FOREST INVENTORY AND APPRAISAL

THE HARLE PINE TREE FARM

150 TOTAL ACRES

I. KIRBY SURVEY, A-187

SAN JACINTO COUNTY, TEXAS 95°16'12"W 30°51'08"N

PREPARED FOR: THE HARLE PINE TREE FARM



LONE STAR FORESTRY, LLC

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JANUARY 16, 2025

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Introduction

The objective of this report is to provide an independent, objective assessment and valuation of the timber resources that were standing on the 150-acre tract located in the I. Kirby Survey, A-187, in San Jacinto County, Texas.

To obtain these objectives an intensive reconnaissance of the timber assets located on the referenced property was conducted on Thursday, January 16th, 2025. This reconnaissance included a cruise, the act of measuring a sample of the standing trees so that an estimate of the timber resources and their value could be obtained.

Inventory Procedure

The timber assets on this property are comprised of mature stands of mixed mature native pine and hardwood timber as well as planted loblolly plantation.

The sampling method used for the inventory for mature timber stands was the Fixed Radius Plot Cruise Method.

Cruise lines were laid out 6.3 chains (418 feet) apart. Plots, one-fifth acre in area, were then taken every 6.3 chains (418 feet) along each cruise line. This method created an equally spaced square plot grid to achieve the desired cruise percentage.

Pine and Hardwood sawlogs were estimated from trees of good form and quality measuring at least ten inches in diameter at breast height (dbh, being four and one-half feet above ground level) in two-inch classes, with heights measured to the nearest eight-foot sections, beginning at sixteen feet, contained in each tree, to a top merchantable diameter of eight inches. Pine and Hardwood pulpwood was estimated from trees six inches at dbh and greater, with heights measured to the nearest eight-foot section beginning at sixteen feet, contained in each tree, to a top merchantable diameter of three inches, by two-inch dbh classes. When trees ten or twelve inches in dbh were not suitable for sawlogs due to poor form, defects, etc., such trees were classed as pulpwood.

Volume Calculations (merchantable timber)

The pine sawlog volumes were calculated using the Doyle Log Rule, Form Class 80. Hardwood sawlog volumes were calculated using the Doyle Log Rule, Form Class 75. Pulpwood volumes, both pine and hardwood, were calculated using the Standard Cubic Foot Volume Table, Average Form.

Valuation Procedure

Cruise Volumes were derived from the inventory and calculated as previously outlined. These volumes were then multiplied by a market value, dollar per unit price, to value the standing timber. The per unit prices were derived by referencing the published Quarterly Timber Market Report, Timber Mart-South for the 4th quarter 2024, (attached herein) the most recent timber market report published at the time of this valuation.

The following tables summarizes the Total Estimated Merchantable Timber Volumes and Values on this tract as of this date.



ABOVE: Mixed Natural Pine and Hardwood on the Harle Pine Tree Farm.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

HARLE PINE TREE FARM

TIMBER VALUATION AS OF - JANUARY 16, 2024

SAN JACINTO COUNTY, TEXAS

150 ACRES
132.8 TIMBERED ACRES
TRACT TOTALS

	VOLUME (tons)	\$/ton	VALUE	
PINE PULPWOOD	3,395.00	\$ 5.90	\$ 20,03	30.50
PINE SAWTIMBER	6,436.00	\$ 29.59	\$ 190,44	1.24
HARDWOOD PULPWOOD	209.00	\$ 6.87	\$ 1,43	35.83
HARDWOOD SAWTIMBER	316.00	\$ 42.82	\$ 13,53	31.12
PREMERCHANTABLE TIMBER STANDS	-	\$ -	\$	-
TOTAL VALUE			\$ 225,43	8.69

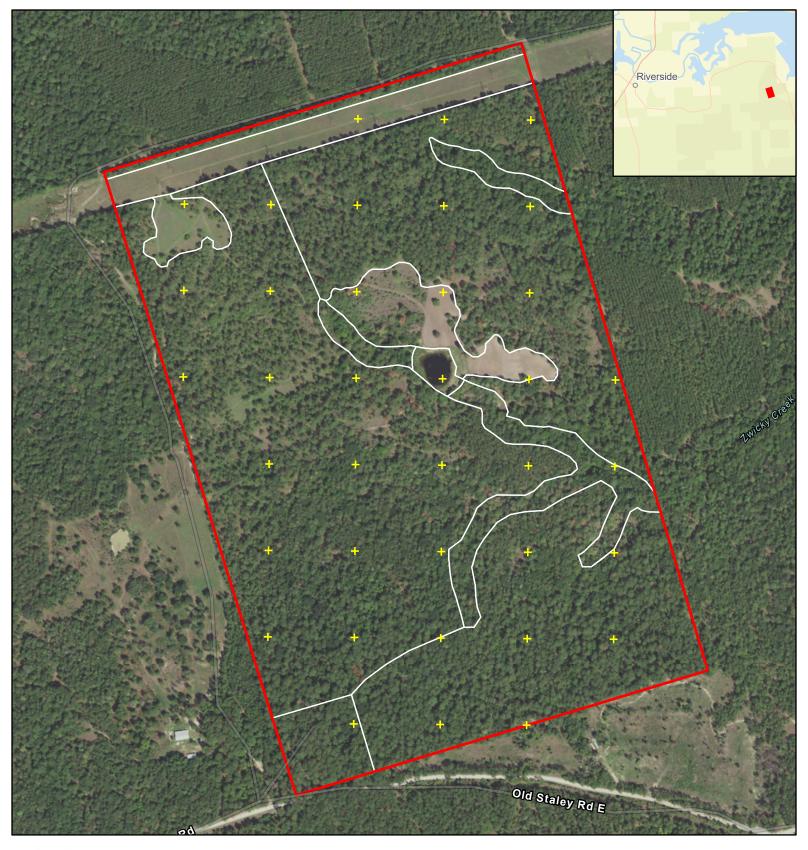
TOTAL VALUE OF STANDING TIMBER AS OF JANUARY 16, 2025 - \$225,438.69

Signed: <u>Caden Pfluger</u>
Caden Pfluger, Forester

Date: January 16, 2025

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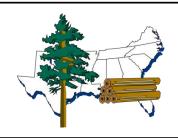
HARLE TREE FARM - CRUISE MAP

150 TOTAL ACRES
132.8 TIMBERED ACRES

1/5TH ACRE PLOTS

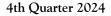
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TimberMart-South

Texas Stumpage Prices Quarterly





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- * Texas Regional Comparisons
- Lo, Hi, & Avg Stumpage Prices

Texas Stumpage Prices (\$/ton)

Product	State Average	Texas 1 Average	Texas 2 Average
Pine Sawtimber	\$29.69	\$29.79	\$29.59
Pine Chip-n-Saw	\$13.90	\$14.71	\$13.08
Pine Pulpwood	\$6.77	\$7.63	\$5.90
Mixed Hardwood Sawtimber	\$41.21	\$39.59	\$42.82
Hardwood Pulpwood	\$7.59	\$8.30	\$6.87

Texas v. South-wide Stumpage Prices (\$/ton)

Product	State Average	South-wide Average	State v. South-wide
Pine Sawtimber	\$29.69	\$24.67	\$5.02
Pine Chip-n-Saw	\$13.90	\$17.43	(\$3.53)
Pine Pulpwood	\$6.77	\$7.67	(\$0.90)
Mixed Hardwood Sawtimber	\$41.21	\$35.45	\$5.76
Hardwood Pulpwood	\$7.59	\$8.39	(\$0.80)

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TimberMart-South 4th Quarter 2024

Projections and Markets

The timber conditions on this tract are excellent at this time. Soils are quite conducive for timber growth and production. Timber in the area grows at approximately 5-6% annually. Timber market conditions, discounting seasonal fluctuations, are stable at this time. The future looks moderate to good for timberland owners. Decent market opportunities exist and should hopefully improve over the next several years for the sale of pine and hardwood pulpwood. Excellent opportunities exist for the sale of hardwood sawtimber and are currently improving for the sale of pine sawtimber. With the application of proper forest management techniques and stable to improving market conditions the timber asset on these properties could be improved to grow products that should be increasingly in demand for a good many years.



ABOVE: Mixed Hardwood in a creek on the Harle Pine Tree Farm.

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TIMBER VALUATION WORKSHEET

TRACT: HARLE DATE: January 16, 2025

PROPERTY: HARLE TREE FARM

ACREAGE: 132.83

I.KIRBY, A-187

SAN JACINTO COUNTY, TEXAS

Product Description	Volume	Units	\$ S/Unit	Total
Pine Pulpwood	3,395	Tons	\$ 5.90	\$ 20,027.66
Pine Sawtimber	6,436	Tons	\$ 29.59	\$ 190,429.58
Hardwood Pulpwood	209	Tons	\$ 6.87	\$ 1,434.72
Hardwood Sawtimber	316	Tons	\$ 42.82	\$ 13,518.84

Total Estimated Standing Timber Value as of this date: \$ 225,410.81

BY: Wayne S. Pfluger, ACF Forester

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CRUISE SUMMARY

Date	1/16/2025	Tract Acreage	150.00
Tract	HARLE	Timbered Acreage	132.83

Statistical Summary

Number of Plots	32
Plot size (acre)	0.2
Cruise acres (acres measured)	6.40
Percent Cruise	4.82%

Total Trees & Volumes

Pine Pulpwood (standing) Pine Pulpwood (top wood) Pine Pulpwood (total)	4,151 Trees	498 2,896 3,395	
Pine Sawlogs	8,053 Trees	6,436	Tons
Hardwood Pulpwood	1,557 Trees	209	Tons
Hardwood Sawlogs	706 Trees	316	Tons
Timber Value per Acre		\$ 1,696.99	\$/Acre

Tract Averages

PER ACRE

Average Pine Pulpwood Volume Per Timbered Acre	25.56	Tons
Average Pine Sawlog Volume Per Timbered Acre	48.45	Tons
Merchantable Trees per Timbered Acre - Pine	92	Trees
Average Hardwood Pulpwood Volume Per Timbered Acre	1.57	Tons
Average Hardwood Sawlog Volume Per Timbered Acre	2.38	Tons
Merchantable Trees per Timbered Acre - Hardwood	17	Trees

PER TREE

Average Pine Sawlog Volume Per Tree		0.80 Tons
Average Pine Sawlog Tree	13.71 "DBH	1.94 16' Logs
Average Hardwood Sawlog Volume Per Tree		0.45 Tons
Average Hardwood Sawlog Tree	13.24 "DBH	1.15 16' Logs



TOTALS

560

83

62

706

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1/16/2025 HARLE Date Tract **STAND TABLES** TREE COUNT BY DIAMETER AT BREAST HEIGHT AND 16' LOG HEIGHT INCREMENTS **PINE PULPWOOD** NUMBER OF TREES BY 2" DIAMETER CLASS AND 16' LOG HEIGHTS DBH **TOTALS** 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 2,304 6 2.304 8 1,723 1,723 10 125 125 12 _ 14 16 **TOTALS** 4,151 TOTAL 4,151 **PINE SAWTIMBER** NUMBER OF TREES BY 2" DIAMETER CLASS AND 16' LOG HEIGHTS DBH 1.0 3.0 4.0 4.5 TOTALS 996 1,183 2,179 12 228 1,058 892 2,179 14 42 249 415 353 166 1,225 16 62 270 353 291 975 18 42 125 166 353 685 20 291 125 457 42 22 21 145 42 208 24 21 21 21 62 26 42 42 83 28 30 32 34 **TOTALS** 1,266 2,594 1,743 934 1,308 208 8,053 HARDWOOD PULPWOOD NUMBER OF TREES BY 2" DIAMETER CLASS AND 16' LOG HEIGHTS DBH 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 **TOTALS** 6 934 934 8 353 353 10 228 228 12 42 42 14 16 TOTAL TOTALS 1,557 1,557 HARDWOOD SAWTIMBER NUMBER OF TREES BY 2" DIAMETER CLASS AND 16' LOG HEIGHTS DBH 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5 3.0 3.5 4.0 4.5 **TOTALS** 249 249 10 12 21 166 145 42 14 83 125 16 42 21 62 18 42 20 21 21 22 21 21 24 21 21 26 28 30 32 34



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HARLE

NUMBER OF TREES AND VOLUME BY DIAMETER CLASS

PINE PULPWOOD

TINE I DEI WOOD		VOLUME
D.B.H.	NUMBER OF TREES	VOLUME (Tons)
6"	2,304	203
8"	1,723	265
10"	125	30
12"	-	-
14"	-	-
16"	-	-
TOTAL STANDING PULPWOOD	4,151	498
TOP WOOD		2,896
TOTAL		3,395

PINE SAWLOGS

D.B.H. NUM	IBER OF TREES	VOLUME (TONS)
10"	2,179	751
12"	2,179	948
14"	1,225	859
16"	975	983
18"	685	954
20"	457	915
22"	208	520
24"	62	172
26"	83	333
28"	-	-
30"	-	-
32"	-	-
34"	-	-
TOTALS	8,053	6,436



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NUMBER OF TREES AND VOLUME BY DIAMETER CLASS

HARDWOOD PULPWOOD VOLUME				
D.B.H.	NUMBER OF TREES	(TONS)		
6"	934	82		
8"	353	54		
10"	228	56		
12"	42	16		
14"	-	-		
16"	-	-		
TOTALS	1,557	209		

HARDWOOD SAWLOGS

D.B.H.	NUMBER OF TREES	VOLUME (TONS)
10"	249	62
12"	166	49
14"	125	58
16"	62	36
18"	42	35
20"	21	27
22"	21	22
24"	21	26
26"	-	-
28"	-	-
30"	-	-
32"	-	-
34"	-	-
TOTALS	706	316

^{*} NOTE: D.B.H. = DIAMETER BREAST HIGH



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Date 1/16/2025 Tract HARLE

				VOLUME	TABLES				
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				PINE PUI	LPWOOD				
DBH	1.0	1.5	Height in 16' i 2.0	ncrements 2.5	3.0	3.5			TOTALS
6	203	-	-	-	-	-			203
8	265	-	-	-	-	-			265
10 12	30	-		-		-			30
14	-	-	-	-	-	-			-
16	-	-	-	-	-	-			-
TOTALS	498	-	-	-	-	-		TOTAL	498
				DINE CAN	WTIMBER				
				PINE SAV	VIIIVIDER				
				Height in 16' in	crements				
DBH	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	TOTALS
10	332	419	-	-	-	-	-	-	751
12 14	83	440 152	426 286	264	134	-	-	-	948 859
16		49	249	360	325	<u> </u>	-	-	983
18	-	43	151	226	534	-	-	-	954
20	-	-	-	74	576	265		-	915
22	-	-	40	-	366	113	-	-	520
24 26	-	-	50	57	65 159	- 174	-	-	172 333
28	-	-	-	-	-	- 174	-	-	-
30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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TOTALS	437	1,103	- 1,202	982	2,160	552	-	-	6,436
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				HARDWOOD	PULPWOOD				
DBH	1.0	1.5	Height in 16' i 2.0	ncrements 2.5	3.0	3.5			TOTALS
6	82	-	-	-	-	-			82
8	54	-	-	-	-	-			54
10	56	-	-	-		-			56 16
12 14	16			-	-	<u> </u>			- 16
16	-	-	-	-	-	-			-
TOTALS	209	-	-	-	-	-		TOTAL	209
				HARRINGOR	0414514555				
				HARDWOOD	SAWTIMBER				
				Height in 16' in	crements				
DBH	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	TOTALS
10	62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62
12	43	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	49
14 16	35 23	- 13	23	-		-	-	-	58 36
18	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	35
20	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	27
22	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22
24 26	26	-		-		-	-	-	26
28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34 TOTALS	- 211	- 55	- 49	-	-	<u>-</u>	-	-	316
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