

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of February 1, 2020 to April 30, 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 (m³)	Sawlog	2,412,070	399,499	100,359	89,802	557	-	-	-	3,002,287
	Peelers	28,872	73,927	-	-	-	-	-	-	102,799
	Poles / House	-	-	-	1,453	-	-	-	-	1,453
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	357,362	27,912	39,636	-	-	-	-	-	424,910
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	199,283	199,283
	Total	2,798,304	501,337	139,995	91,255	557	-	-	199,283	3,730,731
Average Price (\$/m³) ⁷	Sawlog	81.57	89.93	80.75	131.10	81.37	-	-	-	84.14
	Peelers	105.86	108.83	-	-	-	-	-	-	107.99
	Poles / House	-	-	-	261.53	-	-	-	-	261.53
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	53.35	49.17	54.82	-	-	-	-	-	53.21
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.06	56.06
	Wtd. Average	78.22	90.45	73.41	133.18	81.37	-	-	56.06	79.84

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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