

FORM 8.3

**PUBLIC OPENING POSITION DISCLOSURE/DEALING DISCLOSURE BY
A PERSON WITH INTERESTS IN RELEVANT SECURITIES REPRESENTING 1% OR MORE**

Rule 8.3 of the Takeover Code (the "Code")

1. KEY INFORMATION

(a) Full name of discloser:	Balyasny Asset Management LP
(b) Owner or controller of interests and short positions disclosed, if different from 1(a): <i>The naming of nominee or vehicle companies is insufficient. For a trust, the trustee(s), settlor and beneficiaries must be named.</i>	
(c) Name of offeror/offeree in relation to whose relevant securities this form relates: <i>Use a separate form for each offeror/offeree</i>	International Paper Company
(d) If an exempt fund manager connected with an offeror/offeree, state this and specify identity of offeror/offeree:	
(e) Date position held/dealing undertaken: <i>For an opening position disclosure, state the latest practicable date prior to the disclosure</i>	12/08/2024
(f) In addition to the company in 1(c) above, is the discloser making disclosures in respect of any other party to the offer? <i>If it is a cash offer or possible cash offer, state "N/A"</i>	YES: DS Smith plc

2. POSITIONS OF THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

If there are positions or rights to subscribe to disclose in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 2(a) or (b) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security.

(a) Interests and short positions in the relevant securities of the offeror or offeree to which the disclosure relates following the dealing (if any)

Class of relevant security:	\$ common stock ISIN: US4601461035			
	Interests		Short positions	
	Number	%	Number	%
(1) Relevant securities owned and/or controlled:	4,046,997	1.16	1,181,849	0.34
(2) Cash-settled derivatives:				
(3) Stock-settled derivatives (including options) and agreements to purchase/sell:				
TOTAL:	4,046,997	1.16	1,181,849	0.34

All interests and all short positions should be disclosed.

Details of any open stock-settled derivative positions (including traded options), or agreements to purchase or sell relevant securities, should be given on a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions).

(b) Rights to subscribe for new securities (including directors' and other employee options)

Class of relevant security in relation to which subscription right exists:	
Details, including nature of the rights concerned and relevant percentages:	

3. DEALINGS (IF ANY) BY THE PERSON MAKING THE DISCLOSURE

Where there have been dealings in more than one class of relevant securities of the offeror or offeree named in 1(c), copy table 3(a), (b), (c) or (d) (as appropriate) for each additional class of relevant security dealt in.

The currency of all prices and other monetary amounts should be stated.

(a) Purchases and sales

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Class of relevant security	Purchase/sale	Number of securities	Price per unit
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	1,111	USD 44.41
\$ Common Stock	Sale	200	USD 44.42
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	215	USD 44.44
\$ Common Stock	Sale	2,775	USD 44.44
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	130	USD 44.44
\$ Common Stock	Sale	3	USD 44.47
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	76	USD 44.47
\$ Common Stock	Sale	900	USD 44.48
\$ Common Stock	Sale	149	USD 44.48
\$ Common Stock	Sale	400	USD 44.48
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	275	USD 44.48
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	48	USD 44.49
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	2,245	USD 44.49
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	4,348	USD 44.49
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	2,011	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	108	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	20,000	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	275	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	8	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	2,989	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Sale	337	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	3,856	USD 44.50
\$ Common Stock	Sale	609	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	1,566	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	300	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	39	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	25,881	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	915	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	5,272	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	2,600	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	134	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	465	USD 44.51
\$ Common Stock	Sale	7,660	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	234	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Sale	2,312	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	28,103	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Sale	20	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	1,954	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Sale	8	USD 44.52
\$ Common Stock	Sale	1,174	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Sale	633	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	198	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	341	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Sale	55	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	212	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	347	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Sale	2,590	USD 44.53
\$ Common Stock	Sale	280	USD 44.54

\$ Common Stock	Purchase	148	USD 44.55
\$ Common Stock	Sale	270	USD 44.36
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	50	USD 44.56
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	643	USD 44.58
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	2,696	USD 44.59
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	195	USD 44.60
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	342	USD 44.62
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	9	USD 44.64
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	369	USD 44.66
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	466	USD 44.69
\$ Common Stock	Purchase	156	USD 44.72

(b) Cash-settled derivative transactions

Class of relevant security	Product description <i>e.g. CFD</i>	Nature of dealing <i>e.g. opening/closing a long/short position, increasing/reducing a long/short position</i>	Number of reference securities	Price per unit

(c) Stock-settled derivative transactions (including options)

(i) Writing, Selling, purchasing or varying

Class of relevant security	Product description <i>e.g. call option</i>	Writing, purchasing, Selling, varying etc.	Number of securities to which option relates	Exercise price per unit	Type <i>e.g. American, European etc.</i>	Expiry date	Option money paid/ received per unit

(ii) Exercise

Class of relevant security	Product description <i>e.g. call option</i>	Exercising/ exercised against	Number of securities	Exercise price per unit

(d) Other dealings (including subscribing for new securities)

Class of relevant security	Nature of dealing <i>e.g. subscription, conversion</i>	Details	Price per unit (if applicable)

4. OTHER INFORMATION

(a) Indemnity and other dealing arrangements

<p>Details of any indemnity or option arrangement, or any agreement or understanding, formal or informal, relating to relevant securities which may be an inducement to deal or refrain from dealing entered into by the person making the disclosure and any party to the offer or any person acting in concert with a party to the offer: <i>Irrevocable commitments and letters of intent should not be included. If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none"</i></p> <p>None</p>
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(b) Agreements, arrangements or understandings relating to options or derivatives

<p>Details of any agreement, arrangement or understanding, formal or informal, between the person making the disclosure and any other person relating to: (i) the voting rights of any relevant securities under any option; or (ii) the voting rights or future acquisition or disposal of any relevant securities to which any derivative is referenced: <i>If there are no such agreements, arrangements or understandings, state "none"</i></p> <p>None</p>

(c) Attachments

Is a Supplemental Form 8 (Open Positions) attached?		<i>No</i>
Date of disclosure:	13/08/2024	
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Public disclosures under Rule 8 of the Code must be made to a Regulatory Information Service.

The Panel's Market Surveillance Unit is available for consultation in relation to the Code's disclosure requirements on +44 (0)20 7638 0129.

**If the discloser is a natural person, a telephone number does not need to be included, provided contact information has been provided to the Panel's Market Surveillance Unit.*

The Code can be viewed on the Panel's website at www.thetakeoverpanel.org.uk.

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