

## Pontotoc County Forestland Acreage, Ownership, Value, and Taxes Collected.

DESCRIPTION	UNIT	VALUE
Forestland Owners	number	2,470
Land in Forests	acres	142,332
Private Timberland Ownership	acres	130,286
Public Timberland Ownership	acres	12,046
Forestland Assessed Valued (2013)	dollars	3,187,168
Ad Valorem Tax Collections from Forestland (2013)	dollars	382,556
Value of Standing Timber in 2014	dollars	170,645,973
Value of Timber Harvested in 2014	dollars	6,540,468
Timber Severance Tax Collections (100%) (2013)	dollars	18,805
Tax to Forest Resource Development Program (80%)	dollars	15,044
Tax Returned to County Government (20%)	dollars	3,761

Sources: Forestland ownership, acreage, and timber volumes were estimated using the Mississippi Institute for Forest Inventory (MIFI) Dynamic Report Generator Software. Tax collections according to Mississippi Tax Commission. Timber harvest value according to the Mississippi Harvest of Forest Products Report.

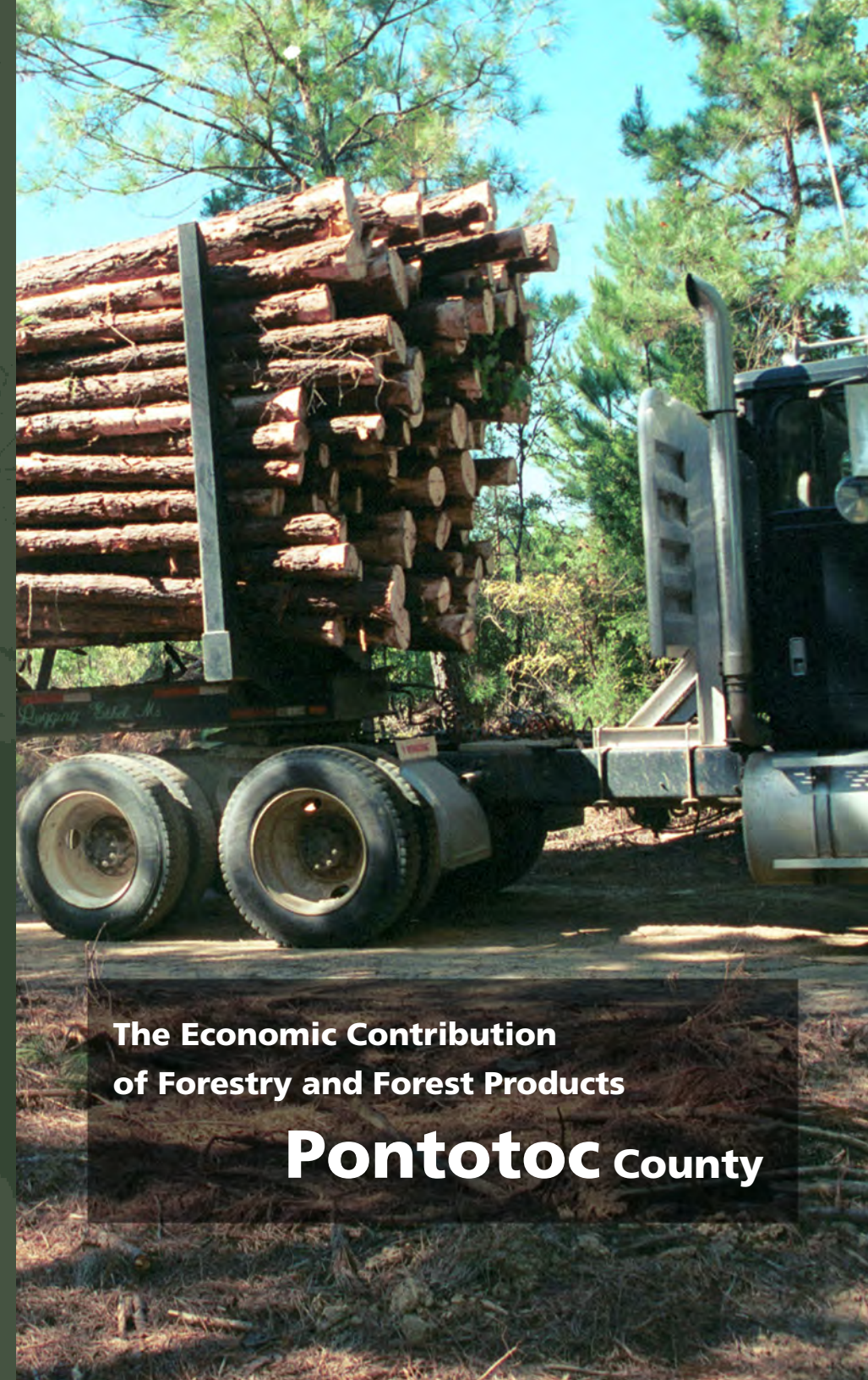


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The Economic Contribution  
of Forestry and Forest Products

**Pontotoc County**



## EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME IMPACTS

Forest-related economic activity in Pontotoc County during 2013 generated 7,893 jobs and more than \$304.9 million in income. That's about 48.9% of jobs and 62.5% of income in the county. Employment is the number of full- and part-time jobs in all sectors of the economy. Income is salaries and wages paid to employees.

## TOTAL OUTPUT AND VALUE ADDED IMPACTS

Forestry and the forest products industry generated more than \$1.2 billion, or about 56.7% of economic output, in Pontotoc County. Forest-related value added amounted to more than \$368.3 million, or about 52.8% of all value added in the county. The value of all goods and services produced is defined as total output. Value added is a portion of total output and represents the creation of new wealth.

## TAX IMPACTS

Forest-related economic activity contributed an estimated \$83 million in tax revenue for federal, state, and local governments. This total includes tax revenue of \$58.8 million for federal and \$24.2 million for state and local governments.

Estimates developed using IMPLAN® software and data.

### Impacts from Forest-Related Sectors on Employment and Income in Pontotoc County, Mississippi, 2013.

	NUMBER OF JOBS	% OF COUNTY	INCOME (\$)	% OF COUNTY
<b>DIRECT IMPACT FROM FOREST-RELATED SECTORS</b>				
Forestry/Logging	39	0.24%	2,925,235	0.60%
Solid Wood Products	94	0.58%	3,140,704	0.64%
Pulp/Paper	38	0.24%	5,553,665	1.14%
Wood Furniture	5,296	32.81%	217,228,023	44.50%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>5,467</b>	<b>33.87%</b>	<b>228,847,627</b>	<b>46.88%</b>
<b>INDIRECT AND INDUCED IMPACTS ON SECTORS</b>				
Retail Trade	381	2.36%	8,597,143	1.76%
Government/Non-NAICs	379	2.35%	16,325,967	3.34%
Accommodation/				
Food Services	230	1.42%	3,899,497	0.80%
Health/Social Services	225	1.39%	8,100,421	1.66%
Transportation/				
Warehousing	188	1.16%	10,129,821	2.08%
Other Services	177	1.10%	5,338,809	1.09%
Scientific/Tech Services	137	0.85%	4,918,078	1.01%
Finance/Insurance	135	0.83%	3,503,538	0.72%
Administrative/Waste	128	0.79%	2,328,861	0.48%
Construction	125	0.77%	3,552,265	0.73%
Real Estate/Rental	76	0.47%	504,809	0.10%
Wholesale Trade	62	0.39%	3,109,742	0.64%
Educational Services	56	0.35%	600,982	0.12%
Ag/Forestry/Fish/Hunt	54	0.33%	1,045,034	0.21%
Manufacturing	35	0.22%	1,620,356	0.33%
Utilities	17	0.10%	994,684	0.20%
Information	16	0.10%	1,268,109	0.26%
Entertainment/Recreation	7	0.04%	278,537	0.06%
Mining	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Company Management	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>2,426</b>	<b>15.03%</b>	<b>76,116,653</b>	<b>15.59%</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPACT</b>	<b>7,893</b>	<b>48.90%</b>	<b>304,964,279</b>	<b>62.48%</b>
Rest of County	8,248	51.10%	183,140,296	37.52%
<b>Total in County</b>	<b>16,141</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>488,104,575</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

### Impacts from Forest-Related Sectors on Total Output and Value Added in Pontotoc County, Mississippi, 2013.

	OUTPUT (\$)	% OF COUNTY	VALUE ADDED (\$)	% OF COUNTY
<b>DIRECT IMPACT FROM FOREST-RELATED SECTORS</b>				
Forestry/Logging	7,666,405	0.35%	3,073,299	0.39%
Solid Wood Products	27,332,631	1.26%	4,886,636	0.63%
Pulp/Paper	31,606,227	1.46%	5,887,969	0.75%
Wood Furniture	910,272,307	42.04%	219,879,590	28.17%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>976,877,570</b>	<b>45.11%</b>	<b>233,727,494</b>	<b>29.94%</b>
<b>INDIRECT AND INDUCED IMPACTS ON SECTORS</b>				
Retail Trade	26,211,454	1.21%	15,641,287	2.00%
Government/Non-NAICs	22,836,818	1.05%	20,965,244	2.69%
Accommodation/				
Food Services	10,827,489	0.50%	5,743,908	0.74%
Health/Social Services	16,164,458	0.75%	8,914,008	1.14%
Transportation/				
Warehousing	25,849,146	1.19%	10,761,561	1.38%
Other Services	11,261,891	0.52%	6,060,812	0.78%
Scientific/Tech Services	10,345,650	0.48%	5,660,609	0.73%
Finance/Insurance	14,811,679	0.68%	3,810,592	0.49%
Administrative/Waste	7,143,578	0.33%	3,262,553	0.42%
Construction	18,013,934	0.83%	3,839,054	0.49%
Real Estate/Rental	44,988,630	2.08%	32,708,746	4.19%
Wholesale Trade	12,181,721	0.56%	7,255,052	0.93%
Educational Services	1,429,143	0.07%	634,353	0.08%
Ag/Forestry/Fish/Hunt	1,732,718	0.08%	1,159,126	0.15%
Manufacturing	7,265,984	0.34%	2,314,046	0.30%
Utilities	13,627,087	0.63%	3,054,323	0.39%
Information	5,586,353	0.26%	2,477,950	0.32%
Entertainment/Recreation	540,915	0.02%	364,663	0.05%
Mining	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Company Management	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>250,818,648</b>	<b>11.58%</b>	<b>134,627,887</b>	<b>17.24%</b>
<b>TOTAL IMPACT</b>	<b>1,227,696,218</b>	<b>56.69%</b>	<b>368,355,381</b>	<b>47.18%</b>
Rest of County	937,792,144	43.31%	412,325,555	52.82%
<b>Total in County</b>	<b>2,165,488,362</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>780,680,936</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

# PONTOTOC

Forestry and forest products are important to Pontotoc County's economy. They contribute to many sectors of the economy. The economic contribution of forest-related sectors and their impacts on other sectors can be estimated using input-output analysis. Using 2013 data, this study estimates the total economic contribution of forestry and the forest products industry to Pontotoc County, Mississippi.

