

## LOG SPECIFICATIONS

**SCALING:** ALL SAWLOGS SCALED SCRIBNER RULE: Average diameter of the small end of the log.

- Metal logs or logs with evidence of metal will not be scaled and/or valued.
- Visible defects will be deducted accordingly.
- Logs are graded and scaled **as presented**.
- **Scaler's discretion on log grade and scale is final!!**

**SIZE:** Diameter - Logs less than 10" on small end graded #3  
- Any log that **cannot** be trimmed to 34" or less in diameter anywhere along its length will have a maximum grade of #2.  
- Logs over 34" not scaled.  
Lengths - Even lengths from 8' through 16' with 8" of trim – the exception 9'6" length logs are acceptable.  
- 8 foot logs need 8" of trim; minimum length log is 7'4", maximum grade #2.

**LOG PREPARATION:** Logs must be fresh cut from live timber!!

- Please trim butt flairs and side knots flush to log. Trim stump pulls.
- Excessively crooked, split or poorly prepared logs deducted at scaler's discretion and may not be scaled and/or valued. Deduction will be made for split logs.
- \* Excessive mineral a grade defect in Oak.
- \* **Ash PX and Prime (50% or less heart).**
- \* **Heavy ring gum a defect in Cherry.**
- \* Maple with large brown hearts a grade defect. (50% or less heart).
- \* No tapped Hard Maple accepted and/or valued. Silver or River maple logs will grade #3.

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR 14 AND 16 FOOT LOGS: Red Oak, Cherry, Hard Maple & Soft Maple**

- 14' & 16' Grade #1 and better with minimum 12" diameter obtain premium price.
- 14' & 16' Prime X logs need a minimum diameter of 14 inches; Prime logs 13 inches.
- Maximum length is 16 foot plus 8 inches of trim (16'8").

## LOG GRADE DESCRIPTION

**Veneer:** Veneer Logs are scaled DOYLE RULE. **Veneer Prices Are Subject To Change Without Notice!**

Lengths - 8', 9', 10', 12' with 6" trim; longer lengths are accepted as veneer providing whole log is veneer quality, avoid 16' lengths.  
- Gum, birdpeck and excessive sapwood a defect in Cherry veneer.  
- Ash Veneer must have brown heartwood 1/3 or less.  
- Hard Maple Veneer must have brown heartwood 1/4 or less. No 8 foot lengths.

**\*\*VENEER LOGS ARE SUBJECT TO INSPECTION BY VENEER BUYER PRIOR TO PURCHASE\*\***

**SAWLOGS: LARGER AND LONGER LOGS - THE MORE DEFECT ALLOWED.**

**PRIME X:** 15" and larger, clear, straight butt logs. **9'6" and longer.** Longer and larger logs may have a knot within 1 foot of end of log. 8' logs will not grade Prime X.

**PRIME:** 14" and larger on small end, 8'8" and longer, straight, and free of defect.  
13" and larger on 10'+ butt logs of Red Oak, Ash, Cherry, Hard Maple and Soft Maple.  
Second cut Prime's **must** be 14" and larger.

LONGER AND LARGER logs may have one or two knots on same face within 1 foot of end of log.

**#1** 12" and larger on small end 8'8" and longer, straight, clear 3 faces. 11" butt logs clear 4 faces, 10' and longer make #1 on Cherry, Hard Maple, Red Oak and Ash only.

**#2A** 11"+clear 3 faces  
15"+clear 2 faces  
8'6" and greater

**#2B** 10"+clear 2 faces  
8'6" and greater

**#3** Any log less than 10" on small end, excessively crooked and/or less than 2 clear faces. These logs are firewood/pulpwood material.

**ALL SPECIALTY LOGS ARE SCALED DOYLE RULE. PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE**

### ASH SPECIALTY LOGS -

- Lengths: 9'6" and longer.
- 14" + small end diameter. Butt logs only
- **No defects.** 25% brown heartwood or less.

### WHITE OAK SPECIALTY LOGS

Lengths 9'6" and longer  
18" + small end diameter  
Clear, minimal defect.

### HARD MAPLE SPECIALTY LOGS

- Lengths: 9'6" and longer, butt logs **ONLY**
- Diameter: 13" + small end diameter.
- 25% brown heartwood or less.
- Even growth, no ingrown bark.

### CHERRY SPECIALTY LOGS

- Lengths 9'6" and longer, butt log only.
- Diameter 13" + small end diameter.
- Minimal gum, 4 face clear.

***\* PLEASE CUT AS FEW 8 FOOT LOGS AS POSSIBLE  
AS CURRENT MARKETS FAVOR LONGER LUMBER\****