

**B.C. Interior Log Market**

**Report for the month of April 2014**

	Product <sup>1</sup>	Species Group							Total/Avg	
		SPF <sup>2</sup>	Df-Larch	Hem-Bal <sup>3</sup>	Cedar <sup>4</sup>	White Pine	Yellow Pine	Deciduous		Other <sup>5</sup>
<b>Volume (m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	Sawlog	221,708	38,523	6,081	6,323					272,635
	Peelers	15,367	21,463							36,830
	Poles / House								244	244
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>									
	Pulpwood	10,578								10,578
	Other								9,162	9,162
	<b>Total</b>		<b>247,653</b>	<b>59,986</b>	<b>6,081</b>	<b>6,323</b>			<b>9,406</b>	<b>329,449</b>
<b>Average Price (\$/m<sup>3</sup>) <sup>7</sup></b>	Sawlog	66.15	72.20	56.50	93.46					67.42
	Peelers	78.09	72.47							74.81
	Poles / House								174.41	174.41
	Minor Products									
	Pulpwood	32.29								32.29
	Other								39.72	39.72
	<b>Wtd. Average</b>		<b>65.44</b>	<b>72.29</b>	<b>56.50</b>	<b>93.46</b>			<b>43.22</b>	<b>66.43</b>

<sup>1</sup> Intended end use identified by the log purchaser.

<sup>2</sup> Spruce, pine and balsam fir. Excludes balsam for log purchases in the Kalum and Kispiox Timber Supply Areas.

<sup>3</sup> Hemlock or balsam fir. Includes balsam for log purchases in the Kalum and Kispiox Timber Supply Areas.

<sup>4</sup> Cedar log prices vary significantly, depending on quality.

<sup>5</sup> Mixed species. Data from species/ product groups that do not meet the 3 mill minimum may be summarized under 'Other'.

<sup>6</sup> Logs that will produce fence posts, shake/shingle or other special forest products.

<sup>7</sup> Reported log prices represent averages. Individual transaction prices vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.

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