MALHEUR COUNTY

LAND AREA (thousands of acres)
- Total land: 6,328
- Total forestland (2%): 98

FORESTLAND OWNERSHIP (thousands of acres)
- Federal: 63
- Large private: 12
- Small private: 13
- State and other public: 10
- Tribal: 0
- TOTAL: 98

TIMBER HARVEST (thousands of board feet)
- Federal: 0
- Large private: 1,068
- Small private: 0
- State and other public: 0
- Tribal: 0
- TOTAL: 1,068

FOREST SECTOR JOBS
- Forest sector jobs: 123
  - % of county employment: 0.9
  - Average annual wage: $38,044
  - % of average county wage: 107

PRIMARY WOOD PROCESSING
- Facilities: 0
FORESTRY & WOOD PRODUCTS IN OREGON

Oregon’s wood products industry is a traded sector, with close to 75 percent of all products made here sold outside the state. This state dominates U.S. production of softwood lumber and plywood. Now, it’s also a leader in engineered wood, and home to the first mill in the United States to manufacture structurally certified cross-laminated timber (CLT). Oregon forest landowners practice sustainable forestry and comply with the Oregon Forest Practices Act.

**Forest management** 6,952
**Forestry support** 13,239
**Primary forest products** 19,888
**Secondary forest products** 12,197
**Distribution, transportation** 8,775

**TOTAL** 61,051

**Annual payroll** $3.3 billion

**PRIMARY WOOD PROCESSING**
- **Sawmills** 90
- **Plywood/veneer plants** 26
- **Pulp and board plants** 19
- **Engineered wood plants** 18
- **Other** 35

**TOTAL FACILITIES** 188

**NO CHANGE IN NUMBER OF FORESTED ACRES IN OREGON SINCE 1953: STILL 30 MILLION ACRES**

**FORESTLAND OWNERSHIP** (acres)
- Federal 17.8 million
- Large private 6.6 million
- Small private 3.6 million
- State and other public 1.1 million
- Tribal 484,000
**TOTAL** 29.7 million

**FOREST SECTOR JOBS** (2017)
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- Primary forest products 19,888
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**OREGON TIMBER HARVEST BY OWNER**

**A BALANCED APPROACH - FORESTLAND MANAGEMENT CLASSES**
- **TIMBER PRODUCTION** 36%
- **MULTI-RESOURCE** 33%
- **RESERVE** 31%

Oregon’s forests are managed for three primary purposes: timber production, multi-resource, including recreation, water and wildlife, and reserves with limited timber harvest that are set aside as parks or wilderness areas, or to protect endangered species habitat.

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