

## 12.—Quantity and Value of Lumber Cut, by Kind, 1957-59

Kind of Wood	Quantity			Value		
	1957	1958	1959	1957	1958	1959
	M ft. b.m.	M ft. b.m.	M ft. b.m.	\$	\$	\$
Spruce.....	2,225,512	2,167,763	2,499,900	131,434,495	123,988,463	144,020,425
Douglas fir.....	1,870,872	2,110,225	2,045,031	122,568,519	131,629,032	130,096,158
Hemlock.....	984,680	970,194	959,363	59,737,169	57,672,413	60,244,478
White pine.....	386,140	309,727	333,779	34,577,543	27,661,653	29,869,673
Cedar.....	442,674	549,566	526,856	35,655,061	45,980,093	43,350,522
Yellow birch.....	166,746	148,399	145,622	15,183,513	13,834,874	13,723,434
Jack pine.....	222,368	235,558	290,672	13,828,905	14,205,745	17,069,716
Maple.....	125,184	108,032	108,893	10,925,643	9,351,296	10,001,891
Balsam fir.....	242,856	208,106	250,253	14,936,079	12,783,474	15,283,464
Red pine.....	43,645	36,778	36,331	3,780,997	3,210,332	3,054,203
Other.....	389,081	334,732	394,719	23,599,778	19,483,375	23,825,862
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>7,099,758</b>	<b>7,179,080</b>	<b>7,591,419</b>	<b>466,227,702</b>	<b>459,900,750</b>	<b>490,539,826</b>

## 13.—Quantity and Value of Lumber, Shingles and Lath Produced, 1950-59

Note.—Figures from 1908 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1931 edition.

Year	Lumber		Shingles		Lath	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
	M ft. b.m.	\$	squares	\$	'000	\$
1950.....	6,553,898	422,480,700	3,191,589	31,807,753	123,118	1,134,741
1951.....	6,948,697	507,650,241	2,982,362	27,977,418	104,872	1,042,196
1952.....	6,807,594	483,195,323	2,424,818	19,269,747	111,595	1,237,227
1953.....	7,305,958	494,385,993	2,610,068	19,897,877	155,595	1,686,581
1954.....	7,243,855	482,912,005	2,710,654	24,029,162	140,655	1,512,400
1955.....	7,920,033	541,563,241	2,896,080	29,795,687	149,663	1,613,497
1956.....	7,739,603	539,261,627	2,798,599	28,775,812	142,992	1,511,153
1957.....	7,099,758	466,227,702	2,258,452	19,921,267	110,064	1,184,097
1958.....	7,179,080	459,900,750	2,323,583	20,527,156	106,734	1,149,608
1959.....	7,591,419	490,539,826	2,209,714	20,519,315	135,720	1,517,987

**Lumber Exports.**—Exports of planks, boards and square timber are given in Chapter XX on Foreign Trade.

## Subsection 3.—The Pulp and Paper Industry

The manufacture of pulp and paper has been the leading industry in Canada for many years and the postwar development of the industry has more than kept pace with the vast industrial growth of the nation. Pulp and paper stands first among all industries in net value of shipments, in exports, in total wages paid and in capital invested. It is the largest consumer of electric energy and the largest industrial buyer of goods and services, including transportation, in the land. The industry has a newsprint output more than three times that of any other country and provides about 45 p.c. of the world's newsprint needs.

There are three classes of mills in the industry. In 1959, 27 were making pulp only, 26 were making paper only and 74 were combined pulp and paper mills.

The industry includes several forms of industrial activity: operations in the woods with pulpwood as a product, the manufacture of pulp and paper of all kinds, and the manufacture of paperboards. Some of the important pulp companies operate sawmills to utilize the larger timber on their limits to the best advantage, and some lumber manufacturers divert a portion of their spruce and balsam logs to pulp mills. Only a small percentage of the pulpwood cut in Canada is exported in raw or unmanufactured form.