

2013 Illinois Sawmill Directory

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Forestry and forest products businesses and industry are economically important for Illinois representing 10s of billions of dollars from forestry, wood and forest product manufacturing and industry annually. In a recent analysis funded by the Illinois Forestry Development Council, forest economists Drs. James Henderson and Ian Munn estimated that milling of the solid wood and primary processing of solid wood alone provides 18,316 full time jobs and a total industry output of \$2.59 billion to the Illinois economy. In addition to solid wood processing, the logging industry also provides an additional 1,190 jobs and \$122 million in total industry output in Illinois. The goal of this project was to provide some useful insight into the current state of this sawmill industry in Illinois, as well as update the Illinois Sawmill Directory. This document was last published in 2005, near the peak of the US housing bubble and prior to the Great Recession.

A brief survey including contact information, sawmill type, capacity, species processed and origin, products, and ability or willingness to produce urban wood was sent to 157 sawmills included in the 2005 Illinois Sawmill Directory in December of 2012. Additional surveys were mailed again in January 2013 to sawmills that did not respond to the initial survey. Sawmills that did not complete and return a survey were followed up with phone calls and/or emails.

The directory includes over 70 sawmills are dispersed throughout Illinois, however the larger sawmills are concentrated in the southern portion of the state (Figure 1). Capacity size of the sawmills varies, ranging from individuals or small businesses processing less than 1,000 bd ft/ day to large commercial operations processing greater than 16,000 bd ft/ day (Figure 1). About two thirds of the sawmills use a band saw while the remaining use a circular saw, although about 10% of the sawmills have both mill types. There appears to be no relationship between sawmill size and mill type. Nearly all of the sawmills process primarily hardwoods, the most common of which is white and red oak, walnut, black cherry, and maple. Less than 5% of the sawmills process softwoods. The furthest reported procurement radius was 200 miles, with an average radius of 60 miles. Lumber, railroad ties, and mine timbers are the most common products produced. Custom sawing is more common for sawmills producing < 8,000 bd ft/ day. These sawmills are also more willing to process wood from urban areas.

Since the directory was last published in 2005, 75 sawmills (nearly 50%) have closed across the state. Eleven of these sawmills had a production of greater than 8,000 bd ft/ day, while the remaining sawmills were smaller in size (Figure 2). Eighteen sawmills are currently idle, all of which historically produced less 4,000 bd ft/ day. Many of the closed or idle sawmills cited retirement, lack of business, or state of the economy as reasons for closing (even temporarily).

Information for this directory was compiled by Dr. Eric Holzmueller & Nicole Jensen, Department Forestry, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL. An electronic version of this directory is available at: http://mypage.siu.edu/eholzmue/index_files/ilsawmill.htm. An effort was made to contact all sawmills in Illinois, however not all sawmills completed a survey or wished to be included in the directory. We apologize for any errors or omissions and corrections should be addressed to Dr. Holzmueller at 618-453-3708 or eholzmue@siu.edu.

Using this Directory: Sawmills are listed in alphabetical order. This list includes sawmills that are open and idle (as indicated by **). A list of open and idle sawmills by county is available on pages 3 & 4. A statewide map of all open sawmills is available on page 5 and a map of sawmills closed since 2005 is on page 6.

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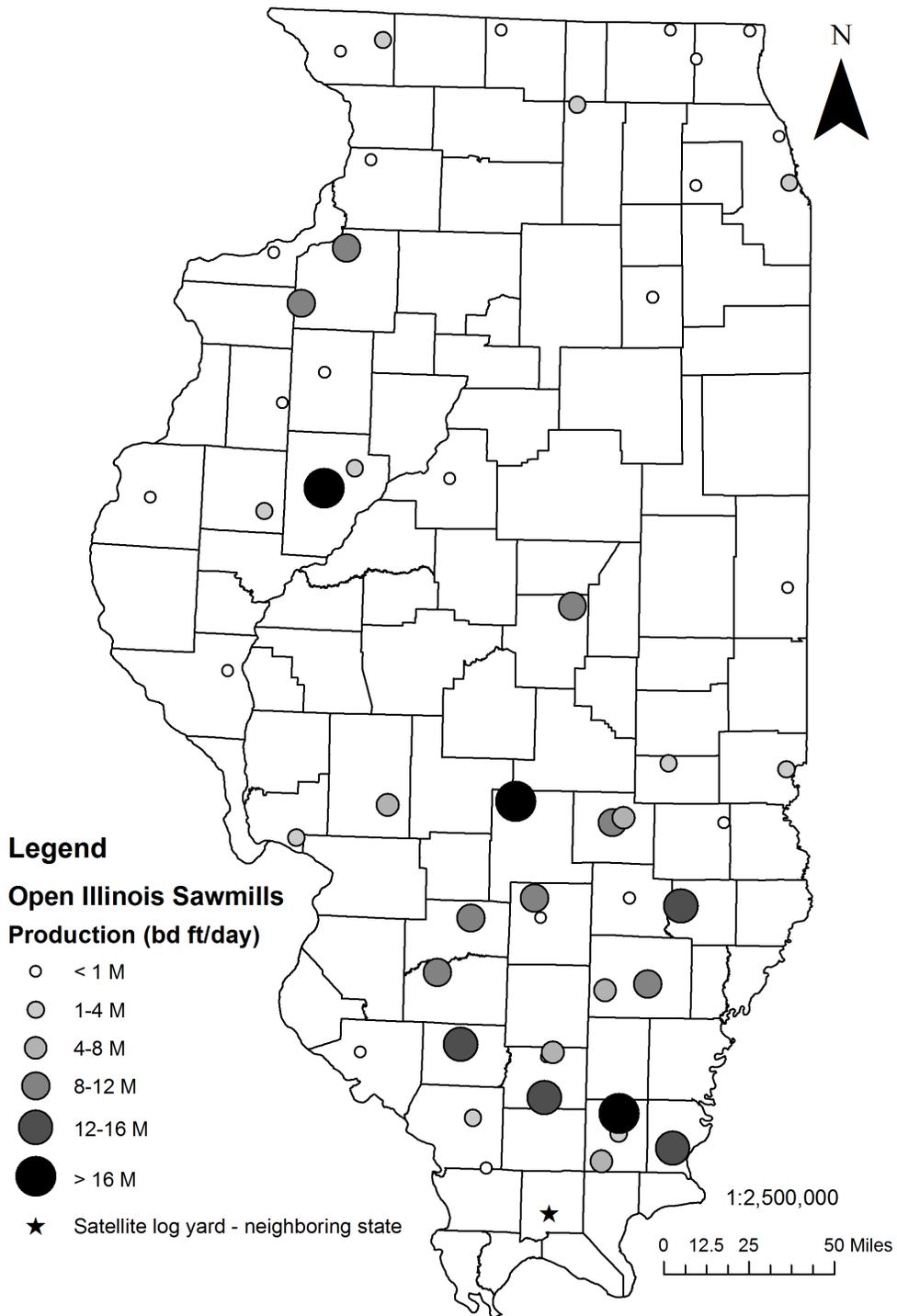


Figure 1. Statewide depiction of currently open Illinois sawmills by size. Only mills of known size and location are displayed. The starred location is an established log yard that collects logs in Illinois and processes them in Missouri.

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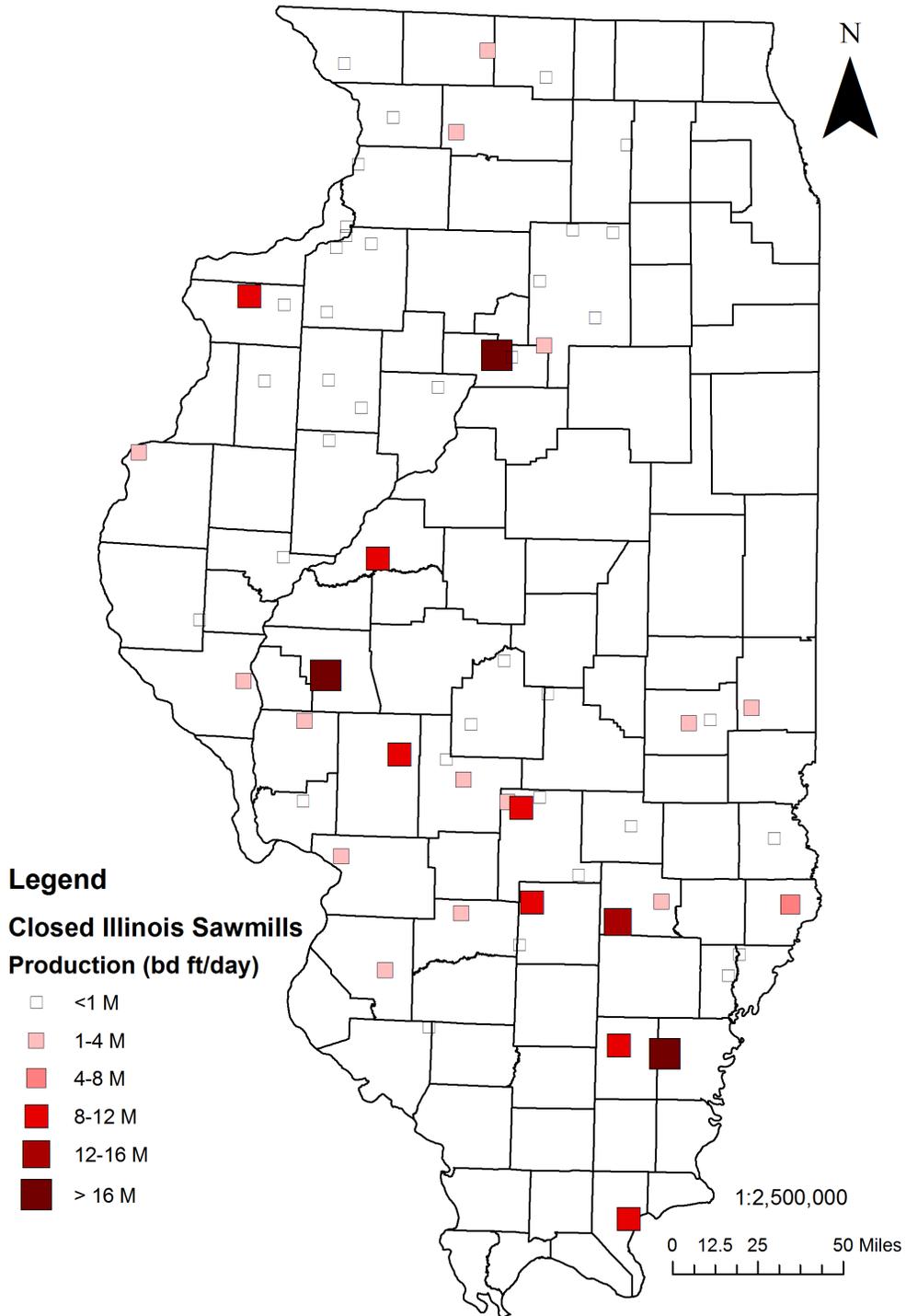


Figure 2. Statewide depiction of Illinois sawmills by size that have closed since 2005. Only mills of known size and location are displayed.

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Company: Acorn Acres			
Owner:	Jerry Misek		
Address:	3093 E. Skene Rd. Elizabeth, IL 61028	Phone:	815-598-3215
		Email:	acornacres@sandprairie.net
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Pallets	Procurement Radius / County:	20 miles / Jo Daviess, Carroll
Species:	Ash, black cherry, cottonwood, elm, pine, red and white oak		

Company: Alstat Wood Products			
Owner:	Danny Alstat		
Address:	456 Highway 4 Murphysboro, IL 62966	Phone:	618-684-5167
		Email:	awp13@live.com
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Pallets	Procurement Radius / County:	45 miles / Jackson
Species:	Hickory, poplar, red and white oak		

Company: Autumn Mill			
Owner:	Tammy Allen		
Address:	13014 Cemetery Rd. Argenta, IL 62501	Phone:	217-795-3399
		Email:	autumnmill06@aol.com
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / Macon
Species:	Black walnut, elm, hickory, red oak, soft maple, sycamore, white oak		

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Company: Basten Enterprises			
Owner:	Tom Basten		
Address:	4615 Kuhn Rd. Richmond, IL 60071	Phone:	815-675-6863
		Email:	bastenent@aol.com
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	25 miles / McHenry
Species:	Black walnut, elm, red oak, soft maple, spruce, white oak, white pine		

Company: Best Cabinets			
Owner:	Dan Diewald		
Address:	1431 W. Hubbard Chicago, IL 60642	Phone:	773-416-0300
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Cook, Kane
Species:	Black cherry, red oak, walnut, white oak		

Company: Blue Creek Timber			
Owner:	Ronald Orr		
Address:	23755 482 nd St Pittsfield, IL 62668	Phone:	217-723-4205
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Pike
Species:	---		

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Company: Burkett's Band Saw**			
Owner:	Morris Burkett		
Address:	Rt. #1 Box 70 Golden Gate, IL 62843	Phone:	618-445-2607
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Wayne
Species:	---		

Company: Burks Hardwood Lumber			
Owner:	Jim Burks		
Address:	P.O. Box 4 Vernon, IL 62668	Phone:	618-432-5451
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Marion
Species:	---		

Company: Burnett's Custom Sawing			
Owner:	Eric Burnett		
Address:	10929 N 2080 E. Danville, IL 61834	Phone:	217-497-3279
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Vermilion, Edgar
Species:	Cedar		

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Company: Carsten's Millwork & Reclamation			
Owner:	Gary Carsten		
Address:	530 Woodlawn Ave. Warrenville, IL 60555	Phone:	630-393-6341
		Email:	gcarsten2@aol.com
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / DuPage
Species:	Black cherry, black walnut, white oak		

Company: Clark Forestry Consulting			
Owner:	Robert Clark		
Address:	311 Hansford St. Carthage, IL 62321	Phone:	217-357-0050
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Hancock
Species:	Black walnut, elm, hard maple, hickory, white oak, white pine		

Company: Coal Ridge Lumber			
Owner:	Joe Miller		
Address:	1385 Robinson Hill Stonefort, IL 62987	Phone:	618-994-2609
		Email:	
Mill Type:	Band Saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	4-8 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Lumber & ties	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / Hardin, Pope, Saline
Species:	Ash, cherry, poplar, red & white oak, walnut		

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Company: Cooperas Creek Sawyer Service			
Owner:	Robert Grace		
Address:	29236 E. Chaney Rd Canton, IL 61520	Phone:	309-224-3879
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable & band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Fulton
Species:	Ash, black walnut, elm, hard and soft maple, red and white oak		

Company: Corsaw Hardwood Lumber			
Owner:	Lyndell Corsaw		
Address:	26015 CNTY HWY 2 Smithfield, IL 61477	Phone:	309-293-2055
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	--	Custom Sawing:	--
Production:	> 16 M bd ft /day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber, flooring	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Fulton
Species:	Ash, cherry, hickory, red oak, walnut		

Company: D&L Sawyers			
Owner:	Dennis Arnold		
Address:	PO Box 247 Belaven, IL 61734	Phone:	309-256-0235
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	35 miles / Tazewell
Species:	Ash, hickory, red oak, sycamore, walnut, white oak		

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Company: Daly Wood Products			
Owner:	Dan Daly		
Address:	3360 E. Rt. 6 Morris, IL 60450	Phone:	815-942-5553
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Grundy
Species:	Black cherry, black walnut, cottonwood, red and white oak		

Company: Dan Bechtold			
Owner:	Dan Bechtold		
Address:	822 Chestnut Godfrey, IL 62035	Phone:	618-610-2481
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Jersey
Species:	Black cherry, black walnut, elm, hickory, red oak, soft maple, sycamore, white oak		

Company: Edgewood Industries**			
Owner:	Janet McAlister		
Address:	330 N CR 1520 E. Lerna, IL 62440	Phone:	217-348-0346
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Coles
Species:	---		

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Company: Edward Tibbs**			
Owner:	Edward Tibbs		
Address:	238 1200 th St. Middletown, IL 62666	Phone:	217-445-2755
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Logan
Species:	---		

Company: Eldon Carroll			
Owner:	Eldon Carroll		
Address:	6422 S. Grass Rd. Stockton, IL 61085	Phone:	815-858-4283
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No, but willing
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	20 miles / Jo Daviess
Species:	Black walnut, red and white oak		

Company: Ellis Custom Sawing & Woodworking			
Owner:	Wade Ellis		
Address:	241 Woodcrest Dr. W Chicago, IL 60185	Phone:	630-939-1752
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / DuPage
Species:	---		

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Company: Ericson Log & Lumber			
Owner:	Sam Ericson		
Address:	P.O. Box 37 New Windsor, IL 61465	Phone:	309-667-2147
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Henry
Species:	---		

Company: Ferguson Wood Products**			
Owner:	Ferguson		
Address:	9317 N. 1800th Willow Hill, IL 62480	Phone:	217-854-9751
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Jasper
Species:	---		

Company: Forestech Wood Products			
Owner:	Stephen K. Shawler		
Address:	204 W. Washington St. West Union, IL 62477	Phone:	217-279-3659
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	1- 4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Pallet lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	40 miles / Clark
Species:	Cottonwood, hickory, red oak, soft maple, sycamore, yellow-poplar		

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Company: G.H. Woodworking & Sawmill			
Owner:	Gerry Hamm		
Address:	441 W. Bonner Rd. Wauconda, IL 60084	Phone:	847-878-9340
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Lake, northern Illinois
Species:	---		

Company: G.L. Beaumont Lumber			
Owner:	Dana Beaumont		
Address:	P.O. Box 401 Ramsey, IL 62080	Phone:	618-423-2323
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	> 16 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Lumber- pallet, grade, cants	Procurement Radius / County:	140 miles / Fayette, central & southern Illinois
Species:	Ash, black walnut, hickory, red oak, soft maple, white oak		

Company: Gould's Custom Woodworking			
Owner:	Rick Gould		
Address:	5054 Shonse Chapel Louisville, IL 62858	Phone:	618-686-7212
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	--	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	--
Primary Product:	--	Procurement Radius / County:	-- / Clay
Species:	--		

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Company: Harlan Wesbecher			
Owner:	Harlan Wesbecher		
Address:	7249 Buttercreek Rd Evansville, IL 62242	Phone:	618-774-2964
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Randolph
Species:	---		

Company: Herring Industries			
Owner:	George Herring		
Address:	620 W. College Harrisburg, IL 62946	Phone:	618-841-7829
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Saline
Species:	---		

Company: Hites Hardwood			
Owner:	Blaine Hites		
Address:	364 R. Old IL 250 Noble, IL 62868	Phone:	618-723-2136
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	12 - 16 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / Richland
Species:	Ash, cottonwood, hickory, red oak, soft maple, white oak		

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Company: Horigan Urban Forest Products			
Owner:	Bruce Horigan		
Address:	7255 St. Louis Skokie, IL 60076	Phone:	847-568-1340
		Email:	bahorigan@sbcglobal.net
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / Cook
Species:	Ash, elm, hard and soft maple, hickory, other hardwoods, white oak		

Company: J&R Goods from the Woods**			
Owner:	Joe Jansen		
Address:	1819 N. 1100 th St. Mason, IL 62443	Phone:	618-238-4554
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Mason
Species:	---		

Company: Jeff Carver			
Owner:	Jeff Carver		
Address:	59 St. Hwy 94 Little York, IL 61453	Phone:	309-729-5206
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	10 miles / Warren
Species:	---		

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Company: Jeff Hudgens			
Owner:	Jeff Hudgens		
Address:	13860 N. 225 th Rd. Industry, IL 61440	Phone:	309-254-3665
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / McDonough, Fulton, Adams, Hancock, Schuyler
Species:	Red oak, walnut, white oak		

Company: Jefferies Orchard Sawmill**			
Owner:	Dale Jefferies Sr.		
Address:	5036 Muench Road Cantrall, IL 62625	Phone:	217-487-7845
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Sangamon
Species:	---		

Company: JHT Robertson Lumber			
Owner:	Harold Robertson		
Address:	408 Airport Rd. Fairfield, IL 62837	Phone:	618-842-2004
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Wayne
Species:	Mixed		

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Company: Jones Sawmill**		
Owner:	Ralph Jones	
Address:	7902 Knoup Rd. Rock City, IL 61070	Phone: 815-449-2689 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Stephenson
Species:	---	

Company: Kalmer Lumber		
Owner:	Gary Kalmer	
Address:	7720 Albers Road Albers, IL 62215	Phone: 618-248-5153 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Clinton
Species:	---	

Company: Keith Bailey Sawmill		
Owner:	Keith Bailey	
Address:	3089 State Route 37 Salem, IL 62881	Phone: 618-548-3566 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Marion
Species:	---	

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Company: Ken Vancil**			
Owner:	Ken Vancil		
Address:	20035 E. 2100 St. Bushnell, IL 61422	Phone:	309-772-2086
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / McDonough
Species:	---		

Company: Kirkland Sawmill			
Owner:	Ronald Sester		
Address:	606 W. Main Kirkland, IL 60146	Phone:	815-522-6150
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / DeKalb
Species:	---		

Company: Kniffen Brothers Sawmill			
Owner:	Terald Kniffen		
Address:	16794 Buxton Road Whittington, Il 62897	Phone:	618-629-2437
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	4-8 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Pallets, ties	Procurement Radius / County:	30 miles / Franklin, Jefferson
Species:	Hardwoods		

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Company: Kraus Farms			
Owner:	Don Kraus		
Address:	4568 N 2125 th Oblong, IL 62449	Phone:	618-592-4441
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Pallet lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	25 miles / Jasper
Species:	Cottonwood, hickory, red oak, soft maple, sweetgum, sycamore, white oak		

Company: Kuhl Lumber & Pallets			
Owner:	Leon Kuhl		
Address:	15340 Sawmill Rd. Okawville, IL 62271	Phone:	618-243-5255
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Washington, St. Clair, Jackson, Jefferson, Marion, Perry, Bond
Species:	Oak		

Company: Land of Lincoln Lumber			
Owner:	James Caudill		
Address:	245 Industrial Park Rd Raleigh, IL 62977	Phone:	618-268-4000
		Email:	
Mill Type:	Circular saw & band saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	> 16 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Mine timbers & ties	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Southern Illinois
Species:	Hardwoods		

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Company: Lee Freelund**			
Owner:	Lee Freelund		
Address:	9568 E. Binkley Rd. Stockton, IL 61085	Phone:	815-947-2562
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Jo Daviess
Species:	---		

Company: Malone Sawmill			
Owner:	Ron Malone		
Address:	9667 Malone Ln. Benton, IL 62812	Phone:	618-439-4093
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber, pallet lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Franklin
Species:	---		

Company: Meltons Mobile Milling			
Owner:	Jerry Melton		
Address:	1230 160 th St. Abingdon, IL 61410	Phone:	309-462-5238
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Warren, Knox
Species:	Black walnut, elm, red oak		

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Company: Meyers Woodworking		
Owner:	Ron Meyers	
Address:	26 Sunset Avnue W Chicago, IL 60185	Phone: 630-231-2955 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / DuPage
Species:	---	

Company: Mille's Sawmill**		
Owner:	George & Dave Mille	
Address:	18566 N. 700 Ave. Galva, IL 61434	Phone: 309-927-3575 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Henry
Species:	---	

Company: Mulvain Woodworks		
Owner:	Mike & Pat Mulvain	
Address:	14578 Center Rd. Durand, IL 61024	Phone: 815-248-2305 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Winnebago
Species:	---	

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Company: Native Woods			
Owner:	Mike Lawrence		
Address:	530 20 th St. Rock Island, IL 61201	Phone:	309-292-1046
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Rock Island
Species:	---		

Company: Nature's Creation			
Owner:	Mike Nosovitsky		
Address:	650 Old US HWY 51 Makanda, IL 62958	Phone:	618-559-1255
		Email:	Mike@NaturesCreationsWood.com
Mill Type:	Circular saw & band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber, furniture, stakes	Procurement Radius / County:	25 miles / Jackson, Union
Species:	Hardwoods		

Company: Nicholson Logging & Lumber			
Owner:	Dan Nicholson		
Address:	201 E. Van Emmon Rd. Yorkville, IL 60560	Phone:	630-553-7612
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Kendall
Species:	---		

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Company: Old Mill**			
Owner:	David E. Smith		
Address:	P.O. Box 4 Mt. Carroll, IL 61053	Phone:	815-244-9742
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Carroll
Species:	---		

Company: Podolak Enterprises**			
Owner:	Diane Podolak		
Address:	12801 2650 East St. Princeton, IL 61356	Phone:	815-447-2431
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Bureau
Species:	---		

Company: Quad City Hardwoods			
Owner:	Mike Cherry		
Address:	15963 E. 1600 St. Geneseo, IL 61254	Phone:	309-945-2728
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Flooring, slabs	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Henry, Iowa (state)
Species:	Black cherry, black walnut, red and white oak		

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Company: Robertson and Jones			
Owner:	Tony Robertson		
Address:	P.O. Box 69 Sims, IL 62886	Phone:	618-895-2164
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	4-8 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Wayne
Species:	---		

Company: Rothenbach Farms			
Owner:	Roy Rothenbach		
Address:	22693 Nursery Rd. Carlinville, IL 62626	Phone:	217-854-2621
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	1-4 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	75 miles / Macoupin
Species:	Black walnut, hard maple, red and white oak, white pine		

Company: Schultz Construction**			
Owner:	Honathan Schultz		
Address:	4504 W. 1000 S. Rd. Kankakee, IL 60901	Phone:	815-932-5184
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	---	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Kankakee
Species:	---		

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Company: Shupe's Woodworks & Sawmill			
Owner:	Mark Shupe		
Address:	809 20 Rd. 1100 E Toledo, IL 62468	Phone:	217-849-2476
		Email:	shupessawmill@gmail.com
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	<1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	50 miles / Cumberland
Species:	Ash, elm, hickory, hard and soft maple, red oak, sycamore, white oak		

Company: Simonton Hardwood Lumber			
Owner:	William C. Simonton		
Address:	16515 Post Oak Rd. Carlyle, IL 62231	Phone:	618-594-2132
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Clinton
Species:	---		

Company: Strader Sawmilling**			
Owner:	Frank Strader		
Address:	305 E. Liberty St. Walnut, IL 61376	Phone:	815-379-2428
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County:	--- / Bureau
Species:	---		

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Company: Suckow Sawmill		
Owner:	Marvin Suckow	
Address:	5267 W. 700 St. Mason, IL 62443	Phone: 618-483-5570 Email: ---
Mill Type:	Portable & band saw	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	8-12 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	Lumber, pallet lumber	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Effingham
Species:	---	

Company: The Russell Mill		
Owner:	Charles Prymula	
Address:	15780 W Russell Rd Zion, IL 0099	Phone: 847-395-5190 Email: ---
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing: Yes
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Lake
Species:	Oak	

Company: Tree-O-Lumber		
Owner:	Howard F. Kelley	
Address:	5492 Woodhaven Rd. Pinckneyville, IL 62274	Phone: 618-357-2576 Email: ---
Mill Type:	---	Custom Sawing: ---
Production:	12-16 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood: ---
Primary Product:	---	Procurement Radius / County: --- / Perry
Species:	---	

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Company: Trillium Dell Timberworks			
Owner:	Rick Collins		
Address:	1283 Knox Road Knoxville, IL 61448	Phone:	309-289-2921
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw & circular saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, some
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Cants	Procurement Radius / County:	200 miles / Knox, northern & central Illinois
Species:	Ash, black walnut, elm, hickory, red oak, sycamore, white oak		

Company: Twin Mills Timber & Tie Company			
Owner:	Keith Wilson		
Address:	3368 Illinois 37 West Frankfort, IL 62896	Phone:	618-932-3662
		Email:	keith@twinmills.org
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	12-16 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Crane mats & mine timbers	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Southern Illinois
Species:	Hardwoods		

Company: Unkraut Custom Sawing			
Owner:	Clarence Unkraut		
Address:	9512 E. 1350 th Ave. Effingham, IL 62401	Phone:	217-868-2645
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes
Production:	4-8 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	Yes
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	20 miles / Effingham
Species:	Ash, hickory, red oak, walnut, white oak		

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Company: Wenzel Lumber Company			
Owner:	Stacy Wenzel		
Address:	7452 Island Rifle Rd Junction, IL 62954	Phone:	618-269-3286
		Email:	
Mill Type:	Circular saw	Custom Sawing:	No
Production:	12-16 M bdf/day	Urban Wood:	No
Primary Product:	Mine timber & ties	Procurement Radius / County:	100 miles / Southern Illinois
Species:	Hardwoods		

Company: West Sawmill			
Owner:	George West		
Address:	15770 Spring Valley Rd. Morrison, IL 61270	Phone:	815-772-7948
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	Portable band saw	Custom Sawing:	Yes, only custom
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day	Urban Wood:	No, but willing
Primary Product:	Lumber	Procurement Radius / County:	20 miles / Whiteside, Carroll
Species:	Black cherry, red oak, walnut, white oak		

Company: Willenborg Wood & Lumber			
Owner:	Dennis & Russ Willenborg		
Address:	PO Box 632 Effingham, IL 62401	Phone:	217-844-2082
		Email:	---
Mill Type:	--	Custom Sawing:	--
Production:	--	Urban Wood:	--
Primary Product:	--	Procurement Radius / County:	-
Species:	--		

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Company: Wood-N-U	
Owner:	William Knoll
Address:	2278N 2653 Rd Marseilles, IL 61341
Phone:	815-795-5523
Email:	---
Mill Type:	---
Custom Sawing:	---
Production:	< 1 M bd ft/day
Urban Wood:	---
Primary Product:	---
Procurement Radius / County:	--- / LaSalle
Species:	---