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BRITISH COLUMBIA
Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

Vegetation Map
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Scale 1:20,000

0 0.25 0.5 0.75 1 Kilometers

0 0.25 0.5 Miles

Vegetation Data Source: MFLNRO - VRIMS / Ownership
Base Map Source: TRIM / Tantalis

This map is created from information stored digitally in the BC Geographic Warehouse. The map has been structured to support the analytical functions of the Ministry of Forests, Lands, and Natural Resource Operations. The information portrayed may not be complete and up to date Cadastral, administrative boundaries and the Ownership colour theme are for reference purposes only. (Legend revisions June 2014)

Labels Projected To: January 1, 2016

MAP SYMBOLOGY

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

TRIM_Base Features:
- 4w Built Roads
- Forest Tenure Road Lines
- Paved Roads
- Rough Roads
- Trails/Cutlines
- Railways
- Air/Ferries
- Other lines
- Powerline
- Pipeline
- Buildings
- Misc Areas
- Misc Lines
- Water Lines
- HydroAreBarriers - EBM
- Watercourses - EBM
- Waterbodies - EBM
- Wetlands - EBM
- Ocean - EBM

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 - FADM
- Land District boundary
- Administrative boundary
- Survey Parcels - Tantalis
- Municipal boundary (= 1,000,000 ha - 15 % hatch)
- Municipal boundary (= 1,000,000 ha) - no hatch)
- 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:

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LINE  DESCRIPTION
      1 Silviculture symbol and Opening Number
      2 Polygon Number and multi-layer stand indicator (L)
      3 Species Composition
        for 'the most dominant layer' is described as Fd (Douglis Fir) and Hw (Western Hemlock).
      4 Age, Height, Crown Closure Class Code - separator  Site Index / estimated SI
        ex: stand is age class 2 (21-40 yrs), height class 1 (0.1-10.4m), crown closure class 1 (6-15%), SI 20m
      5 Vegetated Density Class (or Non-Forest/Productive Descriptor)
        ex: a herb polygon with no distinction between forbs and graminoids, shrubs less that 2m.
      6 Disturbance History & year - ex: Logged in 1978
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Line 1 - History Record Coping Number

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

Line 2 - Polygon No. / Multi-layer

VRIMS 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 "The B.C. Ministry of Forests Tree Code List" version 4.5 dated January 2009.

NATIVE CONIFERS

C	CEDAR
Cw	Western Red Cedar
Cy	Cypress
Yc	Yellow Cedar
F	DOUGLAS FIR
Fd	Douglas Fir
Fdc	Coastal Douglas Fir
Fdi	Interior Douglas Fir
B	BALSAM FIR
Ba	Amabilis Fir
Bg	Grand Fir
Bl	Subalpine Fir (alpine)
H	HEMLOCK
Hm	Mountain Hemlock
Hw	Western Hemlock
Hwm	Mountain x Western Hemlock hybrid
J	JUNIPER
Jr	Rocky Mtn. Juniper
Js	Seaside Juniper
L	LARCH
La	Alpine Larch
Lt	Tamarack
Lw	Western Larch
P	PINE
Pj	Jack Pine
Pl	Lodgepole Pine
Pli	Lodgepole Pine (interior)
Plc	Lodgepole Pine (coastal)
Pla	Lodgepole x Jack Pine hybrid
Pli	Ponderosa Pine (yellow)
Pw	Western White Pine
Pw	Western White Pine
Pw	Whitebark Pine
Py	Yellow Pine
Sb	Black Spruce
Se	Engelmann Spruce
Sit	Sitka Spruce
Sw	White Spruce
Sx	Spruce hybrid
Sxl	Spruce x Lutz White
Sxl	Sitka x White
Sxs	Sitka x unknown hybrid
Y	YEW
Yw	Western Yew

NATIVE HARDWOODS

D	ALDER
Dr	Red Alder
Du	Sitka Alder
Up	Pacific Crab Apple
A	ASPEN, COTTONWOOD or POPLAR
At	Trembling Aspen
Ab	Balsam Poplar
Act	Black Cottonwood
Ad	Black Cottonwood
Ax	hybrid Poplars
At	Trembling Aspen
R	ARBUTUS
Ra	Arbutus
B	BIRCH
Ea	Alaska Paper Birch
Eag	Alaska x Paper Birch hybrid
Ep	Paper Birch (white)
Epg	Paper Birch
K	CASCARA
Kc	Cascara
V	WILLOW
Vb	Bitter Cherry
Vv	Choke Cherry
G	DOGWOOD
G	DOGWOOD
Gp	Pacific Dogwood (western flowering)
M	MAPLE
Mb	Bigleaf Maple (broadleaf)
Mv	Vine Maple
Q	OAK
Qg	Garry Oak
W	WILLOW
Wb	Bebb's Willow
Wp	Pacific Willow
Wpb	Pacific Willow (Bertille'X)
Wrf	Pussy Willow (grey-leaved)
Wrs	Scouler's Willow
Wf	Sitka Willow (tea-leaved)

UNKNOWN - OTHER

X	UNKNOWN
Xc	unknown conifer
Xh	unknown hardwood
Xl	unknown (not on list)
Zl	other conifer
Zh	other hardwood

EXOTICS

Ue	APPLE
Ue	ASPEN, COTTONWOOD or POPLAR
Ae	*Southern Cottonwood
	BIRCH
Ep	*European Birch
Es	*Silver Birch (swamp)
Ey	*Yellow Birch
	CHERRY
Cw	*Sweet Cherry
Y	WILLOW
	*Fruit Clifford Cedar
	FIR (Balsam)
Bl	*Balsam Fir
Bn	Noble Fir
Bm	*Shasta Red Fir
Bp	*Grand Fir
	LARCH
Le	*Siberian Larch
Lk	*European Larch
	MAPLE
Mi	Box Elder
Mp	*Norway Maple
Mr	*Sycamore Maple
	OAK
Qb	*Bur Oak
Qe	White Oak
	OTHER EXOTICS
Ce	*Incense Cedar
Qs	*Giant Sequoia
Ot	*Monterey Cypress
Ou	European Mountain Ash
Os	Siberian Elm (southern)
Ou	*Common Ash
Og	Oregon Ash
Ow	*White Ash
Ol	*Russian Olive/ Autumn
Ot	Tree-of-heaven
Oj	Japanese Walnut
	PINE
Pn	*Norway Pine
Pp	*Red Pine
Ps	*Scots Pine
	SPRUCE
Se	*Norway Spruce

Line 4

4a AGE CLASS

CODE	LIMITS (years)
1	1-20
2	21-40
3	41-60
4	61-80
5	81-100
6	101-120
7	121-140
8	141-250
9	251 +

4b HEIGHT CLASS

CODE	LIMITS (metres)
1	0.1 - 10.4
2	10.5 - 19.4
3	19.5 - 28.4
4	28.5 - 37.4
5	37.5 - 45.4
6	46.5 - 55.4
7	55.5 - 64.4
8	65.5 +

4c CROWN CLOSURE CLASS

CODE	LIMITS (percentage)
0	0 - 5
1	6 - 15
2	16 - 25
3	26 - 35
4	36 - 45
5	46 - 55
6	56 - 65
7	66 - 75
8	76 - 85
9	86 - 100

4d SITE INDEX

SI 50 are shown to the nearest metre referenced at 50 years Breast Height Age. SI is based on the age and height of the tallest trees in the polygon. Site index is estimated from stand age and height, estimated SI is shown after, or replaces the SI.

4e ESTIMATED SITE INDEX

SI is estimated when suitable SI trees arenot present, e.g. young stands (<30yrs). It is denoted by a slash which always precedes the estimated site index. Codes are inventory Type Group and SI Estimated source code.

Line 5 Vegetation records

VEGETATED NON-TREE CATEGORIES (for V and I records)

NON-TREED SHRUB
- sl SHRUB TALL - shrub with average shrub height > or = to two metres.
- ss SHRUBS LOW - shrub with average shrub height < two metres.

NON-TREED HERB
- h HERB - herb with no distinction between forbs and graminoids.
- hf HERB - FORBS - herb with forbs > 50% of the herb cover.
- hg HERB - GRAMINOIDS - herb with garminoids > 50% of the herb cover.

NON-TREED BRYOID
- by BRYOIDS - bryoid with no distinction between mosses and lichens by cover.
- bm BRYOID - MOSS - bryoid with moss > 50% of the bryoid cover.
- bl BRYOID - LICHENS - bryoid with lichens > 50% of the bryoid cover.

NON VEGETATED
- ve Exposed Land
- vr Rock / Rubble
- vs Snow / Ice

NON-VEGETATED CATEGORIES (for V and I records)

ap	AIRPORT	gp	GRAVEL PIT	mb	MUDFLAT SEDIMENT
be	BEACH	la	LAKE	mc	RUBBLY MINE SPOILS
bl	BLOCKFIELD	lb	LAVA BED	mi	MINE SEDIMENTS
bu	BUILDING	lk	LANDING	ro	ROAD SURFACE
bz	BURNED AREA	ls	SEDIMENT IN LAKE SEDIMENTS	sn	SNOW COVER
cl	CUTBANK	rn	OPEN PIT MINE	re	RESERVOIR
es	EXPOSED SOILS	rm	MORAINE	r	RIVER / STREAM
gl	GLACIER				

NON VEGETATED
- ta TALUS
- tp TAILINGS
- u URBAN

Note: Water categories (la, ou, re, r) not labelled over 50 percent coverage.

NON-FOREST / NON-PRODUCTIVE DESCRIPTOR CODES (for E records)

AF	AGRICULTURAL FIELD	NPBR	NON PRODUCTIVE BRUSH	SAND	SAND
AP	ALPINE (FOREST ttpecies	NPBU	NON PRODUCTIVE BRUSH	TIDE	TIDAL FLAT
C	CULTIVATED	NPBU	NON PRODUCTIVE BURN	U	URBAN
CL	CLEARING	NPF	NON PRODUCTIVE FOREST ttpecies		
G	GRASSLAND	NTA	NO TYPING AVAILABLE	NC	NON COMMERCIAL
GR	GRAVEL PIT	OR	OPEN RANGE	NCBR	NON COMMERCIAL BRUSH
ICE	ICEFIELD	P	NATIVE	NP	NON PRODUCTIVE
M	MEADOW	R	ROCK	NSR	NOT SUFFICIENTLY RESTOCKED
MUD	MUDFLAT	S	SWAMP	NTA	NO TYPING AVAILABLE

Line 6 - Disturbance History

Disturbance type code proceeded by symbol, followed by earliest date
First character of disturbance type designates category, refer to official code list for sub-category descriptions.

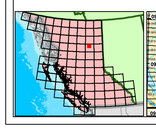
A	Animal Damage	L	Logging
B	Wildfire	M	Mite Damage
C	Cone and Seed Insects	N	Non-Biological Injuries
D	Diseases	P	Cone and Seedling Fungal Pathogens
I	Insects		
R	Site Rehabilitation		
T	Treatment Injuries		
U	Damage Unknown		
V	Problem Vegetation		

Example Opening History Details

Detailed Silviculture information is available on the BCGW utilizing either IMF or ArcMap. The MapView example is of themed RESULTS data.

The Ministry of Forests, Mines and Lands web application MAPVIEW is available to view this type of detailed information. Select the SILVICULTURE tab then click on "Display Silviculture Map" to turn on display values for -

- OPENING
- OPENING LABELS
- ACTIVITY TREATMENT ACTIVITY
- ACTIVITY TREATMENT UNIT
- STANDARDS UNIT
- SILVICULTURE FOREST COVER
- WILDLIFE TREE PATCH



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Overflow Labels

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