2018 Western Lumber Production Statistics for Analysis

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Western Lumber Production Statistics for Analysis

WWPA's Western Lumber Production Statistics for Analysis is now produced in electronic form only, as Microsoft™ Excel workbooks distributed on a compact disk. The data is presented in three separate workbooks:

2018 Statistics - intro - three year detail.xls 2018 Statistics - species 2004-2018.xls 2018 Statistics - species 1980-2003.xls

Each workbook contains individual spreadsheets showing the following:

2018 Statistics - three year detail.xls

- Introduction

- Region and Species

- By Grade

- Estimated Volume 2016 - Coast DF 2016 (Douglas Fir)

- Inland DFL 2016 (Douglas Fir-Larch)

- Coast Hem-Fir 2016 - Estimated Volume 2017

- Coast DF 2017 (Douglas Fir)

- Inland DFL 2017 (Douglas Fir-Larch)

- Coast Hem-Fir 2017 - Estimated Volume 2018

- Coast DF 2018 (Douglas Fir)

- Inland DFL 2018 (Douglas Fir-Larch)

- Coast Hem-Fir 2018

- Inland HF 2016-18 (Hem-Fir)

- SP 2016-18 (Sugar Pine)

- PP 2016-18 (Ponderosa Pine)

- WW 2016-18 (White Woods)

- Selects 2016

- Shop 2016

- Commons 2016

- Dimension 2016

- Dry-Green 2016

- Studs 2016

- Timbers 2016

- Selects 2017

- Shop 2017

- Commons 2017

- Dimension 2017

- Dry-Green 2017

- Studs 2017

- Timbers 2017

- Selects 2018

- Shop 2018

- Commons 2018

- Dimension 2018

- Dry-Green 2018

- Studs 2018

- Timbers 2018

2018 Statistics - species 2004-2018.xls

- Readme
- Douglas Fir
- Douglas Fir-Larch
- Coast Hem-Fir
- Inland Hem-Fir
- Ponderosa Pine
- Sugar Pine
- White Woods

2018 Statistics - species 1980-2003.xls

- Readme
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- Douglas Fir-Larch
- Coast Hem-Fir
- Inland Hem-Fir
- Ponderosa Pine
- Sugar Pine
- Western Red Cedar
- White Woods

Statistics Detail

Prior to 2004, WWPA's Statistics for Analysis estimated Western production by extrapolating the invoice data by species and product to the industry, matching total production by species provided by WWPA's annual mill operating surveys. Since 2004, the Statistics for Analysis estimates are made based on invoice data by mill type as well as region, species and product. Mills were identified as either Framing, Stud, or Specialty.

The inclusion of mill type as well as species and product should increase the accuracy of the production estimates.

Species, grade and size breakdowns included are developed from actual mill invoice information covering almost 10 billion board feet of Western lumber sold annually. These invoices cover wholesale transactions, but do not include factory or intracompany transfers, company-use or local retail sales footages which would alter certain percentages reported here.

NOTE: Species tabs for Idaho White Pine, Incense Cedar and Sitka Spruce are not included to protect the confidentiality of individual company data.

These statistics provide production information by species, with lumber volumes for product groups, grades and sizes. Please note that in some instances rows and/or columns may not add to the total due to rounding.

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