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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 December 4, 2003 _____ Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) New York 1-3157 13-0872805 _____ (State or other jurisdiction (Commission
Of incorporation) File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.) 400 Atlantic Street, Stamford, Connecticut ._____ (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code) 203-541-8000 _____ (Registrant's telephone number, including area code) ______

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Item 7. Exhibits.

(99) Slides to be presented by the company at the Smith Barney Citigroup Global Paper, Forest Product and Packaging Conference in New York City on Thursday, December 4, 2003.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure.

International Paper Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, John Faraci, will speak at the Smith Barney Citigroup Global Paper, Forest Products and Packaging Conference, in New York City, on Thursday, Dec. 4 at 12:45 p.m. EST. In his presentation, Mr. Faraci will discuss his new management structure and profile the company's global position. He will also outline the company's key strategies for improving profitability. As previously announced in a company press release issued on December 2, 2003, Mr. Faraci's presentation will be web cast live via the company's Internet site at http://www.internationalpaper.com. A replay of the web cast also will be available on the web site beginning approximately one hour after the conclusion of Mr. Faraci's presentation.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY
----(Registrant)

Date: December 4, 2003 Stamford, Connecticut by /s/ Barbara L. Smithers
----Barbara L. Smithers
Vice President