

Table 21.1. Area (1000 ha) of land by land use and terrestrial ecozone in Canada.

Terrestrial ecozone	Land Use										Total
	Industrial	Forestry	Agriculture	Conservation	Infrastructure	Settlement	Recreation	National Defence	Unknown	Other ¹	
Taiga Plains	6.09	5 715.14	6.74	1 634.98	10.09	3.96	40.01	0.00	49 330.13	0.00	56 747.13
Taiga Shield	156.44	50 136.03	0.00	7 500.57	32.37	26.40	251.70	365.64	51 482.31	0.00	109 951.45
Boreal Shield	1 486.45	116 088.49	1 096.33	31 287.49	1 985.19	1 205.62	4 966.83	373.17	5 332.35	0.00	163 821.92
Atlantic Maritime	55.09	14 728.84	1 446.99	1 699.73	535.44	290.54	238.00	71.99	573.70	0.00	19 640.33
Mixedwood Plains	46.78	3 397.04	5 923.74	368.01	591.61	593.59	49.72	2.34	42.13	0.00	11 014.97
Boreal Plains	724.90	39 514.51	12 750.12	7 181.13	409.08	998.95	71.41	1 054.47	4 413.54	0.00	67 118.11
Prairies	740.33	1 355.87	37 663.51	1 759.89	414.05	932.19	10.40	403.87	1 316.96	0.00	44 597.06
Taiga Cordillera	4.81	0.00	0.00	2 799.85	2.82	0.00	407.49	0.00	23 220.96	0.00	26 435.93
Boreal Cordillera	192.10	608.29	5 996.24	6 620.29	60.30	46.51	161.39	0.00	32 261.44	0.00	45 946.56
Pacific Maritime	4.67	3 859.50	1 396.99	3 093.83	47.48	78.75	433.51	0.00	11 433.15	0.00	20 347.88
Montane Cordillera	48.19	15 896.00	5 409.15	9 869.47	97.76	67.99	1 177.33	0.00	14 918.97	0.00	47 484.85
Hudson Plains	31.20	12 949.62	1.29	21 015.10	14.83	194.17	0.00	0.00	346.19	0.00	34 552.40
Canada	3 497.05	264 249.33	71 691.10	94 830.34	4 201.03	4 438.66	7 807.78	2 271.48	194 671.82	0.00	647 658.59

Source: Canada's National Forest Inventory, combined re-measured (2007-2017) and projected (2006-2017 with NFI projection system) data (Version 1, July 2021) (<http://nfi.nfis.org>)

Note: The Arctic ecozones (Arctic Cordillera, Northern Arctic, Southern Arctic), and the Taiga Plains and Hudson Plains ecozones located in Nunavut, are not inventoried. These non-inventoried areas total 262,189.89 thousand ha.

¹ Missing, unknown or other land uses.