

Table 855. Selected Timber Products—Imports and Exports: 1990 to 2008

[In million board feet (13,063 represents 13,063,000,000) except as indicated]

Product	Unit	1990	1995	2000	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
IMPORTS ¹										
Lumber, total ²	Mil. bd. ft.	13,063	17,524	19,906	21,981	25,493	25,738	23,037	25,807	(NA)
From Canada	Percent	91	97	92	90	83	85	86	89	(NA)
Logs, total	Mil. bd. ft. ³	23	80	435	497	454	710	585	418	253
From Canada	Percent	84	70	96	98	97	85	85	91	(NA)
Paper and board ⁴	1,000 tons	12,195	14,292	17,555	20,034	21,146	20,438	20,293	18,634	16,872
Woodpulp	1,000 tons	4,893	5,969	7,227	6,691	6,726	6,762	6,939	6,793	6,272
Plywood	Mil. sq. ft. ⁵	1,687	1,951	2,917	4,489	5,896	6,325	6,324	4,969	3,722
EXPORTS										
Lumber, total ²	Mil. bd. ft.	4,623	2,958	2,700	2,193	3,842	2,682	2,651	2,613	(NA)
To: Canada	Percent	14	22	26	29	12	28	28	27	(NA)
Japan	Percent	28	33	12	7	11	3	4	4	(NA)
Europe	Percent	15	17	19	16	9	15	16	16	(NA)
Logs, total	Mil. bd. ft. ³	4,213	2,820	2,068	2,224	2,287	2,157	2,120	2,189	2,240
To: Canada	Percent	9	25	41	54	49	54	52	43	(NA)
Japan	Percent	62	61	45	29	28	27	26	26	(NA)
China	Percent	9	1	—	2	3	4	5	7	(NA)
Paper and board ⁴	1,000 tons	5,163	7,621	10,003	11,868	12,566	13,434	13,349	14,582	12,907
Woodpulp	1,000 tons	5,905	8,261	6,409	5,847	6,225	6,413	6,606	6,831	7,790
Plywood	Mil. sq. ft. ⁵	1,766	1,517	754	640	783	568	749	501	621

— Represents zero. NA Not available. ¹ Customs value of imports; see text, Section 28. ² Includes railroad ties. ³ Log scale. ⁴ Includes paper and board products. Excludes hardboard. ⁵ 3/8 inch basis.

Source: U.S. Forest Service, *U.S. Timber Production, Trade, Consumption, and Price Statistics, 1965–2005*, Research Paper RP-FPL-637 and unpublished data. See also <<http://www.treesearch.fs.fed.us/pubs/28972>>.