

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of August 2019

	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	687,660	124,639	50,944	49,453	-	-	-	-	912,696
	Peelers	2,957	28,452	1,808	-	-	-	-	-	33,217
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	184,048	19,872	-	-	-	-	-	-	203,921
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68,880	68,880
	Total	874,666	172,963	52,752	49,453	-	-	-	68,880	1,218,714
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	92.20	100.68	84.84	144.91	-	-	-	-	95.80
	Peelers	98.66	109.18	76.70	-	-	-	-	-	106.47
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	54.12	47.81	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.50
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.16	62.16
	Wtd. Average	84.21	96.00	84.56	144.91	-	-	-	62.16	87.12

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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