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OBJECTIVES
The objectives of the study were to:
• quantify the potential markets for engineered wood products in Ireland;
• assess the cost benefits from a construction perspective of using engineered wood products (including all costs – materials, handling, erection, skills etc.);
• assess the raw material requirements for the production of engineered wood products (I-beams, glulam and structural insulated panels);
• provide a comprehensive commentary on the threats and opportunities posed by the emergence of engineered wood products in Ireland.

OUTPUTS
A final report based on the outcome of four tasks addressing the objectives is in preparation.