## Newsprint Market Price - December 2013 used to determine January 2014 Crown timber dues

Crown timber dues will be set monthly based on the previous month's average commodity prices (\$US) as published in *Pulp and Paper Weekly (RISI)*.

Week	Exchange Rate	RISI		Price \$CDN	
Ending	\$US/CDN	Newsprint		30lbs East	
	(Bank of Canada)*	30lbs East		\$/tonne	
		\$U\$	S/tonne		
06-Dec-13	1.0659	\$	605	\$	645
13-Dec-13	1.0621	\$	605	\$	643
20-Dec-13	1.0638	\$	605	\$	644
27-Dec-13	1.064	\$	605	\$	644
Average				\$	644

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m<sup>3</sup>) use the "Price \$CDN 30lbs East \$/tonne" average for the month.

2. Go to Manitoba timber dues table for newsprint: http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/timber-admin/dues\_table.html

3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 30lbs East \$/tonne" average for the month.

4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location

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