



**WOODLAND, WASHINGTON COUNTY, MAINE  
WOOD QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS**

**Hardwood Pulpwood – Tree Length**

<b>SPECIES:</b>	Maple, Birch, Ash, Poplar, Basswood and Beech.
<b>SPECIES SEPARATION:</b>	All Oak deliveries must have prior approval of a forester. Maximum 10% Poplar mixed with Hardwood.
<b>DIAMETERS:</b>	Minimum Butt – 5” DIB Maximum Butt - 25.0” DIB – Not to exceed 25.0” in any part of the tree. Minimum Top - 4.0” DIB
<b>AGE:</b>	Maximum of three months off the stump and logs must be cut from live trees.
<b>LENGTHS:</b>	Tree Length:   Maximum Length – 50 feet Minimum Length - 12.0 feet
<b>LIMBS/KNOTS:</b>	Limbs and knots shall be removed flush with the bole of the tree.
<b>ROT:</b>	Rot should be kept to a minimum. Firm Heart Rot is acceptable. Hollow Heart is acceptable as long as there is 3 inches of sound wood surrounding the hole.
<b>SWEEP:</b>	Stems must be able to pass through an 8-foot cylinder 25” in diameter.
<b>SEVERE CROOKS AND FORKS:</b>	Stems that cannot be debarked because of excessive crooks, doglegs or forks are culls and will be rejected.
<b>OTHER:</b>	Burned or charred wood is not acceptable. Contaminants – Plastic and foreign material is not acceptable. Softwood brush is not acceptable.
<b>DISCOUNTS:</b>	No discounts or deductions will be made for defects, but if in the Scaler's judgment the load does not meet the above Wood Quality Specifications, the load will not be accepted for scaling.



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**Hardwood Pulpwood Short wood**

**SPECIES:** Maple, Birch, Ash, Oak, Poplar, Basswood and Beech.

**SPECIES SEPARATION:**

All Oak deliveries must have prior approval of a forester.  
Maximum 10% Poplar mixed with Hardwood.

**DIAMETERS:** Minimum butt – 5" DIB  
Maximum Butt - 25.0" DIB (including any butt flare, knots and bumps)  
Minimum Top - 3.0" DIB

**LENGTHS:** Maximum Length - 18 feet  
Minimum Length - 8 feet

**ROT:** Rot equivalent to one-third of the diameter is acceptable.

**SWEEP:** Stems must be able to pass through an 8-foot cylinder 25" in diameter.

**FORKS, CROTCHES, DOGLEGS & SPLITS:** Unacceptable.

**KNOTS:** All knots must be trimmed flush with the bole of the tree.

**AGE:** Three (3) months maximum off the stump and logs must be cut from live trees.

**BUTT FLARE:** Excessive butt flare not acceptable. Maximum acceptable is a 3" vertical rise in the first 6" of the butt section.

**OTHER:** Burned or charred wood is not acceptable.

**CONTAMINANTS:** Plastic and foreign material are not acceptable.

**DISCOUNTS:** No discounts or deductions will be made for defects, but if in the Scaler's judgment the load does not meet the above Wood Quality Specifications, the load will not be accepted for scaling.

The 8-foot wood needs to be hauled separate from the long wood due to the wood handling system at Woodland.



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**Softwood Pulpwood – Tree Length + Short Wood**

SPECIES:	Spruce & Fir <b>NO Hemlock &amp; Pine</b>
DIAMETERS:	Minimum butt diameter – 5” DIB Maximum Butt - 25.0” DIB – Not to exceed 25.0” in any part of the tree. Minimum Top tree length - 4.0” DIB Minimum top short wood – 3” DIB
AGE:	Maximum of two months off the stump and logs must be cut from live trees.
LENGTHS:	Tree Length: Maximum Length - 60 feet Minimum Length - 12.0 feet Short wood: Loads of precut, short wood must be 12-18’ in length
LIMBS/KNOTS:	Limbs and knots shall be removed flush with the bole of the tree. Pasture spruce that is excessively knotty is not acceptable.
ROT:	Stems with stump or heart rot defect in excess of one-third (1/3) of the diameter are not acceptable.
SWEEP:	Stems must be able to pass through an 8-foot cylinder 25” in diameter.
SEVERE CROOKS AND FORKS:	Stems that cannot be debarked because of excessive crooks, doglegs or forks are culls and will be rejected.
OTHER:	Burned or charred wood is not acceptable. Contaminants – Plastic and foreign material is not acceptable. Softwood brush is not acceptable.
DISCOUNTS:	No discounts or deductions will be made for defects, but if in the Scaler's judgment the load does not meet the above Wood Quality Specifications, the load will not be accepted for scaling.