

CANADIAN RECREATIONAL BOATING STATISTICS

59% of boat owners have a household income of less than \$100K

adult Canadians participated in recreational boating in 2015

of boats in Canada are under 26 feet and towable

B.G.W. estimated recreational boats in Canada

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TOPLINE ECONOMIC & DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS

\$5.68 GDP Impact

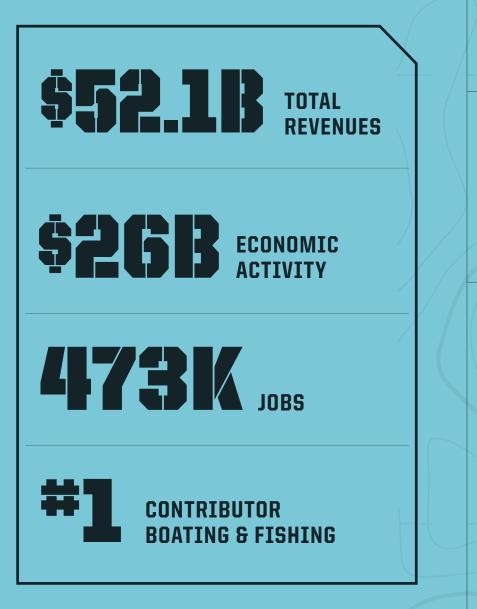
\$1013 Total Revenue

75,434 Jobs

Businesses

Propelling the Canadian Economy Forward

Outdoor Recreation Drives Canada's Economy



The collective outdoor recreation industry is conservatively estimated to produce \$26 billion in economic activity for Canada each year, generating an estimated 472,713 direct jobs, \$7.1 billion in taxes and \$52.1 billion in total revenues.

Canada's mounting multi-billion-dollar deferred maintenance and repair backlog at national and provincial parks negatively impacts local communities, visitor access and enjoyment, and safety on public lands and waters.







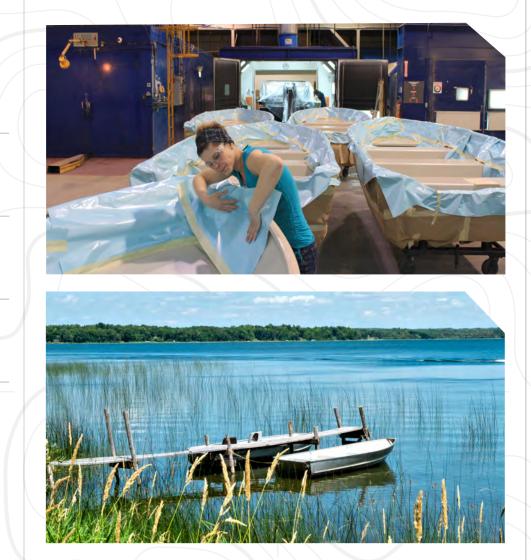
STRENGTHENING RECREATIONAL BOATING BUSINESS

Robust Canadian Manufacturing

Support tax and fiscal policies that promote competitiveness, investment, innovation, and job creation

Provide economic relief to small and mid-sized businesses to keep workers on payroll and sustain operations during the COVID-19 pandemic

Address the marine industry workforce shortage by supporting technical, vocational, and apprenticeship programs





Conservation, Environment, and Climate Change

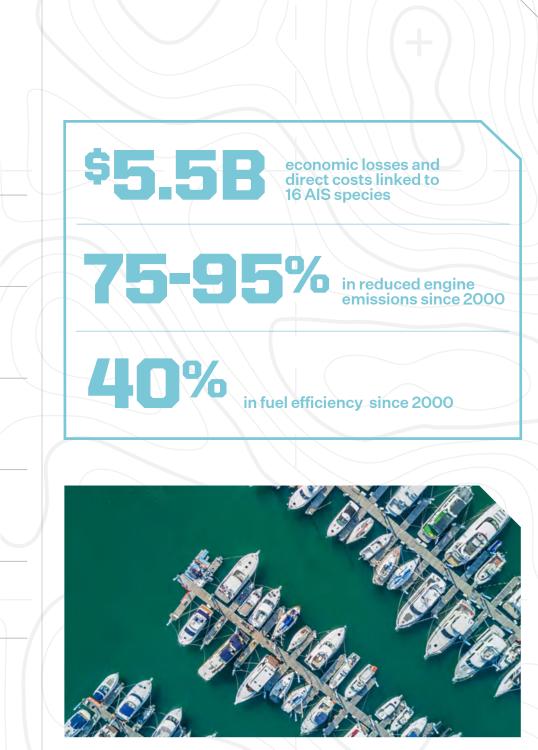
Stop and reverse the spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS) through enhanced public funding and federal-provincial coordination

Address water quality needs and the impacts of harmful algae blooms on marine ecosystems and surrounding communities

Secure increased funding for federal Great Lakes Protection Initiative to prevent AIS, reduce nutrient runoff, and restore natural habitat

Ensure a robust supply of lower-biofuel blends (e.g. E10) and raise consumer awareness on the damaging effects of E15 on boat and other engines

In harmony with the United States, impose a federal ban on the use of E15 in marine engines





Recreational Fishing

Support reasonable and responsible access to recreational sportfish, including chinook salmon on the West Coast (British Columbia)

Acknowledge recreational fishing's outsized economic impact and environmental benefits in ocean conservation measures

Free & Fair Trade

Oppose Section 232 aluminum and steel tariffs and retaliatory tariffs by Canada

Negotiate post-Brexit trade agreement with the United Kingdom that addresses technical barriers to trade and regulatory cooperation

\$8,3B total annual spending by anglers

TOP 5 outdoor activities include fishing

Outdoor Recreation Infrastructure

Prioritize federal water infrastructure projects and ensure recreation is recognized as an economic benefit

Rebuild and expand Canada's outdoor recreation infrastructure and tackle the deferred maintenance backlog at national parks \$212.5M anr exp

annual exports (2018)

OPPOSE

tariffs & countermeasures



post-Brexit trade deal with UK that's equal or better than Canada-EU <u>free trade agreement</u>

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