

In estimating the annual drain on our forest resources, certain converting factors have been used. Each of these factors represents in cubic feet the quantity of standing timber that must be cut in the forest to produce one unit of the material in question, based on the total cubic contents of the tree.

4.—Wood Cut in Operations in the Woods, Equivalents in Standing Timber and Total Values, by Chief Products, 1938,¹ with Comparative Totals, 1928-37

NOTE.—The first statistics in this series are those for 1922, published in the 1924 Year Book.

Product	Quantity Reported or Estimated	Converting Factor	Equivalent Volume in Standing Timber	Total Value
			'000 cu. ft.	\$
Totals, 1928	-	-	2,988,038	212,950,799
Totals, 1929	-	-	3,090,615	219,570,129
Totals, 1930	-	-	3,056,930	206,853,494
Totals, 1931	-	-	2,306,144	141,123,930
Totals, 1932	-	-	1,882,228	92,106,252
Totals, 1933	-	-	2,027,714	93,773,142
Totals, 1934	-	-	2,299,547	105,539,732
Totals, 1935	-	-	2,440,809	115,461,779
Totals, 1936	-	-	2,702,766	134,804,228
Totals, 1937	-	-	2,996,633	163,249,887
1938				
Logs and bolts..... M ft. b.m.	4,208,753	219	921,718	52,759,660
Pulpwood..... cord	6,306,747	117	737,889	53,761,999
Firewood..... "	9,026,080	95	857,478	32,740,566
Hewn ties..... No.	3,892,992	12	46,716	2,222,509
Poles..... "	635,395	13	8,260	2,824,512
Round mining timber..... cu. ft.	6,924,534	1-3	9,002	1,297,993
Posts..... No.	14,196,910	2	28,394	978,679
Wood for distillation..... cord	64,374	123	7,918	298,110
Fence-rails..... No.	4,880,300	3	14,641	264,480
Miscellaneous products..... cord	176,766	-	20,682	1,117,349
Totals, 1938	-	-	2,652,698	148,265,857

¹ The total value of woods operations in 1939 was \$157,747,398.

5.—Equivalent Volumes of Standing Timber Cut and Values of Products of Woods Operations, by Provinces, 1937 and 1938¹

Province	Equivalent Volumes in Standing Timber		Values of Products	
	1937	1938	1937	1938
	'000 cu. ft.	'000 cu. ft.	\$	\$
Prince Edward Island.....	12,882	12,526	548,074	524,511
Nova Scotia.....	137,823	132,938	7,399,065	7,475,334
New Brunswick.....	217,098	190,511	13,157,666	12,670,798
Quebec.....	1,050,087	890,590	58,577,529	42,182,132
Ontario.....	629,826	576,278	37,668,861	34,797,120
Manitoba.....	73,897	65,380	2,812,234	2,299,214
Saskatchewan.....	79,627	81,443	2,099,475	2,252,936
Alberta.....	105,646	104,630	3,196,988	3,169,009
British Columbia.....	689,747	598,402	37,789,995	42,894,803
Totals	2,996,633	2,652,698	163,249,887	148,265,857

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