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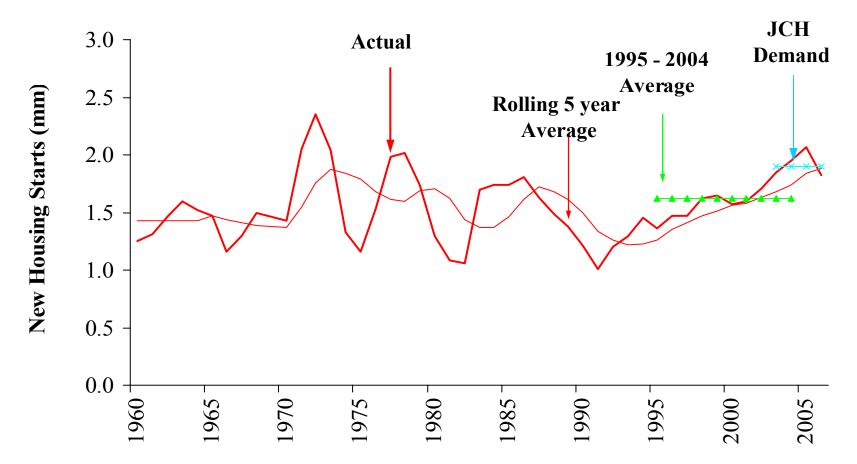


- New construction housing demand:
 - Housing activity has slowed: unsold home inventory high but appears to be leveling, new order rates down, pricing pressure in some markets, land liquidation
 - Positive long term trends and demographics including: household formations, immigration, affordable interest rates
 - Sustainable at 1.85 1.95 million starts per year (2005-2015) Source: The State of the Nation's Housing – 2004, *Joint Center for Housing Studies of Harvard University*
- Repair / remodel demand continues to grow:
 - More houses in the existing stock
 - Homes are getting older
 - Rise of "big box retailers" and availability of "installed sales" is making access easier
- Commercial and light industrial picked up in 2005/2006 and is showing continued strength



Home Building Demand – History

Housing Starts (single and multi-family)

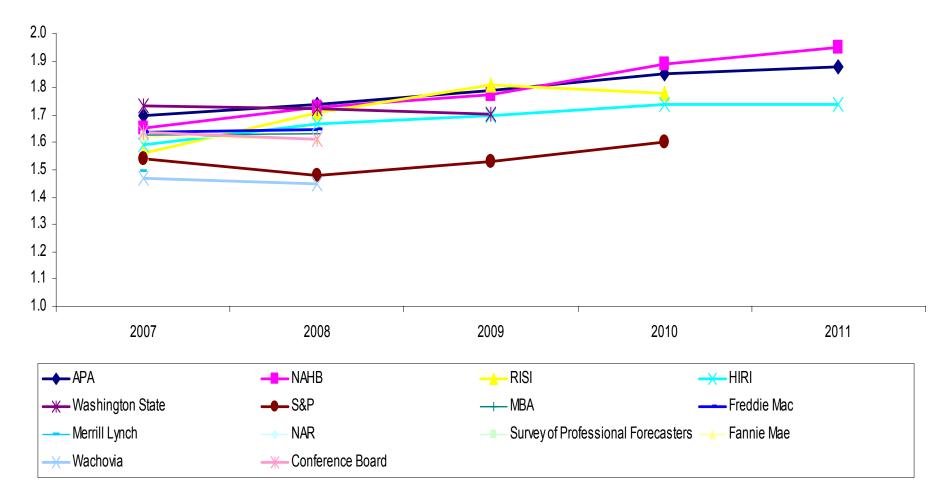


Sources: US Department of Commerce; RISI August 2006, 15 year forecast; and the State of the Nation's Housing – 2004, Joint Center for Housing Studies of Harvard University (JCH)

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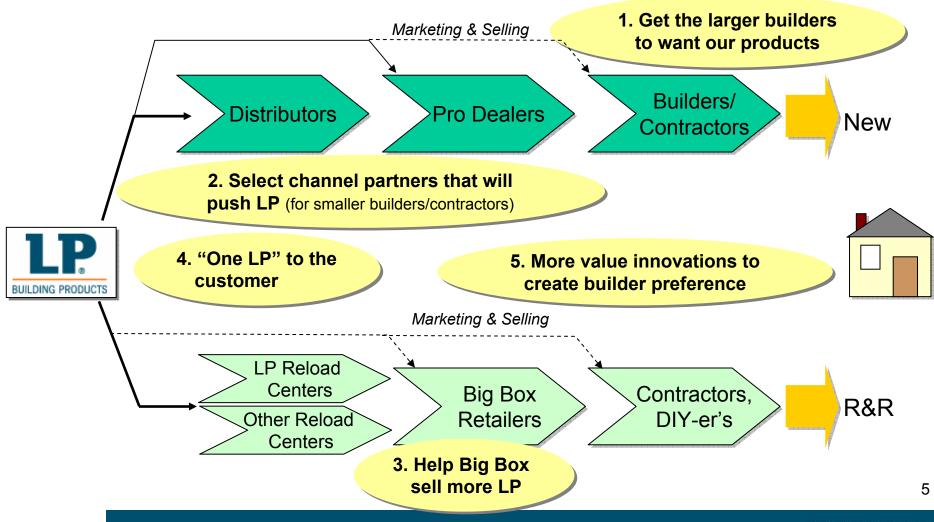


Home Building Demand – Forecasts Housing Starts (single and multi-family)





5 Strategic Goals





LP's Business Segments





- SmartSide OSB Siding
- Exterior Hardboard Siding

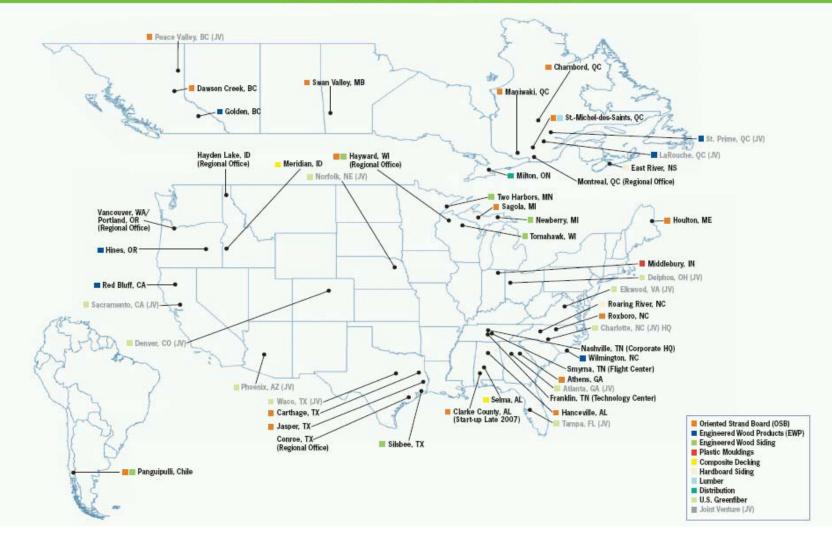


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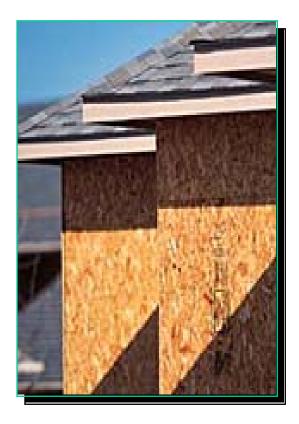
Map of LP Facilities

Louisiana-Pacific Corporation Facilities (U.S., Canada and Chile)



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Criented Strand Board (OSB)



- #1 North American OSB producer with about 23% market share ... about 15% share of structural panels
- Best geographic coverage allows for a low delivered cost
- Growth through existing mill investments and new mills

Mill capacities: 13 mills – 5.7 bsf Peace Valley JV – 800 mmsf Alabama under construction – 700 mmsf



1. OSB growth slowing, but still growing



3. Cyclical market

- New mills coming on line
- D/C ratio will decline in near term
- Plywood closures critical to balance

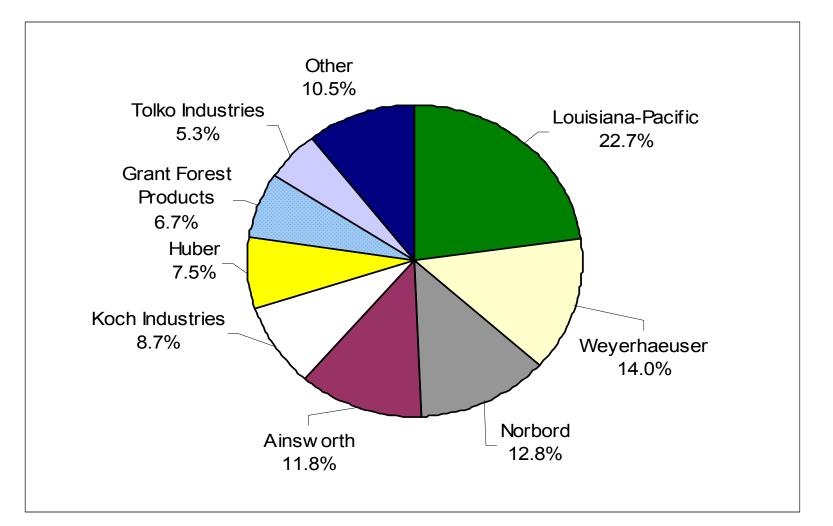
4. Low substitution threat

- No major new technology threats
- New building techniques could emerge following catastrophic events

5. Competitive dynamics

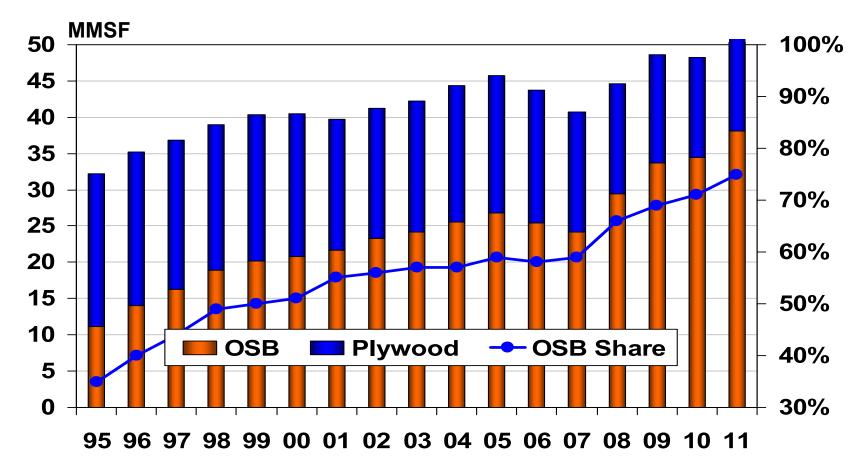
- Share determined by quality of service, cost and footprint
- Profitability determined by D/C ratio, relative delivered cost and product mix
- Rationalization will occur (plywood and high-cost OSB mill closures)

LP North American OSB Market Share – 2005



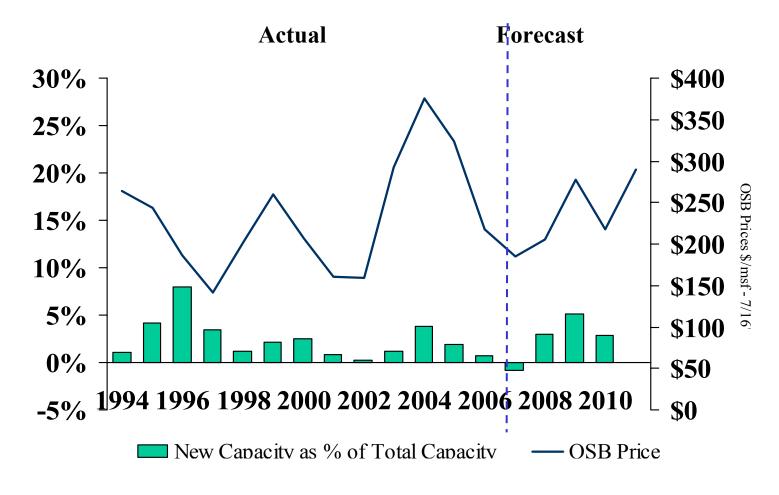
Source: RISI 2005 Capacity Survey

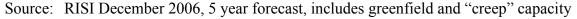




Source: RISI December 2006, 5 year forecast

LP Net Additions of Structural Panels and OSB Prices

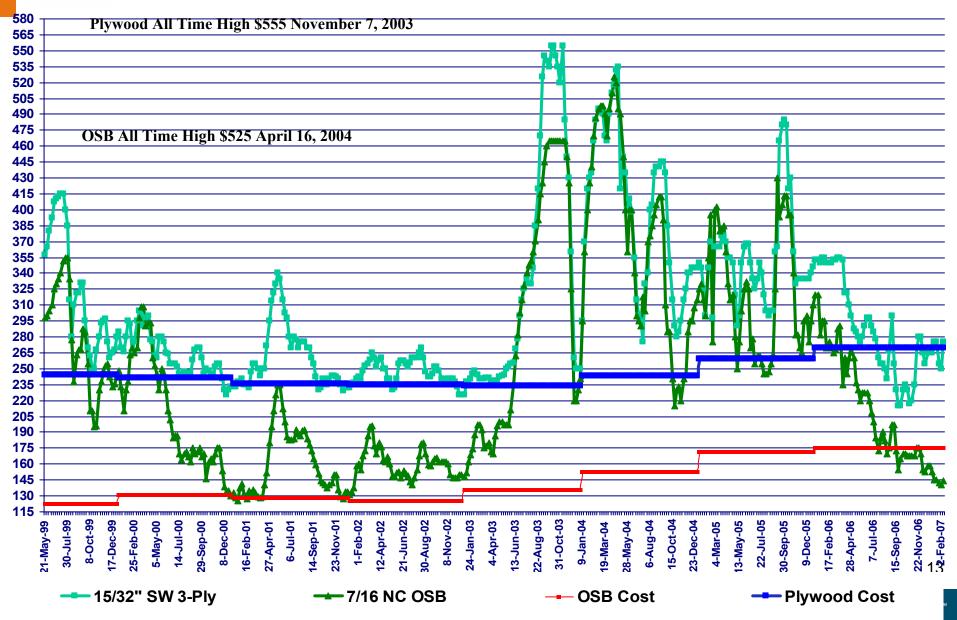




OSB and Plywood Pricing ~ May 21, 1999 – February 9, 2006



Closing Price ~ Plywood (275) OSB (144)







- #1 position in solid-sawn I-Joist
- #3 position in LVL / I-Joist
- Steady demand growth
- Aligned and supportive customer base (#1 supplier to 2-step independent distribution)

Mill capacities:

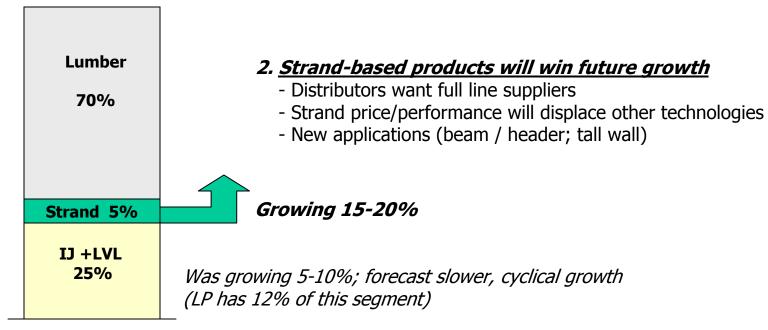
- LVL 12.1 mmcf
 - Murphy marketing agreement (2008)

I-Joist - 80 mmlf

- 140 mmlf (Abitibi JV)
- OSL 7 mmcf (2008)



1. High EWP Potential: <u>\$9 Billion Potential for EWP</u>



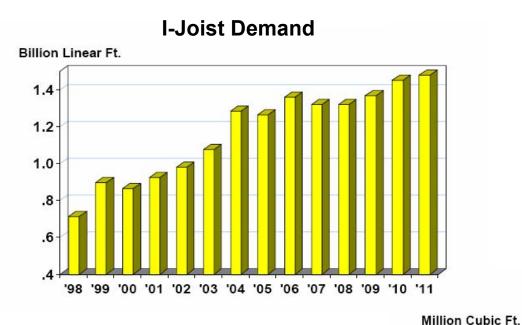
3. LP position in LVL, IJ needs to be solidified

- JV in Quebec gives LP low cost position in I-Joist
- Good LVL position in the West but need more Eastern capacity
- LP #3 share; BC and TJ have own distribution and broader product lines

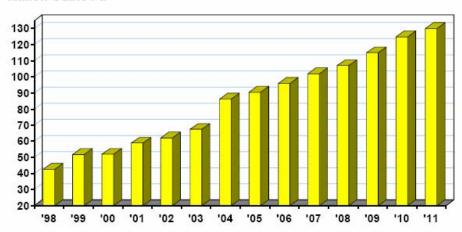








LVL Demand



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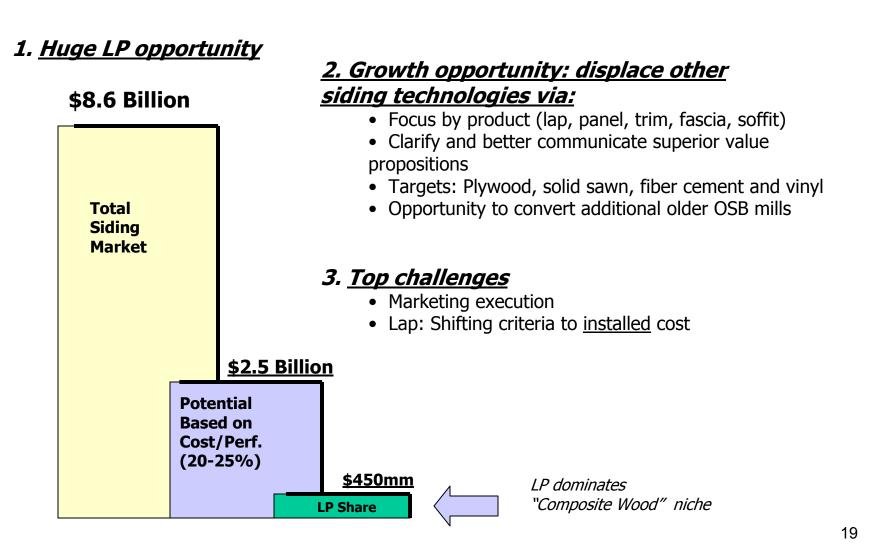


- Smart Side product line exhibiting strong growth:
 - Family of products lap, panel, trim, fascia, soffit
 - Lower installed cost than Fiber Cement, Aluminum, and Wood
 - Curb appeal / outstanding performance
- Hardboard lowest cost and broadest product line in the industry

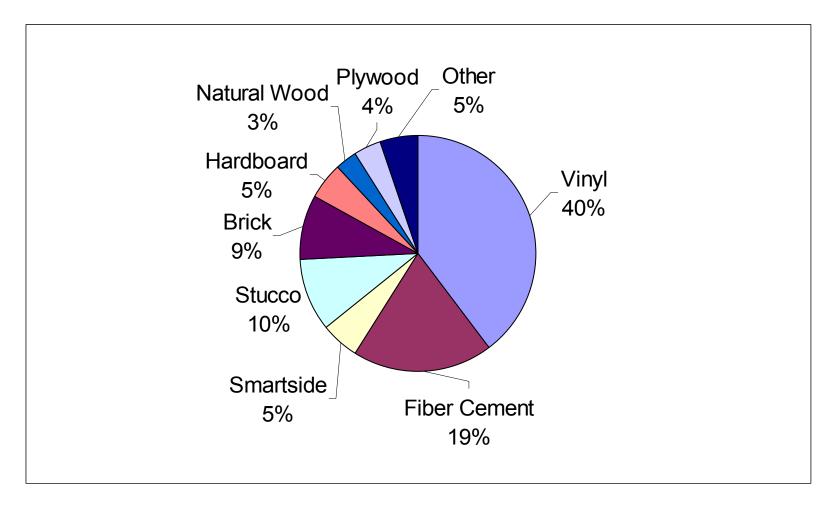
Mill capacities:

- 4 SmartSide mills 900 mmsf
- 2 Hardboard mills 550 mmsf





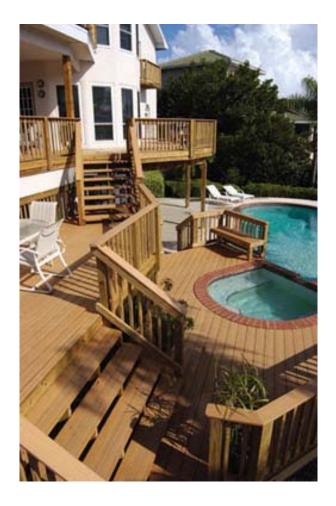




Total Siding Demand in North America in 2005 = 11 billion square feet

Source: Ciprus, Freedonia, James Hardie, LP Internal

Cher Building Products Other Building Products



- Outdoor Living top 5 position, excellent decking products (better/best strategy)
- Chile current mill supports early South American growth; another to be completed late in 2007 for further international growth
- Mouldings profitable interior business with ability to broaden product line
- U.S. GreenFiber largest cellulose insulation business in North America (50%-owned JV)

Mill capacities:

Decking – 90 mmlf

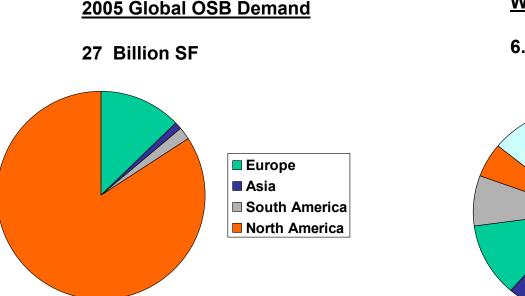
Chile – 130 mmsf; 150 mmsf being added

Moulding – 300 mmlf

U.S. GreenFiber – 14 facilities

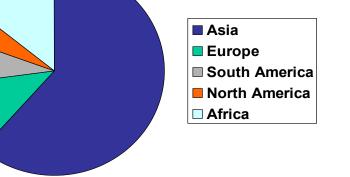


International – Situation Analysis Global OSB = 27 billion SF U.S. comprises 85 %





6.4 Billion People



Current market

Theoretical opportunity

The opportunity for OSB is just emerging



LP has ...

- Leadership position in OSB with exceptional geographic distribution
- Specialty businesses with sales > \$1 billion and growing profitability
- Continuing drive to be the low cost producer
- Growth opportunities in OSB (commodity and specialty), EWP and specialty exterior products
- Discipline in capital deployment
- Strong balance sheet ... financial flexibility to grow through the cycle