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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS

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TABLE 1. Summary of Plywood Statistics

	June		Six months ended June	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded(1)				
Production:				
British Columbia	172,424	130,143	1,034,044	778,923
East of Rockies	10,624	8,502	53,749	50,513
Totals	183,048	138,645	1,087,793	829,436
Shipments:				
British Columbia	176,005	152,212	1,040,560	712,724
East of Rockies	8,789	9,079	52,838	40,499
Totals	184,794	161,291	1,093,398	753,223
Stocks on hand:				
British Columbia	97,848	150,630	...	...
East of Rockies	9,711	13,866	...	...
Totals	107,559	164,496	...	...
Exports (Trade of Canada):(2)				
Douglas fir - Totals	41,238	44,971	181,820	178,010
United Kingdom ..	35,302	36,633	162,956	145,442
Other softwood - Totals	68	825	800	2,844
United Kingdom ..	62	805	694	2,714
Total exports	41,306	45,796	182,620	180,854
June				
		1964	1965	

Price indexes (1956=100):

Douglas fir plywood	90.2	92.5
Veneers and plywoods industry	90.3	92.6

- (1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides.
- (2) Data shown covers May, latest available.
- ... Figures not appropriate or not applicable.

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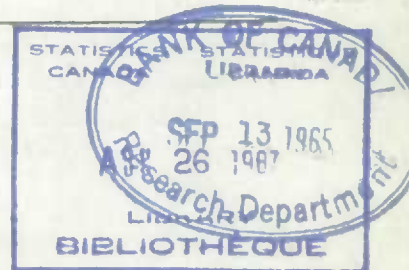


TABLE 2. Consumption of Peeler Logs

	June		Six months ended June	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
M ft. b.m.				
Softwoods:				
Douglas fir	41,066	37,297	261,723	248,999
Hemlock	383	3,966	3,761	11,831
Spruce	4,485	5,966	24,179	36,055
Other	5,812	2,126	29,948	22,455
Totals	51,746	49,355	319,611	319,340
Hardwoods:				
Birch, yellow	7,486	7,374	43,476	42,166
Birch, white	(1)	222	(1)	1,964
Maple	804	753	5,495	5,076
Elm	151	182	1,828	1,400
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	5,171	5,254	32,882	29,934
Basswood	138	321	1,141	1,573
Mahogany, oak and walnut	576	368	2,120	2,210
Other (ash, etc.)	58	96	581	596
Totals	14,384	14,570	87,523	84,919

(1) Included with Birch, yellow.

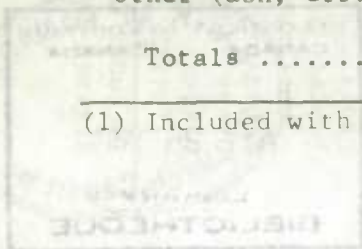


TABLE 3. Production, Shipments and Stocks of Veneers (for sale as such)

	Production		Shipments				Stocks at end of month	
	1964	1965	Domestic		Export		1964 ^r	1965
			1964	1965	1964	1965		
	M sq. ft.							
<u>June</u>								
Not over 1/20" thick:								
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hemlock, spruce and other	937	902	737	902	200	-	-	-
Totals	937	902	737	902	200	-	-	-
Hardwoods:								
Birch, yellow	94,031	90,860	37,392	28,130	47,364	58,704	70,353	86,661
Birch, white	(1)	2,170	(1)	92	(1)	2,070	(1)	3,124
Maple	1,037	1,268	884	249	865	1,339	2,806	2,452
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	-	54	7	28	-	-	190	168
Mahogany, oak and walnut ..	5,067	6,352	1,930	1,700	4,161	3,715	10,005	8,848
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	1,891	3,147	842	1,538	477	1,847	4,930	8,806
Totals	102,026	103,851	41,055	31,737	52,867	67,675	88,284	110,059
Over 1/20" thick:								
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	6,903	10,503	6,903	10,503	-	-	27	102
Hemlock, spruce and other	5,284	18,369	4,716	17,586	427	1,102	144	143
Totals	12,187	28,872	11,619	28,089	427	1,102	171	245
Hardwoods:								
Birch, yellow	1,675	2,262	275	533	797	1,575	1,128	1,016
Birch, white	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-
Maple	2,916	3,069	1,347	2,494	444	475	3,850	1,616
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	1,800	32	1,972	32	-	-	546	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	507	511	373	459	-	34	621	410
Totals	6,898	5,874	3,967	3,518	1,241	2,084	6,145	3,042

(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	1965	1964	1965
	M sq. ft.					
<u>Six months ended June</u>						
Not over 1/20" thick:						
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hemlock, spruce and other ..	4,491	3,513	3,936	3,036	555	477
Totals	4,491	3,513	3,936	3,036	555	477
Hardwoods:						
Birch, yellow	503,676	514,635	167,861	180,383	321,606	336,470
Birch, white	(1)	13,737	(1)	971	(1)	12,798
Maple	11,388	11,616	4,293	3,059	5,598	8,312
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	353	1,324	308	1,406	-	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ...	29,272	30,953	12,386	11,940	15,973	17,798
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	12,627	20,721	6,351	7,228	4,822	11,239
Totals	557,316	592,986	191,199	204,987	347,999	386,617
Over 1/20" thick:						
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	36,267	48,672	35,134	44,299	1,158	4,304
Hemlock, spruce and other ..	50,620	124,532	38,050	117,834	16,672	6,942
Totals	86,887	173,204	73,184	162,133	17,830	11,246
Hardwoods:						
Birch, yellow	7,947	8,326	1,737	1,488	5,817	6,375
Birch, white	(1)	-	(1)	-	(1)	-
Maple	18,599	15,661	12,620	12,628	5,513	2,966
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	5,930	639	5,521	639	-	-
Mahogany, oak and walnut ...	10	-	10	-	-	-
Other (ash, basswood, elm, etc.)	5,303	2,529	4,064	2,145	957	308
Totals	37,789	27,155	23,952	16,900	12,287	9,649

(1) Included with Birch, yellow.

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 5. Production, Shipments and Stocks of Plywoods

	Production		Shipments				Stocks at end of month	
	1964	1965	Domestic		Export		1964	1965
			1964	1965	1964	1965		
M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded(1)								
<u>June</u>								
Softwoods:								
Douglas fir	162,949	118,946	127,979	108,852	38,145	31,076	93,516	139,962
Hemlock and balsam .....	..	(2)	..	(2)	..	-	..	(2)
Spruce and pine .....	..	13,188	..	13,854	..	(4)	..	14,859
Other .....	..	6,511	..	6,375	..	(4)	..	9,675
Totals	183,048	138,645	145,167	129,081	39,627	32,210	107,559	164,496
M sq. ft. 1/4" basis sanded both sides								
Hardwoods:								
Birch, yellow	10,174	9,144	5,983	6,103	3,592	2,384	11,207	11,175
Birch, white	(3)	1,506	(3)	1,271	(3)	(4)	(3)	1,666(5)
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	18,030	17,289	15,492	15,432	61	-	9,554	11,284(5)
Mahogany	2,061	2,157	1,915	1,898	1	(4)	1,778	1,864
Oak	357	297	246	280	6	(4)	525	352
Walnut	814	1,032	887	999	6	(4)	860	472
Other (ash, elm, bass- wood, maple, etc.)	1,351	1,136	1,291	959	17	176	1,628	1,215
Totals	32,787	32,561	25,814	26,942	3,683	2,899	25,552	28,028(5)

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides. (2) Included with other Softwoods. (3) Included with Birch, yellow. (4) Confidential. (5) Will not balance due to physical Inventory adjustment. .. Figures not available.

TABLE 6. Production and Shipments of Plywoods

	Production		Shipments			
	1964	1965	Domestic		Export	
			1964	1965	1964	1965
M sq. ft. 3/8" basis unsanded(1)						
<u>Six months ended June</u>						
Softwoods:						
Douglas fir	983,392	722,220	783,239	513,567	207,648	149,487
Hemlock and balsam .....	..	(2)	..	(2)	..	(2)
Spruce and pine .....	..	76,175	..	61,092	..	(4)
Other .....	..	31,041	..	22,674	..	(4)
Totals	1,087,793	829,436	876,222	597,333	217,176	155,890
M sq. ft. 1/4" basis sanded both sides						
Hardwoods:						
Birch, yellow	64,701	50,475	45,448	33,754	19,688	16,707
Birch, white	(3)	10,801	(3)	8,889	(3)	(4)
Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)	117,363	102,776	110,363	94,157	1,832	(4)
Mahogany	13,133	13,937	12,792	13,223	20	(4)
Oak	1,883	1,927	1,659	1,962	38	(4)
Walnut	6,771	5,777	6,427	5,780	107	(4)
Other (ash, elm, basswood, maple, etc.)	9,089	7,291	8,218	6,745	293	573
Totals	212,940	192,984	184,907	164,510	21,978	19,649

(1) 1964 data computed on 1/4" basis sanded both sides. (2) Included with other Softwoods. (3) Included with Birch, yellow. (4) Confidential. .. Figures not available.

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>June</u>						
Newfoundland	(2)	-	(2)	-	-	(2)
Prince Edward Island	(2)	-	-	-	-	-
Nova Scotia	3,099	(2)	(2)	-	-	(2)
New Brunswick	2,409	-	(2)	-	(2)	(2)
Quebec	27,512	(2)	1,771	(2)	3,817	3,986
Ontario	34,658	(2)	4,541	(2)	6,817	4,974
Manitoba	4,996	(2)	(2)	(2)	477	391
Saskatchewan	7,308	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	358
Alberta	10,609	(2)	1,282	(2)	1,548	443
British Columbia	23,414	(2)	1,282	4,460	(2)	718
Undistributed	- 6,633(3)	- 1,376(3)	3,361	882	1,774	281
Totals	108,852	570	13,854	5,805	15,432	11,510
<u>Six months ended June</u>						
Newfoundland	(2)	-	(2)	(2)	-	(2)
Prince Edward Island	(2)	-	-	-	(2)	(2)
Nova Scotia	11,479	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
New Brunswick	8,406	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Quebec	114,530	(2)	11,578	(2)	23,057	21,751
Ontario	128,003	(2)	13,754	(2)	39,514	32,001
Manitoba	25,162	(2)	(2)	(2)	3,200	2,481
Saskatchewan	25,662	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	1,550
Alberta	35,197	(2)	7,638	(2)	11,420	2,728
British Columbia	85,910	(2)	6,404	15,930	(2)	4,793
Undistributed	73,619	- 1,305(3)	10,678	2,257	10,031	2,393
Totals	513,567	1,550	61,092	21,124	94,157	70,353

(1) 1964 comparative data not available. (2) Confidential. (3) This figure is negative because it contains a discrepancy, the origin of which is not yet known.

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