

News & Notes

2006 NYS Industrial Timber Harvest Production and Consumption Report

The DEC Forest Utilization Program has recently completed its annual look at the type, volume, and disposition of the 2006 New York State industrial timber harvest. **The following are a few highlights:**

--Total timber harvest was approximately 171 million cubic feet. The primary products produced were logs (720 MMbf) and pulpwood & chips (2.1 MM green tons).

--71% of the log harvest was comprised of five species: sugar maple, red maple, red oak, black cherry and white pine. Sugar maple alone accounted for approximately 26% of total log harvest.

--Approximately 28% of New York's timber product production was exported (54% logs/46% pulpwood & chips). 63% of export volume was shipped to Canada, with the balance going to mostly direct neighbor states.

The complete report is available on-line:

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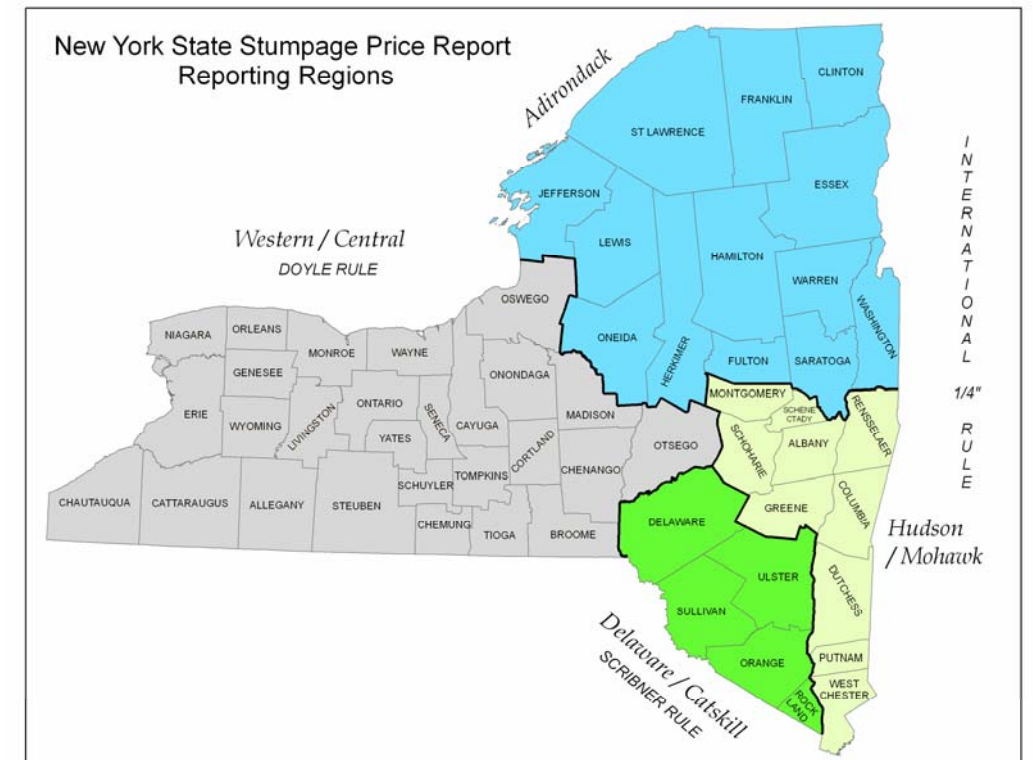
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Report prices are provided to DEC voluntarily by various buyers and sellers of standing timber in four price reporting regions. Prices should be considered historical since the reports provided reflect prices paid over a six month period previous to the printing of this report. They are intended to serve **ONLY AS A GUIDE** in understanding the market value of timber. The actual market value of timber can be significantly influenced by many factors, some of which are provided below. Reported prices likely reflect the influence of these factors to varying degrees. The report is not intended to substitute for an appraisal or other determination of value by a forest professional. Use of this report for any purpose other than as a rough guide to standing timber values should be done with caution.

Some Factors Affecting Value of Standing Timber

1. Timber quality
2. Volume to be harvested per acre
3. Variability of terrain
4. Market demand
5. Distance to market
6. Season of year
7. Distance to public roads
8. Costs of harvesting
9. Size of timber
10. Species mix
11. Type of logging equipment
12. Landowner requirements for harvest
13. Landowner knowledge of values
14. Insurance Costs
15. Performance bond and other requirements



Definitions:

Low Price Range - reported range of the absolute lowest price paid by survey respondents over the last six months.

Average Price Range - reported range of the average price paid for "middle quality" timber by survey respondents over the last six months.

High Price Range - reported range of the absolute highest price paid by survey respondents over the last six months.

Median - One half of reported prices are higher and one-half are lower than this price figure.

Doyle, International 1/4" and Scribner Rules - Provide an estimated volume in board feet of a given tree or stand of trees. In most cases, each rule will provide a different volume estimate when applied to identical trees. Each region of the state has a most commonly used rule, but the use of other rules in a region is possible.

* all price figures in this cell were produced from less than 20 survey responses.

** all price figures in this cell were produced from less than 5 survey responses.

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Species	Western/Central <i>Doyle Rule</i>			Adirondack <i>International 1/4" Rule</i>			Hudson/Mohawk <i>International 1/4" Rule</i>			Delaware/Catskill <i>Scribner Rule</i>			New York State Stumpage Price Report Summer 2008/#73
	Low Price Range (Median)	Average Price Range (Median)	High Price Range (Median)	Low Price Range (Median)	Average Price Range (Median)	High Price Range (Median)	Low Price Range (Median)	Average Price Range (Median)	High Price Range (Median)	Low Price Range (Median)	Average Price Range (Median)	High Price Range (Median)	
Most Common Species													
Ash, White	50-200 (100)	100-350 (200)	125-370 (250)	30-200* (90)	75-300* (130)	100-400* (175)	15-130* (50)	50-220* (125)	115-310* (175)	50-150* (150)	90-250* (200)	200-500* (250)	
Cherry, Black	300-1000 (565)	500-1500 (900)	800-2000 (1150)	35-600* (300)	100-925* (565)	200-3900* (850)	125-700* (370)	300-880* (510)	600-970* (700)	100-800* (500)	450-1000* (700)	1000-2500* (1000)	
Maple, Red (Soft)	50-200 (125)	125-300 (250)	175-400 (300)	25-400* (85)	60-600* (150)	70-1890* (200)	30-100** (50)	35-155* (60)	55-230* (125)	50-150** (125)	100-225* (150)	175-250** (225)	
Maple, Sugar (Hard)	200-600 (300)	275-700 (525)	400-850 (700)	125-600* (275)	150-600* (400)	300-3150* (750)	125-390* (300)	295-600* (425)	405-800* (500)	75-400* (100)	200-660* (375)	225-800* (600)	
Oak, Red	40-400 (200)	60-500 (350)	100-750 (450)	35-275* (200)	150-425* (300)	160-1300* (390)	50-350* (215)	80-440* (300)	165-500* (425)	75-300* (175)	100-500* (250)	300-800* (450)	
Pine, White	20-100* (50)	50-130* (70)	60-200* (100)	40-195* (50)	50-265 (100)	80-600* (150)	30-70* (45)	35-100* (65)	65-120* (100)	400-50** (45)	50-100* (90)	75-150** (125)	
Less Common Species													
Aspen	20-50* (30)	10-70* (40)	20-100* (50)	20-60* (35)	25-110* (60)	80-230* (110)	NR (25)	20-60** (25)	NR (55)	NR	NR	NR	
Basswood	40-100 (65)	50-200 (125)	75-250 (200)	30-100* (50)	40-90* (70)	50-150* (90)	30-65** (35)	45-100* (75)	80-180** (115)	20-100** (25)	60-200** (75)	125-250** (125)	
Beech	30-50* (50)	20-100* (70)	45-150* (100)	20-50* (40)	25-100* (45)	30-150* (50)	20-30** (25)	25-50** (35)	30-100** (35)	NR	NR	55-75 (65)	
Birch, Yellow	40-150* (100)	50-350 (150)	60-300* (200)	50-195* (150)	100-385* (225)	150-1750* (300)	15-200* (50)	50-250* (100)	60-400* (175)	30-150** (100)	90-200* (175)	180-325** (265)	
Birch, White	30-150** (40)	50-200** (60)	60-250** (100)	50-100* (70)	40-180* (100)	100-200* (150)	NR (50)	30-95** (65)	NR (100)	30-150* (100)	90-250* (200)	180-400* (300)	
Butternut	50-200* (100)	50-300* (150)	100-500* (275)	40-100** (100)	70-250** (125)	80-400** (150)	5-100** (45)	15-130** (85)	35-165** (95)	NR	NR	NR	
Elm, American	NR	75-100** (100)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Hemlock	25-70* (45)	10-100 (50)	40-120* (75)	25-50** (50)	30-100* (50)	50-180** (70)	20-30** (25)	15-45* (35)	15-70* (60)	10-40** (35)	35-75* (40)	50-75** (70)	
Hickory (ssp.)	20-150 (80)	25-200 (125)	30-300 (200)	NR	35-150** (75)	NR	30-65** (35)	20-100* (50)	75-100** (100)	15-75** (20)	40-100** (100)	80-500** (125)	
Oak, Chestnut	40-200* (100)	100-300* (150)	150-400* (200)	NR	40-150** (150)	NR	NR	65-150* (100)	NR	50-150** (150)	100-200** (165)	150-225** (225)	
Oak, White	60-250 (150)	115-400 (250)	250-500 (300)	50-175** (150)	90-225* (150)	150-400** (300)	15-150* (85)	65-300* (150)	130-450* (250)	50-200* (100)	125-250* (175)	200-500* (225)	
Pine, Red	30-125* (60)	50-150* (80)	80-515* (100)	20-100* (50)	15-180* (60)	65-335* (135)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Spruce (ssp.)	50-100** (95)	100-110* (105)	NR	30-130* (50)	15-160* (80)	80-1250* (110)	25-80** (30)	35-100** (60)	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Tulip Poplar	75-250* (100)	100-400* (180)	150-500* (250)	NR	NR	NR	30-70** (65)	50-125* (100)	80-170** (130)	50-150** (65)	100-150* (100)	150-200* (175)	
Walnut, Black	300-700* (400)	450-1000* (750)	700-1300* (1000)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Sawtimber Price (Including Veneer and Poles) Dollars per Thousand Board Feet													
Aspen	NR	NR	NR	1-5* (4)	3-9* (5)	6-24* (8)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Birch, White	NR	NR	NR	4-8* (6)	5-10* (7)	8-20* (8)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Hemlock	NR	NR	NR	6-10* (8)	5-18* (11)	10-25* (12)	NR	10-15** (10)	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Mixed N. Hardwoods	1-12* (3)	2-12* (5)	3-15* (6)	4-9* (6)	5-18* (10)	6-27* (11)	NR	10-12** (10)	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Pine	NR	NR	NR	1-3* (3)	1-5* (4)	5-15* (7)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Spruce/Fir	NR	NR	NR	3-4** (3)	1-8* (4)	6-15** (11)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
Firewood	2-12* (8)	2-15* (10)	3-20* (12)	6-38* (8)	8-15* (10)	8-50* (12)	NR	8-12* (10)	10-15** (10)	NR	NR	NR	
Cordwood Price Dollars per Standard Cord													