

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of July 2011

	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	741,171	61,955	16,073	19,656	-	-	-	1,923	840,778
	Peelers	19,503	37,117	-	-	-	-	-	1,467	58,087
	Poles / House	1,541	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,541
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,230	2,230
	Pulpwood	22,991	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,975	36,966
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	234	234
	<b>Total</b>		<b>785,207</b>	<b>99,073</b>	<b>16,073</b>	<b>19,656</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>19,829</b>
<b>Average Price</b> (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	45.01	50.74	38.83	78.69	-	-	-	58.61	46.14
	Peelers	62.67	62.32	-	-	-	-	-	53.13	62.21
	Poles / House	80.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80.10
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41.11	41.11
	Pulpwood	25.82	-	-	-	-	-	-	21.31	24.12
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	217.60	217.60
	<b>Wtd. Average</b>		<b>44.96</b>	<b>55.08</b>	<b>38.83</b>	<b>78.69</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>31.82</b>

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

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