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Please find, attached, a paper entitled:

"GFPMX: A Cobweb Model of the Global Forest Sector, with an Application to the Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic"

It suggests that the world forest industries lost about \$35 billion (2.7%) of production in 2020. Despite a partial recovery in 2021, the loss would still be of \$32 billion in 2030. World trade lost \$11 billion (4.5%) in 2020, and would still be \$10 billion (3.1%) lower in 2030 due to the pandemic.

A pdf of the paper is available at:

https://www.mdpi.com/2071-1050/13/10/5507/pdf

The GFPMX model with the data used for this study are available at: https://buongiorno.russell.wisc.edu/gfpm/

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