

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of January 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	1,346,189	283,464	35,765	50,621	541	-	-	17,485	1,734,065
	Peelers	49,841	65,183	-	-	-	-	-	-	115,023
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	200,889	11,778	54,558	-	-	-	91,604	-	358,829
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,620	32,620
	Total	1,596,919	360,424	90,323	50,621	541	-	91,604	50,104	2,240,537
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	103.12	105.86	101.04	149.45	85.88	-	-	82.65	104.66
	Peelers	112.05	116.86	-	-	-	-	-	-	114.78
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	51.18	55.89	59.86	-	-	-	40.73	-	49.99
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.59	55.59
	Wtd. Average	96.86	106.22	76.17	149.45	85.88	-	40.73	65.03	95.71

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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