

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period May 1, 2009 to July 31, 2009 <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>	
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	533,031	8,474	-	-	-	-	-	23,044	564,550
	Peelers	24,705	28,863	-	-	-	-	-	919	54,487
	Poles / House	-	-	-	2,608	-	-	-	625	3,233
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	161,917	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,594	174,511
	Total	719,653	37,338	-	2,608	-	-	-	37,182	796,781
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	36.91	45.87	-	-	-	-	-	51.94	37.66
	Peelers	59.65	60.11	-	-	-	-	-	48.00	59.70
	Poles / House	-	-	-	206.44	-	-	-	104.50	186.73
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	32.14	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.04	32.27
	Wtd. Average	36.62	56.88	-	206.44	-	-	-	46.66	38.59

<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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