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ELECTRONIC BRAINS MAY SOON HAVE LITTLE TO DO

WASHINGTON (AP) — So many electronic brains are being created that scientists now are trying to figure out ways to make the best use of them.

About 47 of the giant-size computers will be in existence within a year or so. It was only in 1946 that the first one, called ENIAC was created at the University of Pennsylvania.

The machines are used by the Atomic Energy Commission; by the military services for work on guided missiles, ordnance, aeronautics and so forth; by the Census Bureau; the Army Map Service, and the Air Force comptroller.

The first super-computing machine was produced at Harvard University just before World War II. Called the Mark I, it could do



We can call them in a different ways, except normal

Resources of rounwood:

- Bark beetle/ self-sufficiency of Nothern countries / requirements of «green» certificates etc. will continue to cause disbalance in demand between different assortments
- Heavy discussions about bans during bird nesting time, amount of protection of habitats of European importance, land policy in context of biological diversity etc.
- Selling programs of JSC Latvia's state forests



Closest 2 years

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Markets:

- Brexit
- Covid - politics, productivity, consumption



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Latvia as a place of production

- Reverse VAT
- Costs and availability of labour
- Banks
- Public infrastructure – roads, electricity



Closest 10 years

Too fast for evolution, too soft for revolution

Availability of resources

- Amounts of logging will decrease, possibilities of import will not increase
- Import of boards will increase, but competition for them will be serious
- Circular economy will promote recycling



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Markets

- Green deal will promote protectionism of European economic market zone at the same time making producers to work by more expensive standards
- The use of wood in construction will increase significantly in countries of EEA where it is not currently widely used
- Although total consumption in absolute units in Europe will decrease wood products have the potential to replace other products.
- The use of by-products of woodworking and logging will become more important in competitiveness of industry



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Latvia as a place of production

- Risks of globalization and EU politics will promote the significance of «more produced in Europe»
- Costs of labour will level-off with the average costs of EU, EU will try to decrease the tax competition between countries
- Financial institutions will be pushed to become a more serious regulators of the market
- European funds will promote «financial instruments»
- Where will the decisions about development of forest sector of Latvia be made?!

Closest 30 years

What you will see you will harvest... if it will be allowed!

How to use land more efficiently?



+25%

How to use human resources more productively?



x2

What other meaningful products could be made of wood in Latvia?



Take wood and create

x2



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