

BC Marine Terminal Operators

Key Players in Canada's Supply Chain



SUPPORTING TRADE FOR CANADIANS

- BC marine terminals move more than **180 million tonnes of cargo annually**, and handle **70% of Canada's container traffic**.
- Approximately **\$290 billion worth of cargo (25% of national trade in goods)** move through BC marine terminals each year.



INVESTING SIGNIFICANTLY IN INFRASTRUCTURE

- **Nearly \$1.6 billion in private sector investments** by BC marine terminal operators in 2020 to ensure capacity for Canadian importers and exports and prepare for anticipated future growth.
- BC marine terminal operators and port users paid an **additional \$8.7 million in Gateway Infrastructure Fee payments** to the Vancouver Fraser Port Authority in 2020 to support additional gateway infrastructure projects.



CONTRIBUTING TO THE PROVINCIAL AND NATIONAL ECONOMY

- Supply chain activity at **Canada's West Coast Ports support more than 96,000 jobs in BC** alone – more than agriculture, forestry, fishing and mining combined.
- BC marine terminal operators **directly employ 9,900 British Columbians**, earning **\$1.1 billion in wages** annually.
- **22,000 jobs nationally are supported** by BC marine terminal operators.
- BC marine terminals contribute **\$2.8 billion in GDP**, and **\$5.2 billion in economic output annually across Canada**.
- In Canada, **1 of every 5 jobs is dependent on exports**.

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EXTENDING THE ECONOMIC IMPACT ACROSS THE REGION

- Of the direct employment by BC marine terminal operators, **84%** is located in the Lower Mainland, **13%** is located in Prince Rupert, and **3%** on Vancouver Island.



GENERATING TAX REVENUES & PORT FEES

- **\$436 million** paid by BC marine terminal operators and employees to all levels of government in 2020.
- Nearly **\$101 million** in port fees and close to **\$107 million** in land lease payments in 2020.



PARTICIPATING ACTIVELY IN COMMUNITY INITIATIVES

- Nearly **\$4.1 million** in donations and investment have been contributed by BC marine terminal operators to local communities from 2019-2020.

