

Table 14.2. Area (1000 ha) of forest land by species group, age class and boreal zone in Canada.

Boreal zone	Species group	Age (years)											Total		
		1-20	21-40	41-60	61-80	81-100	101-120	121-140	141-160	161-180	181-200	201+		Other ¹	
Non-boreal	Spruce	1 060.88	1 783.77	2 094.10	2 284.48	1 850.47	932.66	1 272.58	765.69	429.88	353.93	1 832.59	0.06	14 661.10	
	Pine	1 614.64	1 759.85	1 004.66	1 531.69	2 340.89	1 517.53	1 311.63	770.71	341.82	241.36	583.53	0.00	13 018.30	
	Fir	551.57	1 464.09	1 683.18	1 320.88	1 049.90	592.19	570.25	680.09	659.57	616.65	3 402.32	0.00	12 590.69	
	Maple	269.13	704.59	2 446.45	2 716.86	2 287.06	538.96	71.77	24.13	20.74	0.00	1.43	0.17	9 081.30	
	Poplar	892.65	1 744.63	1 590.00	1 485.27	1 082.35	401.46	196.70	101.49	12.19	13.08	28.10	0.00	7 547.92	
	Hemlock	213.93	368.53	387.12	286.09	330.65	185.16	202.04	121.59	164.72	112.47	3 599.91	0.00	5 972.21	
	Birch	330.19	1 037.31	1 279.54	1 218.13	1 381.55	442.58	60.59	32.24	0.99	0.88	1.71	0.00	5 785.73	
	Douglas-fir	193.97	213.38	382.55	421.45	665.65	817.73	860.02	688.78	271.98	216.19	909.23	0.00	5 640.93	
	Unclassified	40.99	53.79	1.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4 281.19	4 377.07	
	Cedar & other conifers	80.88	185.55	325.53	263.67	278.44	171.57	71.64	63.68	71.30	132.00	2 075.21	0.00	3 719.48	
	Other hardwoods	42.15	210.36	384.96	387.84	212.62	53.28	10.70	3.90	0.19	2.63	12.65	0.00	1 321.29	
	Unspecified conifers	632.38	369.21	94.51	34.85	6.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.26	1 140.05	
	Unspecified hardwoods	568.48	198.91	121.46	25.25	47.80	2.26	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	964.72	
	Larch	52.41	72.69	130.11	143.71	153.26	110.33	98.35	42.62	21.61	13.07	66.60	0.00	904.75	
Subtotal		6 544.26	10 166.66	11 925.26	12 120.16	11 687.48	5 765.72	4 726.77	3 294.92	1 995.00	1 702.26	12 513.28	4 283.75	86 725.53	
Boreal	Spruce	2 406.81	10 828.92	19 330.44	23 663.62	26 015.42	42 892.14	36 354.66	11 031.64	1 653.65	355.83	2 122.50	66.50	176 722.12	
	Poplar	3 431.78	3 834.70	4 479.36	8 289.15	7 435.05	3 093.05	1 027.67	313.75	42.28	14.73	27.48	0.74	31 989.71	
	Pine	4 502.42	6 920.92	4 627.69	4 834.45	3 044.44	2 077.12	1 386.18	629.40	261.85	45.32	218.45	4.31	28 552.55	
	Unclassified	87.23	38.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12 814.62	12 939.91	
	Fir	316.77	1 455.53	1 588.16	1 468.27	2 341.78	1 058.39	1 038.02	566.53	439.23	187.56	1 186.14	4.43	11 650.82	
	Larch	409.19	1 099.97	1 812.35	1 888.76	1 558.74	1 053.60	504.28	322.03	53.79	18.00	21.94	14.59	8 757.24	
	Birch	1 173.93	1 667.81	1 884.96	1 577.06	973.27	1 075.40	99.07	19.34	3.42	2.84	5.26	2.56	8 484.92	
	Unspecified conifers	1 827.05	1 277.70	168.27	25.58	1.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.24	3 301.64	
	Unspecified hardwoods	683.96	173.04	5.89	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	863.42	
	Maple	7.04	40.59	129.33	177.66	64.17	1.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	419.92	
	Other hardwoods	21.41	35.52	61.82	59.51	66.97	52.22	6.11	5.96	1.73	0.52	0.00	4.35	316.11	
	Cedar & other conifers	1.62	6.54	30.17	53.36	67.47	77.45	45.23	20.06	10.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	312.44	
	Subtotal		14 869.20	27 379.29	34 118.43	42 037.79	41 569.10	51 380.50	40 461.36	12 908.71	2 466.52	624.80	3 581.78	12 913.33	284 310.80
	Canada	Spruce	3 467.69	12 612.69	21 424.55	25 948.10	27 865.89	43 824.80	37 627.24	11 797.33	2 083.53	709.76	3 955.09	66.56	191 383.22
Pine		6 117.06	8 680.77	5 632.35	6 366.14	5 385.33	3 594.65	2 697.80	1 400.11	603.68	286.68	801.97	4.31	41 570.85	
Poplar		4 324.43	5 579.33	6 069.35	9 774.41	8 517.40	3 494.50	1 224.37	415.24	54.47	27.81	55.58	0.74	39 537.63	
Fir		868.34	2 919.62	3 271.34	2 789.16	3 391.68	1 650.58	1 608.27	1 246.62	1 098.80	804.21	4 588.47	4.43	24 241.52	
Unclassified		128.23	91.84	1.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	17 095.81	17 316.97	
Birch		1 504.12	2 705.11	3 164.50	2 795.19	2 354.82	1 517.99	159.67	51.58	4.41	3.72	6.97	2.56	14 270.65	
Larch		461.60	1 172.66	1 942.46	2 032.47	1 711.99	1 163.93	602.63	364.64	75.40	31.07	88.54	14.59	9 661.98	
Maple		276.18	745.18	2 575.77	2 894.52	2 351.24	540.09	71.77	24.13	20.74	0.00	1.43	0.17	9 501.22	
Hemlock		213.93	368.53	387.12	286.09	330.65	185.16	202.04	121.59	164.72	112.47	3 599.91	0.00	5 972.21	
Douglas-fir		193.97	213.38	382.55	421.45	665.65	817.73	860.02	688.78	271.98	216.19	909.23	0.00	5 640.93	
Unspecified conifers		2 459.43	1 646.91	262.78	60.43	8.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.50	4 441.69	
Cedar & other conifers		82.50	192.09	355.70	317.02	345.91	249.02	116.87	83.74	81.86	132.00	2 075.21	0.00	4 031.92	
Unspecified hardwoods		1 252.44	371.95	127.35	25.63	47.80	2.26	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	1 828.14	
Other hardwoods		63.55	245.88	446.77	447.35	279.59	105.50	16.81	9.86	1.93	3.15	12.65	4.35	1 637.39	
Total		21 413.45	37 545.95	46 043.69	54 157.95	53 256.58	57 146.22	45 188.12	16 203.63	4 461.52	2 327.06	16 095.06	17 197.08	371 036.32	

Source: Canada's National Forest Inventory, combined remeasured (2007-2017) and projected (2006-2017 with NFI projection system) data (Version 2, November 2022) (<http://nfi.nfis.org>)

Note: The Non-boreal zone in the Arctic ecozones (Arctic Cordillera, Northern Arctic, Southern Arctic) are not inventoried. The total land and water area amounts to approximately 252,202.08 thousand ha.

¹ Missing or unknown age class.