

OSB - Market Price Calculation

Crown timber dues will be set monthly based on the previous month's average commodity prices (\$US) as published weekly in *Random Lengths*.

OSB Market Price - October 2009 used to determine November 2009 Crown timber dues

Week Ending	Exchange Rate \$US/CDN (Bank of Canada)*	Random Lengths North Central 7/16 \$US/1000ft ²	Price \$CDN 7/16 /1000ft ²
2-Oct	1.0815	\$ 158	\$ 171
9-Oct	1.0581	\$ 156	\$ 165
16-Oct	1.0321	\$ 156	\$ 161
23-Oct	1.0443	\$ 158	\$ 165
30-Oct	1.0700	\$ 162	\$ 173
Average			\$ 167

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN 7/16 \$/1000ft²" average for the month.
2. Go to the Manitoba Timber Dues table for OSB: <http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/forest-practices/timber-admin/tables/index.html>
3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 7/16 /1000ft²" average for the month.
4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location (FMU).

* Bank of Canada - <http://www.bank-banque-canada.ca/en/rates/exchform.html>