



CONNECTED FOREST™ BUSINESS

LIMS

LOG ACCOUNTING AND CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

WIDELY USED LOG ACCOUNTING AND CONTRACTING SYSTEM

The Log Inventory & Management System (LIMS) provides management control over all phases of timberland, woodland, yard and mill operations. It combines the features of a log or timber accounting system with features for silviculture, harvesting, contractor payables, wood or fiber procurement, wood trading or sales, yard or mill inventory, consumption, and comprehensive reporting and planning tools. LIMS can be implemented to include WeighWiz, LabWiz, ScaleWiz and CFX.

WeighWiz records information and captures readings from weigh scale equipment whether a scale site is attended or unattended. WeighWiz can operate on a single scale platform functioning as both the weigh-in and weigh-out scale. It can also control dedicated weigh-in and weigh-out scales.

LabWiz is designed to reduce user training time and ensure a high-level of data integrity. LabWiz has a user-friendly graphic interface and can be configured to define a few or many test metrics. Results from the full range of testing procedures can be captured, processed and exported electronically, eliminating manual data entry. The data validation logic built into the program flags errors for operators to quickly correct.

ScaleWiz is a mobile log yard application used to scale logs for volume and quality attributes used for payment.

LIMS AND CONNECTED FOREST™ XCHANGE (CFX) INTEGRATION

Direct integration between LIMS and CFX provides key operational data, such as electronic tickets, fiber source GPS coordinates, and detailed supply chain records, viewable in real-time.

The CFX platform includes cloud-based dashboards and mobile ticketing applications seamlessly interfacing to provide real-time visibility to electronic load tickets from harvesters, haulers, and scaling sites.

CFX speeds revenue collection, ticket reconciliation and payment processing through electronically reconciled and validated records, providing visibility and timber security for load-related activity throughout the supply chain.

CFX customizable dashboards ensure that load data is visible in real-time for managers throughout the supply chain, helping to create greater efficiency and provide insight into business activity in real-time.

Key Features

- ▶ Contract management
- ▶ Fast settlement processing
- ▶ Inventory tracking
- ▶ Chip and quality testing
- ▶ Log and load scaling capabilities
- ▶ Financial dashboard
- ▶ Analytics, reporting and business intelligence tools

Benefits

- ▶ Better supply chain visibility and security
- ▶ Accurate and timely vendor payment
- ▶ Integrates with all financial solutions
- ▶ Fast financial reporting
- ▶ Optimize inventory levels
- ▶ Single solution to manage all contract types (purchase, sales, activities)



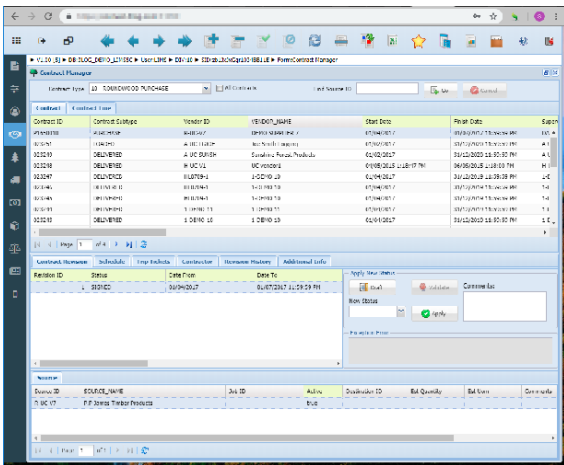
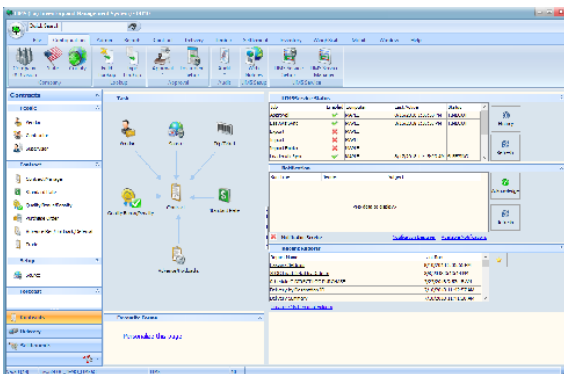
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"We implemented LIMS in less than 2 months and I couldn't have been happier with the way it went. It was quick and easy to learn the new system. I would highly recommend LIMS based on my experience with the product and its support resources."

Emily Acord, Log Accounting, Landvest, Inc.

"FMG is committed to providing the best service to our clients and stakeholders. As part of this we found a need to upgrade our log management software. Trimble has been selected to take our system through to the end goal of electronic docketing through their cloud based log accounting system – LIMS. This will give our business greater ability to measure and manage our operations and streamline the service offered to customers, clients and contractors"

Glenn Moir, Director of FMG



LIMS & CFX Benefits

Forest Owners

- ▶ Increase velocity of stumpage payments
- ▶ Better support certification with
- ▶ Stump to dump tracking
- ▶ Minimize timber theft
- ▶ Eliminate the cost of purchasing and managing ticket books

Contractors

- ▶ Real-time reconciliation
- ▶ Production visibility
- ▶ Minimize processing errors
- ▶ Improve payment speed
- ▶ Faster scaling
- ▶ Cycle time visibility
- ▶ Automated loader logs

Mills

- ▶ Minimize contact between employees/contractors
- ▶ Improved scale safety
- ▶ Faster yard turnaround time
- ▶ Proof of source location
- ▶ Supply chain security
- ▶ Supports the implementation of unattended scale
- ▶ Support various certification
- ▶ Improve data accuracy

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