

# Economic Contributions of Forest Legacy Program Land

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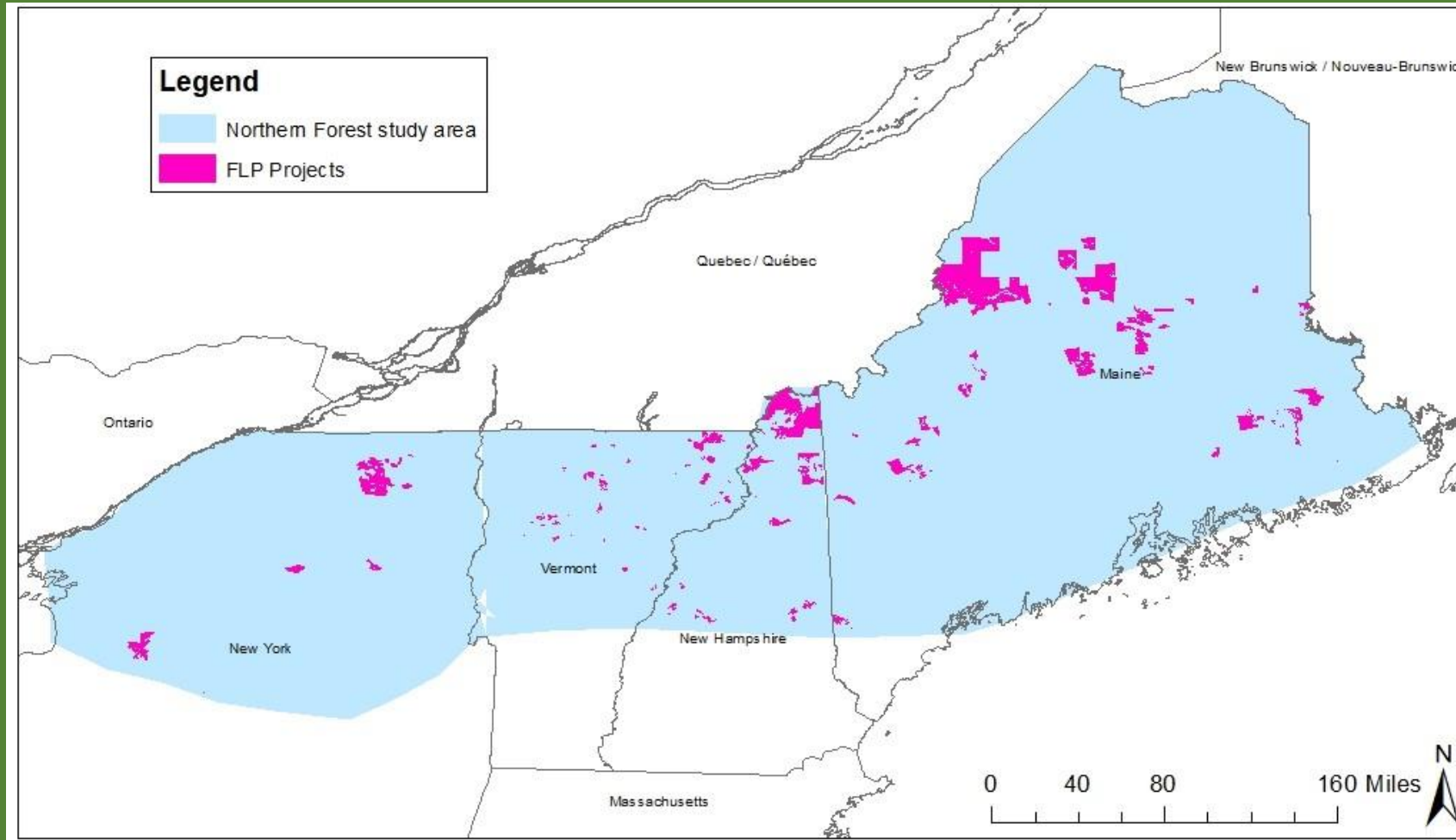
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# Northern Forest

56  
completed  
projects

\$298  
average total  
price/acre of  
easement or  
land  
purchase

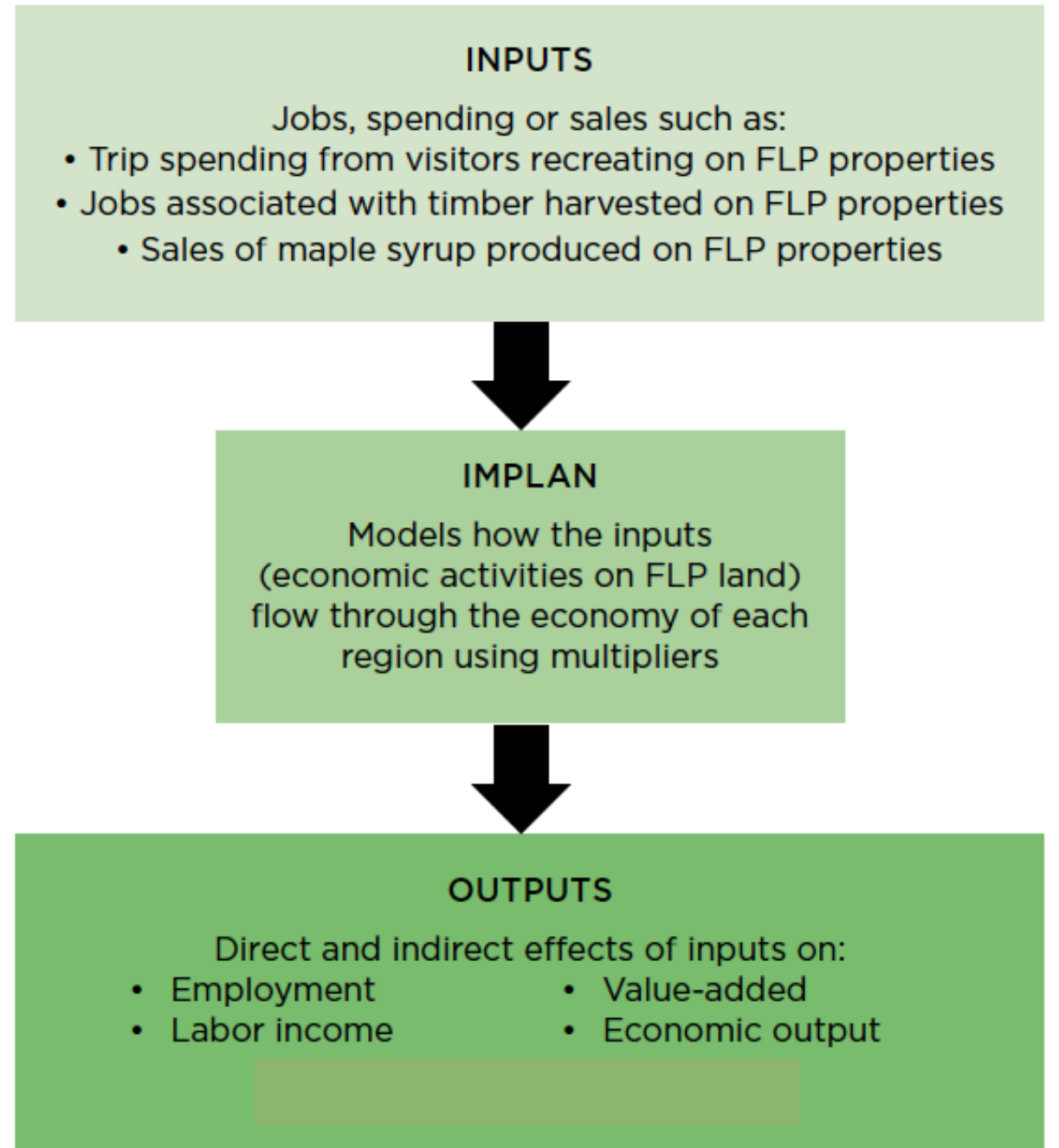


1,297,416  
acres conserved

34%  
Average  
percent  
of non-  
federal  
cost share

# Economic Contribution Analysis

How estimated economic activities contribute to regional economies





Photos from left to right: Forest Legacy Program, Trust For Public Land, USDA Forest Service, Park City Utah, Wikipedia

	Employment	Value added
Northern Forest		
Recreation	282	\$20,128,000
Timber	2140	\$158,892,000
Syrup	140	\$4,663,000
Total	2,560	\$183,683,000

Take home:

**\$140**/ac/year  
contribution to GRP

**\$300**/ac to conserve

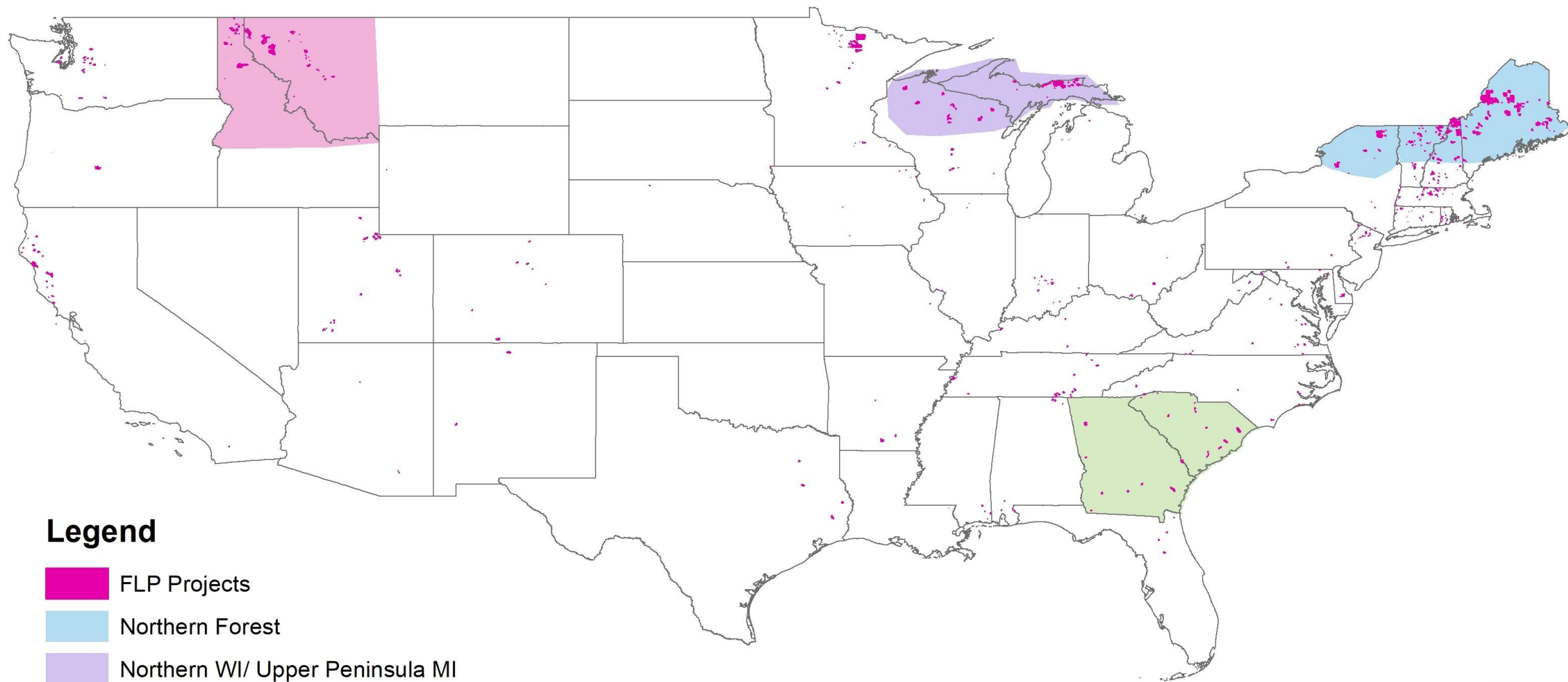


# Conclusions

- Economic contribution is one form of analysis to help describe the value of conserved land
- These results should not be applied to any one particular acre of forest or parcel of land
- Results are specific to the activities conducted on the land, ecological characteristics and the regional economy.

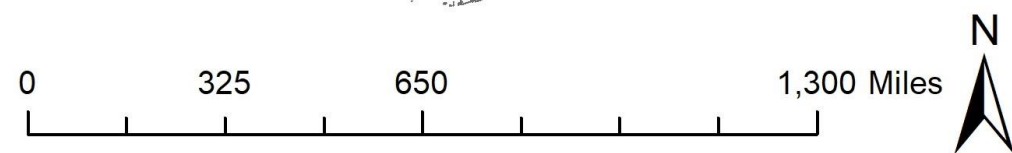


EXTRA SLIDES



## Legend

-  FLP Projects
-  Northern Forest
-  Northern WI/ Upper Peninsula MI
-  Northern ID/ Western MT
-  GA/ SC



# Northern Forest

	Employment	Labor income	Value added	Output
<b>Recreation</b>				
Direct	208	\$7,892,000	\$11,714,000	\$18,018,000
Secondary	74	\$4,818,000	\$8,412,000	\$13,346,000
Total	282	\$12,710,000	\$20,126,000	\$31,364,000
<b>Timber</b>				
Direct	989	\$49,067,000	\$62,826,000	\$176,061,000
Secondary	1,150	\$56,489,000	\$96,065,000	\$280,319,000
Total	2,139	\$105,555,000	\$158,892,000	\$456,380,000
<b>Syrup</b>				
Direct	120	\$1,838,000	\$2,518,000	\$4,266,000
Secondary	22	\$1,235,000	\$2,145,000	\$3,382,000
Total	142	\$3,073,000	\$4,663,000	\$7,648,000



	Value Added	Jobs	VA/ acre
Northern Forest	\$183,683,000	2,560	\$141