

## B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period November 1, 2014 to January 31, 2015 <sup>8</sup>

	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>
<b>Volume</b> (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	2,673,775	303,014	80,282	113,506	545				3,171,122
	Peelers	118,450	199,930							318,380
	Poles / House				409					409
	Minor Products <sup>6</sup>									-
	Pulpwood	247,580		42,706				277,661		567,947
	Other								31,532	31,532
	Total		3,039,805	502,944	122,988	113,915	545	277,661	31,532	4,089,391
<b>Average Price</b> (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	62.16	70.42	58.11	98.86	62.39				64.16
	Peelers	79.96	76.36							77.70
	Poles / House				157.88					157.88
	Minor Products									
	Pulpwood	37.77		39.88				38.49		38.28
	Other								59.32	59.32
	Wtd. Average		60.87	72.78	51.78	99.07	62.39	38.49	59.32	61.59

<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 could vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.<sup>8</sup> 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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