

**Newsprint Market Price - January 2020
used to determine February 2020 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 Ending	Exchange Rate \$US/CDN (Bank of Canada)*	RISI Newsprint 45g (27.7lbs) East \$US/tonne **	Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lb) East \$/tonne
03-Jan-20	1.3007	\$ 676	\$ 879
10-Jan-20	1.3027	\$ 676	\$ 881
17-Jan-20	1.3053	\$ 676	\$ 882
24-Jan-20	1.3104	\$ 676	\$ 886
31-Jan-20	1.3201	\$ 676	\$ 892
Average			\$ 884

1. To determine the Crown Dues Rate (price/m³) use the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lbs) East \$/tonne" average for the month.
2. Go to the Manitoba timber dues table for newsprint at:
[Sustainable Development | Province of Manitoba](#)
3. In the "Market Price" column find the range which includes the "Price \$CDN 48.8-g (30lbs) East \$/tonne" average for the month.
4. Read across the row to determine the Crown Dues Rate for your location

* <http://www.bankofcanada.ca/rates/exchange/currency-converter/>

** RISI has discontinued price assessments for Newsprint 48.8g/30 lb newsprint as of April 1, 2019. This change is due to the North American newsprint markets' shift toward lighter basis weights. RISI will continue assessments of 45g/27.7 lb East newsprint. Manitoba will track the commodity 45g/27.7 lb East newsprint .