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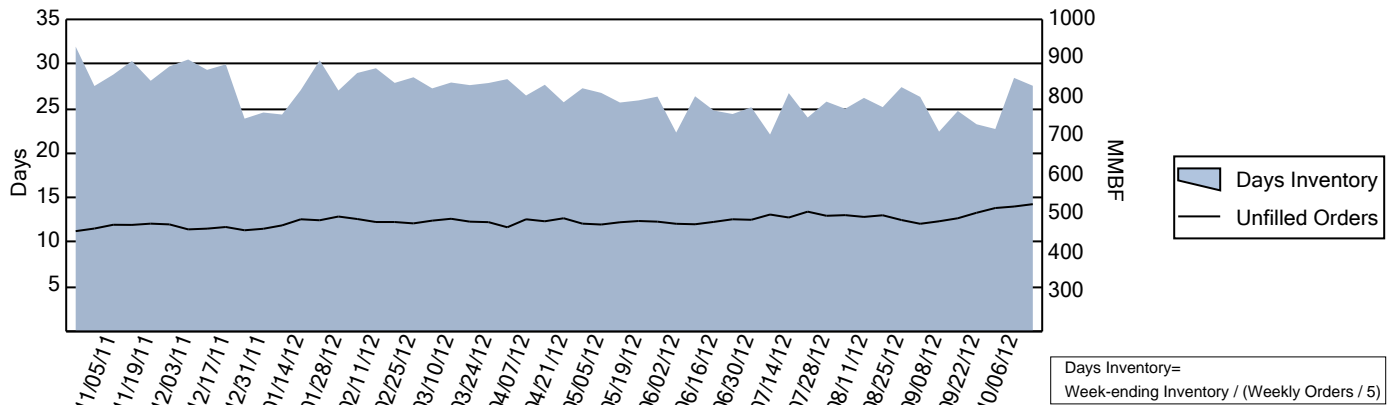
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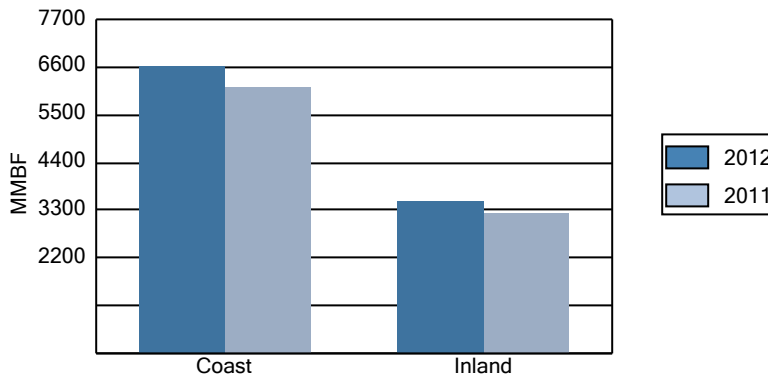
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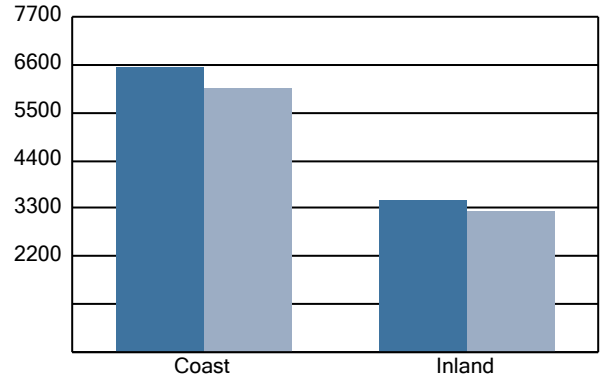
Days Inventory Based on Orders



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	247,352	18.4%	251,010	18.8%	271,842	20.7%	271,664	20.6%	10,153,512	9,385,416	8.2%
Orders	243,976	18.1%	234,721	17.6%	289,669	22.0%	284,152	21.5%	10,082,122	9,326,763	8.1%
Shipments	237,985	17.7%	230,906	17.3%	277,549	21.1%	269,861	20.4%	10,033,668	9,291,816	8.0%
Unfilled Orders	526,365	39.1%	520,375	39.0%	516,559	39.3%	504,439	38.2%	526,365	478,066	10.1%
Inventories	1,344,869	-	1,335,503	-	1,315,398	-	1,321,104	-	1,344,869	1,301,656	3.3%
Coast											
Production	161,034	19.3%	166,011	20.1%	174,760	21.5%	177,421	21.7%	6,632,612	6,139,318	8.0%
Orders	155,497	18.7%	150,295	18.2%	180,424	22.2%	184,374	22.5%	6,556,181	6,070,441	8.0%
Shipments	153,942	18.5%	154,097	18.7%	179,747	22.1%	174,599	21.3%	6,539,449	6,066,293	7.8%
Unfilled Orders	280,107	33.6%	278,553	33.7%	282,354	34.7%	281,678	34.4%	280,107	279,473	0.2%
Inventories	832,927	-	825,836	-	813,921	-	818,908	-	832,927	815,169	2.2%
Inland											
Production	86,318	16.9%	84,999	16.7%	97,082	19.4%	94,243	18.8%	3,520,900	3,246,098	8.5%
Orders	88,479	17.3%	84,426	16.6%	109,245	21.8%	99,778	19.9%	3,525,941	3,256,322	8.3%
Shipments	84,043	16.4%	76,809	15.1%	97,802	19.5%	95,262	19.0%	3,494,219	3,225,523	8.3%
Unfilled Orders	246,258	48.1%	241,822	47.4%	234,205	46.7%	222,761	44.4%	246,258	198,593	24.0%
Inventories	511,942	-	509,667	-	501,477	-	502,196	-	511,942	486,487	5.2%

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.