

Softwood Lumber Market Price - July 2015
used to determine August 2015 Crown timber dues

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

Week Ending	Exchange Rate \$US/CDN (Bank of Canada)*	Random Lengths 2x4 #2&Btr KD Western S-P-F \$US/1000FBM	Price \$CDN/1000FBM
03-Jul-15	1.2498	\$ 300	\$ 375
10-Jul-15	1.2706	\$ 302	\$ 384
17-Jul-15	1.2877	\$ 302	\$ 389
24-Jul-15	1.3012	\$ 295	\$ 384
31-Jul-15	1.2982	\$ 278	\$ 361
Average			\$ 378

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN/1000FBM" average for the month.

2. [Go to the Manitoba timber dues table for softwood lumber:](http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/timber-admin/dues_tables.html)
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3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN/1000FBM" 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>