public Deaths: | 0 |
| Other Medical Treatments: | 0 |
| Evacuated: | 0 |
| Sheltered-in-Place: | 0 |
| Off-Site Property Damage (\$): | 0 |

Environmental Damage

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Initiating Event

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| Initiating Event: | Human Error |
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Contributing Factors

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|----------------------------------|-----|
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| Human Error: | Yes |
| Improper Procedures: | N/A |
| Overpressurization: | N/A |
| Upset Condition: | N/A |
| By-Pass Condition: | N/A |
| Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: | N/A |
| Process Design Failure: | N/A |
| Unsuitable Equipment: | N/A |
| Unusual Weather Condition: | N/A |
| Management Error: | N/A |
| Other Contributing Factor: | N/A |

Off-Site Responders Notified

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| Off-Site Responders Notified: | Notified and Responded |
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

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| Revised Training: | N/A |
| Revised Operating Procedures: | Yes |
| New Process Controls: | Yes |
| New Mitigation Systems: | N/A |
| Revised Emergency Response Plan: | N/A |
| Changed Process: | N/A |
| Reduced Inventory: | N/A |
| None: | N/A |
| Other Changes Introduced: | N/A |

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Section 9. Emergency Response

Written Emergency Response (ER) Plan

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| Community Plan (Is facility included in written community emergency response plan?): | Yes |
| Facility Plan (Does facility have its own written emergency response plan?): | Yes |
| Response Actions (Does ER plan include specific actions to be taken in response to accidental releases of regulated substance(s)?): | Yes |
| Public Information (Does ER plan include procedures for informing the public and local agencies responding to accidental release?): | Yes |
| Healthcare (Does facility's ER plan include information on emergency health care?): | Yes |

Local Agency

Agency Name (Name of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

Grand Rapids Fire Department

Agency Phone Number (Phone number of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

(218) 326-7600