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PRICES PAID OHIO TIMBER PRODUCERS - MAY 1972

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Timber prices in this report represent prices paid during May 1972. This is a semi-annual report and should be used only as a guide for determining the price and value of timber to be marketed. The current market supply and demand are the key factors in the price levels. Other important factors affecting price are: Accessibility; roads; right-of-way; site and terrain; distance to market; tree size and quality. These factors explain the wide range in some of the prices shown by specific grade, size and species. Other figures shown for May reflect prices based on the international log rule whereas the figures shown for October are based on the Doyle log rule.



Average and Range of Prices Paid Ohio Timber Producers for Stumpage
By Area, Species, and Use - May 1972 1/

Use and Species	Western		Northeastern		Southeastern	
	Av. Price	Range	Av. Price	Range	Av. Price	Range
<u>Dollars Per M Board Feet</u>						
<u>SAWTIMBER</u>						
Walnut	150	85-200	156	100-240	76	30-200
Cherry	58	55- 60	73	35- 95	32	15- 60
White Oak	53	20-100	56	35- 80	29	15- 70
Hard or Sugar Maple	78	45-100	80	30-100	36	15- 80
Ash	63	40-120	70	30-100	37	15-110
Red Oak	40	20- 70	56	30- 80	28	15- 60
Soft Maple	39	20- 50	64	35- 90	28	10- 50
Yellow Poplar	81	50-100	63	30-100	29	15- 55
Basswood	47	20- 60	48	30- 60	27	15- 40
All Other	23	15- 40	30	20- 45	16	5- 35
<u>PALLET OR BLOCKING</u>						
All Species	31	20- 60	29	20- 45	23	15- 70
<u>COOPERAGE</u>						
White Oak	94	50-125	-	- -	-	- -

1/Dash indicates too few reports to quote a range or average.

Prices Paid Ohio Timber Producers For Face and Commercial Veneer Stumpage,
May 1972 1/

Species	RANGE	15" or Less		16" - 20"		21" - 23"		24+	
		Prime	Select	Prime	Select	Prime	Select	Prime	Select
<u>Dollars Per M Board Feet</u>									
Walnut	From	360	240	760	380	800	400	1,000	500
	To	1,300	700	3,000	1,500	3,500	2,200	4,500	2,500
White Oak	From	110	80	120	-	130	-	140	-
	To	250	250	320	-	325	-	350	-
<u>AVERAGE</u>									
Walnut	May 1972	840	480	1,520	980	2,130	1,560	2,960	1,610
	Oct. 1971	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	1,130	800	1,800	1,120	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>
White Oak	May 1972	200	160	215	-	230	-	225	-
	Oct. 1971	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>	190	145	215	190	<u>2/</u>	<u>2/</u>

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Prices Paid Ohio Timber Producers for Sawlogs Delivered to Buyers 1/ 2/

Use and Species	: Prime		: No. 1		: No. 2		: No. 3			
	: All		: 16" & up		: 14" & up		: 12" & up			
	: Grades		: 90% Clear		: 75% Clear		: 50% Clear		: Culls	
<u>RANGE OF PRICES</u>										
Dollars Per M Board Feet										
<u>FOR LUMBER</u>	80	280	150	490	140	400	65	250	25	160
Walnut	45	160	80	210	65	150	45	125	25	80
Cherry	45	140	50	250	45	200	40	100	25	70
White Oak	45	205	75	240	50	150	40	100	20	75
Hard Maple	45	155	80	220	55	125	40	100	25	70
Ash	45	135	50	160	45	100	40	80	25	70
Red Oak	45	140	70	170	65	120	40	100	25	70
Soft Maple	45	130	75	150	65	120	45	100	25	70
Yellow Poplar	45	100	70	150	55	100	40	80	20	70
Basswood	30	90	45	100	30	80	25	70	20	60
All Other										
<u>AVERAGE PRICES</u>										
<u>FOR LUMBER</u>	:Oct. 1971	May 1972	:Oct. 1971	May 1972	:Oct. 1971	May 1972	:Oct. 1971	May 1972	:Oct. 1971	May 1972
Walnut	189	167	384	321	243	231	152	139	80	69
Cherry	95	81	133	128	101	91	74	68	53	49
White Oak	83	73	119	106	88	78	65	60	54	48
Hard Maple	95	90	138	147	103	98	72	67	55	48
Ash	93	87	142	133	105	98	73	67	54	48
Red Oak	78	71	106	94	83	73	66	59	54	47
Soft Maple	86	77	124	114	94	85	68	61	54	47
Yellow Poplar	90	81	123	115	93	88	68	64	54	47
Basswood	79	70	107	102	86	78	68	60	55	47
All Other	59	57	68	63	59	58	54	51	52	48

<u>FOR HANDLES</u>	All Grades			
	Range		Average	
	From	To	Oct. 1971	May 1972
Ash	-	-	150	-
<u>FOR PALLETS AND BLOCKING</u>				
All Species	40	70	54	59

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Range of Prices Paid Ohio Timber Producers for Hardwoods and Softwoods
Delivered for Pulpwood, Charcoal and Ferro Alloy, May 1972

Hardwood	:	Softwood
Dollars Per Ton		
<u>Unpeeled</u> 6.00 - 9.00		6.60 - 9.00

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