

12. FORESTRY

Forestry comprises incorporated businesses with 20+ employees and forestry as their principal activity and businesses managing forest land area of 200 ha or more.

Afforestation/reforestation refers to the artificial afforestation, i.e. planting and sowing (i.e. natural forest regeneration is excluded). **Removals of roundwood** also include the so-called self-production felling. The volume is counted irrespective of what kind of thinning or felling it is derived from and includes salvage felling. **Salvage felling** includes data on salvage felling and disasters of all types. Volume processed in a given year is counted in.

Cleaning is treatment of young stands. **Thinning** refers to intentional silvicultural measures in premature stands.

The chapter also contains data on **hunting**. Data published are data from reporting units that come under the departmental statistical surveys of the Ministry of Agriculture and the Ministry of Environment.