## Midwest Framing Lumber Brief



The tone of commodity markets was largely unchanged this week. Lack of any real spark has led buyers to remain cautious in their purchasing. Inventory levels are to the lean side at most secondaries, but the slower pace means they are ample enough for the time being. If anything happens to activate the markets, things will quickly get tight. OSB remains flat to slightly down this week, while plywood continues to soften. Trucking is tightening a bit going into the holiday weekend, with JIT shoppers experiencing some delays. This weekend is the traditional start to summer, with millions of Americans spending small fortunes camping so that they can live like they are homeless. If that's you - be safe and enjoy the great outdoors! Happy Memorial Day!

