



Forest products worth exploring - some suggestions



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Typical features of NWFP enterprises:

So far, in countries comparable with Scotland, the examples of successful NWFP enterprise we've seen have been:

- Innovative
- Managed wild
- “Embedded”
- Robust

Or a combination of several or all of these.

They are often small scale, added-value, artisan



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Examples:

innovative

- sap (reverse osmosis, sparkling birch juice, pasteurised from Finland)
- extracted oils

Managed wild

- coppice (craft materials, firewood)
- Honey

Embedded

- Craft courses
- planted nuts & berries “colourful edges” of woodland – combined with tourism offer

Robust

- berries
- wild garlic & other greens



...other suggestions?



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