

**Softwood Lumber Market Price - February 2015  
used to determine March 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
06-Feb-15	1.2506	\$ 322	\$ 403
13-Feb-15	1.2504	\$ 319	\$ 399
20-Feb-15	1.2463	\$ 313	\$ 390
27-Feb-15	1.252	\$ 300	\$ 376
Average			<b>\$ 392</b>

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m<sup>3</sup>) 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).

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