

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period March 1, 2010 to May 31, 2010⁸

	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	1,084,059	52,225	2,352	20,824	-	-	-	72,780	1,232,240
	Peelers	22,799	68,169	4,780	-	-	-	-	860	96,608
	Poles / House	-	-	-	1,544	-	-	-	2,341	3,885
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	68,826	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68,826
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,335	11,335
	Total		1,175,684	120,394	7,133	22,368	-	-	-	87,317
Average Price (\$/m³)⁷	Sawlog	37.38	43.62	37.85	98.24	-	-	-	34.86	38.53
	Peelers	56.85	59.08	43.91	-	-	-	-	56.48	57.78
	Poles / House	-	-	-	202.38	-	-	-	48.73	109.79
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	33.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.53
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29.83	29.83
	Wtd. Average		37.54	52.37	41.91	105.43	-	-	-	34.79

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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