



## Reporting Data for Multiple Publications

If you are reporting for two or more publications, complete *one* survey *for all of them*. Combine the total amounts of newsprint purchases of the same percentage.

**Note:** *Only combine* amounts if they contain *the same percentage* of postconsumer recycled content.

In this example, Newspaper B bought newsprint twice in the year; however, the orders had different percentages of postconsumer recycled content. Because these percentages are different, the purchases are not added together (that is, **not reported as a unit of 900 tons** of newsprint.) Refer to the totals below, which combine all amounts by percentages.

### The Amount of Newsprint Purchased by Newspaper and by Percentage

Newspaper	Amount Purchased (metric tons)	% Postconsumer Recycled Content
Newspaper A	100 tons	15%
Newspaper B	500 tons	25%
Newspaper B	400 tons	15%
Newspaper C	200 tons	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,200 tons</b>	

**Amounts to Report in the Survey**

- 200 tons at 0%
- 500 tons at 15% postconsumer recycled content (Newspaper A + the second purchase for Newspaper B)
- 500 tons at 25% postconsumer recycled content (the first purchase by Newspaper B)

*A total of 1,200 tons of newsprint purchased.*



## Example of Part 4: Multiple Publications

In this example, the publisher met the first legislated target but not the second one. However, rules give the choice of meeting one or the other.

### Part 4: Postconsumer Recycled Content of the Newsprint Purchased

- Report quantities in metric tons to *two decimal places* (0.00); short tons × .907 = metric tons.
- Report the **% Postconsumer Recycled of Content** in whole, *rounded numbers*; newsprint that is 19.5% can be rounded to 20%.

A	B	C	D = (A × B)
<b>% Postconsumer Recycled Content</b>	<b>Tons of Newsprint Purchased</b>	<b>Tons of "Recycled Newsprint" Purchased (Column A is 25% or more)</b>	<b>Tons of Postconsumer Recycled-Content Newsprint Purchased</b>
None (0%)	200.00	0.00	0.00
15%	500.00	0.00	75.00
25%	500.00	500.00	125.00
%			
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>E 1,200.00</b>	<b>F 500.00</b>	<b>G 200.00</b>

#### H - Percent of Newsprint You Purchased that Qualifies as Recycled Newsprint

Divide F by E then multiply by 100:  $F \div E \times 100 = \underline{41.67} \%$  (Target is 30%)

#### I - Percent Aggregate Postconsumer Recycled Content of All the Newsprint You Purchased

Divide by E then multiply by 100:  $G \div E \times 100 = \underline{16.67} \%$  (Target is 18%)

#### Meeting the Target(s)

- You are finished if you met one of the target goals (30% or 18%).
- If you **did not meet** at least one of the goals, please **complete Part 5**.