

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

Production of forest assortments from state forests in Montenegro in fourth quarter of 2020 compared to the same quarter of previous year, increased for 2.6%.

Considering the structure shown in Table 2. Production of forest assortments from state forests in the fourth quarter of 2020, conifers participate with 73.0%, while broadleaf participate with 27.0%.

In the structure of the production of wood products from state forests in the fourth quarter of 2020 conifers logs participate with 60.%, fuel wood – hardwoods with 16.8%, cord coniferous wood with 7.2%, broadleaf logs with 6.1%, cord broadleaf wood with 4.8%, mining wood coniferous with 2.5%, fuel wood – coniferous with 1.9% and other long coniferous wood with 1.5%.

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, fourth quarter 2020**

	<u>IV Q 2020</u> Ø 2019	<u>IV Q 2020</u> III Q 2020	<u>IV Q 2020</u> IV Q 2019
<b>Total</b>	126.2	87.3	102.6

**Table 2: Production of forest assortments publicly owned**

	IV Q 2019	IV Q 2020
<b>Conifers</b>	<b>49 923.0</b>	<b>58 388.0</b>
Conifers logs	38 949.0	47 989.0
Mining wood coniferous	485.0	1 948.0
Other long coniferous wood	1 443.0	1 158.0
Cord coniferous wood	8 243.0	5 751.0
Fuel wood – coniferous	803.0	1 542.0
<b>Broadleaf</b>	<b>35 506.0</b>	<b>21 537.0</b>
Broadleaf logs	9 716.0	4 888.0
Cord broadleaf wood	10 008.0	3 830.0
Fuel wood – hardwoods	15 782.0	12 819.0

## METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Data on the production of forest assortments in state forests are collected through a regular monthly survey Production of forest assortments in state forests (ŠUM – 22). The questionnaire is filled out on the basis of the Forest Administration records.

The aim of the Survey on production of forest assortments in state forests is to provide data on production, sales and stock of forest assortments in state forests

**Forest** is considered to be land overgrown with forest trees in the form of a stand with an area of more than 20 acres, as well as forest nurseries, seed stands and seed plantations that are an integral part of the forest, forest infrastructure, fire lines and other open areas within the forest area less than 20 acres.

Separate groups of forest trees on an area of less than 20 ares, forest nurseries and seed plantations that are not an integral part of the forest, protective belts of forest trees with an area of less than 20 ares and a width of less than 20 m, tree lines and parks in settlements are not considered forests.

**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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