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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS

MAY, 1961

(Thousand feet board measure)

		Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month
PEELER LOGS:							
Domestic softwoods:							
		Douglas fir			Hemlock and other softwoods		
May, 1961		40,126	39,429	100,181	3,439	4,553	10,905
May, 1960		32,244	36,216	84,511	10,688	4,454	11,888
April, 1961		39,241	34,323	99,484	1,926	4,384	12,026
April, 1960		41,185	35,474	88,483	2,419	2,873	5,831
5 Months, 1961		163,917	166,316	100,181	21,812	21,699	10,905
5 Months, 1960		176,059	183,041	84,511	24,314	16,655	11,888
Domestic hardwoods:							
		Birch (yellow and white)			Maple		
May, 1961		2,927	6,864	27,822	168	293	2,231
May, 1960		2,354	5,958	26,429	230	431	1,844
April, 1961		2,325	5,641	31,828	126	260	2,374
April, 1960		4,280	6,106	29,980	708	406	2,113
5 Months, 1961		40,827	27,281	27,822	1,872	1,729	2,231
5 Months, 1960		50,226	31,116	26,429	3,457	2,137	1,844
		Elm			Poplar(incl.) aspen & cottonwood		
May, 1961		125	133	1,140	2,732	3,954	10,144
May, 1960		22	99	722	2,853	4,240	15,853
April, 1961		63	93	1,152	2,321	3,328	11,367
April, 1960		313	174	797	2,485	3,347	17,223
5 Months, 1961		1,039	690	1,140	19,969	17,403	10,144
5 Months, 1960		1,365	742	722	30,506	18,921	15,853
		Basswood			Other hardwoods		
May, 1961		97	236	820	16	80	1,081
May, 1960		66	218	867	30	85	777
April, 1961		132	127	959	22	114	1,145
April, 1960		322	226	1,286	129	36	880
5 Months, 1961		1,190	718	820	958	408	1,081
5 Months, 1960		1,737	1,008	867	736	289	777
Imported woods:		Mahogany, oak, walnut, etc.					
May, 1961		84	128	217			
May, 1960		241	112	262			
April, 1961		142	119	270			
April, 1960		64	39	133			
5 Months, 1961		442	446	217			
5 Months, 1960		488	370	262			

Industry and Merchandising Division.

veneers (For sale as such):

(Thousand square feet)

		Not over 1/20" thick			Over 1/20" thick				
		Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month
			Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export	
<u>Domestic softwoods:</u>		<u>Douglas fir</u>							
May, 1961		-	-	-	-	1,146	907	244	55
May, 1960		-	-	-	-	1,284	1,168	-	136
April, 1961		-	-	-	-	628	584	202	60
April, 1960		-	-	-	-	3,998	4,048	-	20
5 Months, 1961		-	-	-	-	2,934	2,409	516	55
5 Months, 1960		-	-	-	-	12,035	11,946	-	136
		<u>Other domestic softwoods</u>							
May, 1961		390	390	-	-	1,487	343	1,173	278
May, 1960		938	844	94	-	2,169	68	1,977	1,237
April, 1961		986	452	534	-	1,516	291	1,818	307
April, 1960		1,001	426	575	-	1,270	51	2,266	113
5 Months, 1961		3,816	2,252	1,564	-	7,788	1,037	7,575	278
5 Months, 1960		4,718	2,423	2,295	-	9,917	1,468	8,827	1,237
<u>Domestic hardwoods:</u>		<u>Birch (yellow and white)</u>							
<u>High density</u>		70,066	20,893	55,693	75,064	7,915	1,916	5,677	4,704
May, 1961		58,125	14,045	36,733	49,114	693	519	152	337
May, 1960		53,582	19,863	33,367	81,585	3,396	806	3,354	4,382
April, 1961		58,246	16,251	41,064	42,385	1,240	930	165	316
April, 1960		248,525	75,841	177,607	75,064	19,721	4,205	16,756	4,704
5 Months, 1961		295,084	88,254	186,273	49,114	5,078	3,222	1,646	337
5 Months, 1960		<u>Maple</u>							
May, 1961		275	192	188	1,946	1,148	652	490	309
May, 1960		2,234	995	612	3,624	643	628	15	-
April, 1961		213	231	86	2,051	1,063	729	379	302
April, 1960		2,055	611	527	2,932	1,454	960	494	-
5 Months, 1961		1,284	1,354	548	1,946	7,361	5,970	1,342	309
5 Months, 1960		10,914	6,404	3,254	3,624	6,557	4,589	1,971	-
		<u>Other high density hardwoods(1)</u>							
May, 1961		415	439	35	661	374	380	-	75
May, 1960		507	280	-	993	127	127	-	-
April, 1961		360	338	136	720	161	136	-	81
April, 1960		153	218	-	958	134	134	-	-
5 Months, 1961		1,443	2,046	171	661	1,292	1,285	-	75
5 Months, 1960		1,113	1,303	13	993	649	649	-	-
<u>Low density</u>		<u>Poplar (including aspen and cottonwood)</u>							
May, 1961		70	58	-	165	1,516	1,195	-	850
May, 1960		32	63	-	26	5	15	-	34
April, 1961		-	39	-	153	152	480	-	529
April, 1960		38	38	-	-	770	771	-	375
5 Months, 1961		147	203	-	165	1,939	2,685	-	850
5 Months, 1960		395	426	-	26	2,938	2,854	-	34

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veneers (For sale as such):

(continued)

(Thousand square feet)

	Not over 1/20" thick			Over 1/20" thick			Stocks end of month	Stocks end of month
	Production	Shipments		Production	Shipments			
		Domestic	Export		Domestic	Export		
Domestic hardwoods:								
<u>Low density</u>		<u>Basswood and other low density hardwoods</u>						
May, 1961	185	208	-	107	226	223	-	95
May, 1960	162	196	-	53	303	229	-	121
April, 1961	185	204	-	130	339	352	-	92
April, 1960	313	511	-	87	210	216	-	47
5 Months, 1961	986	1,277	-	107	1,299	1,329	-	95
5 Months, 1960	1,373	1,454	-	53	1,467	1,379	-	121
Figured hardwoods:								
		<u>Cherry, oak, walnut, etc.</u>						
May, 1961	111	3	-	204	-	-	-	-
May, 1960	-	1	-	91	-	-	-	-
April, 1961	-	10	-	96	-	-	-	-
April, 1960	-	20	-	92	-	-	-	-
5 Months, 1961	201	255	-	204	-	-	-	-
5 Months, 1960	536	459	-	91	-	-	-	-
Imported woods:								
<u>Figured hardwoods</u>		<u>Mahogany, oak, walnut, etc.</u>						
May, 1961	2,253	1,875	481	9,359	97	97	-	-
May, 1960	2,544	2,228	-	10,974	184	184	-	-
April, 1961	2,098	937	423	9,462	55	50	5	-
April, 1960	3,490	1,623	-	10,978	50	50	-	-
5 Months, 1961	10,651	9,697	904	9,359	385	380	5	-
5 Months, 1960	12,040	12,106	137	10,974	780	780	-	-

PLYWOODS (For sale as such)

(Thousand square feet 1/4" thickness basis)
(Classified by the type of wood on the best face)

	Not over 1/20" thick			Over 1/20" thick			Stocks end of month	Stocks end of month
	Production	Shipments		Production	Shipments			
		Domestic	Export		Domestic	Export		
Domestic softwoods:								
		<u>Douglas fir</u>			<u>Other domestic softwoods</u>			
May, 1961	145,319	133,970	14,191	75,667	2,872	3,425	-	4,742
May, 1960	128,175	94,761	17,002	121,345	1,932	1,860	-	4,138
April, 1961	122,543	132,426	9,793	80,439	4,051	3,560	-	5,296
April, 1960	122,904	101,331	13,574	104,939	1,457	1,547	-	4,066
5 Months, 1961	600,083	545,110	58,599	75,667	17,911	17,387	-	4,742
5 Months, 1960	633,105	490,535	76,374	121,345	10,200	8,412	-	4,138
Domestic hardwoods								
<u>High density</u>		<u>Birch (yellow and white)</u>			<u>Other hardwoods(2)</u>			
May, 1961	8,565	5,977	2,415	8,211	130	84	6	243
May, 1960	6,319	4,497	1,869	6,735	236	205	-	325
April, 1961	6,740	5,006	1,492	8,029	37	54	6	203
April, 1960	6,705	4,746	1,660	6,986	70	34	-	294
5 Months, 1961	33,518	23,908	8,518	8,211	552	464	12	243
5 Months, 1960	33,513	22,495	9,779	6,735	542	472	-	325

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PLYWOODS (For sale as such)
(Concluded)

(Thousand square feet 1/4" thickness basis)
(Classified by the type of wood on the best face)

	Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks end of month
		Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export	
Domestic hardwoods:								
Poplar								
(Incl. aspen & cottonwood)								
Basswood and other								
Low density								
May, 1961	18,319	18,034	23	15,397	80	78	-	125
May, 1960	20,026	15,718	-	18,721	141	103	-	221
April, 1961	14,517	17,020	-	15,186	85	92	-	123
April, 1960	13,809	11,974	-	14,544	154	175	-	183
5 Months, 1961	80,258	75,555	25	15,397	346	352	-	125
5 Months, 1960	77,318	67,876	-	18,721	792	757	-	221
Figured hardwoods:								
Cherry, oak, walnut, etc.								
May, 1961	184	179	-	63				
May, 1960	117	109	-	52				
April, 1961	135	137	-	58				
April, 1960	167	168	-	44				
5 Months, 1961	859	872	-	63				
5 Months, 1960	791	803	-	52				
Imported woods:								
Low density hardwoods								
All species(3)								
May, 1961	270	260	-	10				
May, 1960	4	4	-	-				
April, 1961	-	-	-	-				
April, 1960	7	7	-	-				
5 Months, 1961	286	276	-	10				
5 Months, 1960	14	14	-	-				
Figured hardwoods:								
Mahogany								
May, 1961	797	751	5	834	187	161	1	200
May, 1960	708	548	-	729	225	209	-	172
April, 1961	306	382	15	793	95	111	1	175
April, 1960	638	679	-	569	125	121	-	156
5 Months, 1961	3,187	3,218	34	834	650	585	5	200
5 Months, 1960	3,967	3,965	-	729	775	748	-	172
Walnut								
May, 1961	822	755	3	211	412	391	4	66
May, 1960	455	445	-	44	57	57	-	9
April, 1961	636	636	4	148	186	154	-	49
April, 1960	485	478	-	35	30	33	-	9
5 Months, 1961	3,149	2,974	18	211	821	769	4	66
5 Months, 1960	2,463	2,452	-	44	179	175	-	9
Other								

- (1) Includes ash, elm, beech and other.
- (2) Includes maple, ash, elm, beech and other.
- (3) Includes aspen, poplar, cottonwood, basswood and other.

