

Cells highlighted in yellow have < 3 mills reporting

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of March 1, 2018 to May 31, 2018 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	1,723,857	427,887	80,625	86,770	-	-	-	1,279	2,320,417
	Peelers	29,768	113,352	-	-	-	-	-	-	143,121
	Poles / House	-	-	-	511	-	-	-	-	511
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	251,891	18,293	58,577	-	-	-	52,956	-	381,717
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41,561	41,561
	Total		2,005,516	559,532	139,201	87,281	-	-	52,956	42,840
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	90.47	96.81	84.08	155.30	-	-	-	67.56	93.83
	Peelers	113.22	105.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	107.02
	Poles / House	-	-	-	259.73	-	-	-	-	259.73
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	47.39	58.43	68.01	-	-	-	42.99	-	50.47
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.85	64.85
	Wtd. Average		85.40	97.30	77.31	155.91	-	-	42.99	64.93

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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