

**Newsprint Market Price - April 2017
used to determine May 2017 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 (30lbs) East \$US/tonne	Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lbs) East \$/tonne
07-Apr-17	1.3404	\$ 575	\$ 771
14-Apr-17	1.3312	\$ 575	\$ 765
21-Apr-17	1.3422	\$ 575	\$ 772
28-Apr-17	1.3593	\$ 575	\$ 782
Average			\$ 772

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (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)

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3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lbs) East \$/tonne" average for the month.

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

* <http://www.bankofcanada.ca/rates/exchange/currency-converter/>

