How does total harvest-related taxation of the timber industry when the severance tax was discontinued in the mid-90s compare to today?

The chart below shows the total harvest tax collections since 1980, both in nominal dollars and inflation adjusted 2023 dollars. The WOST and EOST were phased down during the 1990s and repealed by 2003. The FPHT is currently comprised of six component taxes. Since 1980, the number of components has generally ranged from three to five; a sixth component was created in 2023.



Includes:

Western Oregon Severance/Privilege Tax: Collected from 1978-2003 Eastern Oregon Severance/Privilege Tax: Collected from 1962-2003 Small Tract Forestland Severance Tax: Collected from 2004-Current Forest Products Harvest Taxes: Collected from 1948-Current