

Attala County forestland acreage, ownership, value, and taxes collected.

Total forestland acres, 2018	380,383
Private ownership acres	368,366
Public ownership acres	12,017
Forestland assessed value, 2018	\$11,976,486
Ad valorem tax collections from forestland, 2018	\$1,224,955
Value of standing timber, 2018	\$551,061,956
Value of timber harvested, 2019	\$29,359,485
Timber severance tax collections (100%), 2019	\$100,755
Tax to Forest Resource Development Program (80%)	\$80,604
Tax returned to county government (20%)	\$20,151

Sources: Forestland ownership, acreage, and timber volumes were estimated using the USDA Forest Service, Forest Inventory and Analysis Program, Forest Inventory EVALIDator web application Version 1.8.0.01. Tax collections according to Mississippi Tax Commission and Mississippi Department of Revenue. Timber harvest values according to the Mississippi Harvest of Forest Products Report.



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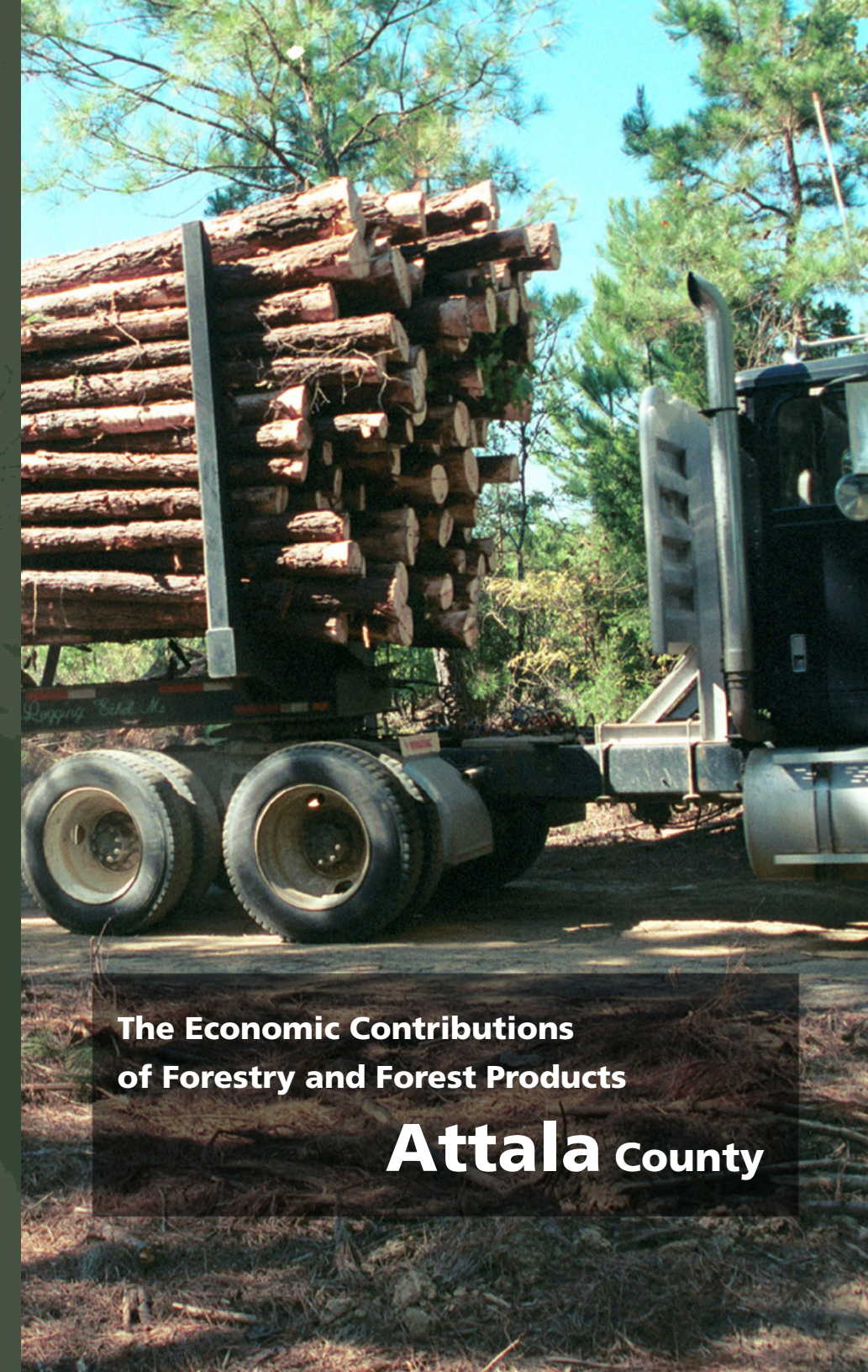
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The Economic Contributions
of Forestry and Forest Products

Attala County

EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME CONTRIBUTIONS

Forest-related economic activity in Attala County during 2018 generated 755 jobs and over \$32.3 million in income. That's over 10.7% of jobs and 12.8% of income in the county. Employment is the number of full- and part-time jobs in all sectors of the economy. Income includes all forms of employment income, including employee compensation (wages and benefits) and proprietor income, also referred to as labor income.

TOTAL OUTPUT AND VALUE ADDED CONTRIBUTIONS

Forestry and the forest products industry generated over \$109.9 million, or about 10.8% of economic output in Attala County. Forest-related value added amounted to over \$45.8 million, or about 11.0% of all value added in the county. The value of all goods and services produced is defined as total output. Value added is a portion of total output and represents the creation of new wealth.

TAX CONTRIBUTIONS

Forest-related economic activity contributed an estimated \$8.59 million in tax revenue for federal, state, and local governments. This represents an estimated tax revenue of \$5.58 million for federal and \$3.01 million for state and local governments.

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Forestry and forest products are major components of Attala County's economy. Forest-related economic sectors generate value not only within the forest-related sectors but also in other sectors of the economy. The economic contributions of forest-related sectors and their contributions on other sectors can be estimated using input-output analysis. Using 2018 data, this study estimates the total economic contributions of forestry and the forest products industry to Attala County, Mississippi.

Contributions from forest-related sectors on employment and income in Attala County, Mississippi, 2018.

	Number of Jobs	% of County	Income (\$)	% of County
DIRECT CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FOREST-RELATED SECTORS				
Misc. Forest Products	25	0.36	1,071,187	0.42
Logging	278	3.95	16,005,885	6.35
Solid Wood Products	214	3.04	8,651,414	3.43
Wood Furniture	0	0.00	0	0.00
Pulp & Paper	0	0.00	0	0.00
Subtotal	517	7.35	25,728,485	10.20
INDIRECT AND INDUCED CONTRIBUTIONS ON SECTORS				
Resource Services	60	0.85	1,044,251	0.41
Misc. Services	42	0.60	1,119,319	0.44
Wholesale & Retail Trade	34	0.49	1,185,469	0.47
Misc. Manufacturing	26	0.37	491,384	0.19
Health Services	20	0.29	962,221	0.38
Transport. & Comm. Services	18	0.26	710,570	0.28
Financial & Real Estate	16	0.23	409,831	0.16
Agricultural Products	7	0.09	20,124	0.01
Government	4	0.06	218,011	0.09
Domestic Services	3	0.05	195,319	0.08
Construction	2	0.03	148,283	0.06
Education	2	0.03	32,896	0.01
Recreation & Amusement	2	0.02	9,218	0.00
Utility Services	2	0.02	82,489	0.03
Mining	0	0.00	0	0.00
Agricultural Processing	0	0.00	0	0.00
Glass, Stone, & Clay	0	0.00	0	0.00
Metal Industries	0	0.00	0	0.00
Food Processing	0	0.00	0	0.00
Petroleum & Chemicals	0	0.00	0	0.00
Farm Inputs & Machinery	0	0.00	0	0.00
Transportation Equipment	0	0.00	0	0.00
Technology Industries	0	0.00	0	0.00
Machinery & Equipment	0	0.00	0	0.00
Fabric Mills & Leather	0	0.00	0	0.00
Subtotal	238	3.39	6,629,384	2.63
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS	755	10.74	32,357,869	12.83
Rest of County	6,274	89.26	219,777,740	87.17
Total in County	7,029	100.00	252,135,609	100.00

Economic contributions developed using 2018 IMPLAN® software and data (reported in 2020 dollars).

Contributions from forest-related sectors on total output and value added in Attala County, Mississippi, 2018.

	Output (\$)	% of County	Value Added (\$)	% of County
DIRECT CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FOREST-RELATED SECTORS				
Misc. Forest Products	1,564,882	0.15	1,084,463	0.26
Logging	25,354,993	2.49	16,294,423	3.91
Solid Wood Products	58,757,800	5.78	16,588,412	3.98
Wood Furniture	0	0.00	0	0.00
Pulp & Paper	0	0.00	0	0.00
Subtotal	85,677,676	8.43	33,967,297	8.15
INDIRECT AND INDUCED CONTRIBUTIONS ON SECTORS				
Resource Services	1,408,284	0.14	953,357	0.23
Misc. Services	3,065,712	0.30	1,552,952	0.37
Wholesale & Retail Trade	4,226,029	0.42	2,134,375	0.51
Misc. Manufacturing	1,543,474	0.15	586,563	0.14
Health Services	2,072,181	0.20	1,066,130	0.26
Transport. & Comm. Services	2,526,196	0.25	911,028	0.22
Financial & Real Estate	5,457,490	0.54	3,133,004	0.75
Agricultural Products	325,438	0.03	83,733	0.02
Government	1,282,966	0.13	473,266	0.11
Domestic Services	1,225,433	0.12	517,937	0.12
Construction	433,422	0.04	181,328	0.04
Education	78,320	0.01	30,917	0.01
Recreation & Amusement	66,593	0.01	26,228	0.01
Utility Services	554,755	0.05	208,519	0.05
Mining	0	0.00	0	0.00
Agricultural Processing	0	0.00	0	0.00
Glass, Stone, & Clay	0	0.00	0	0.00
Metal Industries	0	0.00	0	0.00
Food Processing	0	0.00	0	0.00
Petroleum & Chemicals	0	0.00	0	0.00
Farm Inputs & Machinery	0	0.00	0	0.00
Transportation Equipment	0	0.00	0	0.00
Technology Industries	0	0.00	0	0.00
Machinery & Equipment	0	0.00	0	0.00
Fabric Mills & Leather	0	0.00	0	0.00
Subtotal	24,266,292	2.39	11,859,336	2.84
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS	109,943,968	10.81	45,826,633	10.99
Rest of County	906,775,545	89.19	371,123,148	89.01
Total in County	1,016,719,513	100.00	416,949,781	100.00

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