

**OSB 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 weekly in *Random Lengths*.

| Week Ending | Exchange Rate \$US/CDN (Bank of Canada)* | Random Lengths North Central 7/16 \$US/1000ft <sup>2</sup> | Price \$CDN 7/16 /1000ft <sup>2</sup> |
|-------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| 06-Mar-15   | 1.2505                                   | \$ 188   | \$ 235                                |
| 13-Mar-15   | 1.2698                                   | \$ 183   | \$ 232                                |
| 20-Mar-15   | 1.2729                                   | \$ 183   | \$ 233                                |
| 27-Mar-15   | 1.2518                                   | \$ 180   | \$ 225                                |
| Average     |  |  | <b>\$ 231</b>                         |

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m<sup>3</sup>) use the "Price \$CDN 7/16 \$/1000ft<sup>2</sup>" average for the month.

2. [Go to the Manitoba timber dues table for OSB:](http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/forestry/timber-admin/dues_table.html)

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3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 7/16 /1000ft<sup>2</sup>" average for the month.

4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location (FMU).

\* [Bank of Canada - http://www.bank-banque-canada.ca/en/rates/exchform.html](http://www.bank-banque-canada.ca/en/rates/exchform.html)