SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND STUMPAGE PRICE SURVEY RESULTS
THIRD QUARTER— 2009

The table below summarizes reported prices paid for standing timber during the THIRD **quarter of 2009 (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 45 timber sales were reported for the THIRD quarter of 2009**. Sale characteristics (in percent):

Size	%	**Type**	%	**Reported by**	%	**Buyer/seller**	%
< 50 Mbf	36	Lump sum	60	Consulting foresters	7	Buyer	62
51-100 Mbf	13	Mill-tally	29	Public lands foresters	2	Seller	22
>100 Mbf	38	No data	11	Industrial foresters	9	No data	16
No data	13			Loggers	44		
				Sawmills	16		
				Utility foresters	-		
				No data	22		

	EAST OF CT RIVER			WEST OF CT RIVER		
SPECIES	no. of reports	**median**	Range	no. of reports	**median**	range
Red oak	26	**115**	40 - 205	4	**125**	100 - 150
White oak	19	**50**	30 - 110	2	**75**	-
Other oaks	14	**70**	30 - 120	2	**68**	60 - 75
Ash	14	**30**	30 - 70	6	**63**	30 - 130
Cherry	8	**80**	50 - 140	4	**185**	150 - 200
Sugar maple	11	**40**	40 - 200	2	**200**	-
Red maple	18	**25**	0 - 50	5	**20**	20 - 25
Tulip poplar	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Yellow birch	7	**40**	-	4	**50**	40 - 60
Black birch	15	**25**	4 - 90	4	**45**	30 - 50
Paper birch	6	**25**	-	3	**20**	20 - 80
Beech	2	**5**	-	3	**10**	10 - 35
Pallet hdwd	13	**25**	5 - 50	3	**10**	10 - 20
Other hdwd	1	**25**	-	0	**-**	-
White pine	24	**70**	45 - 100	7	**50**	10 - 65
Red pine	7	**20**	20 - 110	0	**-**	-
Hemlock	14	**20**	0 - 40	6	**18**	0 - 25
Spruce	6	**20**	-	2	**48**	35 - 60
Other sfwd	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, hardwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Poles, sftwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	-	0	**-**	-
Fuel wood ($/cd)	32	**10**	0 - 22	3	**5**	0 - 7
Pulpwood ($/cd)	8	**4**	0 - 6	1	**6**	-
Biomass ($/ton)	9	**0.5**	0 - 1	1	**1**	-

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 Universities of Massachusetts and Connecticut, and the state forestry agency in RI.

See: http://masswoods.net/sne_stumpage/index.html for more results