

## Home-grown timber reaches French shores

Glennon Brothers has secured a contract to deliver the first shipments of home-grown timber to France in a €1.5 million deal. This deal represents a first in both a UK and Irish context.



L-R. Mike and Pat Glennon, harbour-side in Youghal with the ship being loaded with timber headed for France.

Mike Glennon, joint managing director, Glennon Brothers, said: “Through our strong industry connections and our reputation as a quality timber provider, we secured this ground-breaking deal to supply an initial five shipments from our bases across Ireland and Scotland.”

The shipments, leaving from Youghal in County Cork, Ireland and Troon in Ayrshire, Scotland respectively, will be supplying predominantly kiln-dried strength graded material primarily for the house-building industry.

Mike Glennon continues: “Traditionally home grown timber has only been supplied into the Irish and UK markets. We are proud that our products satisfy the needs of European countries demanding high quality.”

Through Glennon Brothers plants in Ireland, and Windymains Timber and Adam Wilsons in Scotland, the firm offers a one-stop-shop solution, supplying both the Irish and UK markets with volume products for the construction, pallet wood and fencing industries.