

# Glulam Market Opportunity, Growth Drivers, Industry Trend Analysis, and Forecast 2025 - 2034

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## Abstracts

The Global Glulam Market was valued at USD 7.8 billion in 2024 and is estimated to grow at a CAGR of 5.2% to reach USD 12.8 billion by 2034. Market momentum is being driven by a widespread shift toward sustainable construction practices. As both private and public sectors focus on lowering emissions and integrating renewable building materials, glulam—engineered from sustainably sourced timber—has emerged as a viable replacement for conventional materials like steel and concrete. Its low embodied energy and reduced carbon footprint align well with global climate targets. With the rise of mass timber techniques in multi-story structures, glulam is increasingly favored for its structural performance, long-span capabilities, and suitability for offsite prefabrication. Its use accelerates project timelines and reduces environmental disruption at job sites.

Additionally, growing interest in green building certifications is amplifying glulam's appeal as developers seek to meet environmental standards through high-performance, low-impact materials. Certifications such as LEED, BREEAM, and WELL increasingly influence design and material choices in both public and private construction projects. Glulam's renewable nature, coupled with its strength-to-weight ratio and low embodied carbon, makes it an ideal material to help projects achieve these rigorous environmental benchmarks. Architects and builders favor glulam not only for its sustainability but also for its aesthetic warmth and design flexibility, which aligns with biophilic and modern architectural trends.

The straight glulam beams segment generated USD 4.42 billion in 2024 and is projected to grow at a CAGR of 4.6% from 2025 to 2034. These beams remain the go-to option in many construction projects due to their strength, adaptability, and affordability compared to other structural materials. Their design simplicity and compatibility with common building techniques make them ideal for widespread

application in floors, walls, and roof structures in both residential and commercial settings. The continued popularity of prefab construction methods also fuels demand for straight glulam beams, as they offer a cost-effective and sustainable alternative in modern architecture.

The residential construction segment generated USD 4.61 billion and a 59.05% share in 2024, with an expected CAGR of 4.6% through 2034. This dominance is primarily attributed to the rising demand for green housing solutions and timber-based building systems. Glulam is increasingly preferred in homes due to its durability, natural aesthetic, ease of installation, and reduced environmental impact. As more consumers and developers embrace eco-friendly living spaces, glulam continues to play a crucial role in roof supports, flooring systems, and decorative beams. With cities expanding and sustainable urbanization becoming a top priority, this application segment is expected to remain a central force in market growth.

United States Glulam Market was valued at USD 1.94 billion in 2024 and is projected to grow at a CAGR of 4.9% between 2025 and 2034. North America's market momentum is tied to the rapid rise of mass timber construction in mid-rise and tall buildings. The region's building industry is increasingly adopting glulam due to changes in regulations that favor alternative construction materials, such as updates to the International Building Code (IBC). The trend toward more eco-conscious building practices in the U.S. and Canada has contributed to glulam's expanding role in commercial and institutional projects alike, where its structural strength, aesthetic appeal, and sustainability credentials offer clear advantages.

Key companies shaping the competitive landscape in the Glulam Market include Mayr-Melnhof Holz Holding AG, Boise Cascade Company, Structurlam Mass Timber Corporation, Stora Enso Oyj, and Binderholz GmbH. Companies in the glulam industry are focusing on strategic expansion and innovation to solidify their market presence. Investments are being made in modern production lines to boost output and optimize product quality, especially for larger and more complex structural components. Key players are strengthening their global supply chains and entering joint ventures or partnerships with construction firms to promote glulam use in high-profile sustainable building projects. Additionally, manufacturers are emphasizing product certifications and compliance with green building standards to appeal to eco-conscious developers. Customized solutions for prefabricated and modular buildings are also gaining traction.

## **Comprehensive Market Analysis and Forecast**

Industry trends, key growth drivers, challenges, future opportunities, and regulatory landscape

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