

For older ages, the top of the curve had to be rounded off, since the growth of trees after arriving at merchantable size is much slower than for younger stands. The decimation factor for stands over eighty years was, therefore, obtained from this interpolated curve.

Yield statements, especially for younger age-classes, are high. This is, however, borne out by actual conditions. This table, in general, bears out the statement made that no better locality for growing white spruce can be found in Canada than the south shore of Lesser Slave Lake.

MODEL AGE-TABLE - WHITE SPRUCE

Diameter Breast-high	Average Age	Average Height	Trees per Acre	Average Volume	Total Volume
In.	Yrs.	Ft.		Ft. B.M.	Ft. B.M.
8	50	75	18.8	65	1,222
9	60	78	18.1	75	1,380
10	68	80	17.9	85	1,521
11	72	84	17.1	95	1,681
12	76	87	16.4	115	1,863
13	81	88	15.9	135	2,025
14	85	90	15.0	160	2,080
15	90	91	14.2	200	2,040
16	90	92	13.2	260	1,872
17	101	93	11.6	310	1,591
18	111	96	9.8	400	1,420
19	111	98	9.0	460	920
20	118	100	7.4	510	714
21	122	102	6.0	550	550
22	127	105	5.6	570	345
23	130	106	5.5	595	298
24	140	108	4.4	610	214
25	147	110	4.2	625	121
26	154	111	4.1	630	63
			147.9		21,331

YIELD TABLE - WHITE SPRUCE

Age	Average Diameter Breast-high	Average Height	Volume	Number trees per Acre	Yield per Acre	Yield corrected by curve
Yrs.	In.	Ft.	Ft. B.M.	Ft. B.M.	Ft. B.M.	Ft. B.M.
60	8.0	82	65	197	12,865	12,800
70	10.5	84	90	176	16,846	15,800
80	12.0	87	130	157	20,110	19,300
90	14.9	90	195	130	25,350	25,300
100	16.8	93	320	114	36,480	36,300
110	18.9	97	450	103	46,350	46,300
120	20.6	101	535	100	53,000	53,500
130	22.3	105	580	97	56,200	56,300
140	24.0	108	610	95	57,950	58,000
150	25.4	110	625	94	58,750	58,800