Abstract of South African Forestry Facts for the Year 2015/2016

**Imports vs Exports**
- **Imports R19.8bn**
- **Exports R29.1bn**

**Positive trade balance in 2016 = R9.290 billion**

**Export Comparisons 2006, 2011 & 2016**

**Imports of Forest Products 2016**
- Pulp
- Paper
- Wood based Panel Products
- Mining Timber
- Other

**SALES ex PRIMARY PROCESSING PLANTS BY VALUE**

**Rounding Intake by Primary Processing Sector**

**Roundwood Intake into Processing Plants by Province & Product 2016**

**SALES ex PRIMARY PROCESSING PLANTS BY VOLUME**

**Primary Processing Statistics 2015/16**

**Number of Processing Plants by Type of Plant and Intake**

**NOTE:** No direct comparison between roundwood intake and sales from other industries. Exports and imports from other industries are reported as roundwood as well as chips and mill residues that form part of the intake of pulp mills and chipboard plants.
**PLANTATION STATISTICS 2015/16**

**LAND UTILISATION COMPARISONS**

- Wheat: Million Hectares
- Maize: Million Hectares
- Sugar: Billion Rand

**PLANTATION STATISTICS BY PRODUCTS**

- Sawlogs & Veneer Logs: Million m$^3$ / Million tons
- Pulpwood: Million m$^3$ / Million tons
- Other: Million m$^3$ / Million tons

**NEW AFFORESTATION BY SPECIES AND OWNERSHIP**

- **Species**
  - Eucalyptus
  - Softwood
  - Other

- **Ownership**
  - Private
  - Public
  - *Total Privately Owned
  - *Total Publicly Owned

- **Province**
  - Gauteng
  - Western Cape
  - KwaZulu-Natal
  - Free State

**NEW AFFORESTATION BY SPECIES OVER LAST 7 YEARS**

- **Year**
  - 2011/12
  - 2012/13
  - 2013/14
  - 2014/15
  - 2015/16

- **New Afforestation (Hectares)**
  - Total R.S.A.
  - Western Cape
  - Eastern Cape
  - KwaZulu-Natal

**ROUNDWOOD SALES FROM PLANTATIONS**

- **Product**
  - Sawlogs
  - Pulpwood
  - Other

**GROSS VALUE OF OUTPUT COMPARISONS**

- **Country**
  - R.S.A.
  - U.S.A.
  - European Union
  - Zimbabwe

**ROUNDWOOD PRODUCTION BY PROVINCE AND GENERA 2016**

- **Province**
  - Western Cape
  - Eastern Cape
  - KwaZulu-Natal
  - Free State

**COMPOSITION OF ROUNDWOOD PRODUCTION BY PRODUCT 2016**

- **Product**
  - Sawlogs
  - Pulpwood
  - Other

**TOTAL ROUNDWOOD PRODUCTION EX PLANTATIONS BY PRODUCT 2016**

- **Product**
  - Sawlogs
  - Pulpwood
  - Other

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*Note: PLANTATION STATISTICS 2015/16, PLANTATION STATISTICS BY PRODUCTS, NEW AFFORESTATION BY SPECIES AND OWNERSHIP, NEW AFFORESTATION BY SPECIES OVER LAST 7 YEARS, ROUNDWOOD SALES FROM PLANTATIONS, GROSS VALUE OF OUTPUT COMPARISONS, ROUNDWOOD PRODUCTION BY PROVINCE AND GENERA 2016, COMPOSITION OF ROUNDWOOD PRODUCTION BY PRODUCT 2016 are provided in the image. The data includes various statistics such as plantation area, land use, new afforestation, roundwood production, and gross value of output comparisons for different provinces and countries.*