

# Wood Inputs Survey - 2022

The Wood Inputs Survey is an annual survey of the domestic use of wood removals from forests in Ireland. The main focus of the survey is the purchases by enterprises located in Ireland of roundwood and non-roundwood from forest owners in Ireland. The survey scope includes any use of the wood removals by the forest owners themselves e.g. to manufacture woodchip. The survey does not collect information on exports or imports of wood and wood products. The results of the survey will be used by the CSO for statistical purposes such as compiling supply and use tables.

Wood removals used by the forest owner should be included in this survey e.g. if a forest owner processed some of their removals into woodchip.

Please select the calendar year that you are providing data for

2015

2016

2017

2018

2019

2020

2021

2022

## Use of Roundwood Removals

Please use the following definitions for the roundwood questions:

**Large sawlog:** Large sawlog with a top diameter of 20 cm or more and a typical length of between 3.7 and 7.3 metres. They are used for the manufacture of sawn timber largely for use by the construction industry.

**Small sawlog:** Roundwood with a top diameter of 14-19 cm and a typical length of between 2.0 and 3.6 metres are classified as small sawlog (palletwood). It is suitable for use as packaging and for making garden furniture.

**Stakewood:** Roundwood with a top diameter of between 7-13 cm and a typical length of between 1.5 and 1.9 metres should be classified as stakewood if it is to be used for stakes and fencing.

**Pulpwood:** Pulpwood should have a top diameter of between 7-13 cm and with a length of around 3 metres.

Pulpwood is used to produce pulp, door panels, particle board, oriented strand board (OSB), medium-density fibreboard (MDF), and other fibreboard.

Roundwood for use as biomass: Roundwood used for energy purposes should be classified here. Bark, woodchip, and sawdust that were purchased as separate products should not be included here but should be included in the non-roundwood section.

**1.1 Use of coniferous roundwood removals from publicly-owned forests in Ireland.**

Please provide the quantity delivered to your premises in tonnes overbark at actual moisture content.

If you have the roundwood figures in both tonnes and cubic metres then please provide both so that we can develop conversion factors based on actual data

**Large sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Large sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Small sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Small sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Stakewood (Tonnes)**

**Stakewood (Cubic metres)**

**Pulpwood (Tonnes)**

**Pulpwood (Cubic metres)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Tonnes)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Cubic metres)**

**1.2 Use of coniferous roundwood removals from privately-owned forests in Ireland.**

Please provide the quantity delivered to your premises in tonnes overbark at actual moisture content.

If you have the roundwood figures in both tonnes and cubic metres then please provide both so that we can develop conversion factors based on actual data.

**Large sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Large sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Small sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Small sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Stakewood (Tonnes)**

**Stakewood (Cubic metres)**

**Pulpwood (Tonnes)**

**Pulpwood (Cubic metres)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Tonnes)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Cubic metres)**

**1.3 Use of non-coniferous roundwood removals from publicly-owned forests in Ireland.**

Please provide the quantity delivered to your premises in tonnes overbark at actual moisture content.

If you have the roundwood figures in both tonnes and cubic metres then please provide both so that we can develop conversion factors based on actual data.

**Large sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Large sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Small sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Small sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Stakewood (Tonnes)**

**Stakewood (Cubic metres)**

**Pulpwood (Tonnes)**

**Pulpwood (Cubic metres)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Tonnes)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Cubic metres)**

**1.4 Use of non-coniferous roundwood removals from privately-owned forests in Ireland.**

Please provide the quantity delivered to your premises in tonnes overbark at actual moisture content.

If you have the roundwood figures in both tonnes and cubic metres then please provide both so that we can develop conversion factors based on actual data.

**Large sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Large sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Small sawlog (Tonnes)**

**Small sawlog (Cubic metres)**

**Stakewood (Tonnes)**

**Stakewood (Cubic metres)**

**Pulpwood (Tonnes)**

**Pulpwood (Cubic metres)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Tonnes)**

**Roundwood for use as biomass (Cubic metres)**

## Use of Non-Roundwood Removals

Please use the following definitions for the non-roundwood question:

Brash and tree stumps: Brash (lop and top) and tree stumps.

Woodchip: Woodchip removed from the log prior to sale. Woodchip purchased as a separate product and used in the production of energy from wood biomass should be included in this category.

Sawdust: This category covers sawdust purchased as an input into your manufacturing process and for energy purposes.

Short-rotation coppice: SRC is wood grown for energy purposes e.g. willow. Please provide details if your company has purchased it and can distinguish it from other categories such as woodchip.

Post-consumer recovered wood: PCRW includes all kinds of wood material which is made available for reuse or recycling. It may be recovered from packaging materials, demolition projects, building sites etc. It may be used for material purposes or for energy production.

### **2. Non-roundwood products purchased by your enterprise from forests and enterprises located in Ireland.**

Please provide the quantity delivered to your premises in tonnes.

**Brash and tree stumps (Tonnes)**



**Woodchip (Tonnes)**

**Sawdust (Tonnes)**

**Short-rotation coppice (Tonnes)**

**Post-consumer recovered wood (Tonnes)**

## Comments, Administrative Burden and Contact Details

Please add any comments that would help us to interpret the data provided and avoid further queries:

How many minutes did it take you to collect the data for this form?

Please note: Queries or future surveys from the CSO may be directed to the email or phone number provided by you.

EQ ANNOTATION 1: Drop down list required for "Position" options include ('Accountant', 'Director', 'Executive', 'Financial Controller', 'Manager', 'Owner', 'Secretary', 'Other')

Contact	Details
Name:	<input type="text"/>
Position:	<input type="text"/>
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You will have the opportunity to view and print or save a copy of your answers after submitting this survey.