

Sawmill Health & Safety
and Visitors Guide

Boat of Garten



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BSW Timber

National Strength, Local Service.

Brief Overview of Boat of Garten Mill

Size

5 ha site.

History

The Boat of Garten mill was purchased by the Brownlie family in 1965 and began a new dawn in the timber industry in investment in machinery and process.

Production Capacity

65,000 m³ sawn timber.

Length Capacity

3.0 - 4.8 metres.

Primary Breakdown

Infrastructure

Log Diameter Sorting Line, Greenmill, Timber Sorting Lines.

Secondary Operations

Infrastructure

Kilns, Strength Grader / Planer, Treatment Tanks, Development Mill.

Log Intake

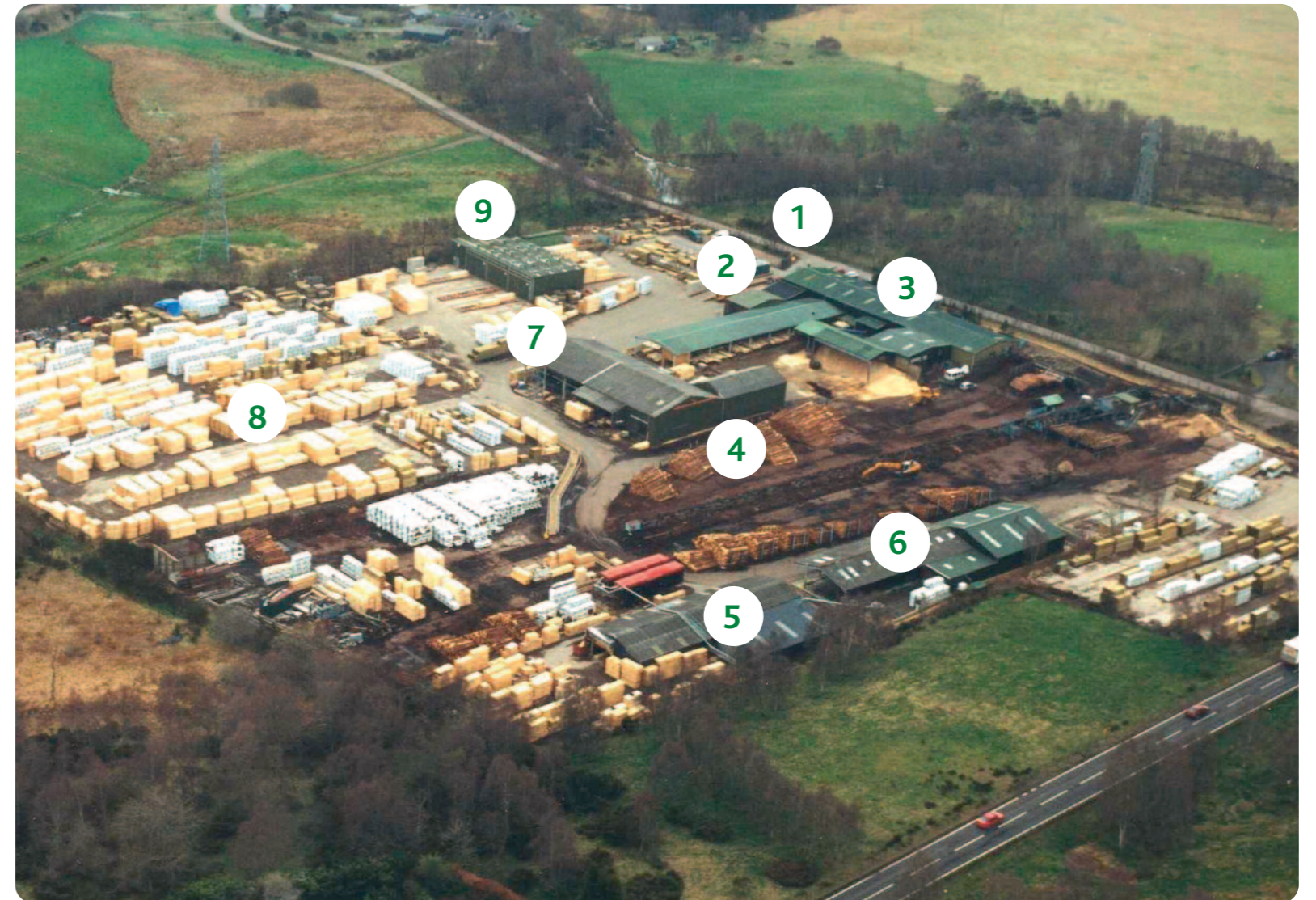
Green Logs are delivered in 3.0m, 3.6m, and 4.8m lengths. BSW Boat of Garten log intake is 90% spruce and 10% Pine.

Log Catchment Area

The catchment area stretches from the far north of the Highlands to Perthshire.

Products Produced

Construction Timber, Fencing, Landscaping Timbers and Decking.

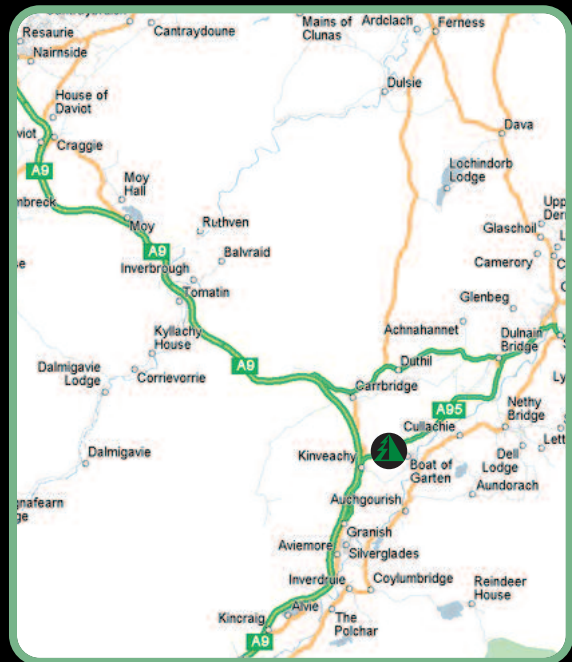


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| 1 SITE ENTRANCE | 4 LOG YARD | 7 GRADER |
| 2 MAIN OFFICE | 5 DEVELOPMENT MILL | 8 SAWN TIMBER STORAGE YARD |
| 3 GREENMILL | 6 TREATMENT PLANTS | 9 KILNS |



Visitors Health and Safety Instructions

- All visitors must report to reception in the main office building and sign in and out of the premises.
- All visitors must be accompanied by a company representative at all times.
- Please be aware that sawmill operations will continue as normal whilst a tour is underway and all visitors need to be aware of their surroundings.
- Do not depart from the designated walkways unless authorisation is given.
- Personal Protective Equipment will be issued to you by your guide. Hard hats, Hearing Protection and Safety Vest **MUST** be worn at all times during the tour.
- Smoking is allowed in designated areas only.
- In the event of the fire alarm sounding make your way to the fire assembly point at the main office car park.
- Appropriate footwear **MUST** be worn – it is strongly advised that flat shoes be worn for mill tours. Failing this, it may not be possible to enter the sawmill site due to underfoot conditions.
- Be aware of fork lift trucks and other vehicles at all times. Always use the walkways.
- Please note that sideloaders do not have full visibility.
- Mobile phones must be switched off during mill tours.
- Permission must be granted for any photography to be taken on site.



From the A9 Northbound take the first exit signposted Boat of Garten and the mill is approximately 3 miles on the right.

From the A9 Southbound take the first exit signposted Boat of Garten, travel through Carbridge, turn left towards Boat of Garten and the mill is on the right.

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