

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of October 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022

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	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	1,429,115	401,459	85,903	70,470	-	-	-	-	1,986,947
	Peelers	18,207	139,834	-	-	-	-	-	-	158,041
	Poles / House	-	-	-	826	-	-	-	-	826
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	209,115	40,822	32,830	10,287	-	-	-	-	293,053
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72,501	72,501
	Total	1,656,436	582,115	118,733	81,582	-	-	-	72,501	2,511,368
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	141.93	149.66	133.41	216.25	-	-	-	-	145.76
	Peelers	175.74	172.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	173.09
	Poles / House	-	-	-	350.95	-	-	-	-	350.95
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	56.07	63.33	60.45	64.06	-	-	-	-	57.86
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.61	74.61
	Wtd. Average	131.46	149.15	113.24	198.42	-	-	-	74.61	135.23

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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