

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of March 1, 2021 to May 31, 2021

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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	1,726,850	575,139	136,449	108,490	-	-	-	38,339	2,585,268
	Peelers	38,258	121,306	-	-	-	-	-	-	159,564
	Poles / House	-	-	-	924	-	-	-	-	924
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	186,751	38,941	33,907	-	-	-	-	-	259,599
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35,449	35,449
	Total	1,951,859	735,386	170,356	109,414	-	-	-	73,788	3,040,804
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	108.43	119.08	103.33	178.45	-	-	-	127.11	113.74
	Peelers	145.33	144.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	144.40
	Poles / House	-	-	-	269.90	-	-	-	-	269.90
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	50.90	49.92	42.85	-	-	-	-	-	49.70
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.28	57.28
	Wtd. Average	103.65	119.54	91.29	179.22	-	-	-	93.57	109.27

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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