FORESTRY AND BC’S REGIONAL ECONOMIES

NORTHEAST REGION
- 1 in 5 jobs in the region
- Two of the three OSB mills in BC

CARIBOO REGION
- 22% of jobs
- BC’s largest lumber producing region

THOMPSON-OKANAGAN REGION
- More than 20,000 jobs
- 10 plywood, veneer and panel mills

NORTH COAST & NECHAKO
- 19% of jobs
- Highest capacity of pellet production

VANCOUVER ISLAND/COAST REGION
- 21,000 jobs
- Produces the most pulp and paper of any region

MAINLAND/SOUTHWEST REGION
- 40% of the province’s total forest industry jobs, including indirect and induced
- 45% of the forest industry’s total contribution to provincial GDP

KOOTENAY REGION
- 10% of jobs
- Eight pole and post mills, the most of any region in BC