Vegetation Map
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Province of British Columbia
Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

Scale 1:20,000

0 0.25 0.5 0.75 1 Kilometers
0 0.25 0.5 Miles

Vegetation Data Source: MFLNRO - VRMS / Ownership
Base Map Source: TRIM / Terrain

This map is created from information accessed digitally in the BC Geographic Warehouse. The map has been structured to display on a standard 24" x 36" plotter at a scale of 1:20,000. Forest cover polygons, roads, cutblocks and other features on this printed map may not be complete and up to date. Contact BC administrative boundaries and the Cartesian colour frame are for reference purposes only. Digital Terrain Data (DTM).

Labels Projected for: January 1, 2018

MAP SYMBOLOGY

Forest Inventory Features:
- Forest Vegetation Polygons
- Silviculture Opening or Vegetation
- Permanent Sample Plot (VDYP)
- Research Installations

TRIM - Base Features:
- Cut Block Polygons
- Forest Service Road Lines
- Forest Roads
- Rough Roads
- Trails/Cutlines
- Railways
- Air Fields
- Other Area
- Powerline
- Pipeline
- Buildings
- Misc Areas
- Misc Lines
- Water Lines
- Hydrofeatures - ESM
- Watercourses - ESM
- Waterbodies - ESM
- Wetlands - ESM
- Cover - ESM

Administrative Boundaries:
- BC Provincial Boundary
- MFLNRO Region boundary
- Resource District boundary - FADM
- INV. Region Compartment - FADM
- Provincial Forest area - FADM
- Timber Supply Area Block - FADM
- Tree Farm Licenses - FCOM
- Land District boundary
- Administrative boundary
- Survey Parcels - Tantalis
- Municipal boundary (1:1,000,000 list - 10 % labels)
- Municipal boundary (1:1,000,000 list - no labels)
- National Parks
- First Nations
- Provincial Parks
- Ecological Reserves
- Protected Areas
- Recreation Areas

Other:
- BCGS Mapsheet Grid (1:20,000)

VEGETATION LABEL DETAILS

Example of a Vegetation Label:

LINE DESCRIPTION
1 Silviculture symbol and Opening Number
2 Polygon Number and multi-layer stand indicator (L)
3 Species Composition
4 Age, Height, Crown Closure Class Code - separate for each layer
5 Site Index
6 Disturbance History

C/P 1 / 2
ESSFdc1 / 3
Fd 4 / 5
Cw 4 / 5
Hw 4 / 5

Fd - Douglas-fir is the dominant species in the upper layer
4 - age class 4 (81-100 yrs)
5 - height class 5 (22.5-27.4 m)
Fd - Douglas-fir is the dominant species in the lower layer
4 - age class 4 (81-100 yrs)
5 - height class 5 (22.5-27.4 m)
Cw - western redcedar is the second most dominant species in the lower layer
4 - age class 4 (81-100 yrs)
5 - height class 5 (22.5-27.4 m)

Line 1 - Inventory Record Opening Number:

OPEN - opening number valid for BCGS mapsheet
0000 - opening number has not been assigned

Line 2 - Polygon No. / Multi-layer:

VRMS Polygon Number - ranging from one to nine digits
L Multi-layered stand (a separate description of each layer is available in the data base, i.e. 1,2)

Line 3 - BC Tree Code List:

Species Composition: Species are labeled in their order of predominance. Major first Minor in brackets.
The following codes are based on "TREE C, Ministry of Forests Tree Code List" version 4.0 dated January 2009.

NATIVE CONIFERS

CODE	NAME
At	Alaska Yellow-Cedar
C	CYPRESS
Ch	Western Hemlock
Cw	REDCEDAR
Fd	Douglas-fir
Hm	Amabilis Fir
Hw	Western Hemlock
Lw	Western Larch
Pa	Whitebark Pine
Pf	Limber Pine
Pl	Lodgepole Pine
Pli	Lodgepole Pine (interior)
Plc	Lodgepole x Jack Pine hybrid
Pli	Ponderosa Pine (yellow)
Pw	Western White Pine
Py	Western White Pine
Sb	Whitebark Pine
Sw	Black Spruce
Sx	White Spruce
Se	Sitka Spruce
Sxb	Spruce hybrid
Sxe	Engelmann x White
Sxl	Sitka x White
Sxs	White x Unknown hybrid
Yc	Yellow-cedar
Ty	Western Yew

NATIVE HARDWOODS

CODE	NAME
Ac	Black Cottonwood
D	ARBUTUS
E	Trembling Aspen
Ep	ASPEN, COTTONWOOD or POPLAR
Ax	Paper Birch
Act	Black Cottonwood
Ae	Aspen
At	Trembling Aspen
Ax	Paper Birch
B	BIRCH
Bp	Alaska Paper Birch
Bpp	Alaska x Paper Birch hybrid
Bp	Paper Birch (white)
Bpk	Paper Birch
Dr	ALDER
M	MAPLE
Mb	Bigleaf Maple (broadleaf)
Mv	Vine Maple
O	OAK
Gb	Garry Oak
Gbb	Garry Oak
Ep	Balsam Poplar
Ac	Black Cottonwood
Ae	Aspen
At	Trembling Aspen
Ax	Paper Birch
Ep	Balsam Poplar
Act