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Comments: Leaving timber stands on the landscape once it has accumulated most of the carbon that it ever will before it dies is setting the stage for wildfire disasters, as well as re- emitting all the carbon that was stored. Turning standing timber into wood products used in building is the key part in sequestering that carbon, re planting the land after harvest sequesters more carbon on the same landscape that otherwise would not sequester if the stand was not harvested.

You do not need a degree to figure this out it is very simple.