

30 years of Growth

1972

- > Foundation of Tembec Forest Products Inc.

1973

- > Agreement between Rexfor, Tembec and the Québec government to acquire the mill
- > First employees start working
- > First profit sharing dividend paid

1974

- > Signing of labour agreement
- > Union representative accepted on Board of Directors

1975

- > Thirty-two percent of shares issued to employees through ATKWA
- > Slasher closed – started using wood chips

1977

- > Incorporation of Temfibre

1979

- > Tembec Forest Products Inc. changed to Tembec Inc.
- > Frank A. Dottori elected President and Chief of Operations
- > Jack Stevens, first of Tembec founders to retire

1981

- > Acquisition of Temfor in Ville-Marie

1982

- > Frank A. Dottori elected President and Chief Executive Officer

1983

- > Temfibre - Development of by-products

1984

- > Establishment of Temcell and Company Limited Partnership

1986

- > Temcell start-up
- > Acquisition of Scierie Béarn Inc.

1987

- > Acquisition of Taschereau, Delebo sawmills and Équipement Boréal Hydraulique Inc.

1988

- > Establishment of Temboard and Company Limited Partnership
- > Acquisition of TKL Sawmill (50%)

1989

- > Acquisition of G. W. Martin (Mottawa, Alban, Huntsville sawmills)

1990

- > Temboard start-up
- > TKL Sawmill acquisition (100%)
- > Acquisition of Howard Bienvenu Inc. (La Sarre sawmill)

1991

- > Temcell II start-up
- > Temlam start-up (Conversion of Temfor)
- > Temeco start-up (ethanol)

1992

- > Creation of EnviroTem subsidiary
- > Acquisition of Spruce Falls Acquisition Corp. (45%)

1994

- > Acquisition of Tartas S.A., France (50%)
- > Creation of Chemical Products Group (merger of Temfibre and Temeco)

1995

- > Acquisition of Malette Inc. of Timmins, Ontario (100%)

1997

- > Acquisition of Spruce Falls of Kapuskasing, Ontario (100%)

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- > Purchase of AV Cell of Atholville, New-Brunswick (50%)
- > Purchase of Pine Falls, Manitoba

1999

- > Acquisition of Crestbrook Forest Industries Ltd., British Columbia
- > Acquisition of Tartas S.A., France (100%)
- > Acquisition of Matane high yield pulp mill, Québec

2000

- > Acquisition of Malette Québec Inc.
- > Acquisition of A.R.C. Resins International Corp., Québec
- > Acquisition of the Fort James-Marathon Ltd, Ontario, pulp mill (50%)
- > Acquisition of two pulp mills at Tarascon and Saint-Gaudens, France
- > Tembec is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange

2001

- > Certification by ISO 14001 for most of Canadian operations
- > Acquisition of Davidson Industries Inc., Québec
- > Acquisition of Jager Building Systems Inc., Alberta
- > Acquisition of a paper mill in St. Francisville, Louisiana, USA
- > Acquisition of the Excel Forest Products sawmill at Opasatika, Ontario (50%)
- > Tembec and SGF Rexfor establish Temlam Inc. (50% - 50%)
- > Tembec, SGF Rexfor and the Fonds de Solidarité de la FTQ form a consortium (Gaspésia paper mill at Chandler, Québec)

2002

- > Tembec and SGF Rexfor form Temrex Forest Products Inc. Limited Partnership
- > Temrex acquires Nouvelle and Produits forestiers Saint-Alphonse Inc., Québec sawmills
- > Acquisition of a high yield pulp mill at Chetwynd, British Columbia

2003

- > Certification by FSC for the boreal Gordon Cosens Forest, Ontario, Canada
- > Acquisition of Nexfor sawmills in La Sarre and Senneterre, Québec