THE U.S. WOOD PRODUCTS INDUSTRY:

- Makes products essential to everyday life from a renewable resource that absorbs and sequesters carbon.
- Employs over 450,000 people in wood products manufacturing and supports additional jobs in forestry and other industries.
- Pays over $1 billion in state and local taxes annually.

PENNSYLVANIA, BY THE NUMBERS

EMPLOYMENT
Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2019

- Wood Products: 25,610
- Forestry & Logging: 4,318
- Total Employment: 29,928

MANUFACTURING FACILITIES
Random Lengths 2020 Big Book

- Sawmills, Millwork, Treating: 11
- Engineered Wood and Panel Products: 1
- Other Wood Products: 3
- Total Facilities: 15

ANNUAL PAYROLL INCOME
Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2019

- Wood Products: $1,253,498,000
- Forestry & Logging: $48,148,000
- Total Compensation: $1,301,646,000

VALUE OF INDUSTRY SHIPMENTS
U.S. Census Bureau Geographic Area Statistics, 2017

- Wood Manufacturing: $4,494,463,000

TAX PAYMENT
AWC est. based on Ernst & Young and Bur. of Econ. Analysis (2018) data

- Estimated State & Local Taxes: $57,000,000

LAND AREA (in acres)
U.S. Forest Service, 2017

- Total Land Area: 28,635,000
- Forests: 16,898,000
- Forests as Percent of Total: 59%
- Federal Lands: 635,000
- National Forest System: 504,000

TIMBERLAND (in acres)
U.S. Forest Service, 2017

- National Forest System: 480,000
- Other Federal: 79,000
- State, County and Municipal: 3,927,000
- Private Corporate: 2,348,000
- Private non-Corporate: 9,479,000
- Total Timberland: 16,312,000

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