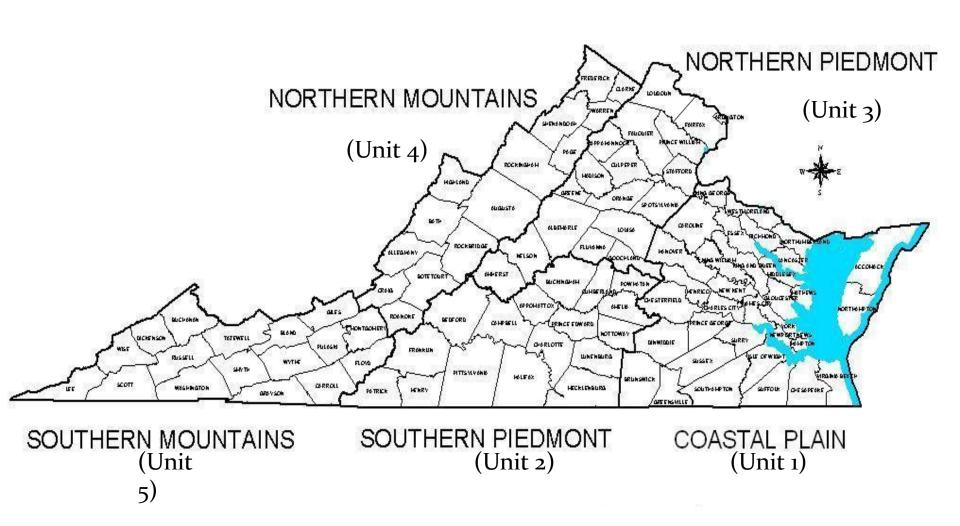
# Focus on the Southern Piedmont

#### FOREST INVENTORY UNITS IN VIRGINIA



## Factors Influencing the Resource

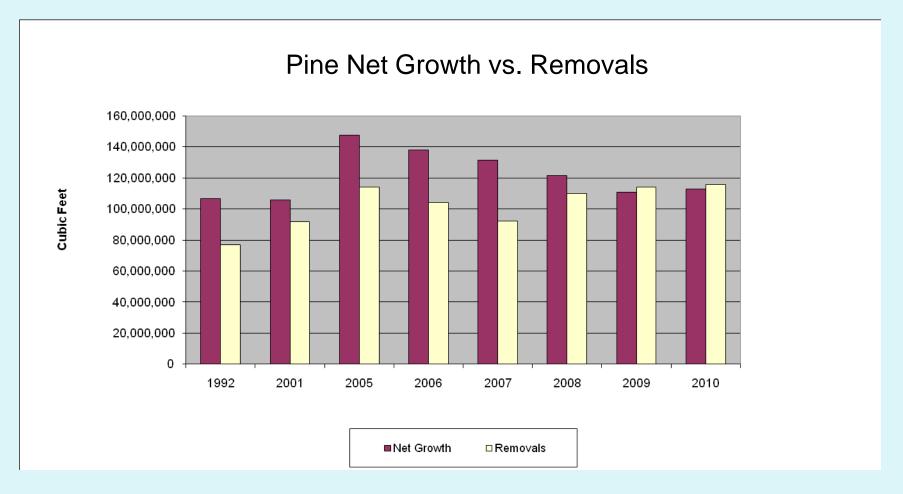
- Growth/Removals
- Forest land area
- Harvesting
- Reforestation trends
- Cost Share Trends
- Climate / Storm Events
- Industry Changes
- Economy



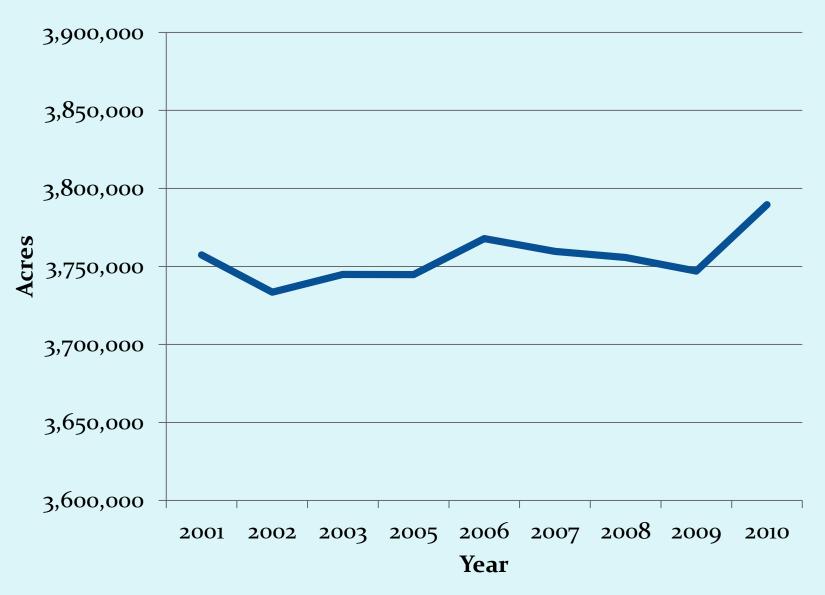
## Southern Piedmont Unit Net Growth to Removals Ratio

YEAR	ALL	HARDWOOD	SOFTWOOD
2001	1.28	1.37	1.16
2005	1.50	1.76	1.29
2006	1.55	1.81	1.33
2007	1.56	1.69	1.42
2008	1.32	1.56	1.11
2009	1.16	1.41	0.97
2010	1.14	1.34	0.98
NC Piedmont 2010	1.33	1.53	1.06

## Growth / Removals (S. Piedmont)



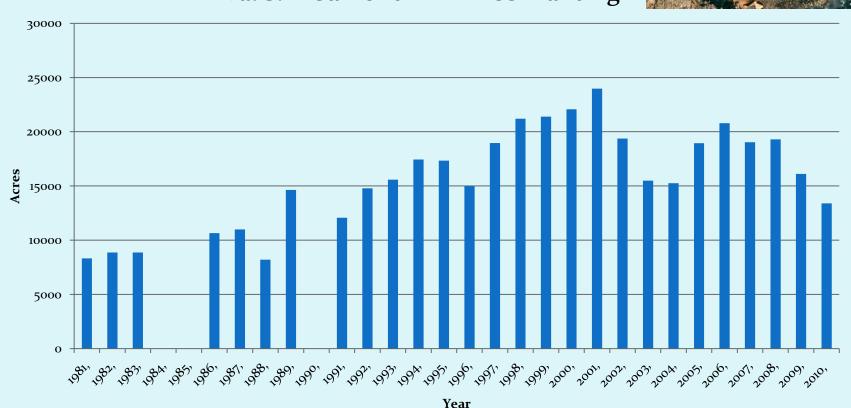
#### Southern Piedmont Forest Acres



### **Reforestation Trends**



Va. S. Piedmont NIPF Tree Planting



### **Cost Share Trends**

#### RT INCENTIVE FUNDING TO LANDOWNERS HISTORY



## Loblolly Pine Forest Type – Annual Trends – S. Piedmont

Acres converted to Loblolly Pine type

+32,550

 Acres of Loblolly Pine type lost to other Forest Types or land use changes

-17,692

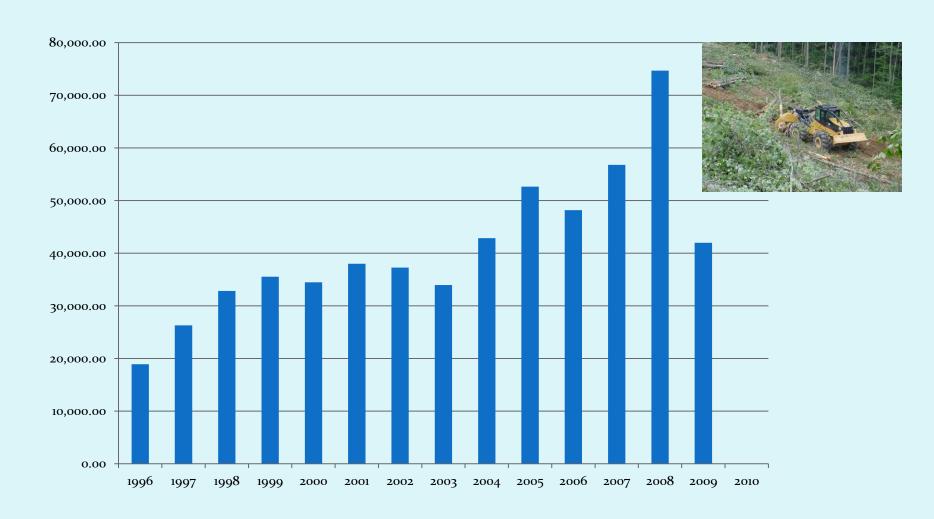
Net annual gain in loblolly pine forest

type



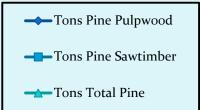
14,858 ac

## Timber Harvesting (S. Piedmont)



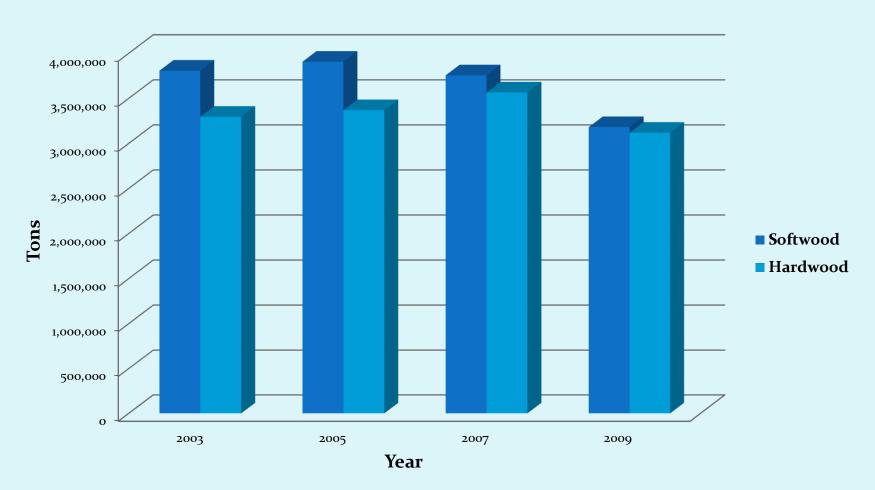
# Virginia Southern Piedmont Pine Harvest

#### **Pine Volumes**





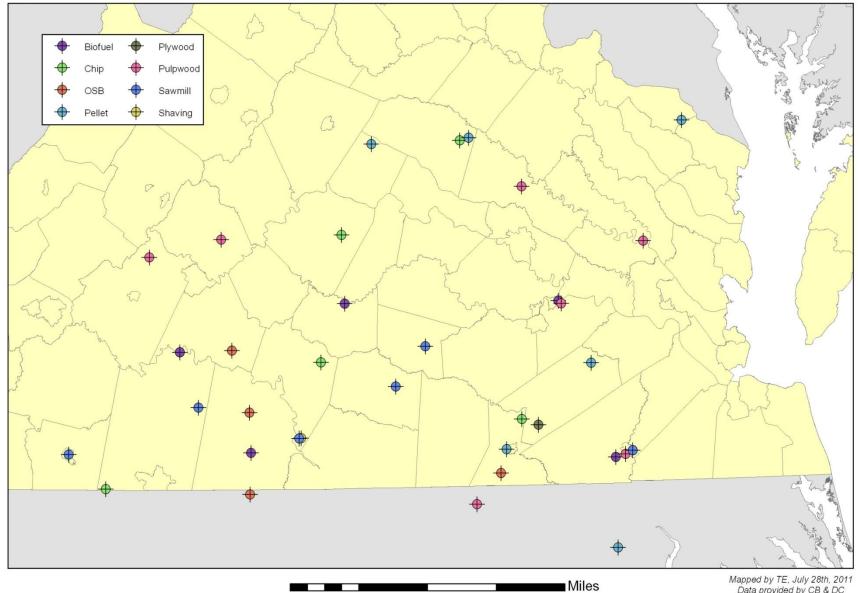
# Virginia Southern Piedmont Timber Products Output





#### Mill Type in Southern Virginia



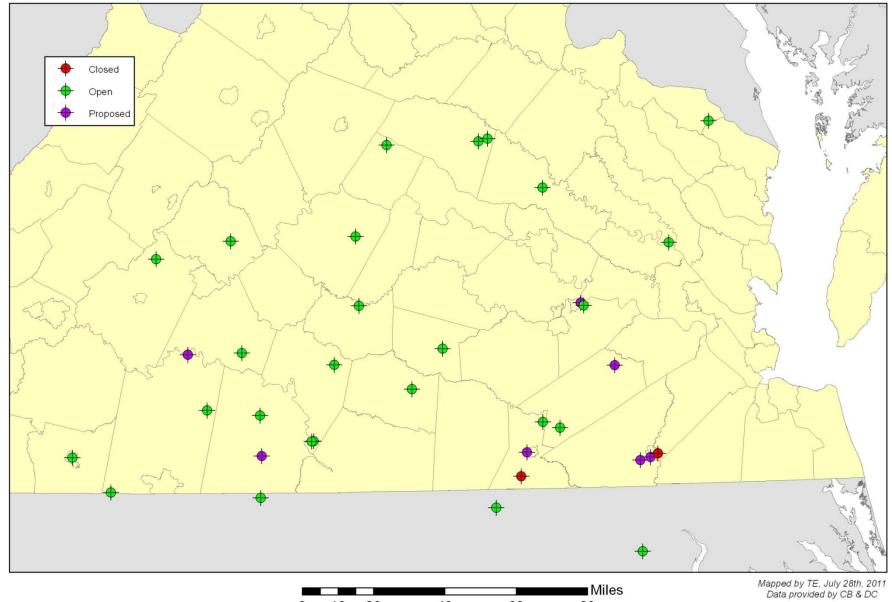


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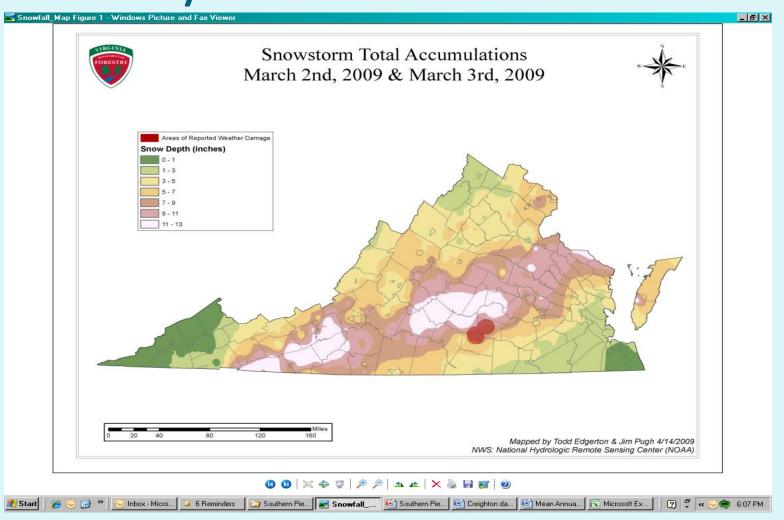


#### Mill Status in Southern Virginia





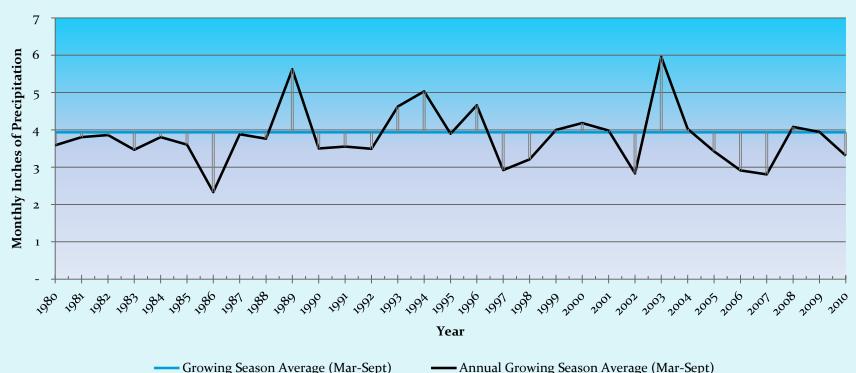
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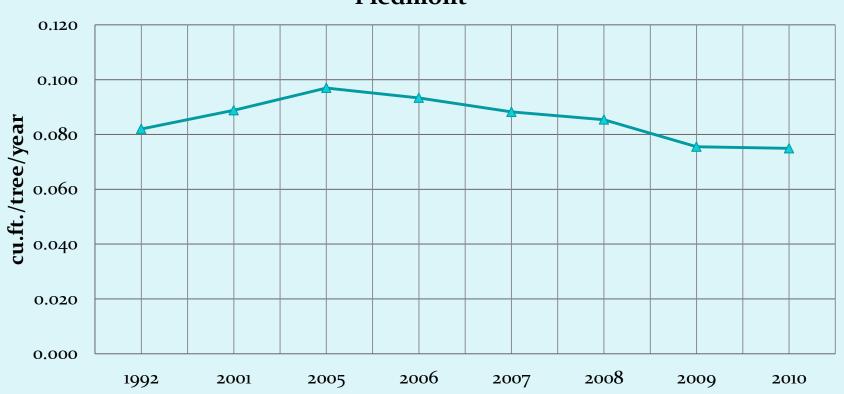
## Average Monthly Precipitation: Growing Season (March-September)

1980-2010 (Farmville, VA)



## Climate/Storm Events

### Mean Annual Increment by Individual Tree - Southern Piedmont



## Southern Piedmont Softwood Net Growth vs. Removals - Projection

