

**Table 10a. Volume of Hardwood Lumber Exports by Species and Country, January - September 1997 - 1998**  
(Cubic Meters)

Ash	January - September	
	1997	1998
Canada	34,318	30,700
Japan	22,959	18,578
United Kingdom	12,848	11,309
Hong Kong	4,841	7,624
Mexico	1,383	2,821
China; Peoples Republic of	2,926	2,525
Taiwan	4,627	2,489
Italy	3,561	2,439
Spain	1,945	2,031
United Arab Emirates	1,687	1,805
Thailand	4,921	1,716
Germany	2,895	1,675
Sweden	1,208	1,458
Ireland	1,330	1,434
Denmark	448	1,426
Singapore	2,059	1,228
Netherlands	1,924	1,104
Malaysia	729	1,010
Greece	1,239	1,000
Saudi Arabia	481	660
All Others	9,277	5,339
<b>World</b>	<b>117,606</b>	<b>100,371</b>

Beech	January - September	
	1997	1998
Portugal	0	4,900
Canada	10,408	4,884
Taiwan	3,260	3,892
Hong Kong	7,449	1,672
United Kingdom	355	759
South Africa; Republic of	974	540
Thailand	879	518
Mexico	804	389
Spain	84	303
Barbados	296	288
China; Peoples Republic of	1,862	229
Denmark	0	172
Japan	285	102
Italy	86	63
France	152	62
Belgium-Luxembourg	48	49
Greece	0	32
Indonesia	0	29
Germany	0	28
Estonia	0	26
All Others	935	30
<b>World</b>	<b>27,877</b>	<b>18,967</b>

Birch	January - September	
	1997	1998
Canada	15,312	14,073
Mexico	1,522	2,184
Japan	1,802	1,584
United Kingdom	46	438
Hong Kong	509	256
Taiwan	130	118
Germany	741	84
Italy	163	81
Denmark	0	68
France	100	56
Iceland	0	41
South Africa; Republic of	4	41
Finland	0	36
Singapore	0	36
Greece	0	32
Belgium-Luxembourg	0	29
Portugal	0	17
Saudi Arabia	40	13
Bahamas; The	20	0
Bahrain	44	0
All Others	619	0
<b>World</b>	<b>21,052</b>	<b>19,187</b>

Cherry	January - September	
	1997	1998
Canada	33,051	37,981
Italy	11,503	11,409
United Kingdom	6,754	6,881
Belgium-Luxembourg	3,585	5,030
Hong Kong	1,942	4,944
Denmark	3,403	2,947
Netherlands	1,697	2,827
Spain	2,599	2,762
France	2,921	2,676
Portugal	1,277	2,560
Sweden	1,186	1,968
Mexico	387	1,831
Germany	1,176	1,737
Taiwan	2,359	1,616
South Africa; Republic of	1,466	1,299
Israel	722	1,049
China; Peoples Republic of	155	981
Greece	294	825
Thailand	628	818
Singapore	596	614
All Others	8,661	4,253
<b>World</b>	<b>86,362</b>	<b>97,008</b>

Hickory Pecan	January - September	
	1997	1998
Mexico	3,774	3,244
Canada	1,634	1,912
Italy	1,025	1,302
Hong Kong	1,598	977
Taiwan	1,405	695
Germany	600	680
China; Peoples Republic of	192	545
Japan	1,283	443
United Kingdom	326	402
France	423	325
Sweden	173	233
Netherlands	269	231
Korea; Republic of	133	179
Belgium-Luxembourg	390	99
Thailand	62	83
Norway	60	81
Denmark	0	61
Finland	0	20
Indonesia	35	0
Portugal	29	0
All Others	62	0
<b>World</b>	<b>13,473</b>	<b>11,512</b>

Maple	January - September	
	1997	1998
Canada	145,713	131,965
Mexico	13,079	17,485
Japan	16,137	11,239
Hong Kong	17,747	11,232
Taiwan	16,747	10,065
United Kingdom	6,668	8,385
Germany	14,298	7,015
Korea; Republic of	24,149	6,626
Italy	3,135	5,433
Thailand	4,494	4,853
Spain	1,919	3,210
Indonesia	3,809	3,203
Malaysia	3,708	2,930
France	1,161	2,714
China; Peoples Republic of	2,827	2,554
Netherlands	5,167	2,362
Belgium-Luxembourg	1,351	2,080
Sweden	1,276	1,755
Israel	2,577	1,649
Saudi Arabia	593	1,391
All Others	14,716	10,874
<b>World</b>	<b>301,271</b>	<b>249,020</b>