

B.C. Interior Log Market

Report for the month of January 2008

	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	1,791,351	38,510	3,127	1,455	73	12,893	-	908	1,848,317
	Peelers	176,608	66,158	1,348	-	-	-	43	17	244,175
	Poles / House	7,970	7	-	1,607	-	-	-	-	9,584
	Minor Products ⁶	2,944	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,944
	Pulpwood	168,078	2,776	-	-	-	163	16,349	-	187,365
	Total	2,146,951	107,450	4,475	3,062	73	13,056	16,392	925	2,292,385
Average Price (\$/m³) ⁷	Sawlog	47.04	54.18	37.89	120.78	85.00	44.01	-	34.95	47.21
	Peelers	69.56	85.00	62.56	-	-	-	102.43	72.51	73.71
	Poles / House	85.69	155.00	-	180.48	-	-	-	-	101.64
	Minor Products	33.89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.89
	Pulpwood	31.76	28.39	-	-	-	27.16	39.42	-	32.37
	Wtd. Average	47.82	72.50	45.32	152.12	85.00	43.80	39.59	35.64	49.03

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.

Prepared by: Revenue Branch, Ministry of Forests and Range

Compiled on February 25, 2008

Copyright Statement: Copyright of this material belongs exclusively to the Province of British Columbia. This copy is intended for private study or research purposes only.

No person or entity is permitted to reproduce this material, in whole or in part, for distribution either free of charge or for 'commercial purposes', unless that person or entity has a signed license agreement with the Intellectual Property Program for British Columbia. Reproduction for commercial purposes is reproduction for the purposes of sale, rent, trade or distribution, or posting it on the Internet or on electronic bulletin boards. Further details over these and other government-owned works can be obtained by reference to the *Federal Copyright Act*.