

## **BAROMETER**

For the week ending: October 31, 2020

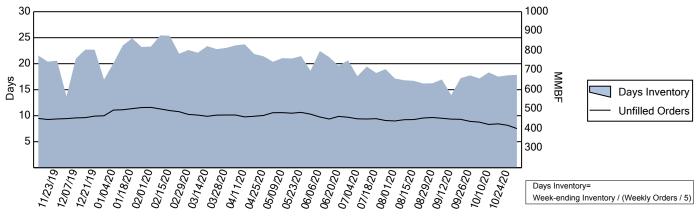
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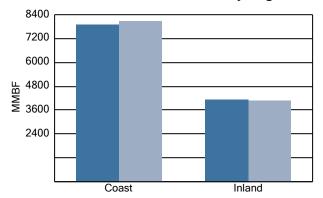
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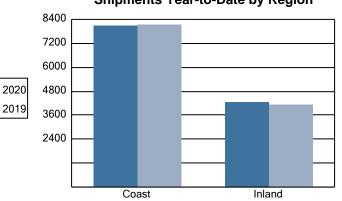




## **Production Year-to-Date by Region**



## 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	274,623	28.4%	273,944	28.0%	279,412	28.3%	285,218	28.9%	12,044,658	12,155,206	-0.9%
Orders	270,348	28.0%	275,460	28.1%	281,840	28.5%	269,135	27.3%	12,252,700	12,193,240	0.5%
Shipments	287,221	29.7%	282,823	28.9%	278,783	28.2%	280,744	28.4%	12,328,070	12,248,877	0.6%
Unfilled Orders	400,910	41.5%	417,783	42.7%	425,147	43.0%	422,090	42.8%	400,910	452,863	-11.5%
Inventories	966,131	-	978,729	-	987,609	-	986,979	-	966,131	1,188,589	-18.7%
Coast											•
Production	180,389	34.4%	178,710	33.7%	179,871	33.5%	186,073	34.4%	7,902,145	8,083,469	-2.2%
Orders	181,966	34.7%	181,889	34.3%	186,878	34.8%	180,743	33.4%	8,056,360	8,077,548	-0.3%
Shipments	185,454	35.3%	185,285	34.9%	184,467	34.4%	185,095	34.2%	8,078,409	8,132,579	-0.7%
Unfilled Orders	245,268	46.7%	248,756	46.9%	252,153	47.0%	249,741	46.1%	245,268	255,431	-4.0%
Inventories	525,131	-	530,196	-	536,772	-	541,367	-	525,131	663,703	-20.9%
Inland											
Production	94,234	21.4%	95,234	21.2%	99,541	22.1%	99,145	22.2%	4,142,513	4,071,737	1.7%
Orders	88,382	20.0%	93,571	20.9%	94,962	21.1%	88,392	19.8%	4,196,340	4,115,692	2.0%
Shipments	101,767	23.1%	97,538	21.7%	94,316	20.9%	95,649	21.5%	4,249,661	4,116,298	3.2%
Unfilled Orders	155,642	35.3%	169,027	37.7%	172,994	38.4%	172,349	38.7%	155,642	197,432	-21.2%
Inventories	441,000	-	448,533	-	450,837	-	445,612	-	441,000	524,886	-16.0%

Reporting mills represent approximately one-half of all Western Region lumber production. Coast Region includes the areas west of the Cascade Range in WA and OR, and the north coast counties of CA. Inland Region includes the areas east from the Cascade and California ranges to the Great Plains, and from Canada to Mexico. Information contained in this report may not be published, reprinted or transmitted without the expressed written permission of Western Wood Products Association.



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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	Sep-2020	Aug-2020	Jul-2020	Jun-2020	May-2020	Apr-2020
Coast Region	52.1 %	49.7 %	51.1 %	49.0 %	47.0 %	51.4 %
Inland Region	52.1 %	54.1 %	54.4 %	60.5 %	61.5 %	62.6 %
Western Totals	52.1 %	52.0 %	52.9 %	55.1 %	54.7 %	57.3 %

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.