Newsprint Market Price - March 2015 used to determine April 2015 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 | |
| 06-Mar-15 | 1.2505 | \$ 570 | \$ 713 |
| 13-Mar-15 | 1.2698 | \$ 570 | \$ 724 |
| 20-Mar-15 | 1.2729 | \$ 570 | \$ 726 |
| 27-Mar-15 | 1.2518 | \$ 570 | \$ 714 |
| Average | | | \$ 719 |

- 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.bank-banque-canada.ca/en/rates/exchform.html