

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of January 2011

	Product ¹	Species Group								Total/Avg
		SPF ²	Df-Larch	Hem-Bal ³	Cedar ⁴	White Pine	Yellow Pine	Deciduous	Other ⁵	
Volume (m ³)	Sawlog	1,290,915	59,594	-	9,357	-	-	-	55,555	1,415,420
	Peelers	62,968	51,810	-	-	-	-	-	1,986	116,764
	Poles / House	4,809	-	-	1,895	-	-	-	-	6,704
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	72,505	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72,505
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,742	4,742
	Total	1,431,197	111,404	-	11,252	-	-	-	62,282	1,616,135
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	40.78	51.32	-	83.48	-	-	-	36.94	41.36
	Peelers	63.16	59.34	-	-	-	-	-	49.73	61.24
	Poles / House	71.04	-	-	231.94	-	-	-	-	116.52
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	28.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.00
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.13	31.13
	Wtd. Average	41.22	55.05	-	108.48	-	-	-	36.90	42.48

¹ Intended end use identified by the log purchaser.

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

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

⁴ Cedar log prices vary significantly, depending on quality.

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

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

⁷ 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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