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Veneer and Plywood

On the left you can see hardwood trees that are used to make veneer. Veneer is a thin sheet of wood, uniform in thickness, that is peeled or sliced from a log, then used to make furniture, pianos, or paneling. On the right are Pine trees. They produce plywood and pulpwood products.



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