

The predominant part played by the lumber and other forest products industries in the development of Canada has resulted in a widespread tendency to evaluate the forests in terms of timber alone. A growing realization of the economic importance of the non-timber values, however, is bringing about increasing recognition of the true value of the forests and is thus developing a broader concept of forestry.

### 1.—Estimate of Standing Timber, by Type and Size and by Province and Region, 1960

Province and Region	Conifers			Broadleaved			Totals		
	Large Material <sup>1</sup>	Smaller Material <sup>2</sup>	Total	Large Material <sup>1</sup>	Smaller Material <sup>2</sup>	Total	Large Material <sup>1</sup>	Smaller Material <sup>2</sup>	Total
Accessible	Million cu. ft.	'000 cords	Million cu. ft.	Million cu. ft.	'000 cords	Million cu. ft.	Million cu. ft.	'000 cords	Million cu. ft.
Newfoundland.....	2,296	129,225	13,281	293	3,755	612	2,589	132,980	13,893
Labrador.....	1,101	63,348	6,486	83	2,135	269	1,184	65,633	6,765
Island.....	1,186	65,877	6,755	210	1,570	343	1,405	67,447	7,138
Prince Edward Island...	43	668	99	10	455	49	53	1,123	148
Nova Scotia.....	2,149	50,824	6,469	1,529	20,988	3,313	3,678	71,812	9,782
New Brunswick.....	4,299	89,977	11,947	2,652	26,694	4,921	6,951	116,671	16,868
<b>TOTALS, ATLANTIC PROVINCES.....</b>	<b>8,787</b>	<b>270,694</b>	<b>31,796</b>	<b>4,484</b>	<b>51,892</b>	<b>8,895</b>	<b>13,271</b>	<b>322,586</b>	<b>40,691</b>
Quebec.....	6,471	426,594	42,732	2,360	174,550	17,197	8,831	601,144	59,929
Ontario.....	16,785	404,493	51,167	17,633	187,844	33,599	34,418	592,337	84,766
<b>TOTALS, CENTRAL PROVINCES.....</b>	<b>23,256</b>	<b>831,087</b>	<b>93,899</b>	<b>19,993</b>	<b>362,394</b>	<b>50,796</b>	<b>43,249</b>	<b>1,193,481</b>	<b>144,695</b>
Manitoba.....	1,035	56,351	5,825	949	18,169	2,493	1,984	74,520	8,318
Saskatchewan.....	1,232	58,350	6,191	2,773	57,114	7,628	4,005	115,464	13,819
Alberta.....	12,350	196,150	29,023	11,942	132,757	23,227	24,292	328,907	52,250
<b>TOTALS, PRAIRIE PROVINCES.....</b>	<b>14,617</b>	<b>310,851</b>	<b>41,039</b>	<b>15,664</b>	<b>208,040</b>	<b>33,348</b>	<b>30,281</b>	<b>518,891</b>	<b>74,387</b>
British Columbia.....	244,265	677,754	301,874	13,228	60,283	18,352	257,493	738,037	320,226
Northwest Territories...	400	36,000	3,460	360	18,500	1,932	760	54,500	5,392
Yukon Territory.....	400	25,500	2,567	70	6,300	606	470	31,800	3,173
<b>Totals, Accessible....</b>	<b>291,725</b>	<b>2,151,886</b>	<b>474,635</b>	<b>53,799</b>	<b>707,409</b>	<b>113,929</b>	<b>345,524</b>	<b>2,859,295</b>	<b>588,564</b>
<b>Totals, Potentially Accessible.....</b>	<b>53,827</b>	<b>769,941</b>	<b>119,273</b>	<b>2,877</b>	<b>124,995</b>	<b>13,501</b>	<b>56,704</b>	<b>894,936</b>	<b>132,774</b>
<b>Canada.....</b>	<b>345,552</b>	<b>2,921,827</b>	<b>593,908</b>	<b>56,676</b>	<b>832,404</b>	<b>127,430</b>	<b>402,228</b>	<b>3,754,231</b>	<b>721,338</b>

<sup>1</sup> Ten inches D.B.H. and over (suitable for saw timber).

<sup>2</sup> Four to nine inches D.B.H. (units of 85 cu. feet).

**Tenure of Forest Land.**—Corporations and private individuals own 9 p.c. of the productive forest land of Canada and 91 p.c. is in the possession of the Crown in the right of the federal or the provincial governments. Rights to cut Crown timber under lease or licence have been granted on 19 p.c. of the productive forest land; the remainder comprises unalienated productive forest areas and federal lands such as Indian reserves, military reserves, etc.

Woodlots on the 575,000 farms across Canada comprise about 5 p.c. of the total accessible productive forest. These small wooded tracts, ranging in size from three or four acres to 200 or more acres, are among the most accessible forests in Canada. Also,