

WoodNetwork offers new service facility

WoodNetworks Ltd is a marketing and service facilitation company for the forest and wood products industry and has continued to develop the services and content available on its online platform Woodnet (www.woodnet.co.nz).

Woodnet has been developing over the last two years to provide solutions to many of the marketing and information frustrations that were identified at the NZIF conference last year.

In addition to the business relationships it has developed there are a range of tools available at Woodnet like the *Trade Message Board* where companies can advertise their products and services free of charge and an *Industry Directory* designed to make it easy to find companies and products. This has been designed to allow companies, individuals and organisations to profile and maintain their own information.

Woodnet is committed to providing value to the industry and now that it is established is progressively adding functionality and features.

Available now at Woodnet:

- Trade Message Board
- Industry Directory
- Events Board
- Log Price Information, specification guide and log purchase/sale contract templates available
- Websites services incl. Free Websites and advanced solutions
- Employment Board
- News Articles
- Glossary & Links
- Online Courses

In February Woodnet will have available access to pre-negotiated supply arrangements for items such as fuel, vehicles, chainsaws and much more.

Log Price Summary

MAF notes: Returns to small growers may be lower than those recorded here owing to scale and buyers' margins. These log prices are historical and indicative only, and may not correspond to actual prices paid, or grades used, in market transactions. The prices are subject to changes when further data becomes available. The sources for this information are Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry industry contacts.

December QUARTER As at: January 2002

Generic Log Type & Pricing Point	Dec 2001 Quarter	Dec 2001 12-Quarter Jan
EXPORT (NZ\$ per JAS m³ f.o.b.)		
Pruned	190-234	198
Unpruned A Grade	94-115	114
Unpruned J Grade	89-98	92
Unpruned K Grade	87-100	86
Pulp	65-70	63
DOMESTIC (NZ\$ per tonne delivered at mill)		
P1	164-190	165
P2	106-160	129
S1	77-101	98
S2	69-92	87
L1 and L2	50-78	63
S3 and L3	35-51	39
Pulp	32-42	38

Indicative New Zealand Radiata Pine Log Prices by Quarter

Generic Log Type & Pricing Point	Mar 2000 Quarter	Jun 2001 Quarter	Sept 2001 Quarter	Dec 2001 Quarter
EXPORT (NZ\$ per JAS m³ f.o.b.)				
Pruned	189-220	190-217	144-230	190-234
Unpruned A Grade	117-133	100-127	100-136	94-115
Unpruned J Grade	89-105	78-102	85-94	89-98
Unpruned K Grade	70-97	64-78	84-90	87-100
Pulp	62-79	53-69	56-65	65-70
DOMESTIC (NZ\$ per tonne delivered at mill)				
P1	151-175	162-185	150-175	164-190
P2	103-165	101-143	94-165	106-160
S1	90-107	83-99	83-103	77-101
S2	80-102	70-100	70-93	69-92
L1 and L2	54-85	52-70	55-60	62-80
S3 and L3	57-69	52-80	N/A	50-78
Pulp	35-63	36-57	32-42	35-51

Source: MAF web site: www.maf.govt.nz/Forestry/statistics/logprices/index.html



When experience counts

- The Bell Gully Forestry Team has provided legal advice on major New Zealand forestry transactions over the last two decades.

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