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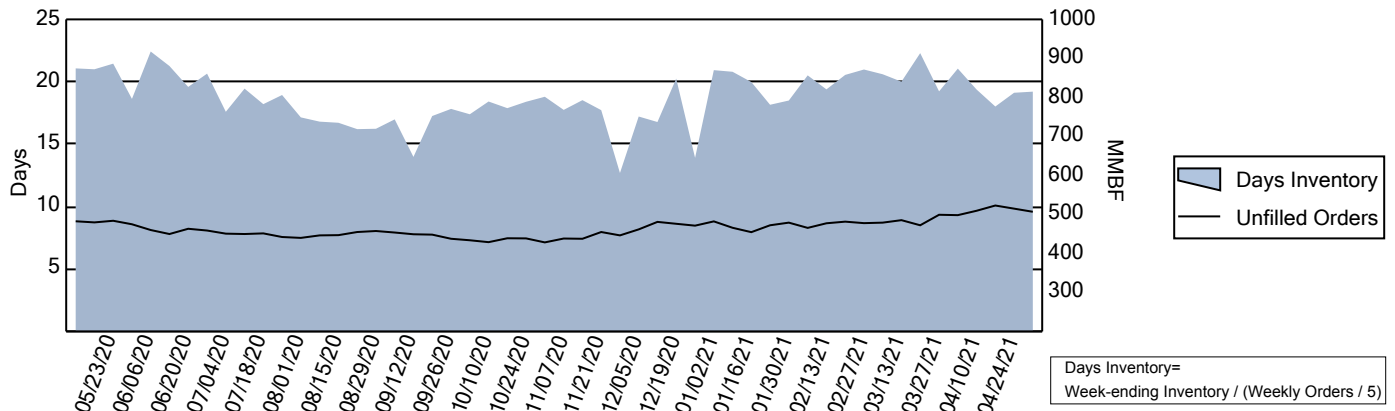
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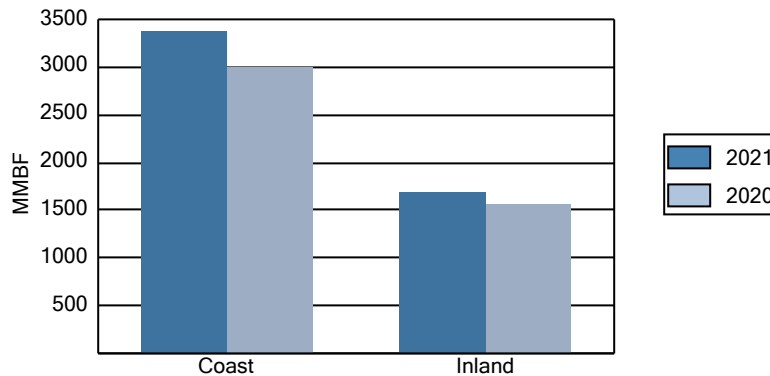
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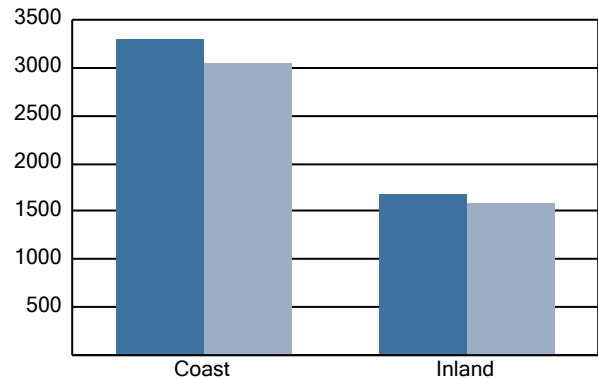
Days Inventory Based on Orders



Production Year-to-Date by Region



Shipments Year-to-Date by Region



MBF	Reporting Week		Last Week		2 weeks ago		3 weeks ago		Year-to-Date Footage		
	Footage	% Inv.	Footage	% Inv.	Footage	% Inv.	Footage	% Inv.	Current Year	Last Year	% Diff.
Western											
Production	306,469	26.6%	302,215	26.2%	304,355	26.2%	292,527	25.1%	5,070,252	4,566,033	11.0%
Orders	299,933	26.0%	301,608	26.1%	322,223	27.7%	300,706	25.8%	5,002,145	4,622,616	8.2%
Shipments	307,882	26.7%	309,722	26.8%	308,734	26.6%	289,572	24.8%	4,977,509	4,630,941	7.5%
Unfilled Orders	506,917	44.0%	514,866	44.6%	522,979	45.0%	509,490	43.7%	506,917	467,955	8.3%
Inventories	1,152,539	-	1,153,951	-	1,161,458	-	1,165,837	-	1,152,539	1,184,636	-2.7%
Coast											
Production	206,732	31.8%	204,176	31.3%	205,149	31.3%	196,157	29.9%	3,376,771	2,999,717	12.6%
Orders	207,859	32.0%	204,060	31.3%	212,318	32.4%	192,742	29.4%	3,309,939	3,057,866	8.2%
Shipments	209,336	32.2%	206,230	31.6%	206,374	31.5%	191,650	29.2%	3,298,815	3,049,040	8.2%
Unfilled Orders	275,223	42.3%	276,699	42.4%	278,869	42.6%	272,925	41.6%	275,223	276,143	-0.3%
Inventories	649,921	-	652,525	-	654,579	-	655,805	-	649,921	652,073	-0.3%
Inland											
Production	99,737	19.8%	98,039	19.6%	99,206	19.6%	96,370	18.9%	1,693,481	1,566,316	8.1%
Orders	92,074	18.3%	97,548	19.5%	109,905	21.7%	107,964	21.2%	1,692,206	1,564,750	8.1%
Shipments	98,546	19.6%	103,492	20.6%	102,360	20.2%	97,922	19.2%	1,678,694	1,581,901	6.1%
Unfilled Orders	231,694	46.1%	238,167	47.5%	244,110	48.2%	236,565	46.4%	231,694	191,812	20.8%
Inventories	502,618	-	501,426	-	506,879	-	510,032	-	502,618	532,563	-5.6%

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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	Mar-2021	Feb-2021	Jan-2021	Dec-2020	Nov-2020	Oct-2020
Coast Region	52.6 %	50.5 %	51.1 %	52.7 %	53.8 %	51.3 %
Inland Region	54.5 %	57.2 %	55.7 %	57.8 %	53.7 %	52.1 %
Western Totals	53.6 %	54.0 %	53.5 %	55.4 %	53.7 %	51.7 %

The ratio of finished inventory vs. total inventory will be reported once each month, at month's end, for the month prior. Finished inventory is defined as lumber ready to ship to market.

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