

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of February 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	1,263,754	199,701	27,557	49,655	-	-	-	-	1,540,667
	Peelers	40,689	57,183	-	-	-	-	-	-	97,872
	Poles / House	-	-	-	248	-	-	-	-	248
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	175,222	19,925	40,606	-	-	-	98,295	-	334,049
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40,617	40,617
	Total		1,479,665	276,809	68,164	49,903	-	-	98,295	40,617
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	101.95	106.90	100.96	152.34	-	-	-	-	104.20
	Peelers	104.32	113.64	-	-	-	-	-	-	109.76
	Poles / House	-	-	-	287.63	-	-	-	-	287.63
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	47.15	47.52	61.40	-	-	-	44.23	-	48.05
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.00	70.00
	Wtd. Average		95.53	104.02	77.39	153.02	-	-	44.23	70.00

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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