

**Newsprint Market Price - January 2016  
used to determine February 2016 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 Ending	Exchange Rate \$US/CDN (Bank of Canada)*	RISI Newsprint 48.8-g (30lb) East	Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lb) East \$/tonne
01-Jan-16	1.3858	\$ 525	\$ 728
08-Jan-16	1.4052	\$ 525	\$ 738
15-Jan-16	1.4338	\$ 525	\$ 753
22-Jan-16	1.4401	\$ 525	\$ 756
29-Jan-16	1.4102	\$ 525	\$ 740
Average			<b>\$ 743</b>

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m<sup>3</sup>) use the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lb) 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\\_tables.html](http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/timber-admin/dues_tables.html)

3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lb) 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>

**October 23, 2015 - RISI has changed the grade designation for graphic paper prices. The change represents a change in name only and does not represent a change in what is covered in these assessments.**

**Newsprint 30-lbs East is now called Newsprint 48.8-g (30lb) East.**