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Domtar orders Voith BlueLine recycled stock preparation system for Kingsport Tennessee Mill Conversion Project

- Voith to install BlueLine stock preparation system including water, sludge and reject handling equipment at the Domtar facility in Kingsport, Tennessee.
- System provides state of the art machinery and world-class technology for the mill to operate with the highest quality fiber with minimum water and energy consumption.

FORT MILL S.C. / APPLETON, Wis. (August 13, 2020) – Domtar has chosen Voith to provide a complete recycled stock preparation system for the recently announced conversion of the Kingsport Mill in Kingsport, Tennessee. The system includes Voith’s BlueLine products including water, sludge and reject handling systems which will maximize both efficiency and quality.

“We are confident in Voith’s equipment and expertise as an industry-leading supplier of recycled fiber systems and we are certain their equipment will meet the needs of this new project,” said Bill Edwards, Vice President Paper Manufacturing, Domtar.

The installation of the new system is expected to be complete in 2022.

“Domtar and Voith have a longstanding relationship in many areas and we are happy to be partnering with them as they enter the containerboard market,” said David Buchanan, President, Voith Paper North America. “This system will provide the machinery and technology so that their mill will operate with the highest quality fiber with minimum water and energy consumption. With our system, Domtar will be able to produce an excellent sheet quality for their end customers.”

Visit <http://ow.ly/q1sB50AYq3x> to view a video and learn more about Voith’s BlueLine stock preparation systems.

About the Voith Group

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The Group Division Voith Paper is part of the Voith Group. As the full-line supplier to the paper industry, it provides the largest range of technologies, services, components and products on the market and offers paper manufacturers solutions from one single source. The company's continuous stream of innovations takes papermaking to the next level and facilitates resource-conserving production. With its Servolution concept, Voith offers its customers tailored service solutions for all sections of the production process. Voith Papermaking 4.0 ensures that equipment is optimally connected, while the secure use of generated data enables paper manufacturers to improve plant availability and efficiency. For more information, please visit [voith.com](https://www.voith.com).

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