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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS

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TABLE 1. Summary of Plywood Statistics

	February		Two months ended February(3)	
	1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965
	M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded(1)			
<u>Softwood Plywood</u>				
Production:				
British Columbia	164,969	126,243	343,524	251,762
East of Rockies	9,024	8,357	17,672	16,126
Totals	173,993	134,600	361,196	267,888
Shipments:				
British Columbia	169,570	107,653	343,882	206,623
East of Rockies	9,504	5,687	17,654	9,377
Totals	179,074	113,340	361,536	216,000
Stocks on hand:				
British Columbia	104,007	129,570	...	...
East of Rockies	8,818	10,601	...	...
Totals	112,825	140,171	...	...
Exports(2) (Trade of Canada):				
Douglas fir - Totals	37,946	31,298	69,926	64,169
United Kingdom ..	34,506	26,585	63,962	56,440
Other softwood - Totals	71	204	210	543
United Kingdom	66	201	123	488
Total exports	38,017	31,502	70,136	64,712
	February			
	1964		1965	
Price indexes (1956=100):				
Douglas fir plywood	91.5		91.0	
Veneers and plywoods industry	90.6		96.6	

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides. (2) Data shown on sq. ft. 1/4" basis. (3) Includes revisions for January, see Page 8, Table 8 for details. ... Figures not appropriate or applicable. ^r Revised figures.

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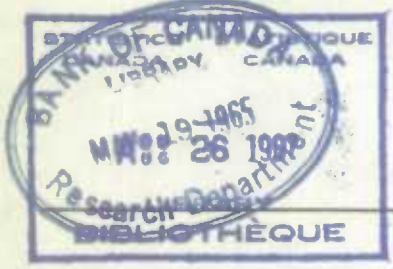


TABLE 2. Consumption of Peeler Logs

	February		Two months ended February	
	1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965
	M ft. b.m.			
Softwoods:				
Douglas fir	41,861	42,099	89,181	84,548
Hemlock	1,179	411	2,281	744
Spruce	3,480	5,656	6,638	11,234
Other	4,659	4,902	9,418	9,688
Totals	51,179	53,068	107,518	106,214
Hardwoods:				
Birch, yellow	7,273	6,763	14,146	13,578
Birch, white	(1)	300	(1)	643
Maple	948	972	1,697	1,795
Elm	337	179	658	328
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	5,565	4,868	10,585	9,647
Basswood	231	166	448	372
Mahogany, oak and walnut	374	351	623	745
Other (ash, etc.)	79	80	187	210
Totals	14,807	13,679	28,344	27,318



(1) Included with Birch, yellow.

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 3. Production, Shipments and Stocks of Veneers (for sale as such)

	Production		Shipments				Stocks at end of month	
	1964 ^r	1965	Domestic		Export		1964 ^r	1965
			1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965		
	M sq. ft.							
<u>February</u>								
Not over 1/20" thick:								
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hemlock, spruce and other	566	597	480	462	86	135	-	-
Totals	566	597	480	462	86	135	-	-
Hardwoods:								
Birch, yellow	79,852	82,012	27,535	27,395	49,090	56,384	61,352	95,287
Birch, white	(1)	874	(1)	66	(1)	1,265	(1)	2,980
Maple	2,116	1,909	719	690	880	1,045	2,276	2,035
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	40	583	111	573	-	-	39	252
Mahogany, oak and walnut ..	5,094	5,027	1,660	1,852	2,800	3,624	9,840	8,315
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	1,519	2,568	1,286	878	178	1,133	4,570	8,611
Totals	88,621	92,973	31,311	31,454	52,948	63,451	78,077	117,480
Over 1/20" thick:								
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	5,614	4,869	5,220	3,982	394	2,154	27	27
Hemlock, spruce and other	7,697	22,867	3,590	20,815	4,339	1,883	2,166	172
Totals	13,311	27,736	8,810	24,797	4,733	4,037	2,193	199
Hardwoods:								
Birch, yellow	1,217	1,167	328	261	1,102	880	492	604
Birch, white	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-
Maple	3,036	2,665	2,903	2,204	309	251	1,429	1,807
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	945	175	823	175	-	-	500	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	1,054	514	947	489	106	11	302	284
Totals	6,252	4,521	5,001	3,129	1,517	1,142	2,723	2,695

(1) Included with Birch, yellow.

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 4. Production and Shipments of Veneers (for sale as such)

	Production		Shipments			
	1964 ^r	1965	Domestic		Export	
			1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965
	M sq. ft.					
<u>Two months ended February</u>						
Not over 1/20" thick:						
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hemlock, spruce and other ..	1,330	1,248	985	798	345	450
Totals	1,330	1,248	985	798	345	450
Hardwoods:						
Birch, yellow	160,658	167,358	51,155	54,168	104,385	106,782
Birch, white	(1)	3,786	(1)	340	(1)	3,622
Maple	3,079	2,715	1,309	1,341	1,127	1,546
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	81	1,018	187	1,016	-	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ...	9,439	8,917	4,723	3,870	3,934	4,365
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	3,750	6,670	2,271	1,872	856	2,739
Totals	177,007	190,464	59,645	62,607	110,302	119,054
Over 1/20" thick:						
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	11,738	10,866	11,369	8,712	394	2,154
Hemlock, spruce and other ..	25,025	50,772	12,715	47,476	14,400	3,127
Totals	36,763	61,638	24,084	56,188	14,794	5,281
Hardwoods:						
Birch, yellow	2,725	2,136	591	490	2,392	1,595
Birch, white	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-
Maple	5,858	5,504	4,333	4,248	3,465	998
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	1,517	340	1,154	340	-	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ...	10	-	10	-	-	-
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	1,835	800	1,522	810	386	40
Totals	11,945	8,780	7,610	5,888	6,243	2,633

(1) Included with Birch, yellow.

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 5. Production, Shipments and Stocks of Plywoods (for sale as such)

	Production		Shipments				Stocks at end of month	
	1964 ^r	1965	Domestic		Export		1964 ^r	1965
			1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965		
M sq. ft.								
<u>February</u>		3/8" thickness basis unsanded(1)						
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	158,337	116,259	130,255	75,763	32,809	24,794	101,041	120,184
Hemlock and balsam .....	..	(2)	..	(2)	..	(2)	..	(2)
Spruce and pine .....	..	13,772	..	9,135	..	(2)	..	13,883
Other .....	..	3,911	..	2,016	..	(2)	..	5,747
Totals	173,993	134,600	144,833	87,188	34,241	26,152	112,825	140,171
M sq. ft.								
Hardwoods:								
1/4" thickness basis sanded both sides								
Birch, yellow	12,268	7,716	9,209	5,665	2,908	2,722	11,933	10,451
Birch, white	(3)	1,809	(3)	1,407	(3)	(2)	(3)	2,298
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	19,859	16,635	18,856	15,392	592	(2)	6,111	9,777
Mahogany	1,972	2,406	2,309	2,214	15	(2)	1,102	1,567
Oak	387	303	249	235	-	(2)	479	440
Walnut	1,100	1,054	995	1,003	16	(2)	677	632
Other (ash, elm, basswood, maple, etc.)	1,578	1,212	1,566	1,231	58	100	1,032	1,009
Totals	37,164	31,135	33,184	27,147	3,589	3,268	21,334	26,174

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides.

(2) Confidential.

(3) Included with Birch, yellow.

.. Figures not available.

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 6. Production and Shipments of Plywoods (for sale as such)

	Production		Shipments			
	1964 ^r	1965	Domestic		Export	
			1964 ^r	1965	1964 ^r	1965
M sq. ft.						
<u>Two months ended February</u>			3/8" thickness basis unsanded(1)			
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	329,491	231,650	263,908	142,320	66,766	49,942
Hemlock and balsam .....	..	(2)	..	(2)	..	(2)
Spruce and pine .....	..	26,500	..	16,925	..	2,132
Other .....	..	9,080	..	4,368	..	(2)
Totals	361,196	267,888	291,348	163,887	70,188	52,113
M sq. ft.						
Hardwoods:						
1/4" thickness basis sanded both sides						
Birch, yellow	21,421	15,207	15,554	10,149	5,648	5,768
Birch, white	(3)	3,339	(3)	2,853	(3)	(2)
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	38,756	32,853	36,787	27,898	765	(2)
Mahogany	3,997	4,297	4,311	3,902	19	(2)
Oak	574	501	379	470	12	(2)
Walnut	2,248	1,896	2,063	1,851	98	(2)
Other (ash, elm, basswood, maple, etc.)	2,779	2,167	2,689	2,187	127	213
Totals	69,775	60,265	61,783	49,310	6,669	6,507

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides.
 (2) Confidential.
 (3) Included with Birch, yellow.

.. Figures not available.
^r Revised figures.

TABLE 7. Distribution of Shipments of Plywoods in Canada, 1965(1)

	Softwoods				Hardwoods	
	Douglas fir	Hemlock and balsam	Spruce and pine	Other	Aspen, poplar and cottonwood	Other
	M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded				M sq. ft. 1/4" basis sanded both sides	
<u>February</u>						
Newfoundland	(2)	-	-	-	-	(2)
Prince Edward Island	(2)	-	-	-	-	(2)
Nova Scotia	1,224	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
New Brunswick	802	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Quebec	14,550	(2)	1,783	(2)	3,420	3,217
Ontario	14,170	(2)	910	(2)	6,873	5,527
Manitoba	2,701	-	(2)	(2)	425	410
Saskatchewan	2,329	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	187
Alberta	4,703	-	1,147	(2)	1,828	397
British Columbia	10,195	(2)	1,072	1,778	(2)	918
Undistributed	24,444	71	2,787	76	1,798	583
Totals	75,763	274	9,135	2,016	15,392	11,755
<u>Two months ended February</u>						
Newfoundland	(2)	-	-	-	-	(2)
Prince Edward Island	(2)	-	-	-	-	(2)
Nova Scotia	2,808	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
New Brunswick	1,599	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Quebec	26,284	(2)	3,906	(2)	6,879	6,085
Ontario	29,101	(2)	3,846	(2)	11,706	10,153
Manitoba	4,285	-	(2)	(2)	850	701
Saskatchewan	4,403	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	438
Alberta	8,061	-	2,078	(2)	3,940	576
British Columbia	18,928	(2)	1,858	2,332	(2)	1,739
Undistributed	45,794	71	2,815	399	2,951	803
Totals	142,320	274	16,925	4,368	27,898	21,412

(1) 1964 comparative data not available.

(2) Confidential.

TABLE 8. Revised Summary of Plywood Statistics

	January	
	1964	1965
M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded(1)		
<u>Softwood Plywood</u>		
Production:		
British Columbia	178,555	125,519
East of Rockies	8,648	7,769
Totals	187,203	133,288
Shipments:		
British Columbia	174,312	98,970
East of Rockies	8,150	3,690
Totals	182,462	102,660
Stocks on hand:		
British Columbia	108,608	110,980
East of Rockies	9,299	7,931
Totals	117,907	118,911

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basic sanded both sides.