KENTUCKY

Congressional District: KY 1

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The U.S. Wood Products Industry.

- Makes products essential to everyday life from a renewable resource that absorbs and sequesters carbon
- Employs almost 465,000 people in wood products manufacturing and supports additional jobs in forestry and other industries
- Pays over $2.2 billion in state and local taxes annually

REPRESENTATIVE

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EMPLOYMENT

IMPLAN, 2023 Data, using inputs provided by AWC.

Direct	2,832
Indirect	2,035
Induced	2,156
Total Employment	7,023

MANUFACTURING FACILITIES

The numbers below represent the entire state and not broken down to the district.

Sawmills, Millwork, Treating	2
Engineered Wood And Panel Products	0
Other Wood Products	2
Total Facilities	4

COMPENSATION

IMPLAN, 2023 Data, using inputs provided by AWC. In 2023 Dollars.

Direct	$205,715,340
Indirect	$153,228,112
Induced	$124,926,281
Total Compensation	$483,869,733

INDUSTRY OUTPUT

IMPLAN, 2023 Data, using inputs provided by AWC. In 2023 Dollars.

Value Of Production - Direct	$972,672,199
Value Added - Direct	$262,019,570

TAX PAYMENTS

The numbers below represent the entire state and not broken down to the district.

Estimated State & Local Taxes	$51,729,075

LAND AREA

The numbers below represent the entire state and not broken down to the district.

Total Land Area	25,271,000
Forests	12,442,000
Forests As Percent Of Total	49%
Federal Lands	1,187,000
National Forest System	800,000

TIMBERLAND

The numbers below represent the entire state and not broken down to the district.

National Forest System	792,000
Other Federal	257,000
State, County And Municipal	197,000
Private Corporate	1,917,000
Private Non-Corporate	9,083,000
Total Timberland	12,246,000

The American Wood Council (AWC) is the voice of the North American wood products manufacturing industry, providing information on wood design, green building, and environmental regulations and advocating for balanced government policies that affect wood products