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### PULPWOOD PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND INVENTORIES

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This memorandum covers production, consumption and inventories of pulpwood and roundwood cut for making pulp, whether in tree lengths or in short bolts and with or without bark, is converted to rough cord (i.e. unbarked or unpeeled wood) equivalents by means of appropriate factors. Mill residues, such as pulp chips, slabs and edgings, etc., are excluded.

Pulpwood is produced either for domestic consumption or for export. The figures given below are compiled from monthly returns by pulp-mills to D.B.S. and by exporters to the Department of Trade and Commerce. Occasional duplications have been corrected. Both series were initially started by Timber Control during World War II.

The figures for inventories cover all cut or purchased pulpwood in land or water storage, (i.e. mill block-pile, rivers and lakes, road side, etc.) at the end of each period, whether intended for domestic consumption or for export. The provincial consumption and inventory figures include imports from other provinces or countries.

Under each heading the memorandum gives comparable data by months and cumulative totals for logging season (ending May 31) and calendar year to date.

Provinces	February 1960	January 1960	February 1959	June 1/59 to Feb. 29/60	First 2 months 1960	First 2 months 1959
<b>PRODUCTION:</b>						
<b>Rough Cords</b>						
Newfoundland .....	29,513	30,919	18,449	752,833	60,432	23,229
Prince Edward Island	300	-	499	20,938	300	650
Nova Scotia .....	19,426	15,624	15,495	154,261	35,050	38,988
New Brunswick .....	56,470	91,137	67,940	1,070,579	147,607	145,692
Quebec .....	195,740	345,534	124,516	5,737,194	541,274	476,558
Ontario .....	300,701	380,317	245,789	3,294,428	681,018	493,414
Manitoba .....	55,187	39,296	45,669	159,690	94,483	84,200
Saskatchewan .....	7,823	5,334	6,645	29,872	13,157	11,647
Alberta .....	35,006	19,105	21,431	234,080	54,111	37,845
British Columbia....	170,788	154,895	137,772	1,601,154	325,683	243,053
CANADA ...	870,954	1,082,161	684,205	13,055,029	1,953,115	1,555,276



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Provinces	February 1960	January 1960	February 1959	June 1/59 to *Feb. 29/60	First 2 months 1960	First 2 months 1959
<u>CONSUMPTION</u>			<u>Rough Cords</u>			
Atlantic Provinces..	188,640	177,284	153,237	1,602,264	365,924	317,870
Quebec .....	469,575	443,382	463,422	4,187,992	912,957	875,660
Ontario .....	298,911	299,859	268,824	2,683,037	598,770	556,478
Prairie Provinces ..	35,841	40,200	36,922	339,101	76,041	73,029
British Columbia ...	170,376	160,871	143,718	1,624,187	331,247	293,118
CANADA ...	1,163,343	1,121,596	1,066,123	10,436,581	2,284,939	2,116,155

Provinces	February 29, 1960	January 31, 1960	February 28, 1959	May 31, 1959
<u>INVENTORIES:</u>		<u>Rough Cords</u>		
Newfoundland .....	1,157,984	1,194,193	1,115,329	1,014,424
Prince Edward Island	-	-	7,020	7,020
Nova Scotia .....	199,392	197,548	201,966	266,060
New Brunswick .....	1,662,586	1,735,481	1,649,126	1,430,518
Quebec .....	7,190,424	7,465,672	6,859,560	5,936,462
Ontario .....	3,622,993	3,658,192	3,571,652	3,083,823
Manitoba .....	146,494	120,881	148,612	150,809
Saskatchewan .....	4,659	5,845	4,261	3,328
Alberta .....	200,772	194,165	264,007	214,309
British Columbia ...	247,753	247,494	295,541	290,318
CANADA ...	14,433,057	14,819,471	14,117,074	12,397,071

\* Note - Cumulative Consumption in the January report is wrong. Quantities should read:  
Atlantic Provinces - 1,413,624, Quebec - 3,718,417, Ontario - 2,384,126, Prairie  
Provinces - 303,260, British Columbia - 1,453,811, Total Canada - 9,273,238.