## Softwood Lumber Market Price - December 2022 used to determine January 2023 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
02-Dec-22	1.3488	\$ 365	\$ 492
09-Dec-22	1.3607	\$ 370	\$ 503
16-Dec-22	1.3619	\$ 360	\$ 490
23-Dec-22	1.3629	\$ 345	\$ 470
30-Dec-22	1.3555	\$ 345	\$ 468
Average			\$ 485

- 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 at:

https://gov.mb.ca/forest/forestry/crown timber/dues/index.html

- 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/