SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND STUMPAGE PRICE SURVEY RESULTS
FOURTH QUARTER— 2014

The table below summarizes reported prices paid for standing timber during the **FOURTH quarter of 2014 (OCTOBER - DECEMBER)**. 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 47 timber sales were reported for the FOURTH quarter of 2014**. Sale characteristics (in percent):

Size	%	Type	%	Reported by	%	Buyer/seller	%
< 50 Mbf	32	Lump sum	73	Consulting foresters	13	Buyer	62
51-100 Mbf	23	Mill-tally	23	Public lands foresters	9	Seller	30
>100 Mbf	43	No data	4	Industrial foresters	21	No data	8
No data	2			Loggers	51		
				Sawmills	6		
				Utility foresters	-		
				No data	-		

	EAST OF CT RIVER			WEST OF CT RIVER		
SPECIES	no. of reports	**median**	Range	no. of reports	**median**	Range
Red oak	28	**245**	200 - 450	9	**300**	225 – 590
White oak	27	**100**	50 - 175	4	**100**	90 – 200
Other oaks	20	**155**	90 - 250	0	**-**	-
Ash	22	**100**	25 - 175	8	**150**	100 – 355
Cherry	6	**100**	-	10	**300**	150 – 450
Sugar maple	15	**200**	100 - 400	9	**300**	220 – 600
Red maple	24	**43**	20 - 150	9	**50**	30 – 125
Tulip poplar	3	**65**	65 - 70	2	**55**	50 – 60
Yellow birch	9	**60**	50 - 200	7	**150**	60 – 300
Black birch	18	**60**	25 - 200	6	**113**	60 – 300
Paper birch	6	**25**	-	3	**40**	30 – 50
Beech	2	**25**	10 - 40	2	**35**	20 - 50
Pallet hdwd	10	**25**	25 - 50	3	**20**	10 – 50
Other hdwd	11	**40**	10 - 65	4	**123**	20 – 175
White pine	21	**70**	40 - 130	9	**80**	60 – 165
Red pine	8	**20**	20 - 90	3	**60**	40 – 80
Hemlock	11	**20**	20 - 40	10	**25**	25 – 80
Spruce	7	**20**	20 - 70	3	**80**	50 – 80
Other sfwd	0	**-**	-	1	**80**	-
Poles, hardwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, sftwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Fuel wood ($/cd)	25	**10**	5 - 20	10	**7**	5 – 10
Pulpwood ($/ton)	3	**0**	0 - 1	4	**4**	1 – 5
Biomass ($/ton)	0	**-**	-	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.

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