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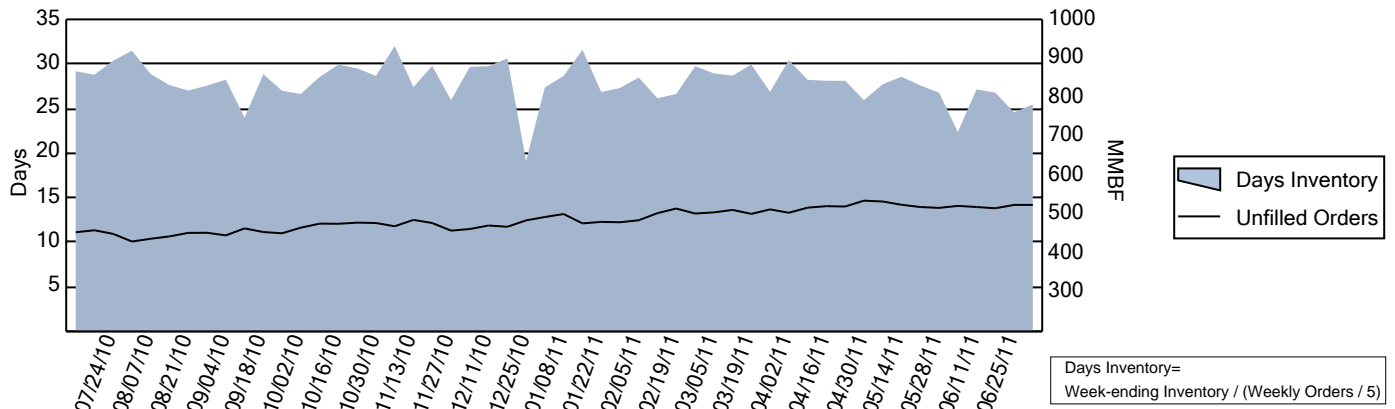
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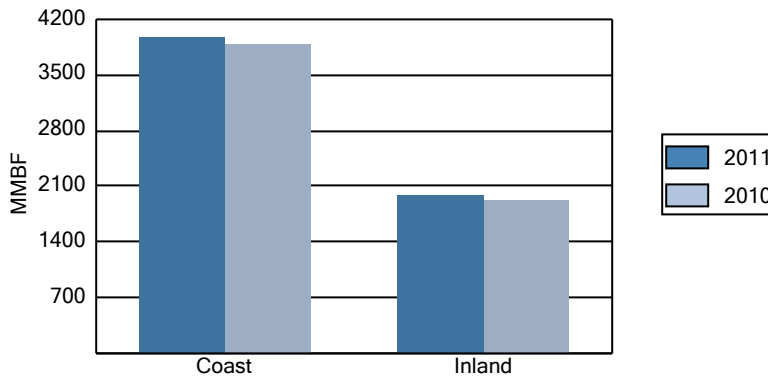
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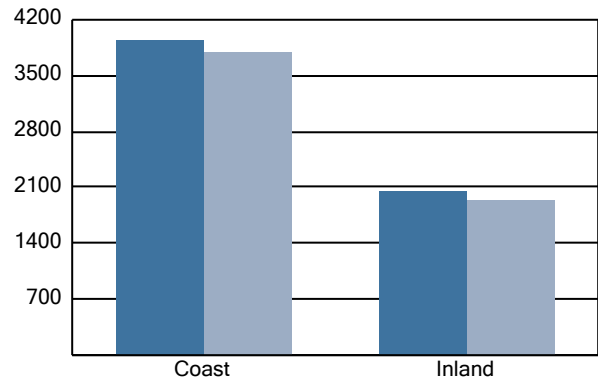
## Days Inventory Based on Orders



## 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.
<b>Western</b>											
Production	215,430	18.1%	233,280	19.4%	232,411	19.2%	215,202	17.9%	5,971,901	5,829,115	2.4%
Orders	233,059	19.6%	245,219	20.3%	225,543	18.7%	221,813	18.4%	6,004,555	5,784,615	3.8%
Shipments	233,112	19.6%	236,717	19.6%	228,764	18.9%	224,910	18.7%	5,982,222	5,733,127	4.3%
Unfilled Orders	524,410	44.2%	524,463	43.5%	515,755	42.7%	518,976	43.1%	524,410	449,921	16.6%
Inventories	1,187,368	-	1,205,050	-	1,208,487	-	1,204,840	-	1,187,368	1,192,161	-0.4%
<b>Coast</b>											
Production	143,091	18.8%	158,142	20.4%	160,760	20.7%	147,194	19.2%	3,983,777	3,894,972	2.3%
Orders	150,634	19.8%	159,123	20.5%	157,953	20.4%	144,452	18.9%	3,932,087	3,798,853	3.5%
Shipments	157,983	20.7%	156,324	20.1%	151,675	19.6%	150,441	19.6%	3,937,066	3,789,825	3.9%
Unfilled Orders	250,278	32.8%	257,627	33.2%	254,622	32.8%	248,345	32.4%	250,278	229,825	8.9%
Inventories	762,217	-	777,109	-	775,291	-	766,206	-	762,217	758,704	0.5%
<b>Inland</b>											
Production	72,339	17.0%	75,138	17.6%	71,651	16.5%	68,008	15.5%	1,988,124	1,934,143	2.8%
Orders	82,425	19.4%	86,096	20.1%	67,590	15.6%	77,361	17.6%	2,072,468	1,985,762	4.4%
Shipments	75,129	17.7%	80,393	18.8%	77,089	17.8%	74,469	17.0%	2,045,156	1,943,302	5.2%
Unfilled Orders	274,132	64.5%	266,836	62.4%	261,133	60.3%	270,631	61.7%	274,132	220,096	24.6%
Inventories	425,151	-	427,941	-	433,196	-	438,634	-	425,151	433,457	-1.9%

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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	May-2011	Apr-2011	Mar-2011	Feb-2011	Jan-2011	Dec-2010
Coast Region	51.7 %	54.8 %	54.4 %	52.7 %	52.6 %	57.2 %
Inland Region	60.8 %	57.5 %	57.1 %	56.5 %	55.3 %	58.1 %
Western Totals	55.7 %	56.1 %	55.6 %	54.5 %	53.9 %	57.7 %

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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