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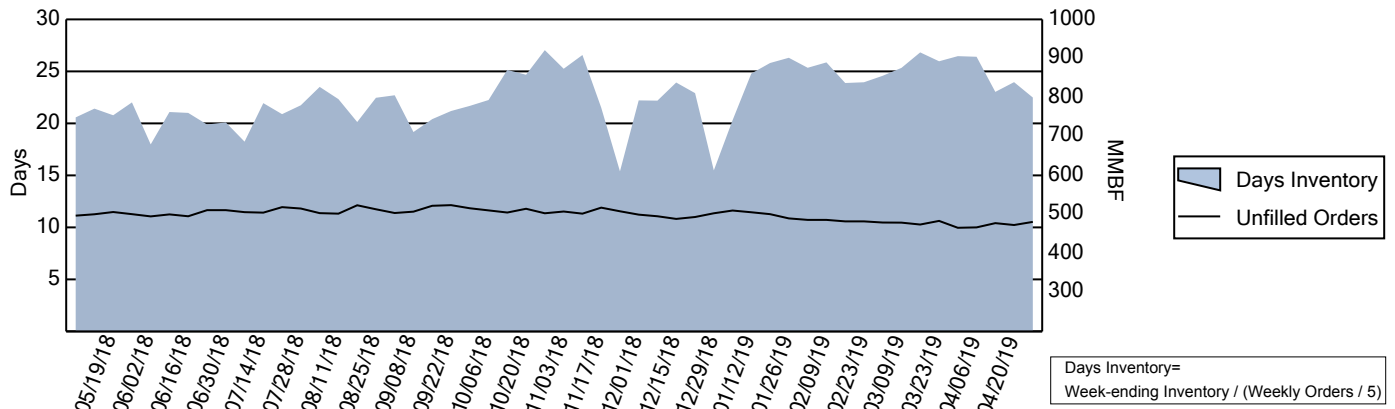
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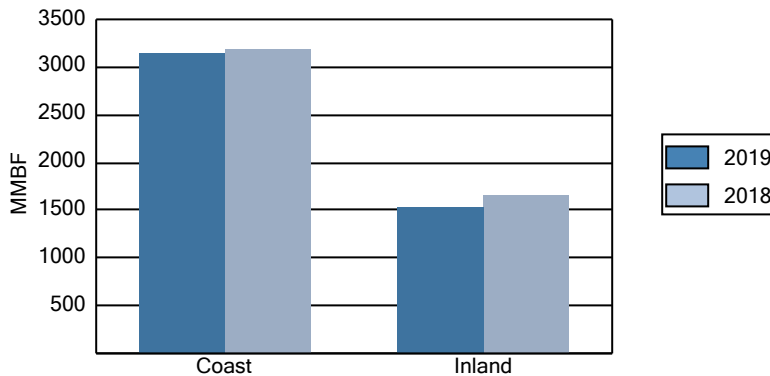
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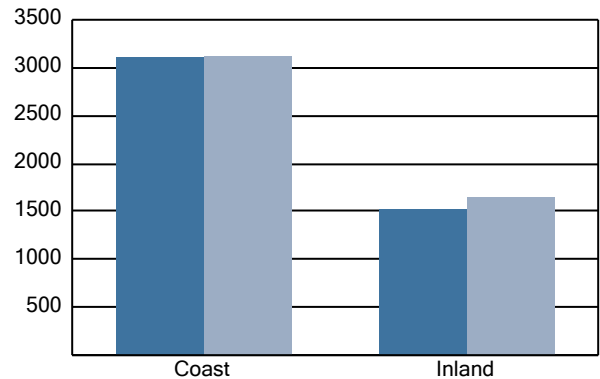
Days Inventory Based on Orders



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	276,130	20.8%	272,324	20.4%	278,332	20.7%	263,213	19.5%	4,687,197	4,840,568	-3.2%
Orders	294,694	22.2%	278,693	20.9%	292,415	21.7%	255,636	18.9%	4,606,443	4,726,666	-2.5%
Shipments	286,952	21.6%	283,451	21.2%	281,504	20.9%	254,544	18.8%	4,628,745	4,772,825	-3.0%
Unfilled Orders	480,767	36.3%	473,025	35.4%	477,783	35.5%	466,872	34.6%	480,767	484,917	-0.9%
Inventories	1,325,454	-	1,336,277	-	1,347,404	-	1,350,576	-	1,325,454	1,243,314	6.6%
Coast											
Production	186,626	23.3%	182,249	22.6%	186,408	23.0%	174,373	21.4%	3,149,598	3,184,670	-1.1%
Orders	192,620	24.1%	191,704	23.8%	188,266	23.2%	164,570	20.2%	3,074,143	3,103,937	-1.0%
Shipments	192,149	24.0%	187,419	23.2%	190,493	23.5%	161,999	19.9%	3,104,190	3,123,237	-0.6%
Unfilled Orders	280,419	35.0%	279,948	34.7%	275,663	34.0%	277,890	34.1%	280,419	279,265	0.4%
Inventories	800,832	-	806,356	-	811,526	-	815,611	-	800,832	727,821	10.0%
Inland											
Production	89,504	17.1%	90,075	17.0%	91,924	17.2%	88,840	16.6%	1,537,599	1,655,898	-7.1%
Orders	102,074	19.5%	86,989	16.4%	104,149	19.4%	91,066	17.0%	1,532,300	1,622,729	-5.6%
Shipments	94,803	18.1%	96,032	18.1%	91,011	17.0%	92,545	17.3%	1,524,555	1,649,588	-7.6%
Unfilled Orders	200,348	38.2%	193,077	36.4%	202,120	37.7%	188,982	35.3%	200,348	205,652	-2.6%
Inventories	524,622	-	529,921	-	535,878	-	534,965	-	524,622	515,493	1.8%

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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	Mar-2019	Feb-2019	Jan-2019	Dec-2018	Nov-2018	Oct-2018
Coast Region	51.7 %	54.0 %	52.4 %	55.5 %	56.2 %	60.1 %
Inland Region	63.7 %	63.5 %	64.7 %	66.7 %	65.1 %	62.9 %
Western Totals	57.7 %	58.6 %	58.6 %	61.1 %	60.6 %	61.5 %

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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