

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of July 2017

	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	830,409	96,685	63,312	28,584	1,655	-	-	-	1,020,645
	Peelers	25,303	32,067	-	-	-	-	-	-	57,370
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	86,347	4,021	18,172	-	-	-	-	-	108,541
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,702	35,702
	Total	942,060	132,773	81,484	28,584	1,655	-	-	35,702	1,222,258
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	72.93	84.64	66.76	125.62	77.24	-	-	-	75.14
	Peelers	105.87	90.91	-	-	-	-	-	-	97.50
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	39.86	36.31	36.79	-	-	-	-	-	39.21
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.18	36.18
	Wtd. Average	70.78	84.69	60.08	125.62	77.24	-	-	36.18	71.86

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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