Newsprint Market Price - December 2015 used to determine January 2016 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		Price \$CDN	
Ending	\$US/CDN	Newsprint		30lbs East	
	(Bank of Canada)*	30lbs East		\$/tonne	
		\$US/tonne			
04-Dec-15	1.3365	\$	505	\$	675
11-Dec-15	1.3598	\$	505	\$	687
18-Dec-15	1.3824	\$	505	\$	698
25-Dec-15	1.3906	\$	505	\$	702
Average				\$	690

- 1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN 30lbs East \$/tonne" average for the month.
- 2. Go to Manitoba timber dues table for newsprint: http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/timber-admin/dues_table.html
- 3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 30lbs East \$/tonne" average for the month.
- 4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location
- * Bank of Canada http://www.bankofcanada.ca/rates/exchange/10-year-converter/