

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of September 2016

	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	854,417	87,354	34,566	35,662			-	-	1,011,999
	Peelers	60,189	61,781	-	-			-	-	121,971
	Poles / House			-		-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products 6		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	93,913					-		-	93,913
	Other								38,126	38,126
	Total		1,008,519	149,135	34,566	35,662	-	-	-	38,126
Average Price (\$/m ³) 7	Sawlog	70.45	75.86	65.60	123.07			-	-	72.61
	Peelers	92.28	86.48	-	-			-	-	89.34
	Poles / House			-		-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	36.88					-		-	36.88
	Other								41.65	41.65
	Wtd. Average		68.63	80.26	65.60	123.07	-	-	-	41.65

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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