

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of September 1, 2020 to November 30, 2020 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	2,068,500	415,930	135,136	109,560	-	-	-	37,255	2,766,380
	Peelers	32,409	117,173	-	-	-	-	-	-	149,582
	Poles / House	-	-	-	401	-	-	-	-	401
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	351,726	30,629	34,770	-	-	-	-	-	417,125
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,491	30,491
	Total		2,452,634	563,732	169,906	109,961	-	-	-	67,746
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	94.06	101.70	87.39	158.72	-	-	-	71.93	97.15
	Peelers	120.40	117.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	118.20
	Poles / House	-	-	-	302.07	-	-	-	-	302.07
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	49.73	44.74	42.36	-	-	-	-	-	48.75
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.81	52.81
	Wtd. Average		88.05	101.91	78.17	159.24	-	-	-	63.33

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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