

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period March 1, 2016 to May 31, 2016 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	1,376,595	269,325	95,216	54,110	1,496				1,796,742
	Peelers	63,008	97,850		-		-			160,858
	Poles / House	2,438	-	-	303	-	-	-	-	2,741
	Minor Products ⁶		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	108,861	6,779					67,106		182,746
	Other								26,979	26,979
	Total		1,550,902	373,954	95,216	54,413	1,496	-	67,106	26,979
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	67.41	73.26	59.90	117.84	70.69				69.41
	Peelers	94.23	86.12		-		-			89.30
	Poles / House	98.04	-	-	238.49	-	-	-	-	113.56
	Minor Products		-	-		-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	35.79	47.53					35.02		35.94
	Other								42.08	42.08
	Wtd. Average		66.33	76.16	59.90	118.51	70.69	-	35.02	-

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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