

Delivering the Difference

What you need.
When you need it.
By people that know and care.

The Difference

JULY 2010 - CHICAGO

US Furniture Factory Orders Rise Again

Factory orders rose 12% in April compared to a year earlier, the sixth consecutive monthly gain. However; the results were off 27% from April 2008.

Landmark formaldehyde legislation is expected to be signed by President Obama in July.

The bill will establish the first comprehensive national standard for formaldehyde emissions from composite wood products, and directs the US Environmental Protection Agency to promulgate implementing regulations by January 1, 2013. The standard will be based on California's "CARB" rule rather than on something potentially different and more costly.

Take steps to prepare for the return of a more vibrant wood industry and attend the **International Woodworking Fair** in Atlanta, August 25 to 28

Product Inquiries?

For all your product inquiries, contact your Sierra Forest Products Sales Representative.



© 1996 Forest Stewardship Council
A.C.S.C.S-COC-000546

Sierra answered the call for Haiti

March 2010 United Nations Operations in Haiti sought our help to source materials to build 15,000 temporary housing shelters for Haitians displaced by the devastating earthquake of January 12, 2010. Since the time of the earthquake the UN had to determine the extent of the damage and from that assessment develop a relief plan. A plan that started with a supply of fresh water then food and soon thereafter the UN planners turned their attention to shelters for the displaced population.

For some unfathomable reasons the UN did not find willing support amongst North American lumber suppliers until Sierra stepped up and worked through the design elements of the shelter, selecting materials and then working to tight timeline and an even tighter budget sourced the appropriate materials. Getting the materials to the site posed a significant challenge; finding a ship, moving the materials through overloaded ports, then on severely damaged roads cut through the jungle. The first shipment of materials for 500 shelters arrived at the end of May.



Shortly thereafter the first shelters were being produced on a makeshift assembly line located close to the building site. As you can see in the pictures the shelters are very basic but a vast improvement on the small "pup-tents" that Haitians were first issued.



Now that the initial shelters have been erected and deemed acceptable the UN is to issue orders for materials for another 14,500 housing units...and when they do we'll be ready to help.

See back page for this month's specials

Quotable Quote

Life takes on meaning when you become motivated, set goals and charge after them in an unstoppable manner.

- Les Brown

Sierra Forest Products
1700 Downs Drive, West Chicago IL
USA 60185

Tel 1800 646 7564 | 630 231 0450
sales_chicago@sierrafp.com | www.sierrafp.com



Specials

We are pleased to offer the following product specials for the month of July.

4/4 FAS Poplar rw x 10-14', surfaced 2-sides	\$1.04/BF	8/4 FAS Poplar rw x 8-16', surfaced 2-sides	\$1.23/BF
5/4 FAS Poplar rw x 8-14', surfaced 2-sides	\$1.09/BF	4/4 FAS Red Oak Indiana Stock 10" & wider x 8-14'	
6/4 FAS Poplar rw x 8-14', surfaced 2-sides	\$1.20/BF	surfaced 2-sides	\$1.95/BF

Pricing is for full units only

All products quoted in US funds.

Based on full lifts while supply lasts. Add 5% for splitting units.



UCS Forest Group

Corporate Office
7088 Financial Drive Mississauga, ON L5N 7H5 Canada
Tel 1 800 668 5353 | 905 814 8800



Upper Canada Forest Products

www.ucfp.com

Vancouver

Tel 1 800 610 2720 | 604 522 3334
Email sales_vancouver@ucfp.com

Kelowna

Tel 1 866 573 2018 | 250 765 2018
Email sales_kelowna@ucfp.com

Calgary

Tel 1 866 666 8829 | 403 569 8829
Email sales_calgary@ucfp.com

Toronto

Tel 1 800 668 5353 | 905 814 8000
Email sales_toronto@ucfp.com



Sierra Forest Products

www.sierrafp.com

Chicago

Tel 1 800 646 7564 | 630 231 0450
Email sales_chicago@sierrafp.com

Salt Lake City

Tel 1 800 678 2801 | 801 972 3377
Email sales_saltlakecity@sierrafp.com

Seattle

Tel 1 877 722 0070 | 253 852 0070
Email sales_seattle@sierrafp.com

Denver

Tel 1 877 972 9112 | 303 250 6787
Email sales_denver@sierrafp.com



UCS Global

www.ucsglobal.com

Toronto, Canada

Tel 905 593 9918
Email sales_global@ucsglobal.com

Shenzhen, China

Tel 86 755 25904846
Email sales_global@ucsglobal.com



A&M Wood Specialty
www.forloversofwood.com

519-653-9322
CAN 1 800 265 0624
US 1 800 265 2759
mail@forloversofwood.com

DOMESTIC HARDWOOD * FSC available

Alder	Birch, Western	Maple, Hard*	Poplar,
Ash, Brown*	Birch, White*	Maple, Soft*	American Yellow*
Ash, White*	Birch, Yellow*	Maple, Western	Sap Gum
Aspen	Butternut	Maple,	Sycamore
Basswood	Cherry*	Wormy Soft*	Walnut*
Beech	Elm	Oak, Red*	
Birch, Red*	Hickory	Oak, White*	

IMPORTED HARDWOOD * FSC available

Aniegre	Cedar, Spanish	Mahogany, Santos	Purpleheart
Banak	Cumaru	Mahogany,	Sapele*
Beech,	Goncalo Alves	South American	Sipo
European Steamed	Ipe	Makore	Teak
Birch, Baltic	Jatoba	Marupa	Wenge
Bubinga	Mahogany, Khaya*	Padouk	Zebrawood

DOMESTIC AND EXOTIC HARDWOOD PLYWOOD

Various Species • FSC & NAUF available • Available on VC, MDF, PBC & LMC Multicore

INDUSTRIAL PANELS

Hardboard	Plywood, Bendable
Particleboard, FSC & NAUF	Plywood Sheathing, FSC
MDF, FSC & NAUF	Structural Composite
Fire-retardant	Lumber Core
Moisture-resistant	UV-coated Panels
Thick panels	Vinyl
MDO	Edgebanding,
Melamine, FSC & NAUF	Auto & Pre Veneer,
Plywood, Baltic Birch	PVC and Poly
Plywood, Bamboo	Bamboo

SOFTWOOD

Cedar, Western Red	Pine, Eastern White
Fir, Douglas	Pine, Ponderosa
Hemlock	

VENEERS

Many species are also available in Quartered and Rift cut.



FSC Supplier
© 1996 Forest Stewardship
Council A.C.
SCS-COC-000546

By buying products with the FSC
label you are supporting the
growth of responsible forest
management worldwide