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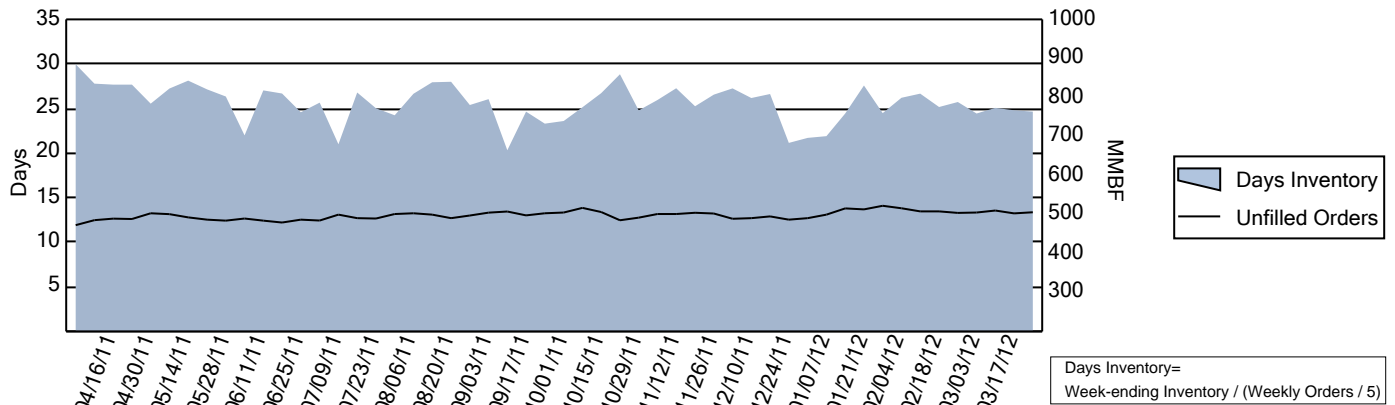
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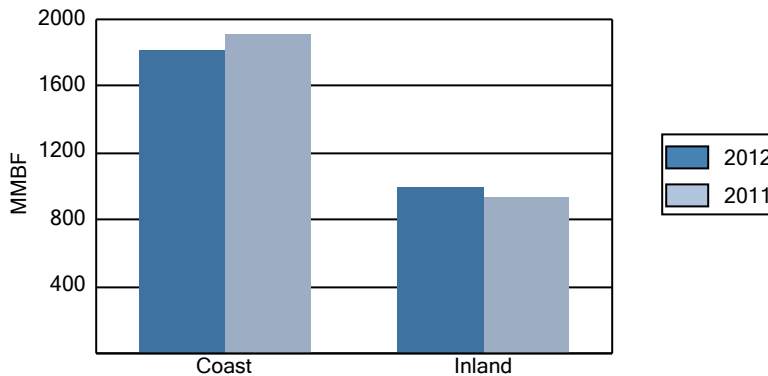
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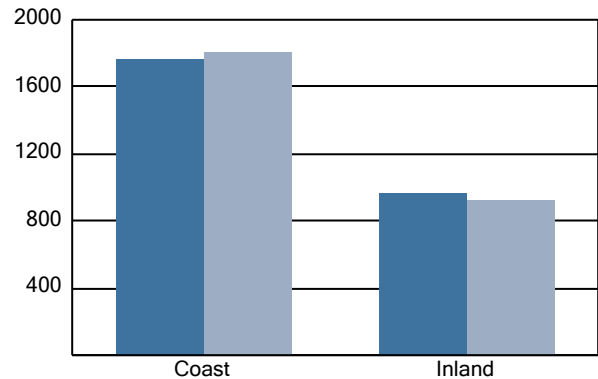
Days Inventory Based on Orders



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	250,623	21.1%	245,516	20.9%	241,926	20.6%	236,683	20.4%	2,813,043	2,850,671	-1.3%
Orders	240,840	20.3%	236,836	20.2%	234,035	19.9%	237,286	20.4%	2,740,909	2,739,781	0.0%
Shipments	238,173	20.1%	244,127	20.8%	228,799	19.5%	236,493	20.4%	2,729,236	2,728,046	0.0%
Unfilled Orders	505,475	42.6%	502,808	42.8%	510,098	43.5%	504,863	43.5%	505,475	481,027	5.1%
Inventories	1,187,454	-	1,175,005	-	1,173,615	-	1,160,488	-	1,187,454	1,299,745	-8.6%
Coast											
Production	162,079	22.4%	159,838	22.4%	152,776	21.5%	156,013	22.1%	1,816,432	1,912,105	-5.0%
Orders	152,811	21.1%	152,017	21.3%	149,786	21.1%	157,576	22.4%	1,770,027	1,821,571	-2.8%
Shipments	152,046	21.0%	156,436	21.9%	147,197	20.7%	157,530	22.4%	1,766,775	1,807,148	-2.2%
Unfilled Orders	261,111	36.1%	260,346	36.5%	264,765	37.3%	262,176	37.2%	261,111	290,578	-10.1%
Inventories	723,439	-	713,407	-	710,004	-	704,425	-	723,439	839,539	-13.8%
Inland											
Production	88,544	19.1%	85,678	18.6%	89,150	19.2%	80,670	17.7%	996,611	938,566	6.2%
Orders	88,029	19.0%	84,819	18.4%	84,249	18.2%	79,710	17.5%	970,882	918,210	5.7%
Shipments	86,127	18.6%	87,691	19.0%	81,602	17.6%	78,963	17.3%	962,461	920,898	4.5%
Unfilled Orders	244,364	52.7%	242,462	52.5%	245,333	52.9%	242,687	53.2%	244,364	190,449	28.3%
Inventories	464,015	-	461,598	-	463,611	-	456,063	-	464,015	460,206	0.8%

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.