



J.D. Irving, Limited
PURCHASE WOOD SPECIFICATIONS

SUSSEX CHIP PLANT
MAPLE HARDWOOD PULPWOOD (MA PW)

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 9th, 2022 weight scale

GRADE 1 – Random-length (MA PW)	
SPECIES	Red and Sugar maple only. If there are other species on the same load, they must be separate from the maple and unloaded/weighed separately.
AGE	Delivered within 6 months of date cut (live trees at time of cut)
LENGTH	8-foot to 16-foot (96” to 200”)
DIAMETER	3” minimum to 20” maximum (inside bark)
DEFECTS	No burned or charred wood.
	Loads containing more than 5% rot shall be rejected. Individual pieces with greater than 50% diameter rot are unacceptable. Defective bolts within accepted loads may be deducted from the scale at the discretion of the scale staff on duty.
NOTE: Loads may be rejected by JDI scale staff prior to unloading if they do not meet minimum specifications. Quality (% acceptable pieces) shall be measured using the above specifications. Any supplier whose quality sample results fall below 60% for any one (1) load, or fall below 90% for any three (3) loads delivered within a 4 –week period, shall be placed on QUALITY SUSPENSION and deliveries immediately suspended. Suppliers on quality suspension shall not be allowed to resume delivery until approved by the Regional Wood Buyer.	

The trucker or producer must notify the JDI scale staff or Chief Scaler of any disputes regarding scale or sample selection at the time of delivery. JDI will make best efforts to hold quality samples for 24 hours when results fall below 90% to allow time for inspection. These specifications are subject to change by JDI with minimum notice.

Signed: 
Brent Thompson

Date: July 18th, 2022