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To: Barometer Subscribers

Western Wood Products Association's 2020 Annual Mill Operating Survey results have been compiled and the final revisions for 2020 have been made in all WWPA statistical reports. Revisions to 2021 year-to-date data have also been applied and are reflected in this edition of the ***Barometer***.

Sincerely,

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U.S. West

	2019 (MMBF)	2020	Variation (%)
Production	14,254	14,453	1.40%
Shipments	14,287	14,550	1.84%
Orders	14,253	14,546	2.06%



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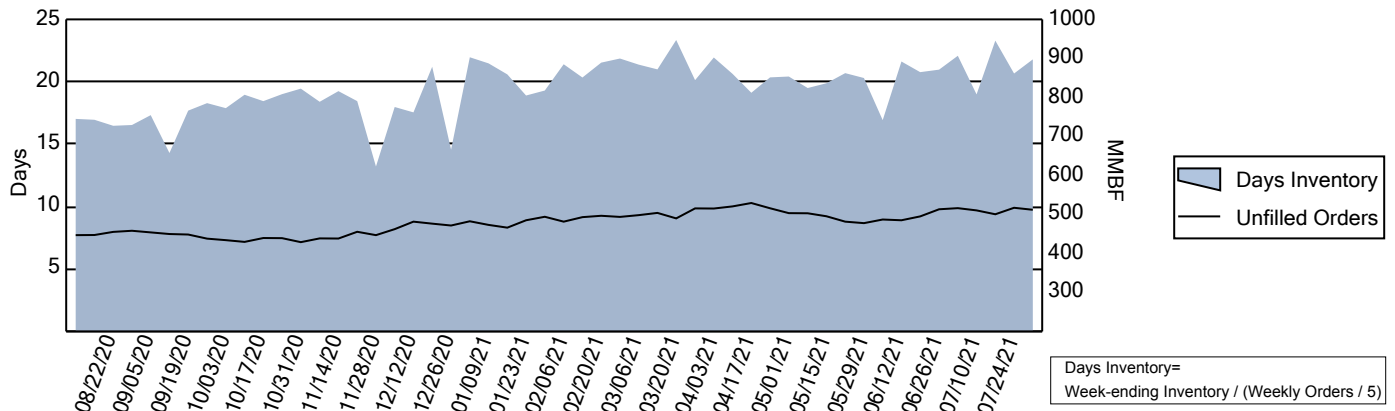
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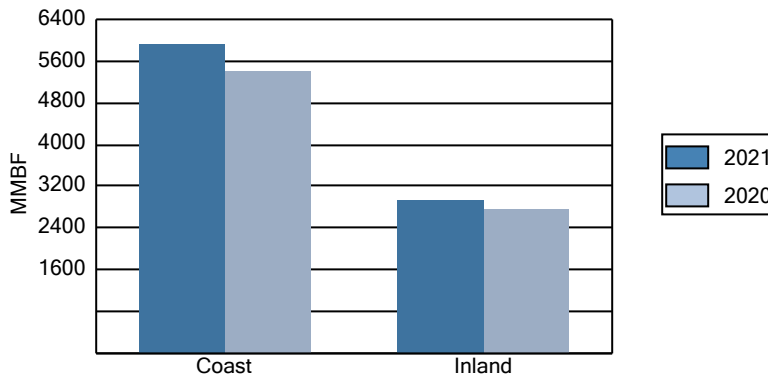
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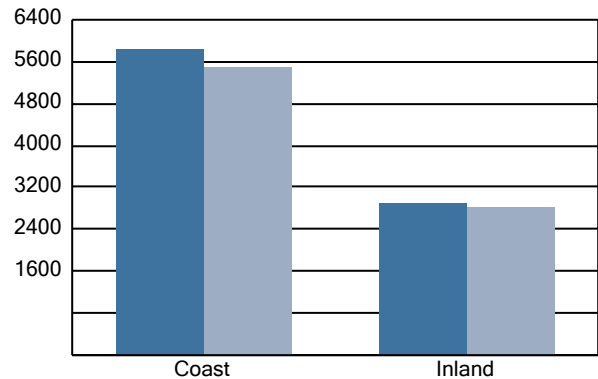
Days Inventory Based on Orders



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	293,196	23.5%	293,262	23.5%	286,565	23.1%	271,117	22.1%	8,870,268	8,178,565	8.5%
Orders	286,550	22.9%	301,825	24.2%	265,934	21.5%	258,772	21.1%	8,760,385	8,281,183	5.8%
Shipments	291,617	23.3%	285,032	22.8%	275,993	22.3%	264,578	21.5%	8,735,108	8,315,206	5.0%
Unfilled Orders	512,144	41.0%	517,211	41.5%	500,418	40.4%	510,477	41.5%	512,144	442,597	15.7%
Inventories	1,249,148	-	1,247,569	-	1,239,339	-	1,228,767	-	1,249,148	1,071,000	16.6%
Coast											
Production	199,072	27.6%	199,702	27.7%	194,431	27.1%	184,671	25.8%	5,932,231	5,419,025	9.5%
Orders	195,549	27.1%	198,358	27.6%	192,100	26.7%	182,934	25.6%	5,884,834	5,479,528	7.4%
Shipments	197,414	27.4%	198,391	27.6%	190,906	26.6%	184,012	25.7%	5,835,746	5,492,540	6.2%
Unfilled Orders	317,772	44.0%	319,637	44.4%	319,670	44.5%	318,476	44.5%	317,772	254,651	24.8%
Inventories	721,540	-	719,882	-	718,571	-	715,046	-	721,540	602,440	19.8%
Inland											
Production	94,124	17.8%	93,560	17.7%	92,134	17.7%	86,446	16.8%	2,938,037	2,759,540	6.5%
Orders	91,001	17.2%	103,467	19.6%	73,834	14.2%	75,838	14.8%	2,875,551	2,801,655	2.6%
Shipments	94,203	17.9%	86,641	16.4%	85,087	16.3%	80,566	15.7%	2,899,362	2,822,666	2.7%
Unfilled Orders	194,372	36.8%	197,574	37.4%	180,748	34.7%	192,001	37.4%	194,372	187,946	3.4%
Inventories	527,608	-	527,687	-	520,768	-	513,721	-	527,608	468,560	12.6%

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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	Jun-2021	May-2021	Apr-2021	Mar-2021	Feb-2021	Jan-2021
Coast Region	55.5 %	50.3 %	51.0 %	52.6 %	50.5 %	51.1 %
Inland Region	59.5 %	53.4 %	53.9 %	54.8 %	57.4 %	55.8 %
Western Totals	57.5 %	51.8 %	52.5 %	53.7 %	54.1 %	53.6 %

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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