

## B.C. Interior Log Market

## Report for the month of October 2016

	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>	
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	617,196	98,127	30,941	31,370	515	-	-	-	778,150
	Peelers	44,414	82,605	-	-	-	-	-	-	127,018
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	5,650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,650
	Pulpwood	67,623	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,623
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,263	24,263
	Total		734,883	180,732	30,941	31,370	515	-	-	24,263
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	73.27	79.56	69.31	121.97	78.86	-	-	-	75.87
	Peelers	92.82	86.89	-	-	-	-	-	-	88.96
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	69.16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69.16
	Pulpwood	36.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.39
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.10	43.10
	Wtd. Average		71.02	82.91	69.31	121.97	78.86	-	-	43.10

<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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