

State of Forest-based Industries

The forest-based industries in the State of New Hampshire represented 6 percent of the manufacturing sector's annual payroll and represents 8 percent of the manufacturing sector's employment

	Annual Payroll (Thousand Dollars)	Employment
Forest-based Industry*	\$232,754	6,175
Total Manufacturing	\$3,843,423	74,745

Source: Census Bureau 2006

* Forest-Based Industries consists of all industries that use wood as a part of the finished product.

Project Spotlight

During the last 4 years of the Wood Education and Resource Center's activities, the Center provided \$100,000 that was matched with \$356,815 from partners for a project.

Project Title:

Wood Products Vertical Markets



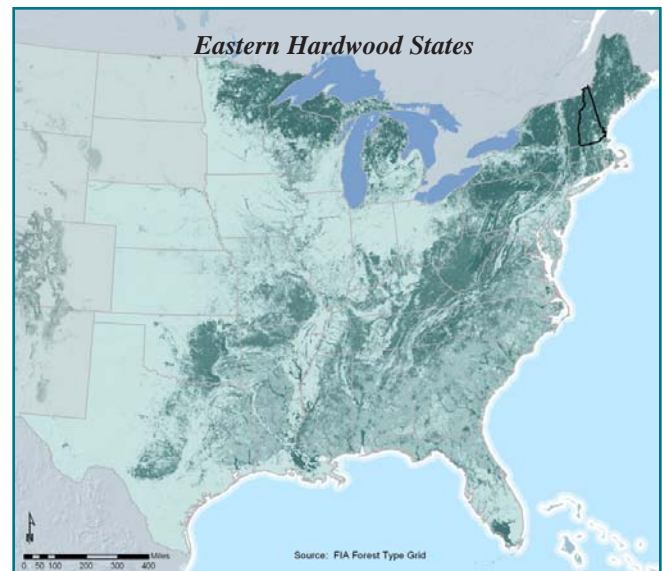
WOOD EDUCATION
AND RESOURCE CENTER

The Wood Education and Resource Center (WERC) is administered by the Northeastern Area State and Private Forestry of the Forest Service, U.S.

Department of Agriculture.
WERC's mission is to facilitate

networking and information exchange with the forest products industry, in order to enhance opportunities that sustain forest products production. WERC's programs support managerial and technical innovation that keep businesses competitive, and provide state-of-the-art training, technology transfer, and applied research. The center consists of offices, training facilities, and a rough mill in Princeton, WV, and serves the 35 States in the eastern hardwood region of the United States.

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This project will focus on recapturing lost value-added manufacturing dollars for local economies by: promoting growth in the regional forest-based economy through increased sales of regionally produced forest products and manufactured building materials; encouraging the use of locally/regionally produced wood products in building projects, and increasing consumer awareness of locally produced forest products.

Detailed information about these projects can be found at the WERC website location: <http://www.na.fs.fed.us/werc/projects.shtm>.



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