SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND STUMPAGE PRICE SURVEY RESULTS
THIRD QUARTER— 2012

The table below summarizes reported prices paid for standing timber during the **THIRD quarter of 2012 (JULY - SEPTEMBER)**. Prices for sawtimber are in $ per thousand board feet (International ¼-inch scale). Fuelwood is reported in $ per cord, biomass and pulpwood 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 28 timber sales were reported for the THIRD quarter of 2012**. Sale characteristics (in percent):

Size	%	Type	%	Reported by	%	Buyer/seller	%
< 50 Mbf	32	Lump sum	61	Consulting foresters	7	Buyer	54
51-100 Mbf	18	Mill-tally	25	Public lands foresters	7	Seller	39
>100 Mbf	36	No data	14	Industrial foresters	18	No data	7
No data	14			Loggers	50		
				Sawmills	7		
				Utility foresters	-		
				No data	11		

	EAST OF CT RIVER			WEST OF CT RIVER		
SPECIES	no. of reports	**median**	Range	no. of reports	**median**	range
Red oak	17	**125**	70 - 275	5	**200**	200 - 250
White oak	15	**60**	40 - 100	1	**100**	-
Other oaks	11	**75**	70 - 175	0	**-**	-
Ash	12	**40**	20 - 100	4	**88**	75 - 100
Cherry	14	**65**	20 - 400	4	**213**	175 - 250
Sugar maple	10	**60**	60 - 200	5	**200**	200 - 250
Red maple	15	**25**	25 - 100	5	**40**	25 - 100
Tulip poplar	0	**-**	-	1	**60**	-
Yellow birch	13	**50**	40 - 125	4	**50**	50 - 60
Black birch	14	**50**	40 - 250	5	**50**	50 - 100
Paper birch	8	**25**	20 - 50	5	**30**	25 - 100
Beech	2	**35**	20 - 50	3	**15**	10 - 15
Pallet hdwd	13	**25**	20 - 50	3	**25**	10 - 25
Other hdwd	1	**50**	-	0	**-**	-
White pine	15	**60**	50 - 110	4	**58**	50 - 100
Red pine	6	**20**	-	0	**-**	-
Hemlock	12	**20**	20 - 36	6	**28**	20 - 60
Spruce	6	**20**	-	2	**18**	0 - 35
Other sfwd	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, hardwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, sftwd ($/lin.ft)	1	**0**	-	0	**-**	-
Fuel wood ($/cd)	19	**10**	1 - 20	5	**5**	0 - 10
Pulpwood ($/ton)	3	**0**	-	1	**1**	-
Biomass ($/ton)	5	**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.

This survey is a result of joint efforts of Cooperative Extension at the University of Massachusetts and the state forestry agency in RI.

See: http://www.masswoods.net/index.php/stumpage for more results