

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the 3 month period December 1, 2006 to February 28, 2007⁸

	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	6,379,282	234,267	95,140	39,626	764	33,922	94,148	273	6,877,423
	Peelers	337,891	85,767	5,865	-	-	-	3,551	621	433,694
	Poles / House	14,301	870	-	6,303	-	-	-	-	21,475
	Minor Products ⁶	5,401	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,401
	Pulpwood	279,548	179	8,712	86	-	880	73,080	-	362,485
	Total	7,016,422	321,084	109,717	46,016	764	34,803	170,779	894	7,700,479
Average Price (\$/m³) ⁷	Sawlog	52.79	66.42	51.98	111.83	58.60	59.45	33.48	51.89	53.35
	Peelers	69.34	90.52	56.04	-	-	-	33.90	78.78	73.07
	Poles / House	81.32	120.67	-	173.95	-	-	-	-	110.10
	Minor Products	33.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.80
	Pulpwood	32.94	27.23	28.24	16.31	-	26.06	37.36	-	33.69
	Wtd. Average	52.84	72.98	50.32	120.16	58.60	58.60	35.15	70.57	53.68

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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