See Western Red Cedar, Para. 260-b, for items not covered under "ALL SPECIES."

**260-a.** Standard lengths are multiples of 1'. Standard random length loading practices for some items are listed below. In all items longer lengths than those listed may be included at shipper's option.

(a) FINISH, CASING and BASE. "C&BTR"GRADE 3' to 16' or longer; not less than 90% 7' to 16' or longer; not more than 3% 3' and/or 4'.

#### "D" GRADE

to 16' or longer; not less than 80% 7' to 16' or longer.

#### "E" GRADE

3' and longer.

(b) FLOORING, CEILING and SIDING. "C&BTR" GRADE

4' to 16' or longer; not less than 90% 8' to 16' or longer; not more than 3% 4' and/or 5'.

#### "D" GRADE

4' to 16' or longer; not less than 80% 8' to 16' or longer.

#### "E" GRADE

4' or longer.

(c) STEPPING.

"C&BTR" GRADE

3' to 16' or longer; not less than 70% 10' to 16' or longer.

(d) GUTTER.

**GUTTER GRADE** 

8' to 24' or longer; average 18' or longer.

(e) MOULDINGS.

"MOULDINGS" GRADE

4' to 16' or longer; not less than 85% 8' to 16' or longer.

(f) BOARDS.

"SELECT MERCHANTABLE,"

"CONSTRUCTION" and "STANDARD" GRADES

6' to 16' or longer.

(g) LIGHT FRAMING.
"CONSTRUCTION" and "STANDARD"
GRADES

6' to 16' or longer.

(h) STRUCTURAL FRAMING. "STRUCTURAL" GRADES

2" thick - 6' to 16' and longer. 3" and 4" thick - 8' to 16' and longer.

(i) BEAMS and STRINGERS, POST and TIMBERS. "SELECT STRUCTURAL," "NO. 1 STRUCTURAL", "NO. 2 STRUCTURAL" and "STANDARD" GRADES

8' to 16' or longer.

(j) INDUSTRIAL CLEARS. All thicknesses. ALL GRADES

6' to 16' or 6' to 20' at mill's option.

(Shorter lengths are available if ordered)

**260-b.** Standard lengths are multiples of 1'. Standard random length loading practice for some items is listed below. On all items longer lengths than those listed may be included at shipper's option.

(a) FINISH, CLEAR PANELING and CEILING. "A"GRADE

3' to 16' or longer; not less than 85% 8' to 16' or longer - not more than 15% 3' to 7'.

"B" GRADE

3' to 16' or longer; not less than 75% 8' to 16' or longer.

(b) BEVEL SIDING.

Standard lengths are 3' and longer. Multiples of 1'. Standard bundles are 6' to 16' with the inclusion of 17' to 20' optional with the shipper.

#### "CLEAR HEART" GRADE

#### "A" GRADE

6" and narrower; not more than 20% of the footage may be 6' and 7' bundles. 8" and wider; not more than 15% of the footage may be 6' and 7' bundles.

#### "B" GRADE

Not more than 20% of the footage may be 6' and 7' bundles.

#### "C" GRADE

No specified percentage of lengths guaranteed.

### (c) TIGHT KNOT PANELING and SIDINGS.

"SELECT KNOTTY" GRADE

 $3^{\prime}$  to  $16^{\prime}$  or longer; not less than  $85\%~8^{\prime}$  to  $16^{\prime}$  or longer - not more than  $15\%~3^{\prime}$  to  $7^{\prime}.$ 

#### "QUALITY KNOTTY" GRADE

3' to 16' or longer; not less than 75% 8' to 16' or longer - not more than 25% 3' to 7'.

#### 260-r. LENGTHS IN RADIUS EDGE DECKING.

In specifications for assorted lengths, random lengths, standard stock lengths and for lengths unspecified or indefinite as to range or assortment, standard practice shall be to furnish a fair assortment of standard stock lengths of 10' to 16', 18' or 20', except percentages of total board-foot quantities in length under 10' shall be permitted as follows:

Grade	4" and/or 5"	6" and/or 7"	8" and/or 9"
Premium	0%	5%	7%
Standard	0%	6%	8%

Any unfilled portion of 6' and/or 7' may be filled in 8' and/or 9'.

#### 280.

AAR - Association American Railroads

AD - Air dried

ADF - After deduction freight

ALS – American Lumber Standards

AST – At ship tackle

AV – Average

AW&L - All widths and lengths

BD - Board

BD FT - Board feet

BDL - Bundle

BEV - Bevel

BH - Boxed heart

B/L, BL – Bill of lading

BM - Board measure

BSND - Bright sapwood no defect

BTR - Better

c – Allowable stress in compression in lbs. per square inch

CB - Center beaded

CF - Cost and freight

CIF - Cost, insurance and freight

CIFE - Cost, insurance, freight, exchange

C/L - Carload

CLG - Ceiling

CLR - Clear

CM - Center matched

CS - Caulking seam

CSG - Casing

CV - Center V

DET - Double end trimmed

DF - Douglas fir DIM - Dimension

DKG - Decking

D/S, DS - Drop siding

D&M - Dressed and matched

D&CM - Dressed and center matched

D&SM - Dressed and standard matched

D2S&CM - Dressed two sides and center matched D2S&SM - Dressed two sides and standard matched

E - Edge

EB1S - Edge bead one side

EB2S, SB2S - Edge bead two sides

# COMMONLY USED LUMBER ABBREVIATIONS

E&CB2S, DB2S, BC&2S - Edge and center bead two sides

EV1S, SV1S – Edge vee one side

EV2S, SV2S - Edge vee two sides

E&CV1S, DV1S, V&CV1S - Edge and center

vee one side

E&CV2S, DV2S, V&CV2S - Edge and center

vee two sides

EE - Eased edges

EG - Edge (vertical) grain

EM - End matched

f-Allowable stress in bending lbs. per square inch

FAS – Free alongside (vessel)

FG - Flat (slash) grain

FLG - Flooring

FOB – Free on board (named point)

FOHC - Free of heart center

FRT - Freight

Ft - Foot

FT. BM - Feet board measure

FT. SM - Feet surface measure

H. B. - Hollow back

HEM - Hemlock

H & M - Hit and miss

H or M - Hit or miss

IN – Inch or inches

JTD - Jointed

KD - Kiln dried

LBR - Lumber

LCL - Less than carload

LGR - Longer

LGTH - Length

LIN - Lineal

LNG – Lining M – Thousand

M. BM - Thousand (ft.) board measure

MC - Moisture content

MERCH - Merchantable

MG - Mixed grain

MLDG - Moulding

MSR - Machine Stress Rated

N - Nosed

NBM - Net board measure

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# COMMONLY USED LUMBER ABBREVIATIONS

N1E – Nose one edge

PARA. - Paragraph

PART - Partition

PAT - Pattern

PET – Precision end trim

PLIB - Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau

RDM – Random

REG – Regular

RGH - Rough

R/L, RL – Random lengths

R/W, RW - Random widths

SB1S – Single bead one side

SDG - Siding

SEL – Select

SG - Slash (flat) grain

SIT. SPR – Sitka spruce

S/L or SL – Shiplap

STD. M – Standard matched

SM – Surface measure

SO - Square

SORS - Squares

SR - Stress Rated

STD - Standard

STK - Stock

STPG - Stepping

STRUCT - Structural

S&E – Side and edge

S1E – Surfaced one edge

S2E – Surfaced two edges S1S – Surfaced one side

S2S - Surfaced two sides

S4S – Surfaced four sides

S1S&CM – Surfaced one side and center matched

S2S&CM – Surfaced two sides and center matched

S4S&CS – Surfaced four sides and caulking seam

S1S1E – Surfaced one side, one edge

S1S2E – Surfaced one side, two edges

S2S1E – Surfaced two sides, one edge

S2S&SM - Surfaced two sides and standard matched

TBR - Timber

T&G - Tongued and grooved

VG – Vertical (edge) grain

### COMMONLY USED LUMBER ABBREVIATIONS

WCLB or WCLIB – West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau

WH - Western hemlock

WDR - Wider

WRC - Western red cedar

WT - Weight

WTH - Width

#### **SYMBOLS**

" - Inch or inches

'- Foot or feet

x - By, as 4x4

4/4, 5/4, 6/4, etc. - Thickness expressed in fractions