

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period of July 1, 2023 to September 30, 2023

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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	1,006,108	192,981	85,104	88,682	-	-	-	-	1,372,875
	Peelers	27,035	58,785	-	-	-	-	-	-	85,820
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	251,691	30,578	-	-	-	-	-	-	282,269
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115,510	115,510
	Total	1,284,834	282,344	85,104	88,682	-	-	-	115,510	1,856,474
Average Price (\$/m ³) ⁷	Sawlog	126.73	129.91	103.44	172.11	-	-	-	-	128.66
	Peelers	169.45	142.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	151.12
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	58.56	60.26	-	-	-	-	-	-	58.74
	Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74.07	74.07
	Wtd. Average	114.27	125.03	103.44	172.11	-	-	-	74.07	115.67

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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