

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of October 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020

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	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	2,171,622	487,078	170,884	112,839	-	-	-	-	2,942,424
	Peelers	24,046	153,230	-	-	-	-	-	-	177,276
	Poles / House	-	-	-	354	-	-	-	-	354
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	299,064	30,217	-	-	-	-	-	-	329,280
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,684	100,684
	Total	2,494,732	670,525	170,884	113,194	-	-	-	100,684	3,550,019
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	97.26	107.48	95.05	160.46	-	-	-	-	101.25
	Peelers	122.05	126.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	125.76
	Poles / House	-	-	-	272.65	-	-	-	-	272.65
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	49.58	43.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	49.07
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.01	53.01
	Wtd. Average	91.79	108.93	95.05	160.81	-	-	-	53.01	96.28

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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