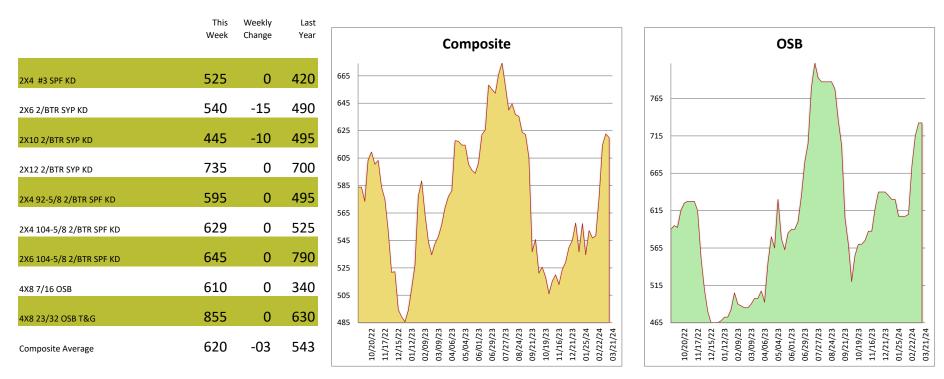


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As the week progressed it was clear most species and items were firmly in digestion mode with very little movement either side. Southern Pine, as the only outlier, with buyers stepping back and mills finding POs hard to come by after recent price appreciation. Weather has been a non-factor in most markets, with near record highs across the West. The Fed cast some sunshine on the market with continued projections of 3 interest rate cuts throughout 24'. On the panel front Plywood continues to grind up slowly on the heels of rapid (and sometimes) triple digit price increases in OSB. If you take anything out of this week's briefs, it's the lack of availability and drastic price increases in OSB across all markets in North America. Speaking of hard to find what happened to our BSU basketball team in the play-in game for the Madness, snuffed out by the Buffs. Hopefully your squad fairs better than ours.