

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 ⁸

	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	2,249,836	312,883	86,059	108,905					2,757,682
	Peelers	91,543	194,529							286,072
	Poles / House				466					466
	Minor Products ⁶									
	Pulpwood	270,730		64,381				202,655		537,766
	Other								29,933	29,933
	Total		2,612,108	507,411	150,440	109,371		202,655	29,933	3,611,920
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	62.97	70.83	58.31	95.56					65.00
	Peelers	81.40	76.26							77.91
	Poles / House				147.61					147.61
	Minor Products									
	Pulpwood	34.76		39.28				38.51		36.71
	Other								50.52	50.52
	Wtd. Average		60.69	72.91	50.17	95.78		38.51	50.52	61.70

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 could vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.⁸ Three month totals may not equal the sum of previously published one month totals due to late and/or revised submissions.

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