B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period July 1, 2004 to September 30, 2004 [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	2,441,360	334,084	117,438	31,196	3,304	6,671	5	41	2,934,098
	Peelers	55,360	153,685	6,803	-	-	-	231	293	216,372
	Poles / House	213	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	213
	Minor Products [6]	11,319	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,319
	Pulpwood	148,207	779	6,595	31	-	112	119,086	-	274,810
	Total	2,656,458	488,547	130,836	31,227	3,304	6,783	119,322	333	3,436,812
Average Price ($/$m^3$) [7]	Sawlog	56.50	63.26	56.05	97.85	59.32	62.88	45.54	54.23	57.71
	Peelers	75.48	82.35	63.22	-	-	-	101.37	84.40	80.01
	Poles / House	47.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47.60
	Minor Products	31.68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.68
	Pulpwood	28.15	26.31	37.96	22.92	-	23.00	32.19	-	30.13
	Wtd. Average	55.21	69.20	55.51	97.77	59.32	62.23	32.33	80.73	56.82

[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.

[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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