

Forest Tenures Issued to First Nations in B.C.

1st Quarter Report (April 1, 2012)

Report Date: June 5, 2012

Table 1a - Issued^a Direct Award and Competitive Forest Tenures

Forest Region	Type of Tenure ^{1,2}	Volume Based Forest Tenure Allowable Annual Cut (AAC) - m ³ /yr.			Area Based Forest Tenure AAC - m ³ /yr.				Total AAC Awarded (m ³ /yr.)
		Replaceable (Conventional) AAC ³	Non Replaceable AAC (uplifts, undercuts, etc.) ⁴	SBFEP ⁵	First Nations Woodland Licences (FNWL)	Woodlot	CFA	TFL ⁶	
Coast	Competitive	143,742	149,939	59,782	0	23,738	186,906	306,426	870,533
	Direct Award	980,105	633,700	0	69,883	75,543	54,992	0	1,814,223
North	Competitive	1,141,864	296,808	338,255	0	16,453	346,883	319,332	2,459,595
	Direct Award	205,278	2,146,883	0	0	0	40,000	0	2,392,161
South	Competitive	106,987	1,246,021	84,165	0	37,380	100,000	0	1,574,553
	Direct Award	512,898	2,986,999	0	0	14,352	100,790	0	3,615,039
Totals	Competitive	1,392,593	1,692,768	482,202	0	77,571	633,789	625,758	4,904,681
	Direct Award	1,698,281	5,767,582	0	69,883	89,895	195,782	0	7,821,423
Total									12,726,104

Table 1b - Interim Measures Agreement Signed, pending award of the forest tenure

		Replaceable AAC ³	Non Replaceable AAC ⁴	SBFEP ⁵	FNWL	Woodlot	CFA	TFL ⁶	
Coast	Direct Award	253,791	102,077	0	0	12,450	0	0	368,318
North	Direct Award	108,154	948,408	0	0	0	0	0	1,056,562
South	Direct Award	14,300	444,446	0	0	1,600	0	0	460,346
Totals	Direct Award	376,245	1,494,931	-	0	14,050	0	-	1,885,226

Table 1c - Direct Award Tenure and Billing Information:

Region	"Issued" Direct Award Tenures		"Completed" Direct Award Tenures		Total	
	Awarded Volume (m3)	Harvested ⁷ Volume (m3)	Awarded Volume (m3)	Harvested ⁷ Volume (m3)	Awarded Volume (m3)	Harvested ⁷ Volume (m3)
Coast	10,842,696	4,533,592	20,817	20,118	10,863,513	4,553,710
North	10,544,071	3,171,107	2,662,664	2,742,883	13,206,735	5,913,990
South	22,394,821	6,988,774	1,312,918	858,452	23,707,739	7,847,225
Total	43,781,588	14,693,473	3,996,399	3,621,453	47,777,987	18,314,926

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Table 1d- AACs Held by First Nations Relative to Provincial AACs

Forest Region	TSA AACs (m ³ /yr.) ⁹	Issued TFL AACs (m ³ /yr.) ¹⁰	Issued CFA AACs (m ³ /yr.) ¹¹	Issued Woodlot Licence AACs (m ³ /yr.) ¹²	Issued First Nation Woodland AACs (m ³ /yr.) ¹³	Total AACs (m ³ /yr.)	Total AACs Held by First Nations (m ³ /yr.) by type of Tenure ⁸		Percentage AAC Held by First Nations (%)
Coast	8,817,759	8,490,826	345,454	290,008	69,883	18,013,930	Competitive	870,533	4.8%
							Direct Award	1,814,223	10.1%
							Total Coast	2,684,756	14.9%
North	29,935,504	1,955,059	725,968	832,734	0	33,449,265	Competitive	2,459,595	7.4%
							Direct Award	2,392,161	7.2%
							Total North	4,851,756	14.5%
South	26,478,570	2,826,014	627,093	557,209	0	30,488,886	Competitive	1,574,553	5.2%
							Direct Award	3,615,039	11.9%
							Total South	5,189,592	17.0%
Totals	65,231,833	13,271,899	1,698,515	1,679,951	69,883	81,952,081	Competitive	4,904,681	6.0%
							Direct Award	7,821,423	9.5%
							Total Province	12,726,104	15.5%

Notes:

Report Completed by First Nations Relations Branch Staff, Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations.

Data assumed accurate to best of authors' ability and known facts.

^a - Licence status indicated as "HA" and "HI" in Forest Tenure Administration (FTA) System

¹ - Includes Woodlot Licences, Forest Licences, BCTS and other *Forest Act* tenures awarded through a competitive process

² - Includes Forest Tenures Issued pursuant to Section 47.3 of the *Forest Act*.

³ - Includes replaceable AAC purchased by government during Forest Revitalization (Bill 28) plus other sources of replaceable AAC

⁴ - Includes volume based licences with AAC from mountain pine beetle uplifts, fire salvage, or unused volume sources.

⁵ - Includes Section 21 TSLs and Section 13 NRFL tenures awarded from SBFEF program now managed by BC Timber Sales (BCTS)

⁶ - TFLs issued to First Nations as a result of tenure acquisitions.

⁷ - Total volume billed from "direct award" issued licences (Table 1a) from licence issuance to September 30, 2011 - total m3, not AAC

⁸ - From Table 1a on page 1

⁹ - Most recent AAC determined by the Chief Forester for Timber Supply Areas: <http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/hts/aactsa.htm>

¹⁰ - Most recent approved AAC for each TFL: <http://www.for.gov.bc.ca/hts/tfls.htm>. Note: TFL 54 and 57 have area based AACs which have been converted within this table based on advice from Forest Analysis Branch staff.

¹¹ - AACs approved for each CFA by the District Manager or Regional Manager. Data obtained from Forest Tenure Administration (FTA) system.

¹² - AACs approved for each Woodlot Licence by the District Manager or Regional Manager. Data obtained from Forest Tenure Administration (FTA) system.

¹³ - AACs approved for each FNWL by the District Manager or Regional Manager. Data obtained from Forest Tenure Administration (FTA) system.