

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period January 1, 2011 to March 31, 2011 ⁸

	Product ¹	Species Group								Total/Avg
		SPF ²	Df-Larch	Hem-Bal ³	Cedar ⁴	White Pine	Yellow Pine	Deciduous	Other ⁵	
Volume (m³)	Sawlog	4,018,184	175,651	-	16,422	-	-	-	171,928	4,382,185
	Peelers	174,310	142,140	5,665	-	-	-	-	-	322,115
	Poles / House	12,179	-	-	3,651	-	-	-	-	15,830
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	173,837	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,597	179,434
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,615	11,615
	Total		4,378,510	317,792	5,665	20,072	-	-	-	189,140
Average Price (\$/m³) ⁷	Sawlog	40.83	50.90	-	78.85	-	-	-	38.17	41.28
	Peelers	60.21	59.98	50.01	-	-	-	-	-	59.93
	Poles / House	74.52	-	-	223.90	-	-	-	-	108.97
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	27.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	28.74	27.94
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.48	36.48
	Wtd. Average		41.19	54.96	50.01	105.23	-	-	-	37.79

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 could vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.

⁸ 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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