

## B.C. Interior Log Market

## Report for the month of March 2016

	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>	
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	914,088	61,619	42,450	16,950					1,035,107
	Peelers	23,085	20,373		-	-	-			43,458
	Poles / House		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	52,698	3,118							55,817
	Other								79,251	79,251
	Total		989,871	85,111	42,450	16,950	-	-	-	79,251
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	67.03	71.53	60.68	118.91					67.89
	Peelers	91.67	80.57		-	-	-			86.47
	Poles / House		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	42.20	40.37							42.10
	Other								38.03	38.03
	Wtd. Average		66.28	72.55	60.68	118.97		-		37.86

<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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