Port Wentworth Mill Overview

- Location: East Coast of Georgia in the town of Port Wentworth
- Employees: Approximately 275
- Products: Fluff, paper grade and specialty pulp products used in diapers, wipes, feminine care and adult incontinence products
- History: Port Wentworth mill was founded in 1948 and joined the International Paper family in 2016.
- Certifications: SFI Forest Management & Fiber Sourcing, SFI Chain of Custody, PEFC Chain of Custody, FSC Chain of Custody and FSC Controlled Wood Standard

Distance from Port Wentworth to:

- Savannah: 15 minutes (the mill is only 5 miles from Georgia Ports)
- Tybee Island: 45 minutes
  Kayak, hike, camp, deep sea fish and enjoy the beach
- Hilton Head Island: 45 minutes
- Augusta: 2.5 hours
  Home to Masters golf tournament
- Jacksonville, FL: 2.5 hours
  Major seaport city
- Myrtle Beach, SC: 4 hours
To See, To Know…
The Port Wentworth Mill Region

- Population of Port Wentworth: 7,637
- Population of Chatham County: 289,082 – The second most populous Georgian county
- Port Wentworth is only 15 minutes from Savannah – the largest city in Chatham County. It is known for its proximity to the Savannah River and its southern charm and hospitality. Both are home to several historic sites and close to the coast.

Attractions

- Arts & Museums: American Prohibition Museum, Art Galleries, Historic Savannah Theatre, Tybee Island Light Station & Museum
- Breweries: Service Brewing Co., Coastal Empire Beer Co.
- City of Savannah: Take a trolley tour and explore the southern charm and rich history of the restored cotton warehouses along the riverfront and the meticulously preserved antebellum mansions that line that city’s streets.
- Golf/Country Clubs
- Historic Sightseeing Tours
- Palmetto Bluff: Kayaking, dolphin tours, boat charters. 30 minutes from Port Wentworth.
- Savannah River: Dolphin tours, boat cruises, fishing.

Top Employers/Industries

- Georgia Ports Authority
- Gulfstream Aerospace
- Mitsubishi Hitachi Power Systems
- Imperial Sugar
- International Paper

Events

- Savannah River Spring Classic: Annual bass fishing tournament in Port Wentworth
- Stand Up For America Day Festival: Annual festival to honor America’s service men and women
- Annually, the mill has a Block Party for our residential neighbors. We always have food, fun and prizes and get to know our closest neighbors and friends a little more. We invite local emergency responders for static displays and show off a little bit of how paper and pulp are made.

Education

- Port Wentworth is part of the Chatham County school district.
- The Port Wentworth mill is involved with both Port Wentworth Elementary School as a Business Partner and H.V. Jenkins High School STEM program to help develop and mentor young people for STEM careers.

Higher Education

- Port Wentworth/Savannah is home to: Armstrong State University, Georgia Tech Savannah, Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah State University, and South University
- Within One Hour: Georgia Southern University
- Within Three Hours: Valdosta State University

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