

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of September 2023

	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	366,583	60,509	40,182	36,388	-	-	-	-	503,662
	Peelers	4,979	11,907	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,886
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	77,121	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77,121
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45,321	45,321
	Total		448,683	72,416	40,182	36,388	-	-	-	45,321
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	122.35	131.61	96.42	161.26	-	-	-	-	124.20
	Peelers	159.01	145.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	149.43
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	58.14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.14
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71.63	71.63
	Wtd. Average		111.72	133.89	96.42	161.26	-	-	-	71.63

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 vary considerably due to a number of factors, such as quality, distance to market, etc.

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