



Canada's Resource Champion



Port of Vancouver Vancouver, British Columbia

Port of Vancouver is the third largest tonnage port in North America, offering 28 major marine cargo terminals, three Class 1 railroads, and a full range of facilities and services to the international shipping community. As the most diversified port in North America, Port of Vancouver operates across five business sectors: automobiles, breakbulk, bulk, container and cruise. The port facilitates trade with more than 160 world economies. Port of Vancouver is Canada's largest gateway, handling 19 per cent of the value of Canada's total trade in goods.

Reason for nomination: Despite being Canada's largest and most diversified port, PMV strives to be as sustainable as possible, incentivizing shippers to be more environmentally friendly and participating in many networks including the Northwest Ports Clean Air Strategy. PMV also encourages biodiversity, adhering to the Species at Risk Act, and participating in the Enhancing Cetacean Habitat and Observation Program. Through its Aboriginal Engagement Strategy, PMV regularly consults with First Nations on decisions that affect their land, and it supports Aboriginal business opportunities, as well as Aboriginal initiatives in relation to PMV activities. PMV makes a significant contribution to its operations by attempting to be one of the most sustainable ports in the world.

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