**Get The Best Burn For Your Buck:**

Different species of firewood yield varying amounts of heat per cord. The Massachusetts Association of Professional Forresters provides the following information:

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| **Species** | **Heat per air – dry cord, in millions of BTU’S** | **Equivalent gallons of #2 fuel oil** |
| **Hickory** | 24.6 | 146 |
| **White Oak** | 22.7 | 135 |
| **Red Oak** | 21.3 | 127 |
| **Hard Maple** | 21.3 | 127 |
| **Ash** | 20.0 | 119 |
| **Soft Maple** | 18.6 | 111 |