

Softwood Lumber Market Price - October 2015
used to determine November 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 |
|-------------|--|--|------------------------|
| 02-Oct-15 | 1.3325 | \$ 240 | \$ 320 |
| 09-Oct-15 | 1.3028 | \$ 250 | \$ 326 |
| 16-Oct-15 | 1.2951 | \$ 262 | \$ 339 |
| 23-Oct-15 | 1.307 | \$ 272 | \$ 356 |
| 30-Oct-15 | 1.3155 | \$ 272 | \$ 358 |
| Average | | | \$ 340 |

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>