

## B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period May 1, 2008 to July 31, 2008<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>	
Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Sawlog	920,413	19,058	-	12,990	-	30	-	46	952,536
	Peelers	37,149	34,931	140	-	-	-	131	316	72,666
	Poles / House	3,120	89	-	765	-	-	-	-	3,974
	Minor Products 6	1,266	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,266
	Pulpwood	259,238	7,754	-	-	-	4,772	26,656	-	298,420
	Total	1,221,186	61,831	140	13,755	-	4,802	26,788	361	1,328,863
Average Price (\$/m <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>7</sup>	Sawlog	42.90	53.31	-	127.00	-	43.00	-	40.00	44.25
	Peelers	64.33	76.33	43.38	-	-	-	95.15	56.61	70.08
	Poles / House	87.03	160.00	-	202.09	-	-	-	-	110.79
	Minor Products	34.85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34.85
	Pulpwood	33.01	28.99	-	-	-	27.04	39.14	-	33.36
	Wtd. Average	41.55	63.42	43.38	131.17	-	27.14	39.41	54.51	43.41

<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 Kispix Timber Supply Areas<sup>3</sup> Hemlock or balsam fir. Includes balsam for log purchases in the Kalum and Kispix Timber Supply Areas.<sup>4</sup> Cedar log prices vary significantly, depending on quality<sup>5</sup> Mixed species.<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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