

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of October 1, 2019 to December 30, 2019 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	1,826,621	490,200	93,884	102,297	-	-	-	-	2,513,002
	Peelers	50,225	109,308	-	-	-	-	-	-	159,533
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	478,550	62,779	99,639	-	-	-	-	-	640,968
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	120,821	120,821
	Total		2,355,395	662,288	193,522	102,297	-	-	-	120,821
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	85.60	92.35	81.86	149.31	-	-	-	-	89.37
	Peelers	117.91	105.34	-	-	-	-	-	-	109.30
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	53.42	50.17	55.69	-	-	-	-	-	53.45
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.17	63.17
	Wtd. Average		79.75	90.49	68.39	149.31	-	-	-	63.17

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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