Poland

	(1000 ha)	%
Forest	9 337	30
Other Wooded Land	0	0
Other land	21 296	68
Inland Water Bodies	636	2
Total	31 269	100

*Source: UN FAO 2010 Forest Resource Assessment**

FOREST RESOURCES

Protected Forest Area, classified under the MCPFE protection class 1.1-1.3 (1000ha)	299
Forest Available for Wood Supply (1000ha)	8 532
Growing Stock on Forest (million m3 over bark)	2 304
Net Annual Increment on Forest (FAWS) (1000 m3 over bark)	67 595

Source: The State of Europe's Forests 2011, referring to 2010 data.

Dominant Tree Species 2005

Scientific Name	Common Name	Growing stock in forest (mill. m3)
Pinus silvestris, Pinus spp.Larix decidua	Scots Pine	1 302
Picea abies	Norway Spruce	127
Quercus spp. , Fraxinus excelsior, Acer platanoides, Acer pseudoplatanus, Ulmus	Oak, Ash, Maple, Sycamore Maple, Elm	120
Fagus sylvatica	European Beech	105
Betula spp., Robinia	Birch, Robina	88

pseudoacacia		
Alnus spp.	Alder	88

*Source: UN FAO 2010 Forest Resource Assessment**

FOREST SECTOR

Quantity Averages 2007-2011

	Production	Exports	Imports
Roundwood (1000 m3)	35 497	1 110	2 325
Industrial Roundwood (1000 m3)	31 390	1 013	2 307
Wood Fuel (1000 m3)	4 107	97	18
Sawnwood (1000 m3)	4 154	501	797
Wood based panels (1000 m3)	8 205	2 142	1 679
Wood Pulp (1000 tons)	1 062	26	637
Paper and Paperboard (1000 tons)	3 356	1 708	2 916

Source: FAOSTAT Forestry

Forest Products Trade Value

Averages 2007-2011 (1000 $)

Exports	Imports
3 010 881	4 311 942

Source: FAOSTAT Forestry

Employment in the Forest Sector

	/1000 persons	% of total labor force
Persons Employed in the Forest Sector (2006)	229	1,11

Source: Lebydys, A. FAO 2008. Contribution of the forestry sector to national economies, 1990-2006. Forest Finance Working Paper FSFM/ACC/08. FAO

	USD mill.	% of GDP
Value added by the forest sector (2006)	4 353	1,5

Source: Lebydys, A. FAO 2008. Contribution of the forestry sector to national economies, 1990-2006. Forest Finance Working Paper FSFM/ACC/08. FAO

FOREST OWNERSHIP

	Forest Area (1000 ha)	%

Public	7 610	83
Private	1 590	17
Other	0	0
Total	9 200	100

*Source: UN FAO 2010 Forest Resource Assessment**

MAIN ACTORS IN THE FOREST SECTOR

Research organizations, institutes, and universities:

- Agricultural University of Crakow [1]
- Forest Research Institute [2]

Forest authorities and organizations:

- Ministry of the Environment, Republic of Poland [3]

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Poland - List of links to resources concerning forests and the forest sector [4]

*Terms and definitions for these categories can be found at http://www.fao.org/docrep/013/i1757e/i1757e13.pdf [5]

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