

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of November 2011

	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	785,745	69,507	16,477	11,035	-	-	-	-	882,764
	Peelers	43,754	51,938	-	-	-	-	-	613	96,305
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,488	2,488
	Pulpwood	52,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,746	81,471
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,616	3,616
	Total		882,225	121,445	16,477	11,035	-	-	-	35,464
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	45.17	51.15	46.65	76.18	-	-	-	-	46.05
	Peelers	65.66	63.30	-	-	-	-	-	57.32	64.34
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.53	34.53
	Pulpwood	29.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	35.62	31.97
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.56	68.56
	Wtd. Average		45.28	56.35	46.65	76.18	-	-	-	39.28

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

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