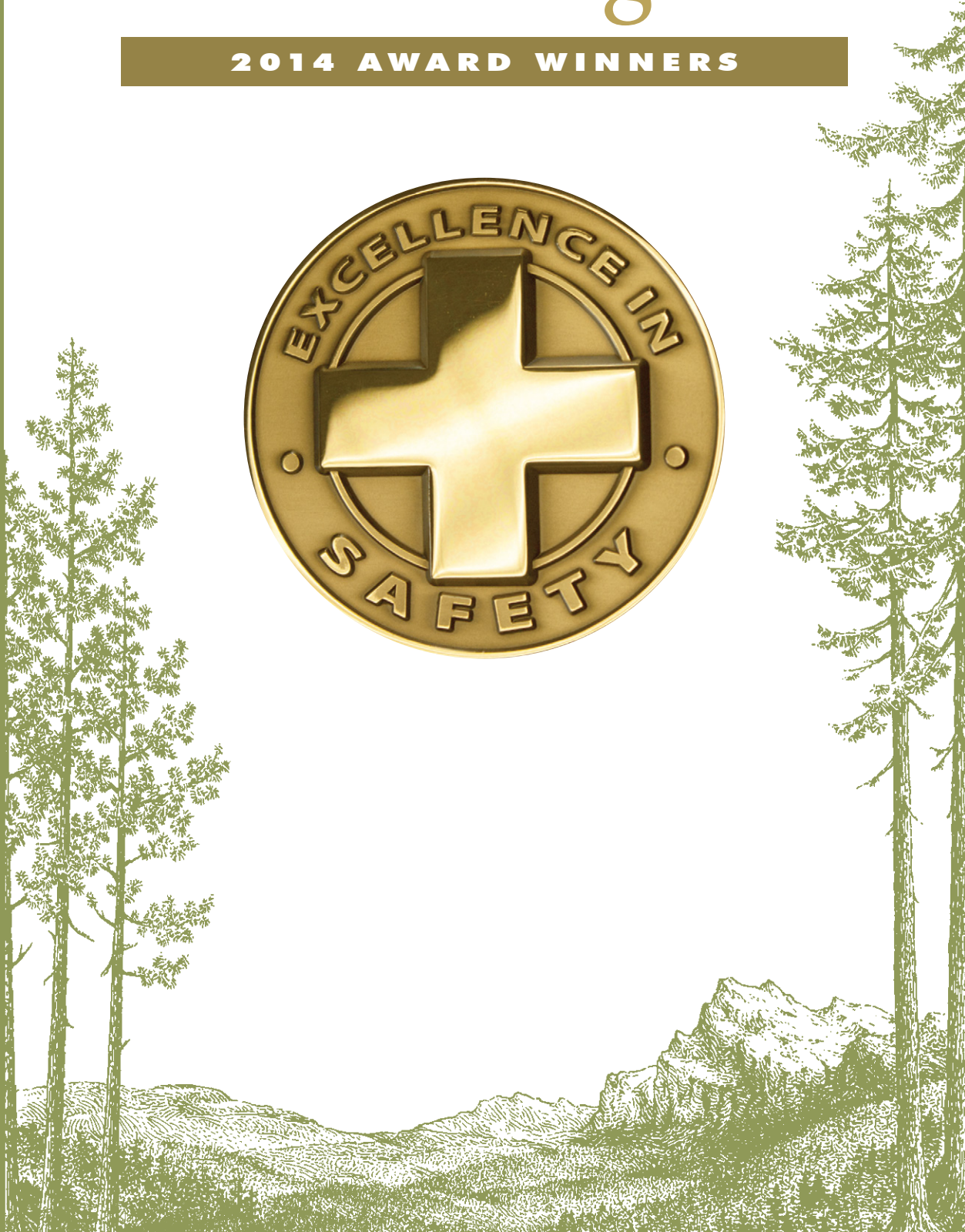




Safety & Health Awards Program

2014 AWARD WINNERS



APA Safety & Health Awards – 2014

On behalf of the APA Safety and Health Advisory Committee, I would like to congratulate all of the 2014 Safety and Health Award Winners. Winning mills will be presented with a plaque recognizing their achievement and will receive further recognition at APA's 2015 Annual Meeting.

The APA Safety and Health Awards Program is the premier safety award program for the engineered wood industry in North America. It encourages and recognizes operational excellence with the goal of reducing injury and illness rates. While awards are limited to APA members, data from both member and non-member mills may be included.

The 2014 average Weighted Incident Rate (WIR) for our industry was 10.83, a slight increase over last year's WIR of 10.05. The 2014 average Total Incident Rate (TIR) was 2.05, same as the previous year. We must continue to ensure that systems and processes are in place to improve the trend. Our employees deserve close attention to their personal safety, and it is simply good business.

WIR is calculated using both the number and severity of recordable incidents (see page 5 for formula). This is the sixth year that WIR is being used. Awards and reports also show TIR, which has been used in previous years. This 2014 Industry Survey shows the WIR and TIR for all participating mills. It also shows average data for three product types, OSB, plywood, and other engineered wood (structural composite lumber (SCL), laminated veneer lumber (LVL), glulam and I-joist).

	TIR	WIR
2014	2.05	10.83
2013	2.05	10.05
2012	2.12	8.40
2011	2.31	10.37
2010	2.44	10.94

I would like to personally thank the members of the APA Safety and Health Advisory Committee for their time and efforts over the past year and encourage you all to participate in the Safety Workshop to be held in conjunction with the 2015 APA Annual Meeting, scheduled for October 17–19 in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The agenda for this event is taking shape based on your feedback and will contain several relevant topics.

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INNOVATION IN SAFETY AWARD

Equipment-Based Innovation Winner

Weyerhaeuser
Grayling, Michigan

“Fire Hose Nozzle”

Jeff Wagner Process-Based Innovation Winner

LP
Wilmington, North Carolina

“Pinch Point Safety”

SAFEST COMPANY AWARD

	Average WIR	Average TIR
Anthony EACOM Inc. Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario (Companies with three or fewer member mills)	0.00	0.00
LP (Companies with four or more member mills)	3.03	0.43

ANNUAL SAFETY

Division I (Plywood)

	WIR	TIR
1st Place RoyOMartin Chopin, Louisiana	3.34	0.71
2nd Place Boise Cascade Company Florien, Louisiana	4.77	1.19

Division II (OSB)

	WIR	TIR
1st Place LP Thomasville, Alabama	0.00	0.00
2nd Place Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Fort St. John, British Columbia	0.00	0.00

Division III (Glulam, I-Joist and SCL)

	WIR	TIR
1st Place Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Golden, British Columbia	0.00	0.00
2nd Place LP Wilmington, North Carolina	0.00	0.00

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3-YEAR SAFETY AWARD (2012 – 2014)

Division I (Plywood)

	Avg. WIR	Avg. TIR
RoyOMartin Chopin, Louisiana	3.68	1.12

Division II (OSB)

	Avg. WIR	Avg. TIR
LP Sagola, Michigan	0.00	0.00

Division III (Glulam, I-Joist and SCL)

	Avg. WIR	Avg. TIR
LP Wilmington, North Carolina	0.00	0.00

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SAFETY IMPROVEMENT AWARD (2012 – 2014)

Division I (Plywood)

	2012 WIR	2013 WIR	2014 WIR
Boise Cascade Company Kettle Falls, Washington	29.98	26.41	06.50
77.8% Improvement	2012 TIR	2013 TIR	2014 TIR
	7.19	5.48	2.50

Division II (OSB)

	2012 WIR	2013 WIR	2014 WIR
Norbord Cordele, Georgia	6.33	4.13	2.54
61.76% Improvement	2012 TIR	2013 TIR	2014 TIR
	0.88	0.83	0.85

Division III (Glulam, I-Joist and SCL)

	2012 WIR	2013 WIR	2014 WIR
Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Golden, British Columbia	0.54	0.43	0.00
100% Improvement	2012 TIR	2013 TIR	2014 TIR
	0.54	0.43	0.00

WIR FORMULA

Restricted work, lost time, fatality (employee or service provider working on site) and other recordable incidences for each mill are used to calculate a Weighted Incident Rate (WIR) for each mill using the following formula:

$$\text{Mill WIR} = \frac{(25 \times F + 10 \times \text{LT} + 5 \times \text{RW} + R) \times 200,000}{\text{Mill Hours}}$$

Where:

WIR = Mill's Weighted Incident Rate for the year

F = Mill's Fatalities (Employees or Service Providers) for the year

LT = Mill's Lost Time Incidents for the year

RW = Mill's Restricted Work Incidents for the year

R = Mill's Other Recordable Incidents for the year

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INCIDENT FREE HONOR SOCIETY

Company Location	Product	WIR	TIR
Anthony EACOM Inc. Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario	IJ	0.00	0.00
Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Maniwaki, Quebec	OSB	0.00	0.00
Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Swan Valley OSB Minitonas, Manitoba	OSB	0.00	0.00
Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Golden, British Columbia	LVL	0.00	0.00
Louisiana-Pacific Canada Ltd. Fort St. John, British Columbia	OSB	0.00	0.00
LP Red Bluff, California	EWP	0.00	0.00
LP Sagola, Michigan	OSB	0.00	0.00
LP Thomasville, Alabama	OSB	0.00	0.00
LP Wilmington, North Carolina	EWP	0.00	0.00
LP Panguipulli, Chile	OSB	0.00	0.00
LP Brasil Ponta Grossa, PR, Brazil	OSB	0.00	0.00
Abitibi-LP Engineered Wood Larouche, Quebec	IJ	0.00	0.00
Abitibi-LP Engineered Wood Saint Prime, Quebec	IJ	0.00	0.00
Norbord Nacogdoches, Texas	OSB	0.00	0.00
Rosboro Springfield, Oregon	Glulam	0.00	0.00
Weyerhaeuser Arcadia Plant Simsboro, Louisiana	OSB	0.00	0.00

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