Newsprint Market Price - February 2022 used to determine March 2022 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	Exchange Rate	RISI Newsprint		Price \$CDN	
Ending	\$US/CDN	45g (27.7lbs)		45-g (27.7lbs)	
	(Bank of Canada)*	East	\$US/tonne	Eas	t \$/tonne
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04-Feb-22	1.2705	\$	795	\$	1,010
11-Feb-22	1.2692	\$	795	\$	1,009
18-Feb-22	1.2719	\$	795	\$	1,011
25-Feb-22	1.2760	\$	795	\$	1,014
Average				\$	1,011

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN 45-g (27.7lbs) East \$/tonne" average for the month.

2. Go to the Manitoba timber dues table for newsprint at:

Agriculture and Resource Development | Province of Manitoba

- 3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 45-g (27.7lbs) 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/

** RISI has discontinued price assessments for Newsprint 48.8g/30 lb newsprint as of April 1, 2019. This change is due to the North American newsprint markets' shift toward lighter basis weights.

RISI will continue assessments of 45g/27.7 lb East newsprint. Manitoba will track the commodity 45g/27.7 lb East newsprint .