

**B.C. Interior Log Market**

**Report for the 3 month period November 1, 2011 to January 31, 2012<sup>8</sup>**

	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	2,632,778	217,835	72,404	44,198	-	-	-	-	2,967,215
	Peelers	121,822	176,905	540	-	-	-	-	-	299,267
	Poles / House	-	-	-	575	-	-	-	-	575
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,662	7,662
	Pulpwood	197,219	8,897	-	-	-	-	-	218,171	424,287
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,038	12,038
	<b>Total</b>		<b>2,951,819</b>	<b>403,636</b>	<b>72,945</b>	<b>44,773</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>237,871</b>
<b>Average Price (\$/m<sup>3</sup>)<sup>7</sup></b>	Sawlog	45.32	52.18	46.71	75.26	-	-	-	-	46.30
	Peelers	65.73	62.22	49.16	-	-	-	-	-	63.62
	Poles / House	-	-	-	226.80	-	-	-	-	226.80
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.72	40.72
	Pulpwood	32.82	34.04	-	-	-	-	-	41.42	37.27
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.06	72.06
	<b>Wtd. Average</b>		<b>45.33</b>	<b>56.18</b>	<b>46.73</b>	<b>77.21</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>42.95</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 could vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.

<sup>8</sup> Three month totals may not equal the sum of previously published one month totals due to late and/or revised submissions.

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