



**Association of  
Canadian Port  
Authorities**

*The leading voice of Canadian ports*

# QUICK FACTS

80%

of everything around you has been moved by maritime transport in its lifetime!



Canada's 17 port authorities play an essential role in the national and global supply chains, bringing goods to Canadian consumers and prosperity to our country.

**OVER 340 MILLION**

Total tonnage handled in 2021 by 17 CPAs



One extra million tonnes of port throughput



300 jobs in the port hinterland



# ECONOMIC IMPACT

## CRUISE SHIP ACTIVITY

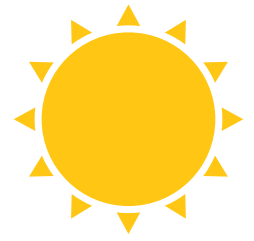
In 2019, CPAs welcomed more than

**1.3 million**

cruise ship passengers, generating nearly

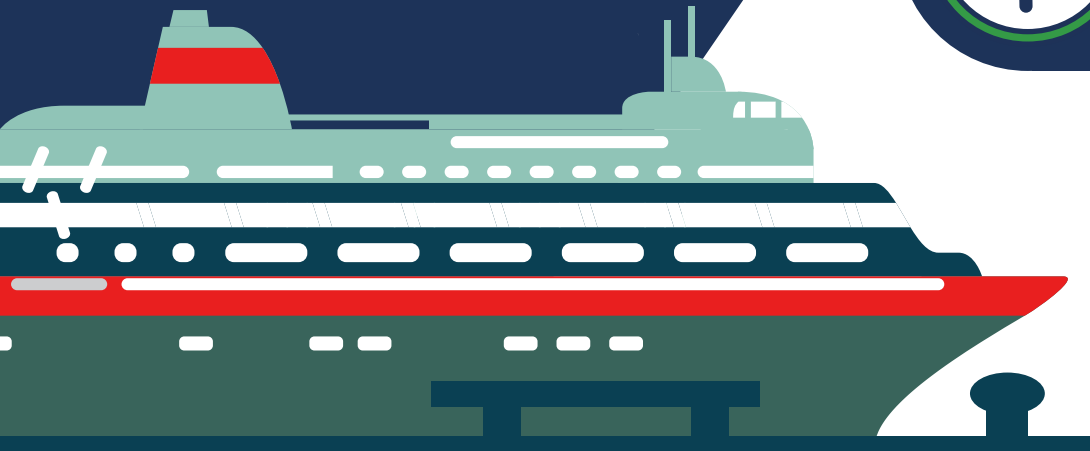
**\$4.3 billion**

in economic activity.



**\$53 billion**

Total economic activity



## CPAs BY THE NUMBERS



**\$14 billion**

Total employee wages associated with CPAs



**Over 170**

Number of countries traded with



**213,000**

Total jobs maintained



**\$25 billion**

Total CPA contribution to Canada's GDP

## SUSTAINABILITY



100%

of CPAs are members of **Green Marine**, a voluntary environmental certification program for the North American marine industry.

60

The number of **First Nations communities and Indigenous groups** CPAs continuously engage and collaborate with.



## PORTS MAKE GOOD NEIGHBOURS

Average in yearly donations to local organizations and community investments by CPAs.

\$5 million




### Sources

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*The Economic Contribution of the International Cruise Industry in Canada in 2019*, Cruise Lines International Association

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