

This report provides an overview of British Columbia's forest product exports and markets. In 2021, forest product exports made up 30% of B.C.'s total commodity export value.

Table 1: Value by Product, YTD November 2022

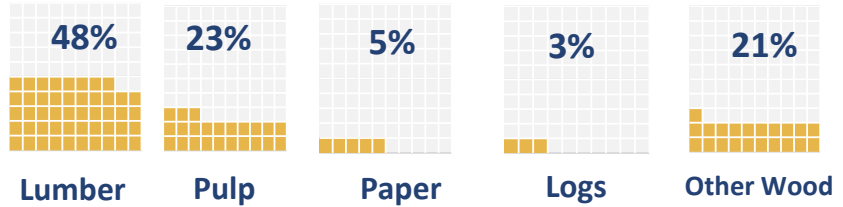


Table 2: Value by Country, YTD November 2022

	Value (\$M)	Change YoY <sup>1</sup>	Share of Value	
			November 2021	November 2022
US	\$9,044	-4%	61%	62%
China*	\$2,521	-11%	19%	17%
Japan	\$1,360	-1%	9%	9%
Others	\$1,721	1%	11%	12%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$14,645</b>	<b>-4%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Table 3: Value in \$ Millions by Product, YTD November 2022

	2021	2022	Change YoY <sup>1</sup>
Softwood Lumber	\$8,412	\$6,973	-17%
Pulp	\$3,031	\$3,296	9%
Paper	\$652	\$784	20%
Logs	\$448	\$462	3%
Other Wood Products	\$2,786	\$3,130	12%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$15,329</b>	<b>\$14,645</b>	<b>-4%</b>

Table 4: Share of Value, YTD November 2022

	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper <sup>2</sup>	Logs	Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	Grand Total
US	77%	14%	72%	10%	84%	62%
China*	4%	58%	16%	41%	0%	17%
Japan	10%	6%	0%	44%	8%	9%
Others	9%	22%	13%	6%	9%	12%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

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4. Panels include OSB, plywood, particleboard, and fibreboard.

All values are in Canadian Dollars unless specified otherwise.

Table 5: Share of Quantity, YTD November 2022

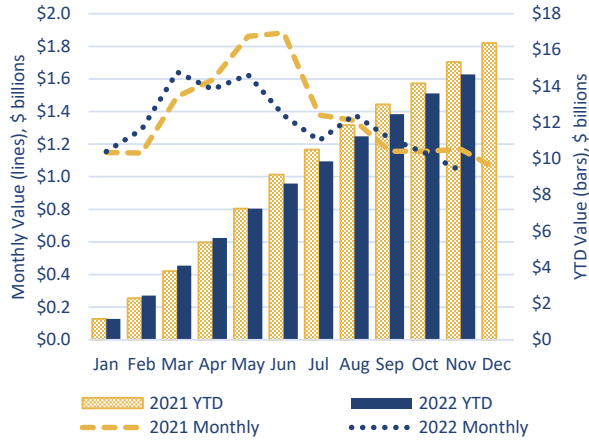
	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Panel <sup>4</sup>	Pellet
United States	80%	15%	16%	98%	0%
China*	8%	58%	43%	1%	0%
Japan	6%	6%	35%	0%	53%
South Korea	0%	4%	5%	0%	17%
Indonesia	0%	8%	0%	0%	0%
United Kingdom	0%	0%	0%	0%	30%
Other	5%	9%	1%	0%	0%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>

Table 6: Quantity by Product, YTD November 2022

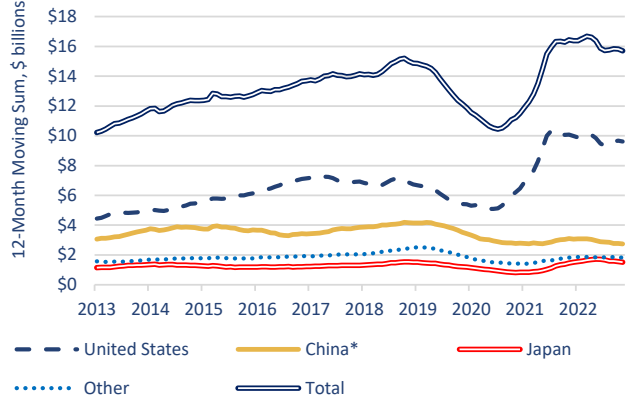
	2021	2022	Change YoY <sup>1</sup>
Softwood Lumber (x1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	17,577	15,586	-11%
Pulp (x1,000 tonnes)	3,252	3,093	-5%
Logs (x1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	2,996	2,413	-19%

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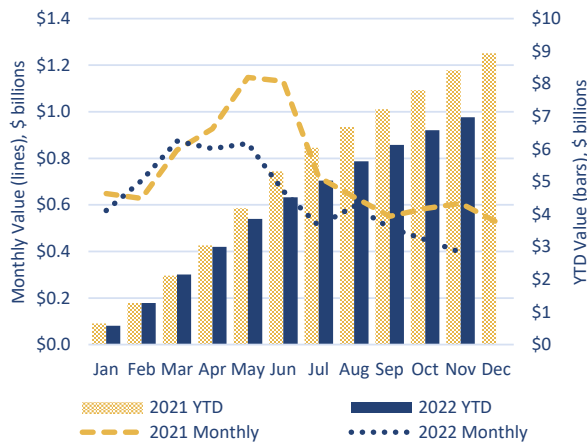
**Figure 1: Total Export Value**



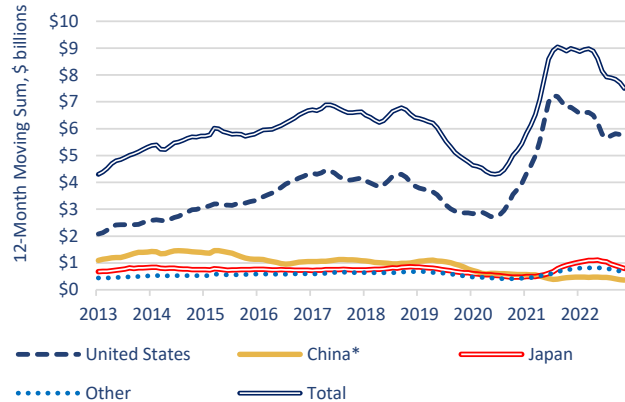
**Figure 2: Total Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**



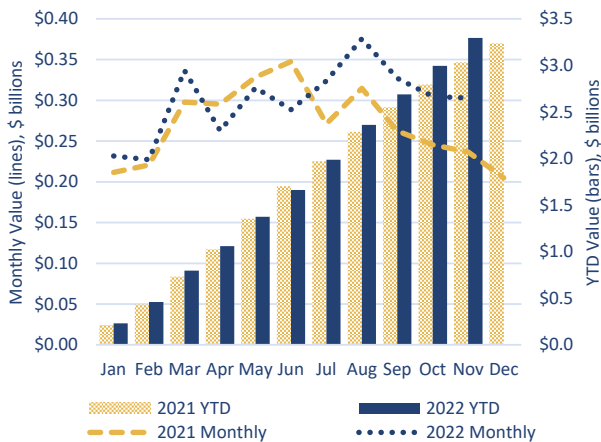
**Figure 3: Softwood Lumber Export Value**



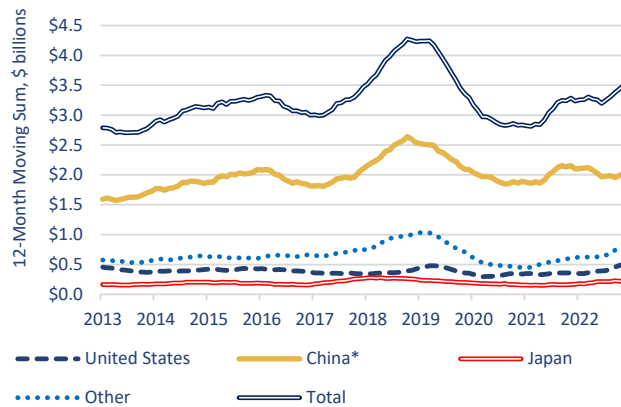
**Figure 4: Softwood Lumber Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**



**Figure 5: Pulp Export Value**

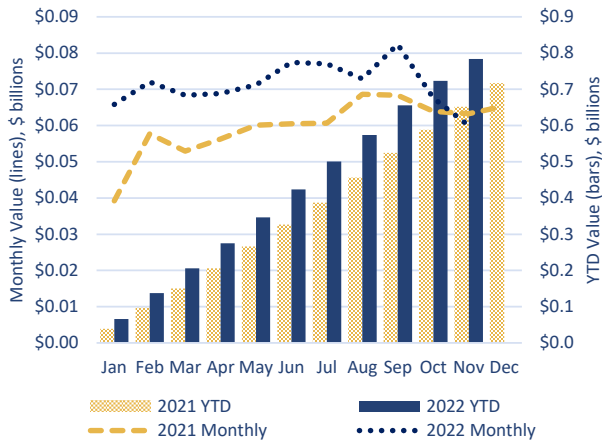


**Figure 6: Pulp Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**

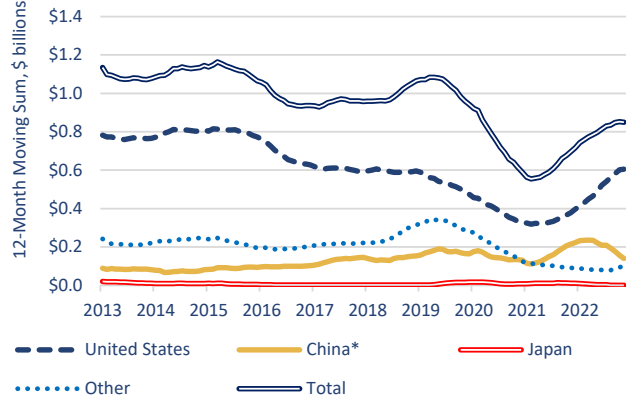


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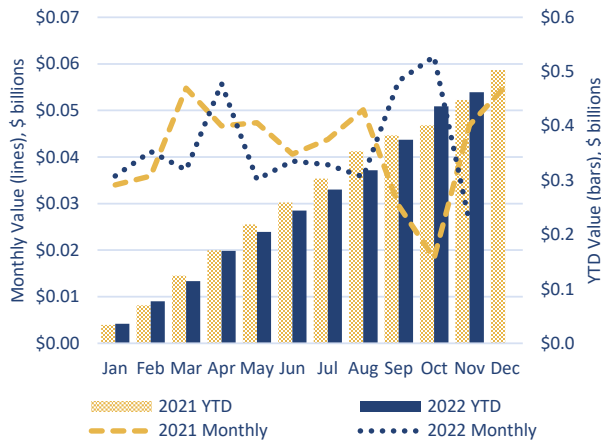
**Figure 7: Paper Export Value**



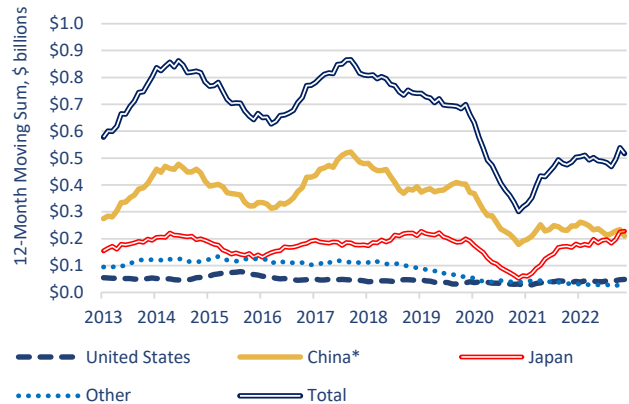
**Figure 8: Paper Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**



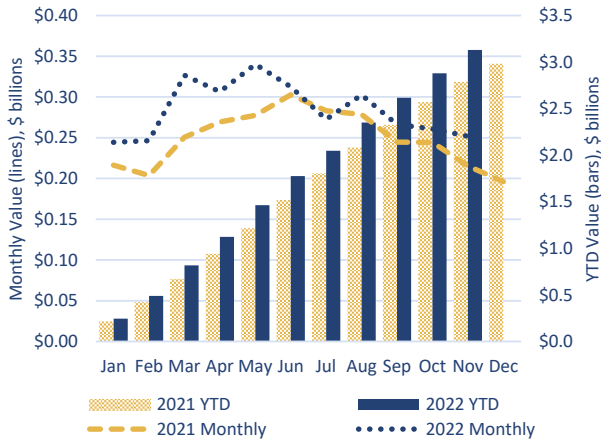
**Figure 9: Logs Export Value**



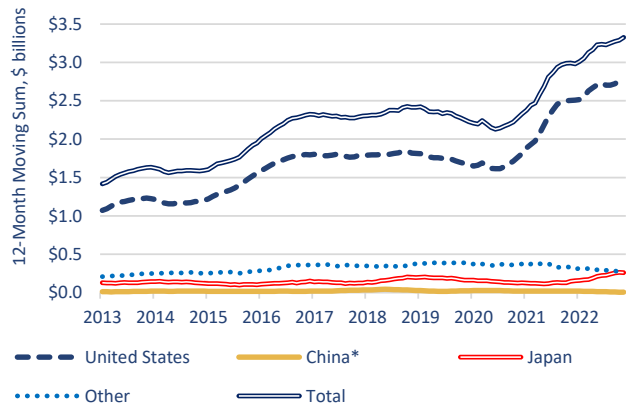
**Figure 10: Log Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**



**Figure 11: Other Wood Products Export Value**



**Figure 12: Other Wood Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum**



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Table 7: Value in \$ Millions, November 2022

	November 2022								November 2021						
	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper <sup>2</sup>	Logs	Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	Country Total	Country Share	Change YoY <sup>1</sup>	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper <sup>2</sup>	Logs	Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	Country Total	Country Share
US	\$294	\$42	\$42	\$4	\$200	\$582	56%	-9%	\$397	\$28	\$38	\$4	\$172	\$638	55%
China*	\$33	\$184	\$4	\$10	\$0	\$230	22%	-10%	\$52	\$148	\$20	\$33	\$1	\$254	22%
Japan	\$42	\$20	\$0	\$11	\$22	\$95	9%	-35%	\$99	\$12	\$0	\$8	\$26	\$146	12%
Others	\$28	\$58	\$14	\$1	\$30	\$131	13%	0%	\$59	\$49	\$5	\$1	\$16	\$131	11%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$397</b>	<b>\$303</b>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$26</b>	<b>\$252</b>	<b>\$1,037</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>-11%</b>	<b>\$607</b>	<b>\$237</b>	<b>\$63</b>	<b>\$47</b>	<b>\$215</b>	<b>\$1,169</b>	<b>100%</b>
Product Share	38%	29%	6%	2%	24%	100%									
Change YoY	-35%	28%	-5%	-45%	17%	-11%									

Table 8: Value in \$ Millions, YTD November 2022

	YTD November 2022								YTD November 2021						
	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper <sup>2</sup>	Logs	Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	Country Total	Country Share	Change YoY <sup>1</sup>	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper <sup>2</sup>	Logs	Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	Country Total	Country Share
US	\$5,353	\$469	\$561	\$44	\$2,616	\$9,044	62%	-4%	\$6,356	\$328	\$353	\$37	\$2,338	\$9,412	61%
China*	\$307	\$1,898	\$124	\$188	\$4	\$2,521	17%	-11%	\$423	\$1,971	\$206	\$224	\$17	\$2,842	19%
Japan	\$706	\$209	\$0	\$204	\$240	\$1,360	9%	-1%	\$914	\$155	\$10	\$156	\$135	\$1,370	9%
Others	\$606	\$719	\$99	\$27	\$269	\$1,721	12%	1%	\$719	\$577	\$82	\$30	\$296	\$1,705	11%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$6,973</b>	<b>\$3,296</b>	<b>\$784</b>	<b>\$462</b>	<b>\$3,130</b>	<b>\$14,645</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>-4%</b>	<b>\$8,412</b>	<b>\$3,031</b>	<b>\$652</b>	<b>\$448</b>	<b>\$2,786</b>	<b>\$15,329</b>	<b>100%</b>
Product Share	48%	23%	5%	3%	21%	100%									
Change YoY	-17%	9%	20%	3%	12%	-4%									

Table 9: Quantity in Thousands, November 2022

	November 2022			Change YoY <sup>1</sup>			November 2021			
	Softwood Lumber (m <sup>3</sup> )	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m <sup>3</sup> )	Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Softwood Lumber (m <sup>3</sup> )	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m <sup>3</sup> )	
US	895	37	37	-17%	31%	-8%	US	1,082	29	40
China*	156	161	49	-21%	-7%	-70%	China*	197	173	162
Japan	75	16	49	-33%	23%	-10%	Japan	111	13	54
Others	46	51	5	-43%	-1%	-25%	Others	80	52	6
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,171</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>-20%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>-47%</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,470</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>262</b>

Table 10: Quantity in Thousands, YTD November 2022

	November 2022			Change YoY <sup>1</sup>			November 2021			
	Softwood Lumber (m <sup>3</sup> )	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m <sup>3</sup> )	Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Softwood Lumber (m <sup>3</sup> )	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m <sup>3</sup> )	
US	12,538	459	382	-7%	31%	6%	US	13,433	351	360
China*	1,223	1,799	1,044	-25%	-16%	-32%	China*	1,628	2,145	1,543
Japan	954	186	853	-27%	21%	-6%	Japan	1,299	153	903
Others	870	648	135	-29%	8%	-29%	Others	1,218	603	190
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>15,586</b>	<b>3,093</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>-11%</b>	<b>-5%</b>	<b>-19%</b>	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>17,577</b>	<b>3,252</b>	<b>2,996</b>

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Table 11: B.C. Forest Product Export Value in \$ by Market, YTD November 2022

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 YTD
US	\$4,344	\$4,973	\$5,533	\$6,132	\$7,141	\$6,928	\$6,739	\$5,400	\$6,464	\$9,985	\$9,044
China*	\$3,107	\$3,662	\$3,769	\$3,673	\$3,411	\$3,852	\$4,144	\$3,426	\$2,800	\$3,063	\$2,521
Japan	\$1,135	\$1,343	\$1,278	\$1,193	\$1,230	\$1,307	\$1,507	\$1,195	\$831	\$1,518	\$1,360
Others	\$1,574	\$1,676	\$1,788	\$1,774	\$1,919	\$2,074	\$2,479	\$1,863	\$1,415	\$1,812	\$1,721
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$10,159</b>	<b>\$11,654</b>	<b>\$12,367</b>	<b>\$12,772</b>	<b>\$13,701</b>	<b>\$14,162</b>	<b>\$14,869</b>	<b>\$11,883</b>	<b>\$11,509</b>	<b>\$16,378</b>	<b>\$14,645</b>

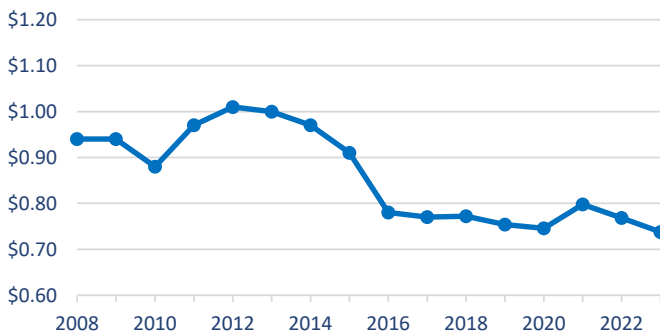
Table 12: B.C. Forest Product Export Value in \$ by Product, YTD November 2022

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 YTD
Lumber	\$4,204	\$5,311	\$5,723	\$5,792	\$6,669	\$6,624	\$6,417	\$4,758	\$5,436	\$8,939	\$6,973
Pulp	\$2,852	\$2,831	\$3,121	\$3,301	\$2,998	\$3,466	\$4,232	\$3,294	\$2,835	\$3,236	\$3,296
Paper <sup>2</sup>	\$1,132	\$1,077	\$1,144	\$1,066	\$937	\$958	\$1,066	\$943	\$590	\$717	\$784
Other Wood <sup>3</sup>	\$1,394	\$1,633	\$1,594	\$1,948	\$2,325	\$2,304	\$2,413	\$2,226	\$2,330	\$2,982	\$3,130
Logs	\$577	\$802	\$784	\$665	\$771	\$810	\$741	\$662	\$318	\$503	\$462
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$10,159</b>	<b>\$11,654</b>	<b>\$12,367</b>	<b>\$12,772</b>	<b>\$13,701</b>	<b>\$14,162</b>	<b>\$14,869</b>	<b>\$11,883</b>	<b>\$11,509</b>	<b>\$16,378</b>	<b>\$14,645</b>

Table 13: B.C. Forest Product Export Quantity in Millions by Product, YTD November 2022

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 YTD
Lumber (m <sup>3</sup> )	24.16	25.88	25.84	26.20	27.67	25.27	23.90	20.15	18.27	18.90	15.59
Pulp (tonnes)	4.45	4.15	4.14	4.27	4.07	4.32	4.08	4.07	3.85	3.48	3.09
Logs (m <sup>3</sup> )	5.71	6.67	6.27	5.57	6.28	6.02	5.12	4.84	2.73	3.28	2.41
Panel <sup>4</sup> (m <sup>3</sup> )	1.57	1.67	1.52	1.78	2.14	2.23	2.11	1.68	1.22	1.27	1.32
Pellet (tonnes)	1.17	1.28	1.29	1.26	1.93	1.78	2.27	2.14	2.37	2.37	2.38

Figure 13: Exchange Rate US\$/C\$



Source: Bank of Canada

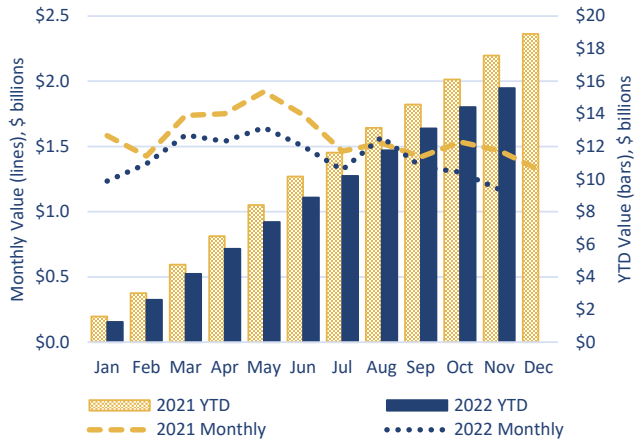
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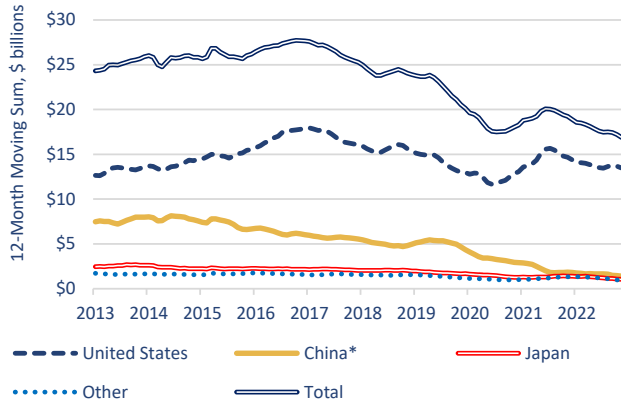
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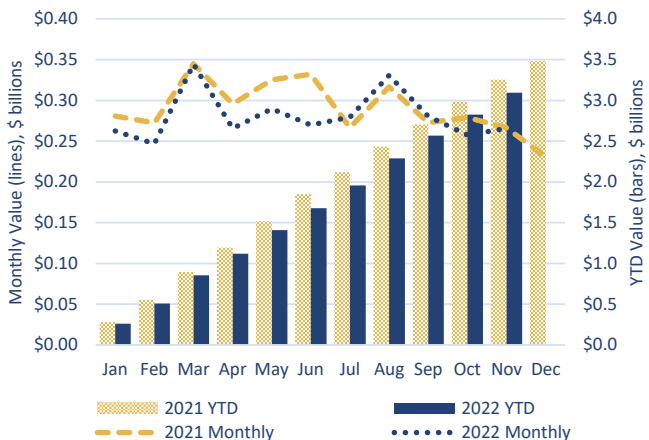
**Figure 14: Softwood Lumber Export Quantity**



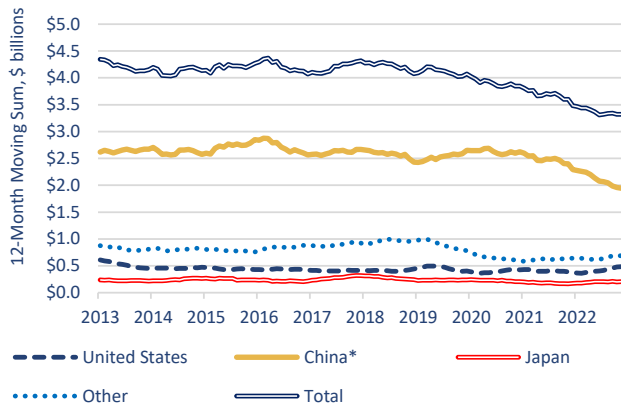
**Figure 15: Softwood Lumber Export Quantity - 12-Month Moving Sum**



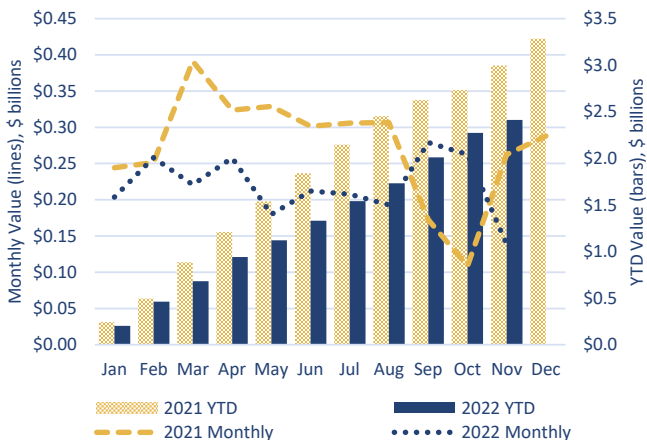
**Figure 16: Pulp Export Quantity**



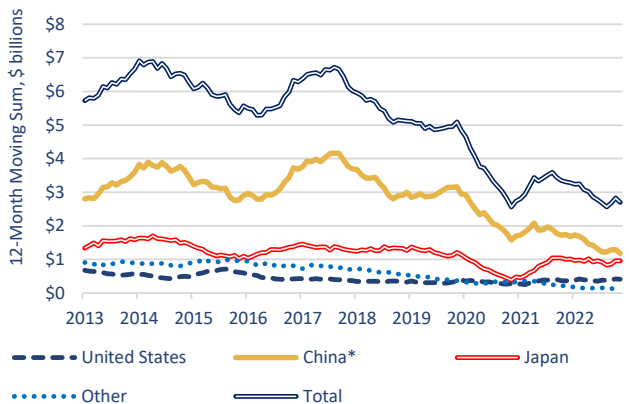
**Figure 17: Pulp Export Quantity - 12-Month Moving Sum**



**Figure 18: Logs Export Quantity**



**Figure 19: Log Export Quantity - 12-Month Moving Sum**



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