B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of February 2007

	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	2,546,023	85,287	39,776	14,639	285	12,654	44,140	127	2,742,932
	Peelers	122,032	33,186	3,158	-	-	-	478	329	159,183
	Poles / House	6,512	321	-	2,398	-	-	-	-	9,231
	Minor Products [6]	2,811	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,811
	Pulpwood	82,497	69	3,400	30	-	855	31,221	-	118,072
	Total	2,759,875	118,863	46,334	17,067	285	13,510	75,839	456	3,032,229
Average Price ($/$m^3$) [7]	Sawlog	52.29	65.47	51.89	108.77	65.21	58.32	35.32	48.35	52.75
	Peelers	68.90	91.01	55.72	-	-	-	30.62	76.10	73.15
	Poles / House	78.72	118.09	-	173.69	-	-	-	-	104.76
	Minor Products	33.30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.30
	Pulpwood	33.70	26.00	30.84	18.50	-	26.00	38.75	-	34.89
	Wtd. Average	52.51	72.72	50.61	117.74	65.21	56.27	36.70	68.36	53.27

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

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