

1: Papermaking - Wikipedia

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Thanks to the wonderful creation of paper many descriptions of our world have been stored so that we may share and learn from them. Paper has been used for many purposes, not just literature, but for war plans, the creation of the dollar bill, and of course, to give the ability to people at home of producing their own writing in physical form for hundreds of years. We have prepared the following history of paper, along with a description of how paper is made, what it is used for and some words that are useful to know when talking about paper. We hope that this is an informative, useful and enjoyable document which inspires you, in the same way that we have been, about paper. We welcome your comments and contributions. Please contact us at anytime. The Origins of Paper Egypt 3, BC When we think of the origins of paper, our minds might wander back over years ago to the Nile river valley in Egypt. It was there that a marsh grass called Cyperous Papyrus flourished. These strips were then layered in right angles to form a kind of mat. The mat was then pounded into a thin sheet and left in the sun to dry. The resulting sheets were ideal for writing on. Since they were also lightweight and portable they became the writing medium of choice of Egyptians, Greeks and Romans for record keeping, spiritual texts and works of art. It is from papyrus that the word paper comes from. Although papyrus sheets were similar to paper in terms of function, being laminated sheets they were technically more like a mat and therefore not the same as the papers of today. Similar processes were developed in other lands - in Central America during the 2nd Century AD the Mayans fashioned a similar product for bookmaking. In the Pacific Islands, a paper was made by beating a fine bark over specially shaped logs to make clothes and ritual objects. However, none of these sheets would qualify as true paper today. The individual fibres were mixed with water in a large vat. Next, a screen was submerged in the vat and lifted up through the water, catching the fibers on its surface. When dried, this thin layer of intertwined fiber became what today we call paper. It was introduced in Korea in the 4th century and spread to Japan in 6th. There, during the 8th century, the Empress Shotuka undertook a massive project consisting of printing a million prayers - dharani - on individual sheets of paper, with each mounted in its own pagoda. With such a profound inception, it is not surprising that the fine art of papermaking has continued in Japan to this day, garnering deep appreciation and ever increasing sophistication. During a battle on the banks of the Tarus river, Islamic warriors captured a Chinese caravan which happened to include several papermakers. They spirited them away to Samarkand, which soon became a great centre for paper production. Gradually papermakers made their way further west through the Muslim world - to Baghdad, Damascus and Cairo. Finally, when the Moors from North Africa invaded Spain and Portugal they brought the technology with them and so it was that papermaking entered Europe in the 12th century. Spreading the Word In Europe, the use of papyrus had dropped out in the 9th century. The preferred medium for the artists and literati of the time was the smooth and lustrous parchment. However, parchment - made from animal skin - was extremely expensive. In fact, it has been estimated that a single bible hand written on parchment required the skins of sheep. The notion of paper being used as a practical everyday item did not occur until the 15th Century. When Johann Gutenberg perfected movable type and printed his famous bible in , he not only spread the word of Christianity, but also sparked a revolution in mass communication. The birth of the modern paper and printing industry is commonly marked from this date. Paper Becomes an Industry The Age of Experimentation Printing technology rapidly developed and created an ever increasing demand for paper. The early European papers were made from recycled cotton and linen - and a huge trade quickly developed around the trading of old rags. It is said that the black plague entered England from Europe on these old rags. Yet soon this source became insufficient and some curious attempts were made to source new materials - the most macabre of which was the recycling of Egyptian mummies to create wrapping paper! Others experimented with fibres such as straw, cabbage, wasp nests and finally wood, resulted in inexpensive - and replaceable - materials for paper making. Today, the long soft fibres of softwoods such as spruce have

become the most suitable source of pulp for mass production. Mass Production The demand for paper also created the need for greater efficiency in production. In the late 18th century the labours of Nicholas Luis Robert resulted in the creation of a machine that could produce a seamless length of paper on a endless wire mesh with squeeze rollers at one end. Perfected and marketed by the Fourdrinier brothers, the new machine made papers soon replaced traditional single sheets made by hand. Today, the increasing volume of paper consumption has become a complex environmental matter - and the need for new materials increasingly urgent. While recycling has done some good, much paper is still wasted. The Future of Paper Looking Ahead Owing to the ceaseless imagination of humanity, the words you are reading at this moment are digitally arranged and sent across the world via a new technology - signaling a new revolution in mass communication. As these new technologies develop where does the future of papermaking lay? At HQ PaperMaker we believe it lies in the past, when paper was valued for its innate sensual qualities - an appreciation which deeply respects the materials used, the skill of the artisan and the unique quality of the finished product. Return to Tradition In the west, as industrial paper production boomed the art of hand paper-making has been driven nearly to extinction - being practiced only by a few fine artists and crafts people. However, in small areas throughout Asia, the tradition has lived on. Incidentally, the traditional Asian paper which is often referred to as "rice paper" is not made from rice fibres at all. More commonly it is made from the versatile mulberry tree - varieties of which are also used for feeding silkworms and in medicine. In contrast to the cold precision and standardisation which industrial production demands, the soft, subtle textures and natural feeling of handmade paper is said to echo the warm heart of the papermaker who makes each sheet with devotion. Papermaking in Thailand In Thailand there are records of papermaking going back seven hundred years. Traditional uses of paper have been for Buddhist texts, temple writings and ritual purposes. It used to be that paper was made from the inner bark of the Khoi tree *Streblus Asper L.* Earlier in the 20th century paper production from Khoi began to die out because of a shortage of Khoi trees. It was not until the Japanese occupied the kingdom during the second world war that paper making again flourished in Thailand. For centuries the Japanese had been making paper called "Kozo" from the inner bark of the mulberry tree *Broussonetia Papyrifera L.* In Thailand the mulberry tree - known as "sa" - grew in abundance and the Japanese demand for maps, banknotes and other documents caused sa paper production to flourish. The mulberry tree is still abundant in Thailand - growing wild all over the Northern forest and lowland areas - and Thai artisans continue to produce handmade paper using the same technique that they have done for centuries. Yet, as international demand for these products is increasing, new speciality papers are being developed which incorporate colour dyes, flower petals and other materials into their design. HQ Group were among the first people in Thailand to produce sa papers incorporating petals and leaves nearly ten years ago and our original paper sheet designs using *bougainvillea* petals and tamarind leaves, for example, are still hugely popular internationally. Making Paper The Process Although there are many subtleties which affect the quality of a paper, papermaking in essence is a simple process. Whether using recycled materials or fresh organic matter, the process starts by shredding the material into small strips and soaking them overnight to loosen the fibres. Next, the fibres are boiled for hours, being turned every so often. When finished, the fibres are washed with fresh water to remove impurities and then small particles or specks are removed by hand. The fibres are beaten in a blender or by hand to a creamy pulp. At this stage, dyes can be added to create coloured papers. The pulp is poured into a large tub and the fibres are suspended in the water. The artisan dips a framed screen into the water and with great skill, lifts it to the surface catching the fibres onto the screen. The screens can either be left in the sun to dry, or be transferred to boards, pressed, smoothed and then dried. The Possibilities Papers made in this tradition are durable, flexible and extremely versatile. They can be used by anyone for gift-wrapping, writing, drawing and painting. They are also used by craft-makers to produce books and binding, stationery and greeting cards, boxes, picture frames and so on. Paper also has many applications in architecture and interior design, such as wallpaper, screens, blinds and lampshades. By using techniques such as moulding and papier-mache one can make almost anything - vases, trays, jewellery, furniture and utilitarian products such as cartons and packaging. In fact, paper is such a versatile medium, its uses are only limited to the imagination Would you like to learn a few helpful words for talking about paper?

2: Prefix, Suffix and Derived words for papermaker: NiftyWord

The Words of the Papermaker by Peter G. Angelin, March 23, Xlibris Corporation edition, Paperback in English.

Paper with legible Chinese writings on it has been dated to 8 BCE, [2]. The traditional inventor attribution is of Cai Lun, an official attached to the Imperial court during the Han Dynasty BCE CE, said to have invented paper about CE using mulberry and other bast fibres along with fishnets, old rags, and hemp waste. In the 8th century, papermaking spread to the Islamic world, where the process was refined, and machinery was designed for bulk manufacturing. Muslims invented a method to make a thicker sheet of paper. This innovation helped transform papermaking from an art into a major industry. This fiber is soaked, cooked, rinsed and traditionally hand-beaten to form the paper pulp. The long fibers are layered to form strong, translucent sheets of paper. In Eastern Asia, three traditional fibers are abaca, kozo and gampi. In the Himalayas, paper is made from the lokta plant. In Europe, papermaking moulds using metallic wire were developed, and features like the watermark were well established by CE, while hemp and linen rags were the main source of pulp, cotton eventually taking over after Southern plantations made that product in large quantities. This machine produces a continuous roll of paper rather than individual sheets. These machines are large. Some produce paper meters in length and 10 meters wide. Keller had invented the machine and associated process to make use of wood pulp in papermaking. Manual papermaking[edit] Five seminal steps in ancient Chinese papermaking outlined in a woodcut. Papermaking, regardless of the scale on which it is done, involves making a dilute suspension of fibres in water, called "furnish", and forcing this suspension to drain through a screen, to produce a mat of interwoven fibres. Water is removed from this mat of fibres using a press. The process of manufacturing handmade paper can be generalized into five steps: Separating the useful fibre from the rest of raw materials. Beating down the fibre into pulp Adjusting the colour, mechanical, chemical, biological, and other properties of the paper by adding special chemical premixes Screening the resulting solution Pressing and drying to get the actual paper Screening the fibre involves using a mesh made from non-corroding and inert material, such as brass, stainless steel or a synthetic fibre, which is stretched in a wooden frame similar to that of a window, this tool being known as a paper mould. The size of the paper is governed by the open area of the frame. The mould is then completely submerged in the furnish, then pulled, shaken and drained, forming a uniform coating on the screen. Excess water is then removed, the wet mat of fibre laid on top of a damp cloth or felt in a process called "couching". The process is repeated for the required number of sheets. This stack of wet mats is then pressed in a hydraulic press. The fairly damp fibre is then dried using a variety of methods, such as vacuum drying or simply air drying. Sometimes, the individual sheet is rolled to flatten, harden, and refine the surface. Finally, the paper is then cut to the desired shape or the standard shape A4, letter, legal, etc. The deckle leaves the edges of the paper slightly irregular and wavy, called "deckle edges", one of the indications that the paper was made by hand. Deckle-edged paper is occasionally mechanically imitated today to create the impression of old-fashioned luxury. The impressions in paper caused by the wires in the screen that run sideways are called "laid lines" and the impressions made, usually from top to bottom, by the wires holding the sideways wires together are called "chain lines". Watermarks are created by weaving a design into the wires in the mould. Handmade paper generally folds and tears more evenly along the laid lines. Handmade paper is also prepared in laboratories to study papermaking and in paper mills to check the quality of the production process.

3: Papermaker | Define Papermaker at www.enganchecubano.com

Examples of papermaker in a Sentence Recent Examples on the Web As the stock of rags for papermaking grew smaller and smaller, papermakers began experimenting with other materials such as grass, silk, asparagus, manure, stone, and even hornets' nests.

4: History of Paper - Papermaking through the Ages from HQ PaperMaker

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6: papermaker | Definition of papermaker in English by Oxford Dictionaries

Taiwan's leading papermaker, will invest US\$8 million (NT\$ billion) to set up a plant in Yangzhou, Jiangsu Province, China in the second-half this year, where it will use its proprietary bio-pulp making process instead of the traditional chemical counterpart.

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8: Lyrics containing the term: papermaker

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9: PaperMaker: validation of biomedical scientific publications

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