Softwood Lumber Market Price - May 2016 used to determine June 2016 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
06-May-16	1.2778	\$ 301	\$ 385
13-May-16	1.2917	\$ 319	\$ 412
20-May-16	1.299	\$ 325	\$ 422
27-May-16	1.3048	\$ 325	\$ 424
Average			\$ 411

- 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: 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/1000FBM" average for the month.
- 4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location (FMU).
- * Bank of Canada http://www.bankofcanada.ca/rates/exchange/10-year-converter/