

BC CONSTRUCTION STAT PACK

\$83,600,000,000

the estimated value of current construction projects in British Columbia



\$195 BILLION

estimated available capital cost of proposed construction projects in BC

7.8%

the construction sector's contribution to BC's total GDP

190,000

number of employees in BC's construction industry

83%

yearly wage of a BC construction worker over and above someone working in sales and service

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construction's rank as an employer in BC's goods sector

54,500

estimated number of job openings in BC's skilled trades by 2021

\$1.47

return on investment for every \$1 put into apprenticeship training

75%

BC apprentices employed by members of the British Columbia Construction Association.

30,500

the number of construction jobs that will be unfilled due to labour shortages by 2021

14.5%

current unemployment rate for youth (ages 15-24) in BC

+9,500

increase in BC construction jobs from June 2013 to July 2013

1 IN 5



the number of students graduating from high school over the next three years who would need to enter the trades to fill BC's skilled labour shortage: 7 times more than current averages

2 OF 3

workers in BC's skilled trades over the age of 45

\$1 TRILLION

expected GDP benefits to BC by 2046 from five LNG plants

100,000

the number of new jobs from LNG over the next thirty years

UNLIMITED.

the potential in front of our province, right now.

for sources, go to www.bccassn.com/stats

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