

## B.C. Interior Log Market

## Report for the month of May 2018

	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	220,726	176,788	29,065	33,268	-	-	-	-	459,847
	Peelers	5,479	47,286	-	-	-	-	-	-	52,764
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	69,491	9,997	24,413	-	-	-	-	-	103,901
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,172	23,172
	Total	295,695	234,071	53,478	33,268	-	-	-	23,172	639,684
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	99.81	101.55	85.13	153.47	-	-	-	-	103.43
	Peelers	119.61	112.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	113.04
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	50.83	53.15	66.11	-	-	-	-	-	54.64
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.55	64.55
	Wtd. Average	88.67	101.65	76.45	153.47	-	-	-	64.55	94.89

<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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