SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND STUMPAGE PRICE SURVEY RESULTS
FIRST QUARTER— 2011

The table below summarizes reported prices paid for standing timber during the **FIRST quarter of 2011 (JANUARY - MARCH).** 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 42 timber sales** were reported for the **FIRST quarter of 2011.** Sale characteristics (in percent):

Size	%	Type	%	Reported By	%	Buyer/Seller	%
< 50 Mbf	15%	Lump sum	49%	Consulting Foresters	15%	Buyer	64%
51-100 Mbf	15%	Mill-tally	38%	Public Lands Foresters	-	Seller	26%
> 100 Mbf	64%	No Data	13%	Industrial Foresters	13%	No Data	10%
No Data	5%			Loggers	64%		
				Sawmills	-		
				Utility Foresters	-		
				No Data	8%		

	EAST OF CT RIVER			WEST OF CT RIVER		
SPECIES	no. of reports	**median**	Range	no. of reports	**median**	Range
Red oak	20	**200**	100 - 375	6	**213**	125 - 400
White oak	14	**63**	30 - 300	3	**65**	55 - 100
Other oaks	7	**100**	85 - 175	2	**83**	55 - 110
Ash	13	**40**	30 - 90	7	**75**	45 - 235
Cherry	7	**100**	100 - 200	6	**190**	115 - 400
Sugar maple	11	**40**	40 - 195	5	**160**	35 - 400
Red maple	15	**25**	20 - 70	7	**30**	20 - 95
Tulip poplar	0	**-**	0 - 0	0	**-**	0 - 0
Yellow birch	11	**40**	40 - 85	4	**53**	40 - 200
Black birch	15	**40**	25 - 85	5	**45**	40 - 150
Paper birch	7	**25**	10 - 25	5	**25**	20 - 80
Beech	1	**10**	10 - 10	4	**20**	10 - 50
Pallet hdwd	7	**25**	25 - 45	4	**20**	10 - 50
Other hdwd	4	**23**	0 - 80	2	**13**	0 - 25
White pine	20	**50**	25 - 150	7	**60**	50 - 84
Red pine	6	**10**	10 - 10	2	**30**	10 - 50
Hemlock	11	**10**	10 - 70	5	**25**	20 - 40
Spruce	6	**20**	20 - 20	3	**35**	20 - 50
Other sfwd	0	**-**	0 - 0	2	**35**	20 - 50
Poles, hardwd ($/lin.ft)	1	**10**	10 - 10	0	**-**	0 - 0
Poles, sftwd ($/lin.ft)	0	**-**	0 - 0	0	**-**	0 - 0
Fuel wood ($/cd)	26	**5**	2 - 21	4	**6**	3 - 10
Pulpwood ($/cd)	5	**1**	0 - 5	2	**5**	0 - 10
Biomass ($/ton)	0	**-**	0 - 0	0	**-**	0 - 0

This information is meant to be used as a **guide only. <u>Use with care</u>**. 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://www.masswoods.net/index.php/stumpage for more results***