



World première for LOGOSOL Farmer's Sawmill:

Experience and quality in every detail

The new LOGOSOL Farmer's Sawmill is neater and more portable with all the functions necessary to do a really good job. The design, with a more versatile saw carriage and 4-metre guide rail, makes the sawmill extremely flexible and easy to use.

The Farmers M8 is an excellent option when you want to saw your own timber for small or medium-sized building projects.

"This sawmill is perfect for me at my cabin where I don't have very much room. It's easy to use and simple to pack away. After felling a pine tree, I set to work sawing it up into boards. Then I spent a delightful holiday day constructing a wooden bridge that was needed over the brook that runs close to the plot," explains Mattias Byström, product manager at Logosol.

Simple to assemble, easy to pack away

It only takes a few minutes to set up or dismantle the sawmill, making it easy to store and transport. The Farmers M8 is ideal for all those who have building projects at home in the yard or at their summer cottage. It's easy to transport between different locations, in the yard or out in the forest, and you can be up and running in no time sawing boards for your building projects.

The Stihl MS391 is a suitable saw unit for the Farmers M8. It has a 3.3 kW motor and weighs 6.4 kg. It provides adequate motor power and is also superb for forest work and wood sawing. With the Stihl MS660, which is newly developed and tremendously powerful, sawing goes even faster.

Upgrade and extend

"A self-locking system with clear scales and fixed sawing dimensions ensures exact timber dimensions. The sawmill has a robust design and is equipped with a more versatile carriage that follows the straight slab when sawing and can easily be lifted on and off. You can saw up to 3.8 metres with the basic unit; if you need to saw longer logs, the sawmill can be extended – as much as you want, in one-metre sections," says Mattias Byström.

In addition to extensions, the sawmill can also be upgraded with a number of accessories. All accessories developed for the larger M8 model are compatible. From autumn a practical transport case will also be available.

Benefits of the Farmers M8

- Good value with all the functions required for sawing a log into planks.
- Just a few simple steps to dismantle the sawmill for transport or storage.
- All M8 accessories are compatible. The sawmill can be extended as and when you need.
- Electric saw, log moulder and feeder unit are all compatible.
- Manufactured mainly from aluminium alloy, a strong and lightweight material.
- Versatile lifting winches with log beds that can bear a combined weight of one ton!
- Fixed sawing dimensions in ¼" increments, enabling exact timber dimensions.
- Double log holders secure the log in the correct position.
- The sawmill can be configured with 2 metres between the winches for longer logs or 1 metre for shorter pieces.

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What will be your first project? Building using timber you have sawn yourself can be a way to save money, but it also allows you to set your own stamp on small and large building projects.

The Farmers M8 is ideal for anyone who has wood to saw and is just as indispensable an investment as a lawn-mower for a house owner. If you have access to a lot of forest, there is great scope for sawing timber for all your building projects.

Logosol M8 gets top marks from Wood Magazine

Five stars out of five. That was their rating when Wood Magazine tested the Logosol M8 for the February/March 2014 issue.

Getting five stars from Wood is a huge achievement. Receiving top marks from the magazine's own Design Editor, John Olson can most accurately be described as invaluable. Olson is an expert carpenter with extensive experience of advanced woodwork projects, from logs through to finished items of furniture.

Knowledgeable editors

American magazine Wood was founded in 1984 and is now one of the world's most popular woodworking magazines. The principle of the magazine, that tools and machines are tested and evaluated by knowledgeable editors before publishing, gives its content extra credence. All building projects presented are also tested and pre-built in their own carpentry workshop

The Logosol M8 was tested with a chainsaw in a forest environment. In the text John Olson describes how he saws up a log, step by step. In conclusion, he gives the sawmill top marks for design and performance.

"We are naturally extremely pleased with the review, as it is in complete accordance with our own perception of our product. He includes the sawmill's strong points, that it is light and portable and also easy to use, with log ladders that raise the log to working height," says Malte Frisk, CEO of Logosol.

Enthusiasm between the lines

The review has been written with an objective tone, but there's no mistaking the writer's enthusiasm when he discovers functional details and well-thought-out solutions. When Olson states that sawing with a bandsaw would be faster, he doesn't see it as a problem, since the Logosol sawmill offers unbeatable benefits in terms of price and portable design.

"We couldn't have said it better ourselves," says Malte, who believes that this review will have huge significance for the Logosol M8 as a product, not least in the USA, which has been a Logosol market for many years.

Important collaboration

Logosol's range is currently sold via Bailey's, one of the USA's biggest mail order companies for tools and machinery within forestry and woodworking.

"This collaboration is hugely significant to us, and I know that they have already begun using these test results in their marketing," says Malte.

This distinction from Wood gives us, among other things, entitlement to a 5-star logo that will be displayed with the Logosol M8 for a long time to come.

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John Olson tested the Logosol M8 for Wood Magazine. The sawmill was awarded five stars by this respected editor.

Read the review!

Mill your own lumber with minimal effort

Logosol's M8 takes most of the labor out of using a chainsaw mill. In fact, I found the M8 as easy to use as a bandsaw mill, but with price and portability advantages.

The aluminium-frame M8 has an 18' beam, yet, when assembled, it's still light enough (about 50 lbs without the saw) for two people to easily pick up and carry. I managed to carry the mostly assembled mill into the woods by myself, set it up and cut the tree where it fell. That sure beats dragging a log to the mill through blade-dulling mud and dirt.

You can cut logs up to about 16' long, and their maximum diameter depends on the length of your chainsaw bar; I cut up logs that were nearly 2' in diameter with my 24" bar. You'll need a chainsaw (not included) with at least 80cc motor; lesser-powered saws will struggle. I outfitted a Husqvarna 395XP with ripping chain, and it cut with ease, though slower than a typical bandsaw mill.

Rolling the log up the 20"-high stepped platform (you raise the platform and log together to the saw from there) proves the most challenging aspect, but a friend and two cant hooks make it go quickly. Once you mount the saw into the mill's carriage, you feed it through the log via a crank and nylon cord. It couldn't be any simpler. The ratcheting depth-of-cut adjustments lock solidly in place for accurate rips. But know that you'll lose about 3/8" from the thickness with each cut. The M8 and appropriate chainsaw will cost you about \$3,200, admittedly a hefty investment. But if you spend a lot of money on pre-cut dried lumber, and have a space to dry wood, you'll recoup your investment over time.

Tested by John Olson,
Design Editor