



51.6 million ha
total native forest area of which less than 1/10th of 1% is selectively harvested from Crown land each year

280 000 m³
annual native hardwood harvest
120 000 m³
annual native cypress harvest

233 000 ha
plantation softwood area
2.7 million m³
annual plantation softwood harvest

Greater than 1 million m³
softwood sawn timber production capacity
115 000 m³
hardwood sawn timber production
52 000 m³
cypress sawn timber production

Jobs | Regional | Renewable | Carbon friendly | Innovative | Value added

INDUSTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR GROWTH

-  **Resource Security**
-  **Supply Chain & Manufacturing Competitiveness**
-  **Skills & Training**

MAJOR SECTORS

- Softwood plantations
- Managed native forest
- Native hardwood, native cypress and plantation softwood sawmills
- Engineered wood products manufacturing plants (e.g glulam, plywood and particleboard)
- Biopellets & wood fibre
- Log & woodchip exports
- Truss & frame manufacturing plants
- Furniture manufacturers
- Prefabricated timber structures
- Wholesalers & retailers

Queensland's timber industry is the state's third most valuable agricultural processing industry. We have a strong value chain footprint, with wood processing and timber manufacturing accounting for around 70% of the 11,600 direct timber industry jobs.