

## B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of October 2023

	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	396,326	90,128	47,518	34,270	-	-	-	-	568,243
	Peelers	19,005	24,598	-	-	-	-	-	-	43,603
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	69,741	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69,741
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,607	41,607
	Total		485,072	114,727	47,518	34,270	-	-	-	41,607
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	121.15	129.28	98.95	162.40	-	-	-	-	123.07
	Peelers	156.35	156.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	156.34
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	57.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.50
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.98	45.98
	Wtd. Average		113.38	135.08	98.95	162.40	-	-	-	45.98

<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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