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PULPWOOD PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION AND INVENTORIES

MARCH, 1962

This memorandum covers production, consumption and inventories of pulpwood. All 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.

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. Inventory figures 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.

| Provinces | March 1962 | February 1962 | March 1961 | June 1/61 to March 31/62 | Jan. 1/62 to March 31/62 | Jan. 1/61 to March 31/61 |
|-------------------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| rough cords | | | | | | |
| Production: | | | | | | |
| Newfoundland ... | 21,090 | 16,326 | 151 | 793,642 | 56,648 | 23,659 |
| Prince Edward Island | 1,200 | 800 | 600 | 16,761 | 2,800 | 1,460 |
| Nova Scotia | 52,556 | 23,747 | 34,352 | 347,154 | 113,698 | 75,188 |
| New Brunswick .. | 69,349 | 84,068 | 42,495 | 1,217,428 | 286,544 | 153,247 |
| Quebec | 148,646 | 176,916 | 133,217 | 5,639,997 | 597,270 | 643,431 |
| Ontario | 273,655 | 280,839 | 157,938 | 3,281,512 | 838,176 | 681,642 |
| Manitoba | 30,240 | 24,967 | 24,785 | 146,387 | 85,754 | 113,252 |
| Saskatchewan ... | 5,929 | 4,617 | 4,008 | 30,805 | 14,846 | 15,763 |
| Alberta | 21,866 | 27,601 | 35,549 | 272,156 | 66,071 | 115,351 |
| British Columbia | 202,596 | 170,836 | 163,406 | 1,832,563 | 517,936 | 441,888 |
| Canada | 827,127 | 810,717 | 596,501 | 13,578,405 | 2,579,743 | 2,264,881 |

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rough cords

Consumption:

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| Atlantic Provinces | 208,961 | 188,851 | 178,145 | 1,978,299 | 618,897 | 543,576 |
| Quebec | 487,854 | 460,361 | 490,900 | 4,941,232 | 1,435,215 | 1,400,479 |
| Ontario | 328,117 | 301,588 | 321,130 | 3,078,151 | 944,428 | 931,446 |
| Prairie Provinces | 25,344 | 48,025 | 42,925 | 382,145 | 111,822 | 118,251 |
| British Columbia | 224,518 | 190,271 | 182,918 | 1,935,272 | 591,824 | 538,024 |
| Canada | 1,274,794 | 1,189,096 | 1,216,018 | 12,315,099 | 3,702,186 | 3,531,776 |

March 31,
1962

February 28,
1962

March 31,
1961

May 31,
1961

rough cords

Inventories:

| | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Newfoundland | 1,167,455 | 1,214,598 | 1,262,419 | 1,146,241 |
| Prince Edward Island | - | - | - | - |
| Nova Scotia | 257,230 | 261,355 | 217,132 | 239,447 |
| New Brunswick | 1,534,734 | 1,595,437 | 1,651,001 | 1,489,267 |
| Quebec | 6,942,790 | 7,289,953 | 7,279,710 | 6,557,166 |
| Ontario | 3,060,548 | 3,143,228 | 3,390,070 | 3,056,436 |
| Manitoba | 116,940 | 108,118 | 157,344 | 135,850 |
| Saskatchewan | 7,348 | 7,701 | 7,520 | 6,172 |
| Alberta | 245,375 | 238,793 | 276,374 | 251,062 |
| British Columbia | 410,082 | 443,365 | 359,542 | 380,882 |
| Canada | 13,742,502 | 14,302,548 | 14,601,112 | 13,262,523 |