



Arkansas Timber Price Report



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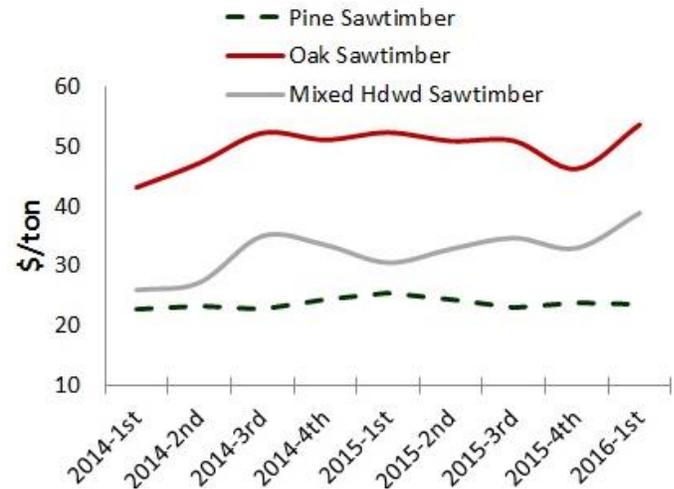
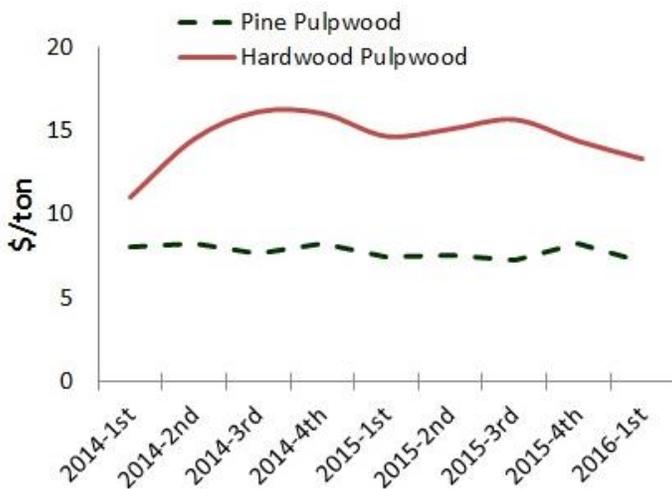
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The Arkansas Timber Price Report is a quarterly report of timber stumpage prices in Arkansas. Survey data for this report are provided by [Timber Mart-South](http://www.timbermart.com). The price summary is provided to illustrate current, statewide market trends in timber product values for standing timber. These values may not reflect the stumpage values for a particular tract of timber. Timber prices may vary greatly depending on many factors including: location in the state, species, products, access, distance to mills, and site conditions. To obtain a report visit www.uaex.edu and go to the Environment and Nature tab, or www.afrc.uamont.edu. You can also contact your local county Extension agent. If you have questions about the report, please contact: Dr. Kyle Cunningham at 501-671-2145 or kcunningham@uaex.edu.

1st Quarter 2016 Stumpage Prices (\$/ton, statewide average)

Product	Price	Change
Pine Sawtimber	\$ 24.00	0 %
Oak Sawtimber	\$ 54.00	+17 %
Mixed Hardwood Sawtimber	\$ 39.00	+18 %
Pine Chip-n-Saw	\$ 16.00	0 %
Pine Pulpwood	\$ 7.00	-13 %
Hardwood Pulpwood	\$ 13.00	-7 %

Time Series by Quarter Since 2013



Trends: Pine sawtimber remained steady in stumpage value, but still much lower than historical averages. Pine pulpwood decreased slightly. We could begin to see a better demand for pine pulp in the near future, but there remains a wall of pine pulp that needs to be harvested. Hardwood sawtimber experienced notable increases over the previous quarter, possibly a seasonal effect and good demand for tie and sawlogs. Overall, lumber markets across the southern region saw some improvement from the previous quarter. New home construction continued its slow rise nationwide.

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