

Softwood Lumber Market Price - October 2018 used to determine November 2018 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
05-Oct-18	1.2858	\$ 342	\$ 440
12-Oct-18	1.3007	\$ 332	\$ 432
19-Oct-18	1.3017	\$ 319	\$ 415
26-Oct-18	1.3083	\$ 298	\$ 390
Average			\$ 419

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_table.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).

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