

KENTUCKY DIVISION OF FORESTRY

KENTUCKY DELIVERED LOG PRICE REPORT

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Forest Resource Utilization Program

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Region 1

Species	High MBF'	Medium MBF'	Low MBF'	1/4 High MBF'	1/4 Medium MBF'	1/4 Low MBF'	Veneer Low MBF'	Veneer High MBF'	Stave High MBF'	Stave Low MBF'	Qtr Saw High MBF'	Qtr Saw Low Mbf'	Tie-HWD High MBF'	Tie-HWD Low MBF'	Tie Ton'	Pallet MBF'	Pallet Ton'	Mat MBF'	Fencing MBF'	Handle MBF'	HDWPulp Ton'	PINEPulp'	Per Ton'	Chip Log MBF'	Chip Log Ton'	Peelers MBF'	Peelers Ton'
Red Oak	725	375											500														
White Oak	1650	375							2250	700			500														
Post Oak	600	500																									
Hard Maple	625	350																									
Ash	600	375																									
Black Cherry	500	250																									
Black Walnut	1250	450																									
Hickory	450	350																									
Yellow Poplar	575	275																									
Misc. Hardwoods													483	423		207		650			26						
Pine																							60				
Misc. Softwood																200					26						

Region 2

Species	High MBF'	Medium MBF'	Low MBF'	1/4 High MBF'	1/4 Medium MBF'	1/4 Low MBF'	Veneer Low MBF'	Veneer High MBF'	Stave High MBF'	Stave Low MBF'	Qtr Saw High MBF'	Qtr Saw Low Mbf'	Tie-HWD High MBF'	Tie-HWD Low MBF'	Tie Ton'	Pallet MBF'	Pallet Ton'	Mat MBF'	Fencing MBF'	Handle MBF'	HDWPulp Ton'	PINEPulp'	Per Ton'	Chip Log MBF'	Chip Log Ton'	Peelers MBF'	Peelers Ton'	
Red Oak	740	500	250										450	250		200												
White Oak	2420	690	290				2750	3500	3000	800			550	300		200												
Chestnut Oak	2060	550	390										550	300		200												
Hard Maple	960	450	350										400	250		200												
Soft Maple	575	385	263										400	250		200												
Ash	780	600	280										400	250		200												
Black Cherry	413	300	238													200												
Black Walnut	3400	700	450				4000	12000								200												
Hickory	550	350	250										400	250		200												
Yellow Poplar	690	500	250													200												
Basswood	233	200	200													200												
Misc. Hardwoods	200	200	200										425	233		200												
Eastern Redcedar	850																						120					

Region 3

Species	High MBF'	Medium MBF'	Low MBF'	1/4 High MBF'	1/4 Medium MBF'	1/4 Low MBF'	Veneer Low MBF'	Veneer High MBF'	Stave High MBF'	Stave Low MBF'	Qtr Sawn High MBF'	Qtr Sawn Low Mbf'	Tie-HWD High MBF'	Tie-HWD Low MBF'	Tie Ton'	Pallet MBF'	Pallet Ton'	Mat MBF'	Fencing MBF'	Handle MBF'	HDWPulp Ton'	PINEPulp'	Per Ton'	Chip Log MBF'	Chip Log Ton'	Peelers MBF'	Peelers Ton'	
Red Oak				625	400	175							250	150		125		300	400									
White Oak				1750	513	175	2600	5500	2600	1000	3200	2050	250	150		125		300	500									
Chestnut Oak				1750	466	150					3000	1600	250	150		125			500									
Hard Maple				550	456	150							250	150		125		300										
Soft Maple				425	276	150							250	150		125		300										
Ash	400	439	150	500	300	150							250	150		125		300										
Black Cherry	600	393	150	600	353	150										125												
Black Walnut	3250	1860	350				3550	5500								125												
Hickory	700	341	200										250	150		125		300										
Yellow Poplar				500	365	150										125			300									
Basswood				250	175	125										125												
Beech				200	150	100							250	150		100		300										
Sycamore				200	150	100							250	150		100		300										
Gum				200	150	100							250	150		100		300										
Misc. Hardwoods				175	150	125							250	150		125		300										

Region 4

Species	High MBF'	Medium MBF'	Low MBF'	1/4 High MBF'	1/4 Medium MBF'	1/4 Low MBF'	Veneer Low MBF'	Veneer High MBF'	Stave High MBF'	Stave Low MBF'	Qtr Sawn High MBF'	Qtr Sawn Low Mbf'	Tie-HWD High MBF'	Tie-HWD Low MBF'	Tie Ton'	Pallet MBF'	Pallet Ton'	Mat MBF'	Fencing MBF'	Handle MBF'	HDWPulp Ton'	PINEPulp'	Per Ton'	Chip Log MBF'	Chip Log Ton'	Peelers MBF'	Peelers Ton'		
Red Oak	625	424	175										338	183		150		300	350										
Scarlet Oak	300		200																										
White Oak	2025	618	275				2750	4500	2933	933	3200	2500	525	300		150		300	500										
Chestnut Oak	2025	1057	388								3000	1600	433	225		150			500										
Hard Maple	775	471	175										325	175		150		300											
Soft Maple	563	282	175										325	175		150		300											
Ash	475	325	200										300	183		150		300											
Black Cherry	525	390	213													150													
Black Walnut	3188	1860	375				3367	6333								125													
Hickory	550	341	175										325	175		150		300											
Yellow Poplar	625	390	175													150			300										
Basswood	250	225	200													150													
Beech	200	200	200										250	150		100		300											
Sycamore	200	200	200										250	150		100		300											
Gum	200	200	200										250	150		100		300											

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DATA COMPILED BY STEPHEN ROGERS PROGRAM SPECIALIST FOREST RESOURCE UTILIZATION AND MARKETING, KENTUCKY DIVISION OF FORESTRY. THE PRICES ARE AVERAGE PRICES AND RANGES BASED ON SPECIES, GRADE, AND SPECIFIED PURCHASED USAGE.

ALL COMMERCIAL LOGGING MUST BE DONE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE KENTUCKY FOREST CONSERVATION ACT.

THIS SURVEY REPRESENTS APPROXIMATE LOG PRICING RECEIVED AT THE MILL BY THE LOGGER OR INDIVIDUAL SELLING TO THE MILL. THIS DOES NOT REPRESENT, IMPLY, OR ASSUME PRICING FOR STANDING TIMBER ON YOUR FARM OR WOODLAND.

LANDOWNERS AND FARMERS PLEASE NOTE:

IN ORDER TO MAKE FULL USE OF THIS LOG PRICING DATA: YOU SHOULD HAVE A CRUISING REPORT PERFORMED BY A QUALIFIED FORESTER SHOWING SPECIES, GRADE, AND FOOTAGE OF THE STANDING TIMBER ON YOUR PROPERTY. ADDITIONALLY, YOU MUST ALSO UNDERSTAND THE RELATED EXPENSES IN HARVESTING AND TRANSPORTING TIMBER FROM YOUR PROPERTY TO THE PURCHASING MILL. FARMERS AND LANDOWNERS Will RECEIVE STUMPAGE PRICES LESS THAN THOSE LISTED IN THIS REPORT BY AS MUCH AS 50% OR MORE IN SOME INSTANCES. COSTS OF LOGGING VARY GREATLY DUE TO ACCESS, PROXIMITY OF THE TIMBER TO A MAIN ROAD, TERRAIN, DISTANCE TO THE PURCHASING MILL, PREVAILING CONDITIONS, SPECIES COMPOSITION, TIMBER QUALITY, TIMBER SIZE, FOOTAGE PER ACRE, MARKET SPECIES DEMAND, AND COST ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF APPROPRIATE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPS).

NOTE:

ALL VALUES ARE EXPRESSED FOR UNSAWN LOGS DELIVERED TO THE MILL IN DOLLARS PER 1000 BOARD FEET (MBF) AS ESTIMATED BY THE DOYLE LOG RULE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

LOG PRICE SURVEY REGIONS

