

Indices of physical volume of publicly owned forest assortments production *III quarter of 2020*

Production of forest assortments from state forests in Montenegro in third quarter of 2020 compared to the same quarter of previous year, decreased for 8.8%.

Considering the structure shown in Table 2. Production of forest assortments from state forests in the third quarter of 2020, conifers participate with 57.1%, while broadleaf participate with 42.9%.

In the structure of the production of wood products from state forests in the third quarter of 2020 conifers logs participate with 47.4%, fuel wood – hardwoods with 19.8%, broadleaf logs with 12.8%, cord broadleaf wood with 10.3%, cord coniferous wood with 4.5%, fuel wood – coniferous with 2.9%, mining wood coniferous with 1.6% and other long coniferous wood with 0.7%.

Production of forest assortments in state forests is largely dependent on weather conditions and the situation on the field.

Table 1: Indices of physical volume of publicly owned forest assortments production, third quarter 2020

	<u>III Q 2020</u> Ø 2019	<u>III Q 2020</u> II Q 2020	<u>III Q 2020</u> III Q 2019
Total	144.6	109.0	91.2

Table 2: Production of forest assortments publicly owned

	III Q 2019	III Q 2020
Conifers	56 207.0	55 726.0
Conifers logs	47 743.0	46 266.0
Mining wood coniferous	916.0	1 531.0
Other long coniferous wood	1 236.0	635.0
Cord coniferous wood	5 434.0	4 447.0
Fuel wood – coniferous	878.0	2 847.0
Broadleaf	52 657.0	41 852.0
Broadleaf logs	17 081.0	12 496.0
Cord broadleaf wood	14 665.0	10 083.0
Fuel wood – hardwoods	20 911.0	19 273.0
Total	108 864.0	97 578.0

METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Sources and methods of data collection

Monthly statistical survey collects data on production, sales and stocks of forest assortments. The reporting method is applied – every reporting unit drafts a report in the form (questionnaire) SUM – 22.

Report on production forest assortments in state forests is submitted by the Local units of the Forest Administration.

Coverage

Monthly report on production forest assortments forest in state forests is submitted by the Local units of the Forest Administration, which perform dispatch of the forest assortments.

Definitions

A forest relate to any area larger than 0.05 ha, covered with forest trees, having a protective function, and intended for forest products manufacture or it has special purpose, no matter of tree cover and size (high forest – uneven and even-aged, scrub-wood or seedling, and other types of forests). Rows of trees, parks in inhabited places, forest tree nurseries and groups of forest trees on an area under 0.05 ha are not considered as forest.

Technical wood has favourable physical and chemical characteristics and is intended for various technical purposes.

Firewood is wood cut in order to be used for fire or charcoal production.

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