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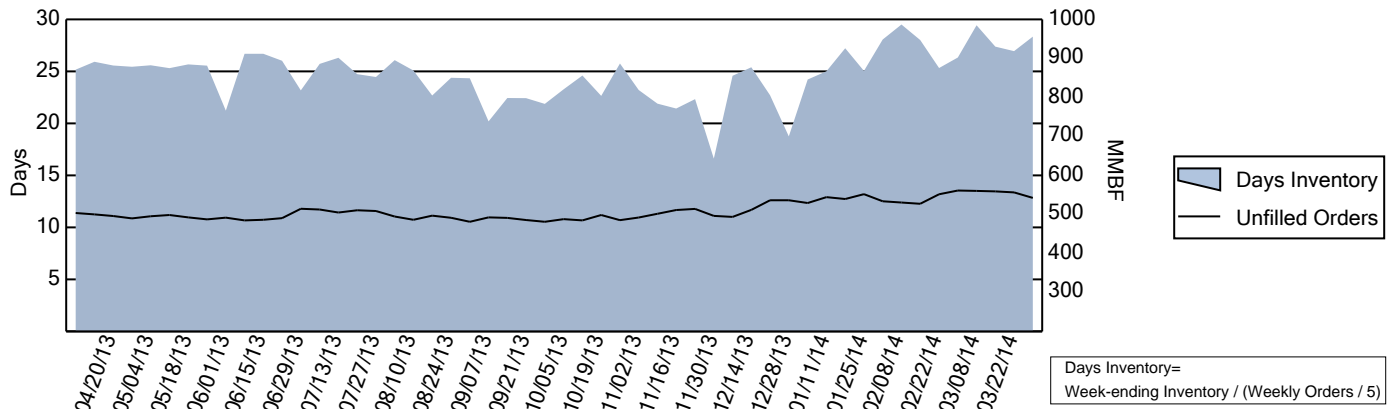
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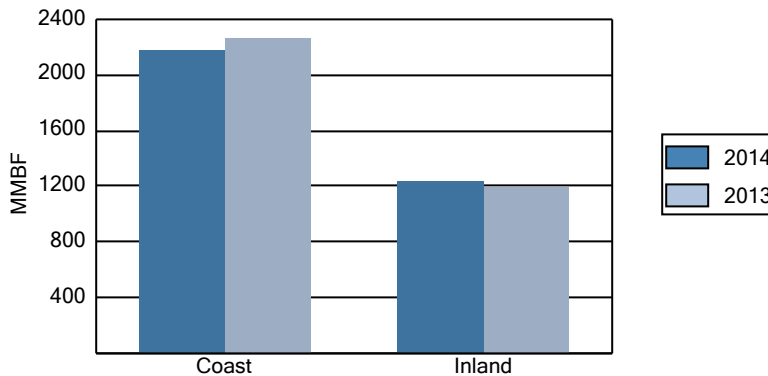
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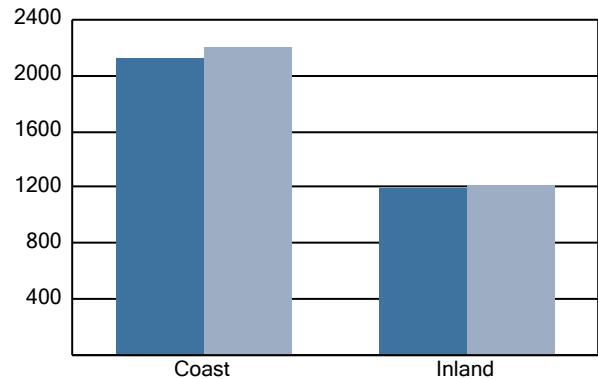
Days Inventory Based on Orders



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	265,736	19.2%	258,666	18.8%	266,116	19.4%	244,806	18.0%	3,420,276	3,455,681	-1.0%
Orders	243,830	17.6%	255,016	18.6%	250,798	18.3%	230,917	17.0%	3,321,352	3,422,947	-3.0%
Shipments	257,953	18.7%	257,693	18.7%	251,994	18.3%	232,063	17.1%	3,315,518	3,423,095	-3.1%
Unfilled Orders	542,353	39.2%	556,476	40.5%	559,152	40.7%	560,349	41.2%	542,353	493,572	9.9%
Inventories	1,382,312	-	1,374,529	-	1,373,557	-	1,359,434	-	1,382,312	1,308,602	5.6%
Coast											
Production	170,490	20.7%	166,757	20.4%	169,173	20.8%	155,659	19.3%	2,180,690	2,262,749	-3.6%
Orders	164,460	20.0%	161,051	19.7%	160,431	19.7%	148,537	18.4%	2,138,154	2,230,890	-4.2%
Shipments	165,116	20.1%	163,163	19.9%	160,557	19.7%	151,972	18.9%	2,121,947	2,205,263	-3.8%
Unfilled Orders	316,048	38.4%	316,704	38.7%	318,816	39.1%	318,942	39.6%	316,048	296,901	6.4%
Inventories	823,410	-	818,036	-	814,443	-	805,827	-	823,410	825,483	-0.3%
Inland											
Production	95,246	17.0%	91,909	16.5%	96,943	17.3%	89,147	16.1%	1,239,586	1,192,932	3.9%
Orders	79,370	14.2%	93,965	16.9%	90,367	16.2%	82,380	14.9%	1,183,198	1,192,057	-0.7%
Shipments	92,837	16.6%	94,530	17.0%	91,437	16.4%	80,091	14.5%	1,193,571	1,217,832	-2.0%
Unfilled Orders	226,305	40.5%	239,772	43.1%	240,336	43.0%	241,407	43.6%	226,305	196,671	15.1%
Inventories	558,902	-	556,493	-	559,114	-	553,607	-	558,902	483,119	15.7%

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Finished Inventory / Total Inventory	Jan-2014	Dec-2013	Nov-2013	Oct-2013	Sep-2013	Aug-2013
Coast Region	53.4 %	54.3 %	55.8 %	55.6 %	56.3 %	58.4 %
Inland Region	63.1 %	63.5 %	61.5 %	58.7 %	56.4 %	61.3 %
Western Totals	58.2 %	58.9 %	58.4 %	57.1 %	56.3 %	59.8 %

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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