

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period March 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014 <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</b> (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	1,436,633	181,978	52,480	40,637	515				1,712,243
	Peelers	67,122	85,648							152,770
	Poles / House				1,404				5,117	6,521
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>									
	Pulpwood	127,541						25,774		153,315
	Other								55,789	55,789
	Total		1,631,296	267,626	52,480	42,041	515	25,774	60,906	2,080,638
<b>Average Price</b> (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	60.13	69.70	54.16	83.15	68.06				61.51
	Peelers	80.92	73.14							76.56
	Poles / House				203.44				125.98	142.66
	Minor Products									
	Pulpwood	35.36						42.86		36.62
	Other								40.75	40.75
	Wtd. Average		59.05	70.80	54.16	87.17	68.06	42.86	47.91	60.48

<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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