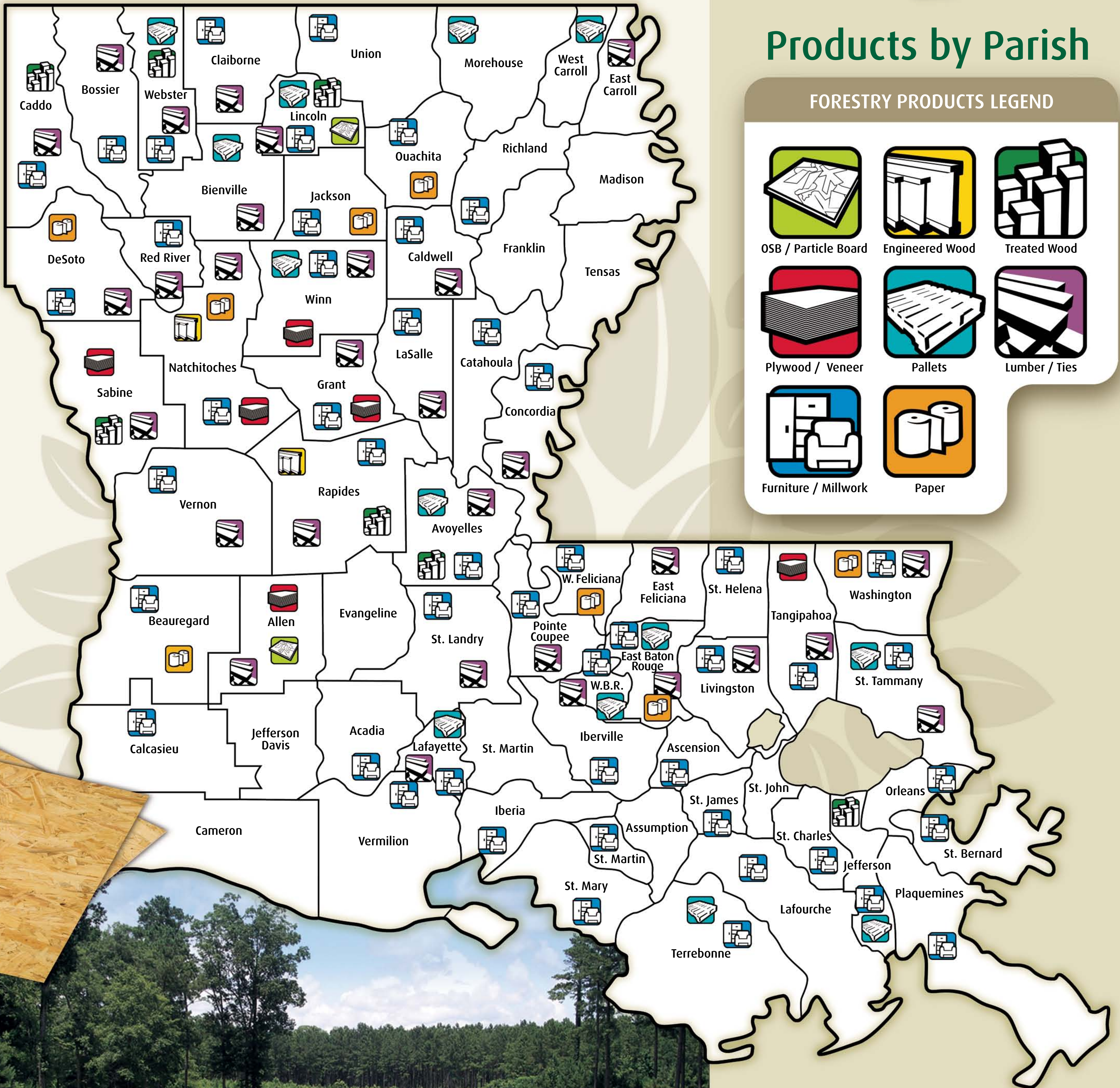


LOUISIANA Forestry



Products by Parish

FORESTRY PRODUCTS LEGEND

- OSB / Particle Board
- Engineered Wood
- Treated Wood
- Plywood / Veneer
- Pallets
- Lumber / Ties
- Furniture / Millwork
- Paper

ECONOMIC IMPACT

Trees are Louisiana's #1 crop. The economic impact of forestry to Louisiana has ranged from \$2.5 billion in 2009 to a high of \$5.4 billion in 1998.

THE GREEN STATE

Half of Louisiana's land area is forested with about 14 million acres of trees. Most of our forest land (81%) is owned by private non-industrial landowners. Forest product companies own 10% and the public owns 9%.

INCOME FROM FORESTS

Louisiana forest landowners received \$338.9 million in 2009. Timber contractors in the state earned \$381.4 million in 2009 for harvesting and transporting the products from the woods.

MANUFACTURING JOBS

Workers in the forest product industries number over 13,000 although in peak years the total has been over 25,000.

Trees — Clean water, clean air, recreation and scenery:

It's hard to count all the ways that forests improve our lives. They provide habitat for wildlife, recreational opportunities, and scenic beauty. The forests of our state prevent erosion and protect the quality of our watersheds. We know the importance of our forests and that is why we plant over 100 million seedlings each year.