

Finland and her forests in a nutshell

Population	5.5 mill.	Harvested forest area per year	3.2%
Total land area	30.4 mill. ha	- <i>fellings for regeneration</i>	0.7%
Total forest area	22.8 mill. ha	- <i>thinnings</i>	2.4%
- <i>share of land area</i>	75%	Imported roundwood	11.0 mill. m ³
Share of forests owned by families	53%	Strictly protected forests	2.0 mill. ha
- <i>state</i>	35%	- <i>share of forest area</i>	9.0%
- <i>companies</i>	7%	Certified forest of economic forests	95%
Forest per person	4.2 ha	Forest sector's contribution to GDP	4.2%
Standing timber stock	2,357 mill. m ³	- <i>value of exports</i>	11,355 mill.€
Forest growth per year	104.4 mill. m ³	- <i>share of exports</i>	20.0%
Loggings per year	59.6 mill. m ³	- <i>employees</i>	65,000
		- <i>share of total employment</i>	2.6%

- Source: Finnish Statistical Yearbook of Forestry, Finnish Forest Research Institute, 2014; Statistics Finland, 2014; PEFC Finland, 2014.