SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND STUMPAGE PRICE SURVEY RESULTS
THIRD QUARTER— 2007

The table below summarizes reported prices paid for standing timber during the **THIRD quarter of 2007 (JULY - SEPTEMBER)**. Prices for sawtimber are in $ per thousand board feet (International ¼-inch scale). Pulpwood and fuelwood are reported in $ per cord, biomass in $ per ton. The ***Range*** shows the high and low prices reported. Half of the prices reported are below the ***Median***; half are above. Reporting is voluntary, and this is not a complete record of sale activity in the southern New England region. A **total of 63 timber sales were reported for the THIRD quarter of 2007**. Sale characteristics (in percent):

Size	%	Type	%	Reported by	%	Buyer/seller	%
< 50 Mbf	33	Lump sum	68	Consulting foresters	21	Buyer	63
51-100 Mbf	38	Mill-tally	27	Public lands foresters	3	Seller	35
>100 Mbf	23	No data	5	Industrial foresters	8	No data	2
No data	6			Loggers	30		
				Sawmills	19		
				Utility foresters	2		
				No data	17		

	EAST OF CT RIVER			WEST OF CT RIVER		
SPECIES	no. of reports	**median**	Range	no. of reports	**median**	range
Red oak	28	**210**	10 - 350	12	**190**	150 – 350
White oak	22	**60**	10 - 150	5	**100**	25 – 150
Other oaks	21	**100**	10 - 220	5	**50**	50 – 250
Ash	13	**45**	40 - 105	11	**70**	50 – 100
Cherry	9	**200**	100 - 350	10	**350**	200 – 525
Sugar maple	11	**120**	100 - 325	11	**215**	100 – 440
Red maple	18	**50**	10 - 125	10	**45**	25 – 50
Tulip poplar	1	**30**	-	3	**70**	0 – 200
Yellow birch	9	**50**	50 - 50	8	**55**	30 – 70
Black birch	15	**50**	50 - 150	7	**50**	30 – 100
Paper birch	6	**50**	30 - 50	2	**28**	10 – 45
Beech	0	**-**	-	6	**3**	0 – 20
Pallet hdwd	17	**25**	17 - 40	8	**5**	0 - 50
Other hdwd	6	**33**	5 - 80	1	**100**	-
White pine	36	**90**	20 - 153	10	**60**	40 – 200
Red pine	8	**20**	20 - 100	0	**-**	-
Hemlock	12	**18**	0 - 40	9	**10**	0 – 20
Spruce	6	**20**	0 - 20	2	**20**	15 – 25
Other sfwd	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, hardwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, sftwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Fuel wood ($/cd)	30	**5**	0 - 12	4	**4**	0 – 6
Pulpwood ($/cd)	6	**0**	0 - 13	1	**0**	-
Biomass ($/ton)	5	**0**	0 - 1	1	**0**	-

This information is meant to be used as a **guide only. Use with care**. Prices paid for standing timber can be influenced by many factors, including but not limited to: timber quality, distance to market, accessibility of property, sale volume, market demand, season, skid distance, terrain, landowner requirements, method of sale (e.g., competitively bid, or directly negotiated), and logging costs.

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See: http://forest.fnr.umass.edu/snestumpage.htm for more results