B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of September 2017

		Species Group								
	Product ¹	SPF ²	Df-Larch	Hem-Bal ³	Cedar ⁴	White Pine	Yellow Pine	Deciduous	Other ⁵	Total/Avg
Volume	Sawlog	759,865	112,589	57,653	32,853	-	-	-	-	962,960
(m ³)	Peelers	18,807	48,942	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,749
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	108,762	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	108,762
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64,449	64,449
	Total	887,434	161,530	57,653	32,853	-	-	-	64,449	1,203,919
Average Price	Sawlog	78.16	94.63	67.32	142.11	-	-	-	-	81.62
(\$/m ³) ⁷	Peelers	93.84	93.57	-	-	-	-	-	-	93.65
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	41.16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.16
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37.08	37.08
	Wtd. Average	73.96	94.31	67.32	142.11	-	-	-	37.08	76.25

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 vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.

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