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## Indices of physical volume of publicly owned forest assortments production

The third quarter 2022

Production of forest assortments from state forests in Montenegro in the third quarter of 2022 compared to the same quarter of previous year, records an increase of 12.8%.

Indices of physical volume of publicly owned forest assortments production records an increase, which is a consequence of the delay in the adoption of the Forest Management Programme in 2021.



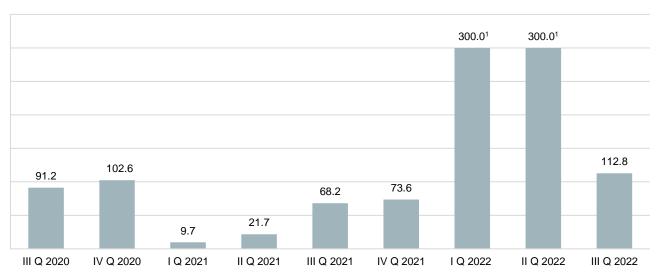


Table 1. Indices of physical volume of publicly owned forest assortments production, III quarter 2022

	IIIQ 2022	IIIQ 2022	IIIQ 2022	<u>I-IIIQ 2022</u>
	Ø 2021	IIQ 2022	IIIQ 2021	I-IIIQ 2021
Total	199.3	126.6	112.8	163.3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated index is higher than 300.0

## **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 (SUM – 22). The questionnaire is filled out on the basis of the Forest Administration's 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 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.

**Industrial wood** has favorable physical and chemical characteristics and is intended for industrial (mechanical and chemical) processing.

**Technical wood** has favourable physical characteristics and is intended for various technical purposes. Technical wood includes: mine timber, electricity and telephone poles, small technical wood, other roundwood, stumps, and other sawn wood

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

When using the data, state:
"Data source: Statistical Office of Montenegro MONSTAT"

More data, as well as detailed methodological notes can be found in the section: Forestry

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