

Draft Regulations

Draft Regulation

Forest Act
(R.S.Q., c. F-4.1; 2001, c. 6)

Unit rates applicable to the calculation of dues for forest management permits for the supply of wood processing plants

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 12 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Regulation respecting unit rates applicable to the calculation of dues for forest management permits for the supply of wood processing plants, the text of which appears below, may be made by the Minister at the expiry of 30 days following this publication.

Under section 13 of the Regulations Act, the draft Regulation may be made within a shorter period than the period provided for in section 11 of that Act, because the urgency due to the following circumstances requires it:

— The first paragraph of section 2 of the Regulation respecting forest royalties specifies that in order to determine a unit rate fixed by the Minister under section 72 of the Forest Act (R.S.Q., c. F-4.1), the stumpage value of standing timber shall be calculated on 1 April of each year in each forest tariffing zone, by species or group of species and quality of timber, according to the parity technique applicable in property assessment, by comparing the timber to similar timber for which the selling price is known.

For the application of that regulation, the rates must be calculated on 1 April next and must be effective as of that date, a deadline that the Minister could not meet were he to comply fully with the 45-day publication period provided for in the Regulations Act.

Any person having comments to make on this matter is asked to send them in writing, before the expiry of the 30-day period, to Mr. Marc Ledoux, Associate Deputy Minister for Forests, ministère des Ressources naturelles, 880, chemin Sainte-Foy, 10^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1S 4X4.

FRANÇOIS GENDRON,
Minister of Natural Resources

Regulation respecting unit rates applicable to the calculation of dues for forest management permits for the supply of wood processing plants

Forest Act
(R.S.Q., c. F-4.1, ss. 5 and 72)

1. The unit rates for stumpage in forests in the public domain for the fiscal year 2002-2003 set out in Schedule I shall be indexed on 1 April, 1 July, 1 October 2002 and 1 January 2003 in accordance with the performance of the price indexes for the forest products specified in Schedule II. The index rates per species, group of species and quality shall be calculated in accordance with the following formulas:

Index rate at = 1 April 2002	Average price index for the months of December 2001, January and February 2002
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Average price index for
the months of April 2000
to March 2001

Index rate at = 1 July 2002	Average price index for the months of March, April and May 2002
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Average price index for
the months of April 2000
to March 2001

Index rate at = 1 October 2002	Average price index for the months of June, July and August 2002
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Average price index for
the months of April 2000
to March 2001

Index rate at = 1 January 2003	Average price index for the months of September, October and November 2002
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Average price index for
the months of April 2000
to March 2001

The amounts thus indexed shall apply, in each forest tariffing zone indicated in Schedule I, to the calculation of the dues payable by the holder of a forest management permit for the supply of a wood processing plant for the 3-month period following the date of indexing.

The amounts indexed in the manner prescribed in the first paragraph shall be reduced to the nearest fraction of $\$0.10/\text{m}^3$ where they contain a fraction less than $\$0.025/\text{m}^3$. They shall be rounded off to the nearest fraction of $\$0.05/\text{m}^3$ where they contain a fraction equal to or greater than $\$0.025/\text{m}^3$ but less than $\$0.075/\text{m}^3$ and shall be increased to the nearest fraction of $\$0.10/\text{m}^3$ where they contain a fraction equal to or greater than $\$0.075/\text{m}^3$.

The Minister of Natural Resources shall inform the public, through Part I of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* and, where he considers it appropriate, by any other means, of the indexing calculated under this section.

2. This Regulation replaces the Regulation respecting unit rates applicable to the calculation of dues for forest management permits for the supply of wood processing plants, made by Minister's Order 450 of the Minister of Natural Resources, dated 20 March 2001 and published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 28 March 2001.

3. This Regulation comes into force on 1 April 2002.

SCHEDULE I
(s.1)

REFERENCE UNIT RATES FOR STUMPAGE IN FORESTS IN THE DOMAIN OF THE STATE
FOR THE 2002-2003 FISCAL YEAR

Species	Quality*	Stumpage (\$/m ³)																
		101	102	103	104	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	201	202	203	204	205	
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	18.29	16.06	15.79	15.81	13.99	13.97	13.92	13.93	14.16	14.71	13.96	17.55	17.55	17.84	19.59	18.61	
	B	17.87	14.65	13.66	15.20	9.99	12.46	5.92	6.60	9.00	11.77	12.19	15.14	15.47	17.84	13.01	18.52	
White pine	B	2.19	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	5.47	2.84	2.83	4.54	2.84	
Red pine	A	18.62	14.85	14.73	14.74	13.97	13.96	13.94	13.94	13.96	13.97	13.96	18.28	18.28	17.78	16.26	17.01	
Hemlock, cedar	B	8.03	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	8.70	8.70	8.52	7.77	8.11	
	B	3.26	2.80	2.77	2.77	2.61	2.61	2.60	2.60	2.61	2.61	2.61	3.00	3.00	3.10	2.45	2.66	
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.69	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.64	1.64	1.66	1.35	1.45	
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	48.51	40.67	29.12	28.24	21.68	17.99	10.00	10.00	10.00	21.41	10.00	22.21	10.00	19.50	17.80	14.22	
	B	22.72	19.05	13.64	13.23	10.16	8.43	2.85	1.29	2.42	10.03	1.29	10.40	4.63	9.13	8.34	6.66	
	C	9.61	8.06	5.77	5.60	4.30	3.57	1.21	0.65	1.02	4.24	0.65	4.40	1.96	3.87	3.53	2.82	
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	47.71	40.00	28.64	27.78	21.32	17.69	10.00	10.00	10.00	21.06	10.00	24.94	11.65	22.99	20.99	16.77	
	B	17.61	14.77	10.57	10.26	7.87	6.53	2.21	1.00	1.88	7.78	1.00	8.06	3.59	7.08	6.46	5.16	
	C	7.45	6.25	4.47	4.34	3.33	2.76	0.94	0.50	0.79	3.29	0.50	3.41	1.52	3.00	2.74	2.19	
White birch	A	47.71	40.00	28.64	27.78	21.32	17.69	10.00	10.00	10.00	21.06	10.00	24.94	11.65	22.99	20.99	16.77	
	B	7.35	6.29	4.18	4.88	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.23	1.00	3.19	1.00	4.64	2.92	2.36	
	C	3.32	2.84	1.88	2.20	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.01	0.50	1.44	0.50	2.10	1.32	1.06	
Sugar maple	A	50.48	38.77	30.91	28.39	24.57	20.67	10.00	10.00	10.00	23.54	10.00	17.72	11.19	17.79	11.92	11.54	
	B	20.93	16.07	12.81	11.77	4.85	4.08	1.43	1.00	1.51	4.64	1.00	7.90	2.21	3.51	2.35	2.28	
	C	5.44	4.18	3.33	3.06	1.26	1.06	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.21	0.50	2.05	0.57	0.91	0.61	0.75	
Other hardwoods	B	7.04	5.91	4.23	4.10	3.15	2.61	1.00	1.00	1.00	3.11	1.00	3.23	1.44	2.83	2.59	2.07	
	C	2.98	2.50	1.79	1.74	1.33	1.11	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.32	0.50	1.36	0.61	1.20	1.09	0.87	
Poplar	B	5.32	4.43	5.66	5.89	3.10	3.75	2.39	1.09	2.88	4.55	4.70	5.16	4.83	5.87	4.90	5.93	
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	2.49	1.80	1.59	1.10	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.75

* The letters A, B, C and D correspond to quality levels determined of the basis of the assessment of cuts according to species, diameter, length and imperfections observed on crosscuts and trunks.

		Stumpage (\$/m ³)																			
		Zones																			
Species	Quality*	206	207	208	209	210	211	212	213	214	215	216	217	218	219	220	221				
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	20.71	19.46	16.46	16.25	14.66	15.34	17.75	19.92	18.07	15.47	13.87	12.66	12.47	13.41	12.64	16.50				
	B	11.23	17.93	14.91	13.77	14.66	13.23	17.75	19.53	18.07	15.47	13.78	8.33	10.82	12.42	10.89	16.50				
White pine	B	2.80	1.34	1.42	1.50	1.34	1.36	1.43	1.50	1.27	1.17	1.06	1.00	1.12	1.08	1.07	1.11				
Red pine	A	16.35	16.24	15.55	14.98	13.97	14.86	15.63	16.22	16.01	14.27	14.12	14.80	14.07	14.11	14.05	13.97				
	B	7.85	7.76	7.53	7.33	6.76	7.19	7.58	7.80	7.58	6.79	6.75	7.44	6.77	6.76	6.73	6.71				
Hemlock, cedar	B	2.47	2.45	2.37	2.40	1.75	2.06	2.41	2.45	2.39	1.70	1.47	1.49	1.39	1.44	1.43	1.45				
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.38	1.34	1.42	1.50	1.34	1.36	1.43	1.39	1.27	1.17	1.06	0.97	1.12	1.08	1.07	1.11				
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	21.15	10.00	22.62	23.79	10.00	18.26	16.84	13.74	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00				
	B	9.91	2.79	10.60	11.14	2.71	8.55	7.89	6.44	2.76	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29				
	C	4.19	1.18	4.48	4.72	1.15	3.62	3.34	2.72	1.17	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65				
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	24.94	10.00	26.68	28.05	10.00	21.53	19.86	16.21	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00				
	B	7.68	2.16	8.21	8.64	2.10	6.63	6.11	4.99	2.14	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00				
	C	3.25	0.92	3.48	3.66	0.89	2.81	2.59	2.11	0.91	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50				
White birch	A	24.94	10.00	26.68	28.05	10.00	21.53	19.86	16.21	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00				
	B	6.13	1.00	4.11	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.14	3.24	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00				
	C	2.77	0.50	1.85	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.87	1.46	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50				
Sugar maple	A	28.36	10.00	12.87	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	15.25	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00				
	B	5.60	1.61	2.54	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.50	3.01	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00				
	C	1.46	0.50	0.66	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.54	0.78	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50				
Other hardwoods	B	3.07	1.00	3.29	3.46	1.00	2.65	2.45	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00				
	C	1.30	0.50	1.39	1.46	0.50	1.12	1.04	0.84	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50				
Poplar	B	5.71	4.73	4.92	4.47	2.62	3.10	4.42	5.50	4.42	3.11	2.97	1.09	1.62	1.47	1.87	3.16				
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	1.17	0.25	0.41	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.54	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25				

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		Stumpage (\$/m ³)																
		Zones																
Species	Quality*	222	223	224	225	226	227	228	229	230	231	232	233	234	235	236	237	
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	19.86	15.00	16.83	16.44	12.48	11.27	7.40	6.16	5.64	5.45	6.93	10.92	7.53	14.10	10.70	10.70	
	B	19.86	13.33	16.83	16.44	12.48	7.25	6.46	4.32	4.32	4.96	6.93	10.92	7.53	14.10	4.32	7.39	
	B	1.23	1.17	1.14	1.31	1.09	1.08	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.19	1.40	1.37
Red pine	A	15.71	14.09	13.96	14.92	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	14.14	13.96	14.03	
	B	7.43	6.77	6.71	7.21	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.75	6.71	6.79
Hemlock, cedar	B	2.26	1.57	1.49	2.03	1.40	1.34	0.89	0.73	0.61	0.57	0.79	1.28	0.73	1.61	1.46	1.42	
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.23	1.17	1.14	1.31	1.09	1.08	0.76	0.66	0.57	0.54	0.70	1.02	0.66	1.19	1.40	1.37	
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	
	B	1.29	2.83	1.29	4.03	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29
	C	0.65	1.20	0.65	1.70	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.14	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	
	B	1.00	2.19	1.00	3.12	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
	C	0.50	0.93	0.50	1.32	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
White birch	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.14	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Sugar maple	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Other hardwoods	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.25	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.53	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	
	B	3.71	3.73	3.46	4.12	2.19	1.44	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.81	1.12	1.09	
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	

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Species	Quality*	Stumpage (\$/m ³)															
		238	239	301	302	303	304	305	306	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	10.34	6.87	19.63	16.72	17.46	19.19	16.18	16.07	18.72	19.25	19.89	18.89	18.66	16.78	13.76	16.38
	B	10.04	4.32	17.25	10.63	8.76	16.65	13.42	15.64	14.32	19.21	19.84	16.47	18.22	9.87	13.76	14.15
White pine	B	1.42	1.11	7.64	5.63	5.50	10.87	2.82	1.62	16.40	12.95	15.27	12.60	11.04	9.75	12.85	12.44
Red pine	A	13.94	13.94	22.84	17.47	18.20	23.35	15.54	15.09	23.18	23.73	25.52	22.43	21.75	16.92	20.32	15.14
	B	6.71	6.71	9.74	8.40	8.67	10.79	7.61	7.42	10.66	10.92	11.68	10.41	10.12	7.94	9.79	7.00
Hemlock, cedar	B	1.44	1.13	3.71	3.16	3.02	3.76	2.78	2.64	3.70	3.79	4.09	3.62	3.51	2.57	3.13	2.55
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.42	1.11	1.93	1.67	1.65	2.12	1.63	1.62	2.05	2.14	2.33	2.04	1.97	1.35	1.65	1.00
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	10.00	10.00	47.83	18.51	32.22	44.40	15.96	26.16	44.43	54.73	53.49	41.96	49.12	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.29	1.29	22.40	8.67	15.09	20.80	7.47	12.25	20.81	25.64	25.05	19.65	23.01	2.16	3.56	1.29
	C	0.65	0.65	9.48	3.67	6.39	8.80	3.16	5.19	8.81	10.85	10.60	8.32	9.74	0.92	1.51	0.65
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	47.04	21.82	36.18	49.86	18.82	30.85	43.70	53.83	60.06	47.11	48.32	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	17.37	6.72	11.70	16.12	5.79	9.50	16.13	19.87	19.42	15.23	17.84	1.68	2.76	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	7.35	2.84	4.95	6.82	2.45	4.02	6.83	8.41	8.22	6.45	7.55	0.71	1.17	0.50
White birch	A	10.00	10.00	47.04	21.82	36.18	49.86	18.82	30.85	43.70	53.83	60.06	47.11	48.32	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	8.51	1.00	1.97	7.42	1.00	1.00	13.49	17.98	14.08	9.34	11.22	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	3.84	0.50	0.89	3.35	0.50	0.50	6.09	8.11	6.35	4.22	5.06	0.50	0.50	0.50
Sugar maple	A	10.00	10.00	44.81	22.75	34.91	51.59	14.97	10.00	42.15	53.07	62.81	47.07	38.90	10.00	13.08	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	18.58	4.49	15.56	23.00	2.95	1.15	18.79	23.66	28.00	20.98	17.34	1.00	2.58	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	4.83	1.17	4.05	5.98	0.77	0.50	4.89	6.15	7.28	5.46	4.51	0.50	0.67	0.50
Other hardwoods	B	1.00	1.00	6.95	2.69	4.68	6.45	2.32	3.80	6.45	7.95	7.77	6.09	7.13	1.00	1.10	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	2.94	1.14	1.98	2.73	0.98	1.61	2.73	3.36	3.64	2.58	3.02	0.50	0.50	0.50
Poplar	B	1.09	1.09	3.82	2.59	3.16	5.82	3.96	4.73	4.77	5.33	5.84	4.89	5.71	3.72	3.54	2.83
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	0.25	0.25	1.82	0.25	0.25	2.17	0.25	0.25	1.49	2.17	3.64	1.74	1.97	0.25	0.25	0.25

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Species	Quality*	Stumpage (\$/m ³)															
		409	410	411	412	413	501	601	602	603	604	605	606	607	608	609	610
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	14.29	15.55	14.30	14.62	16.17	19.66	20.34	21.24	19.83	19.26	17.33	19.51	18.09	13.47	14.84	14.66
	B	9.06	4.32	11.59	11.59	15.19	15.58	20.08	19.18	17.47	15.83	16.10	19.51	18.09	13.47	14.84	8.69
White pine	B	11.04	8.39	7.76	2.33	1.23	8.25	22.47	21.87	18.77	17.72	17.49	19.10	18.75	17.21	15.27	15.23
Red pine	A	15.07	15.54	15.07	14.56	15.60	22.90	26.39	26.81	25.93	25.56	24.04	25.01	21.13	20.94	20.93	20.12
	B	6.95	7.77	6.95	7.00	7.37	9.78	12.17	12.33	11.88	11.70	11.18	11.51	10.19	10.13	10.13	9.62
Hemlock, cedar	B	2.56	2.24	2.56	1.82	2.24	3.72	4.24	4.32	4.16	4.09	3.80	3.99	3.23	3.19	3.19	3.08
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	0.98	1.07	0.98	1.10	1.23	1.94	2.43	2.49	2.39	2.34	2.14	2.27	1.76	1.73	1.73	1.66
	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	11.26	52.16	62.94	67.63	67.42	53.59	52.68	66.06	55.41	47.84	22.85	26.47
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	B	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	5.27	24.43	29.48	31.68	31.58	25.10	24.67	30.94	25.95	22.41	10.70	12.40
	C	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	2.23	10.34	12.48	13.41	13.36	10.62	10.44	13.09	10.98	9.48	4.53	5.25
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	13.27	51.93	62.66	67.33	56.08	44.58	43.82	54.95	46.09	39.80	26.94	31.21
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	4.09	18.94	22.85	24.56	24.48	19.46	19.13	23.98	20.12	17.37	8.29	9.61
White birch	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.73	8.01	9.67	10.39	10.36	8.23	8.09	10.15	8.51	7.35	3.51	4.07
	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	13.27	51.93	62.66	67.33	56.08	44.58	43.82	54.95	46.09	39.80	26.94	31.21
Sugar maple	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	13.89	19.08	20.31	17.34	12.89	10.73	17.76	13.24	8.15	2.97	7.06
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	6.27	8.61	9.16	7.82	5.81	4.84	8.02	5.98	3.68	1.34	3.18
Other hardwoods	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	12.06	62.03	69.44	65.97	54.66	41.20	44.40	60.34	49.27	40.97	28.17	23.27
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.38	23.59	26.41	25.09	23.77	17.92	15.27	20.75	16.94	14.09	5.56	4.59
Poplar (except poplar / aspen)	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.62	6.13	6.87	6.52	6.18	4.66	3.97	5.40	4.41	3.66	1.45	1.19
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.63	7.58	9.14	9.82	9.79	7.78	7.65	9.59	8.05	6.95	3.32	3.84
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.69	3.21	4.02	4.16	4.14	3.29	3.24	4.06	3.41	2.94	1.40	1.63
	B	2.07	1.94	1.63	2.21	3.38	4.64	6.84	7.35	7.08	6.12	5.15	5.92	5.89	3.57	3.17	4.84
D	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	2.23	4.02	3.88	3.63	2.52	2.29	3.05	2.30	1.68	0.25	0.25	

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		701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709	710	711	712	801	802	803	804
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	21.94	17.92	13.76	15.56	15.99	14.36	13.71	13.12	12.22	12.88	12.08	12.81	10.57	13.19	13.62	11.03
	B	21.94	12.64	10.75	11.93	10.78	7.18	9.88	13.12	10.88	9.09	4.63	6.14	6.15	13.19	13.62	7.70
White pine	B	23.72	23.68	21.98	21.48	21.26	20.59	18.96	18.89	17.48	13.70	12.39	12.75	20.00	20.24	23.53	21.33
Red pine	A	26.86	26.87	24.38	25.48	25.99	24.92	24.39	21.43	20.50	20.17	18.22	19.61	23.48	23.51	22.97	23.50
	B	12.43	12.61	11.87	12.20	12.33	12.02	11.89	10.61	10.33	9.98	9.42	9.76	11.53	11.57	11.47	11.56
Hemlock, cedar	B	4.31	4.29	3.80	4.02	4.11	3.90	3.80	3.20	2.96	2.97	2.46	2.85	3.61	3.63	3.49	3.62
	C	2.48	2.44	2.09	2.24	2.32	2.17	2.09	1.77	1.66	1.63	1.40	1.57	1.98	1.98	1.89	1.98
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	63.04	55.62	56.60	46.34	45.50	39.87	31.40	44.32	16.14	12.72	10.00	10.51	39.42	35.19	59.92	54.41
	B	29.53	26.05	26.51	21.70	21.31	18.67	14.71	20.76	7.56	5.96	2.93	4.92	18.46	16.48	28.06	25.49
	C	12.50	11.02	11.22	9.18	9.02	7.90	6.22	8.78	3.20	2.52	1.24	2.08	7.81	6.97	11.88	10.78
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	66.41	58.82	60.25	41.89	41.14	37.91	34.04	46.59	17.87	14.09	10.00	12.40	38.15	35.34	55.69	50.57
	B	22.89	20.19	20.55	16.82	16.52	14.48	11.40	16.09	5.86	4.62	2.27	3.82	14.31	12.78	21.76	19.76
	C	9.69	8.55	8.70	7.12	6.99	6.13	4.82	6.81	2.48	1.95	0.96	1.62	6.06	5.41	9.21	8.36
White birch	A	66.41	58.82	60.25	41.89	41.14	37.91	34.04	46.59	17.87	14.09	10.00	12.40	38.15	35.34	55.69	50.57
	B	20.85	19.80	19.79	15.56	11.97	11.42	11.55	12.11	1.00	1.67	1.00	3.47	13.04	12.91	17.52	16.48
	C	9.41	8.93	8.93	7.02	5.40	5.15	5.21	5.47	0.50	0.76	0.50	1.56	5.89	5.83	7.91	7.44
Sugar maple	A	74.73	63.99	65.70	40.94	47.36	40.49	30.87	48.91	20.28	16.90	10.00	17.78	38.01	40.76	55.16	48.43
	B	26.30	19.04	18.88	12.33	17.54	14.50	11.06	14.43	5.04	4.20	1.81	3.51	13.50	10.81	19.16	17.21
	C	6.84	4.95	4.91	3.21	4.56	3.77	2.87	3.75	1.31	1.09	0.50	0.91	3.51	2.81	4.98	4.47
Other hardwoods	B	9.16	8.08	8.22	6.73	6.61	5.79	4.56	6.44	2.34	1.85	1.00	1.53	5.72	5.11	8.70	7.90
	C	4.32	3.72	3.48	2.85	2.80	2.45	1.93	2.72	0.99	0.78	0.50	0.65	2.42	2.16	3.68	3.34
	B	5.70	4.98	5.05	4.05	4.30	3.60	3.31	4.85	3.39	3.92	2.93	1.56	5.90	7.02	7.21	6.49
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	4.32	3.72	3.41	1.99	1.12	0.93	0.84	2.35	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	1.67	2.09	3.23	2.57

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		Stumpage (\$/m ³)															
		Zones															
Species	Quality*	805	806	807	808	809	810	811	812	813	814	815	816	817	818	819	820
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	10.60	12.20	15.76	10.64	11.37	13.42	14.41	14.14	15.20	13.58	15.79	16.77	14.29	15.50	19.94	21.32
	B	4.50	9.91	15.76	10.34	8.49	6.46	14.41	11.27	11.23	8.28	12.35	14.57	12.41	14.34	19.41	19.45
White pine	B	19.75	19.36	20.01	20.16	17.64	15.99	20.42	17.00	17.41	11.22	12.62	12.50	15.90	16.99	17.36	12.35
Red pine	A	23.49	22.66	21.87	23.41	22.07	19.75	20.32	18.25	18.56	19.64	18.29	18.15	18.29	17.96	17.10	16.58
	B	11.54	11.35	11.17	11.51	10.96	10.19	10.65	10.14	9.98	10.17	9.71	9.86	10.12	10.03	9.67	9.34
Hemlock, cedar	B	3.62	3.40	3.19	3.60	3.30	2.71	2.76	2.12	2.32	2.68	2.34	2.21	2.15	2.05	1.86	1.81
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.98	1.86	1.74	1.97	1.83	1.56	1.56	1.25	1.40	1.55	1.39	1.36	1.27	1.24	1.21	1.19
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	39.46	38.65	41.38	34.71	27.81	10.00	20.60	18.44	10.26	10.00	10.00	10.00	11.76	17.50	21.57	19.74
	B	18.48	18.10	19.38	16.26	13.02	2.74	9.65	8.63	4.81	1.29	3.14	1.29	5.51	8.20	10.10	9.25
	C	7.82	7.66	8.20	6.88	5.51	1.16	4.08	3.65	2.03	0.65	1.33	0.65	2.33	3.47	4.28	3.91
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	37.52	42.81	45.83	38.44	30.79	10.00	24.29	21.74	12.10	10.00	10.00	10.00	13.87	20.63	25.43	23.27
	B	14.33	14.03	15.03	12.60	10.10	2.13	7.48	6.69	3.73	1.00	2.43	1.00	4.27	6.35	7.83	7.17
	C	6.06	5.94	6.36	5.33	4.27	0.90	3.16	2.83	1.58	0.50	1.03	0.50	1.81	2.69	3.31	3.03
White birch	A	37.52	42.81	45.83	38.44	30.79	10.00	24.29	21.74	12.10	10.00	10.00	10.00	13.87	20.63	25.43	23.27
	B	11.08	8.09	9.57	7.29	4.77	2.12	6.58	2.03	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.32	4.46	3.32
	C	5.00	3.65	4.32	3.29	2.15	0.96	2.97	0.92	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.05	2.01	1.50
Sugar maple	A	37.43	39.05	41.16	30.83	20.57	11.59	25.55	23.43	10.50	10.00	11.08	10.00	14.06	22.19	25.47	10.00
	B	13.40	9.71	10.24	7.67	5.12	2.29	5.04	4.62	2.07	1.00	2.19	1.00	2.77	4.38	5.02	1.20
	C	3.49	2.53	2.66	1.99	1.33	0.59	1.31	1.20	0.54	0.50	0.57	0.50	0.72	1.14	1.31	0.50
Other hardwoods	B	5.73	5.61	6.01	5.04	4.04	1.00	2.99	2.68	1.49	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.71	2.54	3.13	2.87
	C	2.43	2.38	2.54	2.13	1.71	0.50	1.27	1.13	0.63	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.72	1.08	1.33	1.21
	B	4.81	5.84	6.72	5.40	3.35	2.81	5.40	3.67	4.42	3.32	3.96	5.33	4.50	4.75	5.95	5.92
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	1.34	1.57	1.72	0.93	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.30	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25

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		821	822	823	824	825	826	827	828	829	830	831	832	833	834	835	836
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	19.56	15.52	16.82	12.99	17.14	20.06	16.28	17.13	16.94	18.64	21.30	18.57	9.42	15.60	14.87	17.33
	B	15.16	11.62	7.66	11.04	14.55	19.30	16.18	14.24	13.66	12.26	16.19	11.05	6.41	14.22	13.81	17.33
White pine	B	11.82	7.86	1.87	2.07	6.01	10.45	8.29	9.64	10.45	11.57	12.51	10.94	7.48	5.41	4.99	3.72
Red pine	A	16.34	16.82	16.00	14.67	16.11	16.38	15.75	16.11	16.04	16.01	16.53	15.93	14.01	15.48	15.32	14.52
	B	9.00	8.99	8.65	7.38	8.75	9.05	8.42	8.75	8.68	8.78	9.34	8.73	6.77	8.16	8.01	7.25
Hemlock, cedar	B	1.88	2.05	1.81	1.36	1.84	1.88	1.72	1.84	1.82	1.66	1.74	1.62	1.23	1.62	1.58	1.32
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	1.17	1.25	1.16	1.08	1.17	1.17	1.15	1.17	1.17	1.18	1.20	1.22	1.22	1.14	1.12	1.07
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	12.46	19.15	16.53	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.97	5.84	8.97	7.74	1.29	1.29	1.29
	C	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.83	2.47	3.80	3.28	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	14.69	22.57	19.49	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.52	4.52	6.95	6.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.65	1.91	2.94	2.54	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
White birch	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	14.69	22.57	19.49	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.30	4.04	4.25	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.59	1.82	1.92	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Sugar maple	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Other hardwoods	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.81	2.78	2.40	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.77	1.18	1.02	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Poplar	B	5.27	3.60	2.36	2.33	1.77	4.25	2.73	4.32	3.51	4.19	5.12	4.61	2.27	2.30	2.50	3.06
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25

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		837	838	839	840	841	842	901	902	903	904	905	906	907	908	909	910
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	11.49	11.04	7.80	9.48	4.32	7.26	13.61	14.48	13.64	16.09	13.40	16.11	15.54	13.20	12.02	8.10
	B	9.40	9.33	6.86	4.32	4.32	4.32	13.16	11.35	10.83	16.09	13.23	15.93	13.53	13.20	12.02	8.10
	B	1.18	2.89	1.23	1.12	1.00	1.06	1.46	1.52	1.46	1.42	1.29	1.45	1.41	1.23	1.00	1.00
White pine	A	14.33	14.17	13.94	14.15	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.97	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94
	B	7.07	6.92	6.71	6.91	6.71	6.71	6.72	6.82	6.72	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71
Hemlock, cedar	B	1.26	1.14	1.26	1.23	0.51	1.08	1.83	2.06	1.83	1.74	1.55	1.77	1.72	1.46	0.87	0.80
	C	1.05	1.02	1.23	1.12	0.50	1.06	1.46	1.52	1.46	1.42	1.29	1.45	1.41	1.23	0.82	0.78
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	12.53	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	3.85	5.87	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29
	C	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	1.63	2.48	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	14.78	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.98	4.55	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.26	1.93	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
White birch	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	14.78	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Sugar maple	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Other hardwoods	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.19	1.82	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.77	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
	B	1.47	1.63	1.09	1.09	2.10	1.09	4.81	3.54	2.01	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25

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		Stumpage (\$/m ³)																
		Zones																
Species	Quality*	911	912	913	914	915	916	917	918	919	920	921	922	923	924	925	926	999
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	7.51	10.75	6.28	9.33	6.91	5.91	5.51	5.48	5.48	4.49	5.19	4.32	5.54	4.32	4.32	4.32	5.47
	B	6.50	8.92	6.19	6.27	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32	4.32
White pine	B	1.00	1.07	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Red pine	A	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94	13.94
	B	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71	6.71
Hemlock, cedar	B	0.79	1.27	0.79	1.10	0.82	0.65	0.49	0.48	0.48	0.62	0.61	0.51	0.67	0.31	0.31	0.52	0.69
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	0.76	1.07	0.71	0.91	0.72	0.59	0.43	0.42	0.42	0.59	0.58	0.51	0.64	0.31	0.31	0.52	0.68
Oak, cheery, walnut, hickory	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29
	C	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
White birch	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Sugar maple	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Other hardwoods	A	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
	B	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
	C	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
Poplar	B	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09
All hardwoods (except poplar / aspen)	D	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.25

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SCHEDULE II

(s.1)

PRICE INDEXES PER SPECIES, GROUPS OF SPECIES AND QUALITY

Species and groups of species	Quality ¹	Price index ²	Reference price index ³
Fir, spruce, jack pine, tamarack	A	Preserved or treated wood (v1575024)	104,8
	B	Index : Lumber, softwood, Québec (v1575011; 78,4%) Newsprint paper (v1575122; 9,5%) Paper board (v1575150; 3,0%) Woodpulp, sulfate, softwood, domestic (v1575107; 6,0%) Printing and speciality paper (v1575128; 3,1%)	100,0
White pine	B	White pine (Eastern Quotes and Comments)	903
Red pine	A	Preserved or treated wood (v1575024)	104,8
	B	White pine (Eastern Quotes and Comments)	903
Hemlock, cedar	B	Lumber, softwood, Québec (v1575011)	78,2
White pine, red pine, hemlock, cedar	C	Index : Waferboard OSB (Random Lengths; 1,2%) Lumber, softwood, Québec (v1575011; 88,1%) Woodpulp, sulfate, softwood, domestic (v1575107; 10,7%)	100,0
Oak, cherry, walnut, hickory	A	Veneer and plywood, hardwood (v1575039)	119,5
	B, C	Lumber, hardwood, birch (v1575035)	108,5
Yellow birch, ash, basswood, elm	A	Veneer and plywood, hardwood (v1575039)	119,5
	B, C	Lumber, hardwood, birch (v1575035)	108,5
White birch	A	Veneer and plywood, hardwood (v1575039)	119,5
	B, C	Lumber, hardwood, birch (v1575035)	108,5
Sugar maple	A	Veneer and plywood, hardwood (v1575039)	119,5
	B, C	Lumber, hardwood, maple (v1575034)	125,6
Poplar	B	Index :	100,0
		Waferboard OSB (Random Lengths; 75,2%)	
		Pallets (v1575072; 15,5%) Woodpulp, sulphate, hardwood, domestic (v1575105; 9,3%)	
Other hardwoods	B, C	Lumber, hardwood, birch (v1575035)	108,5
All hardwoods except poplar	D	Index : Waferboard OSB (Random Lengths; 23,8%) Lumber, hardwood, birch (v1575035; 10,0%) Woodpulp, sulfate, hardwood, domestic (v1575105, 66,2%)	100,0

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² The source of the price indexes and the relative weight of each are indicated in parentheses. The price indexes from Statistics Canada are indicated according to the Cansim number appearing in catalogue 62-011.

³ The reference price index corresponds to the average of the price indexes calculated between 1 April 2000 and 31 March 2001.