State Data

UNITED STATES

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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 over 450,000 people in wood products manufacturing and supports additional jobs in forestry and other industries
- Pays over \$600 million in state and local taxes annually

EMPLOYMENT Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2021		COMPENSATION Bureau of Economic Analysis, 20	021	
Forestry And Logging	117,900	Forestry And Logging	\$3,674,000,000	
Wood Products	452,900	Wood Products	\$28,148,000,000	
Total Employment	570,800	Total Compensation	\$31,822,000,000	
MANUFACTURING FACILITIES Random Lengths 2020 Big Book		VALUE OF INDUSTRY SHIPMENTS U.S. Census Bureau Geographic Area Statistics, 2021		
Sawmills, Millwork, Treating	546	Wood Manufacturing	\$154,755,774,000	
Engineered Wood And Panel Products	166	Total	\$154,755,774,000	
Other Wood Products	63			
Total Facilities	775	TAX PAYMENTS AWC est. based on Ernst & Young and Bur. of Econ. Analysis (2021) data		

Estimated State & Local Taxes	

\$600,000,000

LAND AREA U.S. Forest Service, 2017		TIMBERLAND U.S. Forest Service, 2017	
Total Land Area	2,260,825,000	National Forest System	96,138,000
Forests	765,493,000	Other Federal	12,040,000
Forests As Percent Of Total	33.9%	State, County And Municipal	47,093,000
Federal Lands	237,860,000	Private Corporate	117,155,000
National Forest System	144,868,000	Private Non-Corporate	241,997,000
		Total Timberland	514,425,000

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