

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of June 2003

	Product ¹	Species Group								Total/Avg
		SPF ²	Df-Larch	Hem-Bal ³	Cedar ⁴	White Pine	Yellow Pine	Deciduous	Other ⁵	
Volume (m³)	Sawlog	198,935	40,533	17,289	2,475	-	14,649	-	102	273,983
	Peelers	5,654	19,598	231	-	-	-	296	-	25,779
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products ⁶	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	12,657	9	-	-	-	-	32,360	-	45,026
	Total	217,246	60,140	17,520	2,475	-	14,649	32,656	102	344,788
Average Price (\$/m³) ⁷	Sawlog	58.75	64.10	46.77	115.08	-	71.89	-	59.41	59.99
	Peelers	85.05	94.83	68.58	-	-	-	102.01	-	92.53
	Poles / House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Minor Products	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Pulpwood	24.66	25.19	-	-	-	-	30.49	-	28.85
	Wtd. Average	57.45	74.11	47.06	115.08	-	71.89	31.14	59.41	58.36

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.

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.

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