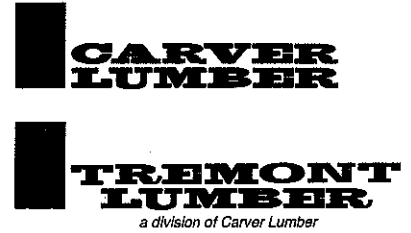


# Timber Talk

A monthly newsletter for our customers



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**MATERIAL PRICING:** The commodity lumber markets continue in a corrective mode, with prices adjusting lower in all species. With the market in somewhat of a slowdown, demand in many markets is not keeping up with production at the mill level. This, in turn, will force producers to use production cutbacks and curtailments to help align supply with current demand in the coming months. Panel markets continue to slide as well, with plywood and OSB mills struggling to rebuild thin order files. Mill curtailments and increased offshore sales will be needed to help producers get a handle on overproduction. Mills were hoping that damage from the latest hurricanes in the Southeast would create increased demand for their products, but that demand has not been enough to stabilize the overproduction issues. As always, keep your bids current.

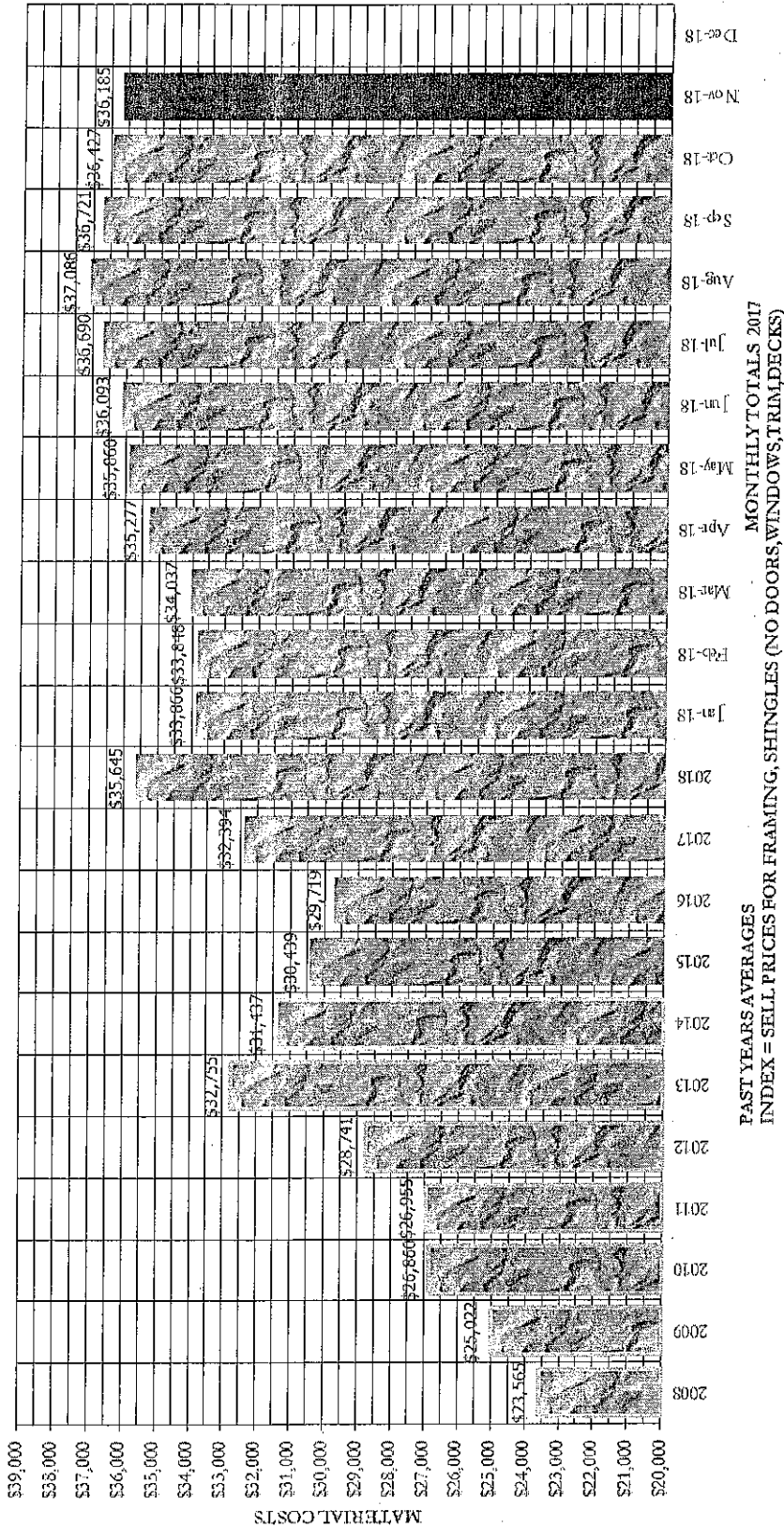
**THERMA TRU DOORS:** Therma Tru has introduced a new finishing system for all of their pre-finished doors using PrismaGuard finishes. This new finish comes with a 10 year warranty for stain and paint. Also with this change they have introduced an all new color palette. Please stop by our showroom to see all of the new samples and to get more information on the new finish system warranty.

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Happy Thanksgiving!

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MATERIAL PRICE INDEX**



NOTE: Material list used for index was one originally sold for 2820 sq.ft. 2-story home and consists of: CCA foundation wall plate, 2x10 D. Fir joists, 3/4" T&G OSB floor shtg., w/1/4" luan in kitchen/bath, tyvek house wrap, 1/2" OSB side wall shtg., 2X12 D. Fir headers, L.V.L. wood beams where required, pre-engineered roof trusses, 1/2" OSB roof shtg., roof edge, starter, felt, weatherwatch ice dam, flashings, metal valley, 25 yr. laminated roofing, ridgevent, rough stair lumber, misc. backing and bracing, glue, nails, and hangers. Material list used for this index does not include: Windows, siding, soffit, exterior trim, interior doors, trim or other millwork, finished stairs, insulation, sheetrock, patio/deck