



# Links to Information Sources

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Wood in B.C.

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# Key Websites

<p>Canadian Wood Council <a href="http://www.cwc.ca">www.cwc.ca</a> <a href="http://www.wood-works.ca">www.wood-works.ca</a></p>	<p>The Canadian Wood Council maintains high credibility with architects, engineers and builders through its participation in codes and standards and its independent research of wood attributes and performance in today's modern building systems. The website includes a section on sustainability and case studies related to green building.</p>
<p>Forest Products Association of Canada <a href="http://www.fpac.ca">www.fpac.ca</a></p>	<p>Represents Canada's wood, pulp and paper producers nationally and internationally on a wide variety of issues, particularly those related to economy, trade and the environment.</p>
<p>naturally:wood <a href="http://www.naturallywood.com">www.naturallywood.com</a> <a href="http://www.youtube.com/user/naturallywood">www.youtube.com/user/naturallywood</a></p>	<p>A comprehensive information source that brings together the latest, most reliable data about wood performance, green building and life cycle assessment, as well as British Columbia's wide variety of forest products, manufacturers, sustainable forest practices, certification of forests, wood products and more.</p> <p>Links to related topics provide architects, builders, wood, pulp and paper manufacturers and their customers the ability to explore further resources on wood products. A product supplier directory and certification search engine enable convenience and informed choice when sourcing wood, pulp and paper products.</p> <p>Naturallywood.com is a product of Forestry Innovation Investment (FII), a Crown Agency of the Province of British Columbia (B.C.), Canada.</p>
<p>Forest in Mind <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org">www.sfmcanada.org</a> <a href="http://www.youtube.com/user/sfmcanada">www.youtube.com/user/sfmcanada</a></p>	<p>Forest in Mind is a fact-based communications program of the Canadian Council of Forest Ministers (CCFM) to position Canada as a world leader in sustainable forest management and environmental stewardship in order to protect and enhance market access for Canadian forest products.</p> <p>SFMCanada.org contains comprehensive information on Sustainable Forest Management (SFM) in Canada, including fact sheets in 10 languages and a link to their You Tube channel that presents 10 videos on SFM in Canada in 5 languages.</p>
<p>FPInnovations <a href="http://www.fpinnovations.ca">www.fpinnovations.ca</a></p>	<p>A not-for-profit organization that creates scientific solutions in support of the Canadian forest sector's global competitiveness, performing research to innovate, and to deliver state-of-the-art solutions for every area of the sector's value chain, from forestry operations to consumer and industrial products.</p>

# Publications

<b>Case Studies</b> Canadian Wood Council  naturally:wood	<a href="http://www.cwc.ca/publications/">www.cwc.ca/publications/</a>  <a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/resources">www.naturallywood.com/resources</a>
<b>Wood Products</b> naturally:wood  BC Supplier Directory  Architects Tool Kit	<a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/wood-products">www.naturallywood.com/wood-products</a>  <a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/supplierdirectory/">www.naturallywood.com/supplierdirectory/</a>  <a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/architectstoolkit">www.naturallywood.com/architectstoolkit</a>
<b>Wood Products and Environmental Impacts</b> naturally:wood	<a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/resources">www.naturallywood.com/resources</a>
<b>Forests and Environmental Impacts</b> Canadian Forest Service <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Does harvesting in Canada's forests contribute to climate change? 2007</i></li><li>• <i>Deforestation in Canada: What are the Facts? 2008</i></li></ul> naturally:wood  Canadian Council of Forest Ministers <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Is Canada's Forest a Carbon Sink or Source? 2007</i></li><li>• <i>Sustainable Forest Management Policies in Canada</i></li><li>• <i>Forest Certification Standards in Canada</i></li><li>• <i>Making the Case for Sustainable Forest Management Certification</i></li><li>• <i>Building Green and the Benefits of Wood</i></li></ul>	<a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/CFS_DoesHarvestingContributeToClimateChange_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/CFS_DoesHarvestingContributeToClimateChange_EN.pdf</a>  <a href="http://cfs.nrcan.gc.ca/pubwarehouse/pdfs/28159.pdf">http://cfs.nrcan.gc.ca/pubwarehouse/pdfs/28159.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.naturallywood.com/resources">www.naturallywood.com/resources</a>  <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/C02_Sink_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/C02_Sink_EN.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Sustainable_Management_Policies_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Sustainable_Management_Policies_EN.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/CCFM_StatementCertif_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/CCFM_StatementCertif_EN.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Sustainable_Forest_Management_Certification_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Sustainable_Forest_Management_Certification_EN.pdf</a>  <a href="http://www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Green%20Buildings_EN.pdf">www.sfmcanada.org/images/Publications/EN/Green%20Buildings_EN.pdf</a>

# Green Building Rating Systems

BREEAM (United Kingdom)	<a href="http://www.breeam.org">www.breeam.org</a>
Built Green™ (Canada)	<a href="http://www.builtgreencanada.ca">www.builtgreencanada.ca</a>
Green Globes United States (Green Building Initiative) Canada	<a href="http://www.thegbi.org">www.thegbi.org</a> <a href="http://www.greenglobes.com">www.greenglobes.com</a>
LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) U.S. Green Building Council Canada Green Building Council	<a href="http://www.usgbc.org">www.usgbc.org</a> <a href="http://www.cagbc.org">www.cagbc.org</a>
National Association of Home Builders (United States) NAHB National Green Building Program ANSI ICC 700-2008 National Green Building Standard™	<a href="http://www.nahbgreen.org">www.nahbgreen.org</a> <a href="http://www.nahbgreen.org/Certification/ngbs.aspx/">www.nahbgreen.org/Certification/ngbs.aspx/</a>

## Green buildings

- Mitigate climate change
- Use less energy and water
- User fewer materials
- Reduce waste
- Are healthy for people and the planet

*On the cover:  
Richmond Olympic Oval,  
Richmond, B.C.  
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## Third-party Forest Certification

Certification Canada <a href="http://www.certificationcanada.org">www.certificationcanada.org</a>	Data and information about third-party forest certification in Canada, and a search tool so buyers can learn more about forest certification in Canada and find certified products.
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## Certification Programs Used In Canada

Canadian Standards Association <a href="http://www.csasfmforests.ca">www.csasfmforests.ca</a>	Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification schemes <a href="http://www.pefc.org">www.pefc.org</a> (International) <a href="http://www.pefccanada.org">www.pefccanada.org</a>
Forest Stewardship Council <a href="http://www.fsc.org">www.fsc.org</a> (international) <a href="http://www.fscscanada.org">www.fscscanada.org</a>	Sustainable Forestry Initiative <a href="http://www.sfiprogram.org">www.sfiprogram.org</a>

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