

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period March 1, 2012 to May 31, 2012 ⁸

	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	1,445,956	97,544	35,157	53,705	738	-	-	-	1,633,100
	Peelers	43,683	58,311	529	-	-	-	-	-	102,523
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,852	5,852
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74,706	74,706
	Pulpwood	84,874	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,147	90,021
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,231	8,231
	Total		1,574,513	155,855	35,686	53,705	738	-	-	93,936
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	47.63	57.09	45.19	85.78	64.22	-	-	-	49.40
	Peelers	69.47	63.00	54.64	-	-	-	-	-	65.71
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115.14	115.14
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39.68	39.68
	Pulpwood	33.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	32.14	33.35
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23.25	23.25
	Wtd. Average		47.47	59.30	45.33	85.78	64.22	-	-	42.53

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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