

## **BAROMETER**

For the week ending: December 8, 2012

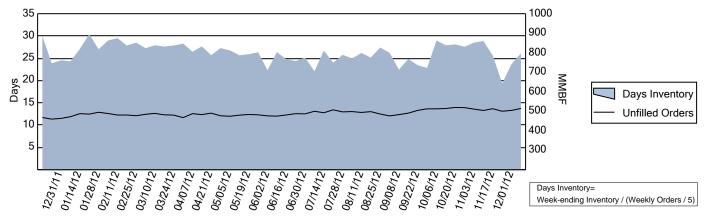
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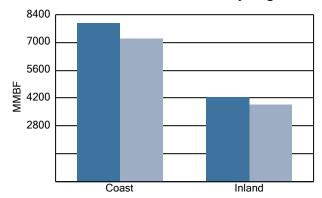




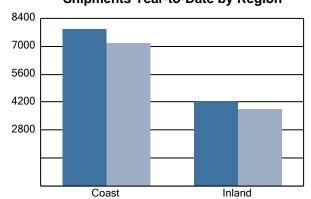
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## **Production Year-to-Date by Region**



## **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	256,366	18.5%	272,628	19.7%	228,735	16.4%	274,507	19.7%	12,243,160	11,064,704	10.7%
Orders	265,109	19.2%	291,707	21.1%	215,908	15.5%	272,279	19.5%	12,126,328	11,023,326	10.0%
Shipments	255,463	18.5%	283,907	20.5%	229,211	16.4%	262,237	18.8%	12,081,918	11,002,923	9.8%
<b>Unfilled Orders</b>	514,015	37.1%	504,369	36.5%	499,691	35.8%	512,993	36.8%	514,015	463,522	10.9%
Inventories	1,383,707	-	1,382,803	-	1,394,082	-	1,394,558	-	1,383,707	1,267,772	9.1%
Coast											
Production	165,965	19.4%	179,828	21.0%	153,182	17.8%	175,244	20.4%	7,983,163	7,192,096	11.0%
Orders	173,810	20.3%	185,402	21.6%	145,030	16.8%	172,764	20.1%	7,873,312	7,138,203	10.3%
Shipments	168,804	19.7%	182,466	21.3%	151,079	17.6%	169,929	19.8%	7,864,423	7,154,548	9.9%
<b>Unfilled Orders</b>	269,143	31.5%	264,137	30.8%	264,323	30.7%	270,372	31.5%	269,143	258,981	3.9%
Inventories	855,360	-	858,199	-	860,837	-	858,735	-	855,360	776,720	10.1%
Inland											
Production	90,401	17.1%	92,800	17.7%	75,553	14.2%	99,263	18.5%	4,259,997	3,872,608	10.0%
Orders	91,299	17.3%	106,305	20.3%	70,878	13.3%	99,515	18.6%	4,253,016	3,885,123	9.5%
Shipments	86,659	16.4%	101,441	19.3%	78,132	14.7%	92,308	17.2%	4,217,495	3,848,375	9.6%
<b>Unfilled Orders</b>	244,872	46.3%	240,232	45.8%	235,368	44.1%	242,621	45.3%	244,872	204,541	19.7%
Inventories	528,347	-	524,604	-	533,245	-	535,823	-	528,347	491,052	7.6%

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.