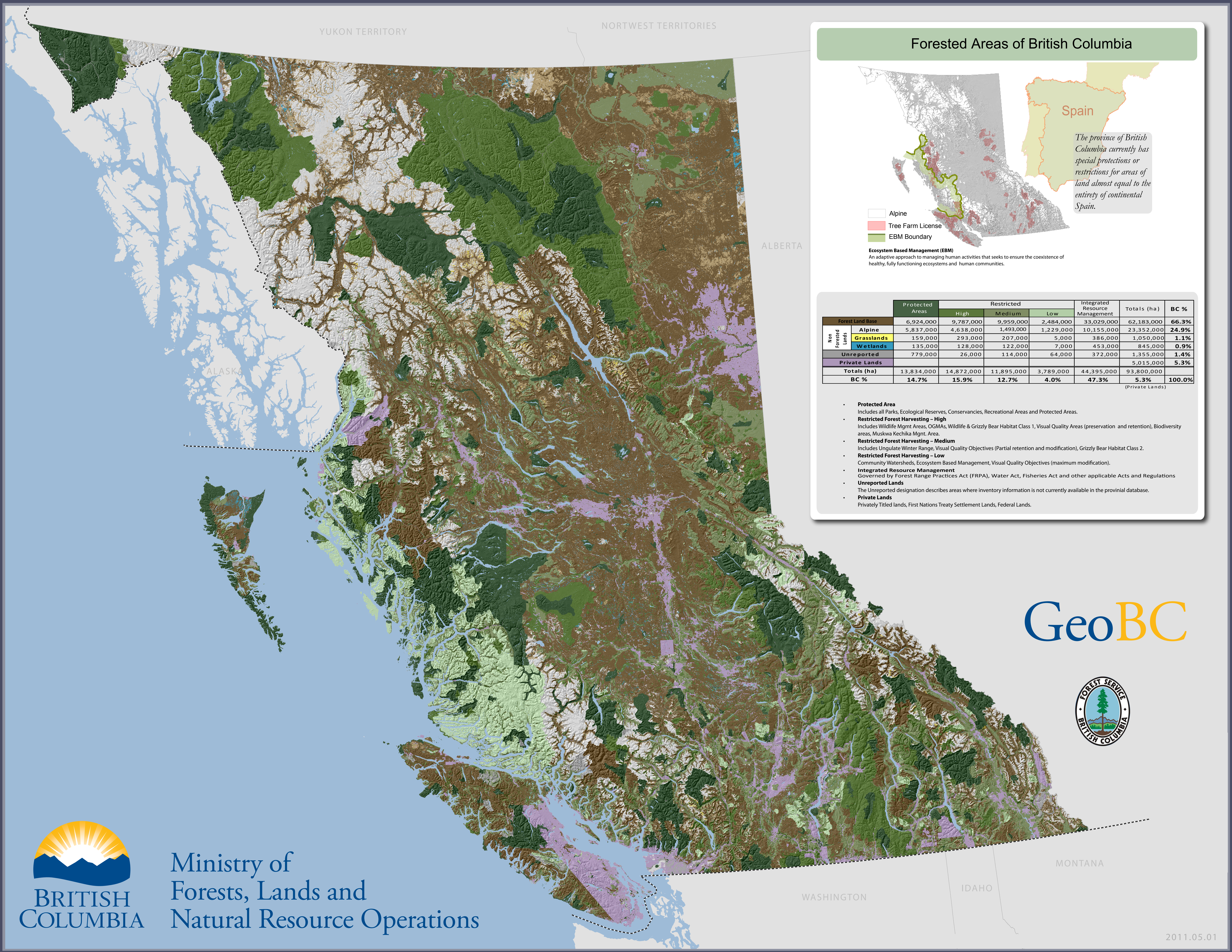
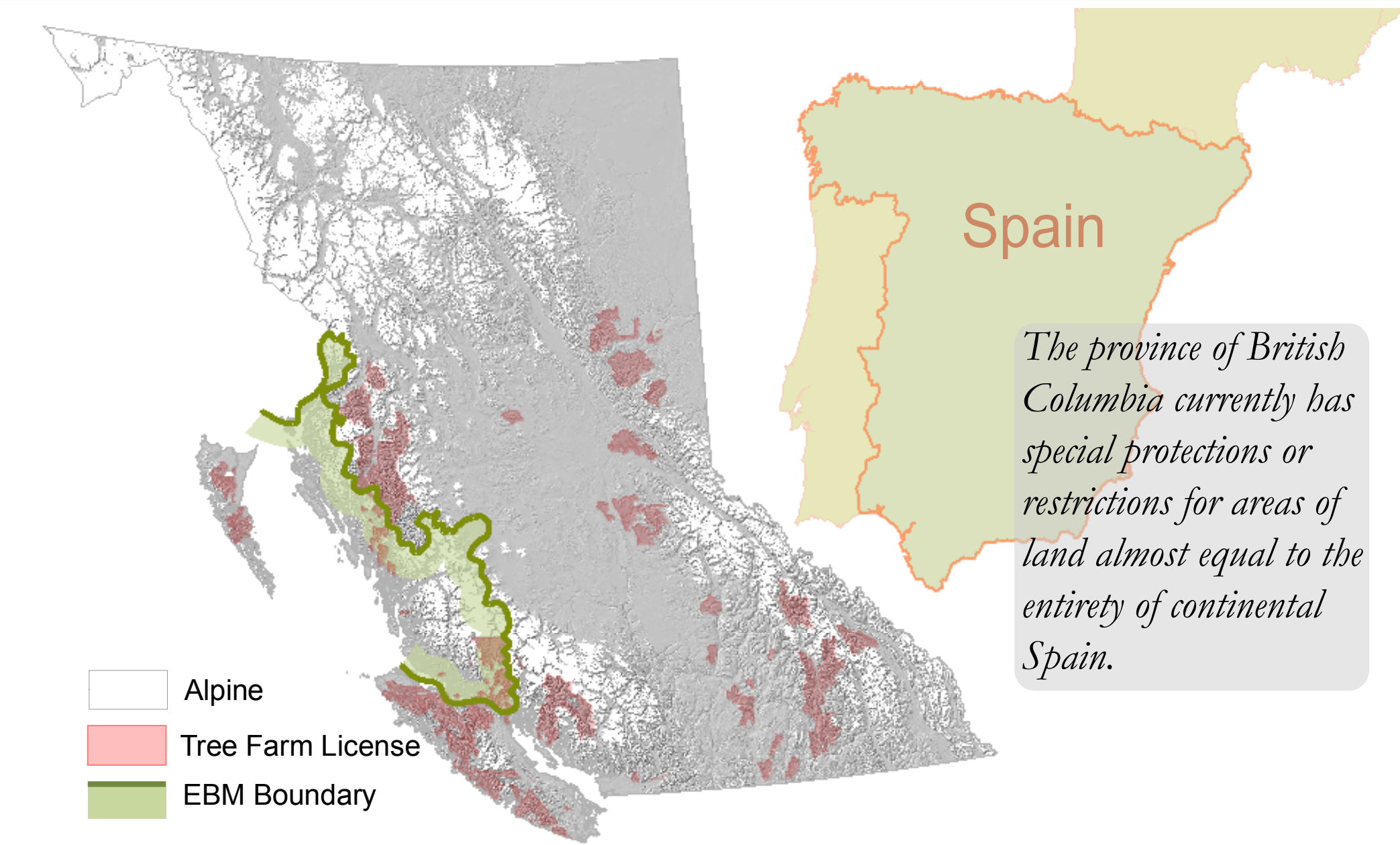




Forested Areas of British Columbia



- Alpine
- Tree Farm License
- EBM Boundary

Ecosystem Based Management (EBM)
An adaptive approach to managing human activities that seeks to ensure the coexistence of healthy, fully functioning ecosystems and human communities.

		Protected Areas	Restricted			Integrated Resource Management	Totals (ha)	BC %
			High	Medium	Low			
Non Forested Lands	Forest Land Base	6,924,000	9,787,000	9,959,000	2,484,000	33,029,000	62,183,000	66.3%
	Alpine	5,837,000	4,638,000	1,493,000	1,229,000	10,155,000	23,352,000	24.9%
	Grasslands	159,000	293,000	207,000	5,000	386,000	1,050,000	1.1%
	Wetlands	135,000	128,000	122,000	7,000	453,000	845,000	0.9%
	Unreported	779,000	26,000	114,000	64,000	372,000	1,355,000	1.4%
Private Lands							5,015,000	5.3%
Totals (ha)		13,834,000	14,872,000	11,895,000	3,789,000	44,395,000	93,800,000	
BC %		14.7%	15.9%	12.7%	4.0%	47.3%	5.3%	100.0%

- Protected Area**
Includes all Parks, Ecological Reserves, Conservancies, Recreational Areas and Protected Areas.
- Restricted Forest Harvesting – High**
Includes Wildlife Mgmt Areas, OGMA's, Wildlife & Grizzly Bear Habitat Class 1, Visual Quality Areas (preservation and retention), Biodiversity areas, Muskwa Kechika Mgmt. Area.
- Restricted Forest Harvesting – Medium**
Includes Ungulate Winter Range, Visual Quality Objectives (Partial retention and modification), Grizzly Bear Habitat Class 2.
- Restricted Forest Harvesting – Low**
Community Watersheds, Ecosystem Based Management, Visual Quality Objectives (maximum modification).
- Integrated Resource Management**
Governed by Forest Range Practices Act (FRPA), Water Act, Fisheries Act and other applicable Acts and Regulations
- Unreported Lands**
The Unreported designation describes areas where inventory information is not currently available in the provincial database.
- Private Lands**
Privately Titled lands, First Nations Treaty Settlement Lands, Federal Lands.

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