

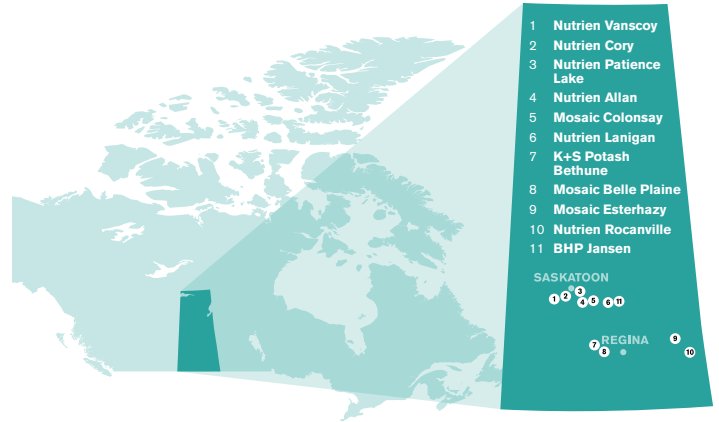
# SASKATCHEWAN POTASH

## Nourishing the earth

A snapshot of Saskatchewan's  
potash industry in 2023



Potash is a critical mineral primarily used as a fertilizer to support plant growth, increase crop yield, disease resistance, and water retention, helping to provide global food security.



### FINANCIAL

**CAPITAL INVESTMENT:**  
**\$3.5 Billion**

in 2023

Over the past 15 years, Saskatchewan potash companies have invested > \$40 billion in mine operations, creating thousands of jobs.



**TAXES:**  
**\$2.4 Billion**

(Federal, Provincial and Municipal)



### COMMUNITY INVESTMENT

**\$28 Million**

invested in partnerships that support community wellbeing and Indigenous community investments.



### EMPLOYMENT

For **every direct job** in the Saskatchewan mining industry, there are **at least two jobs** in the mining supply and service sector.

**DIRECT EMPLOYEES**  
**6,300**

**LONG-TERM CONTRACTORS**  
**7,500**



**SALARIES**  
**\$1.1 Billion**

total payroll of direct employees

**\$113,516**

The average annual salary of employees in the Saskatchewan mining industry is 1.9 times higher than the average annual salary of Saskatchewan workers.

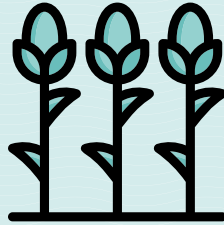


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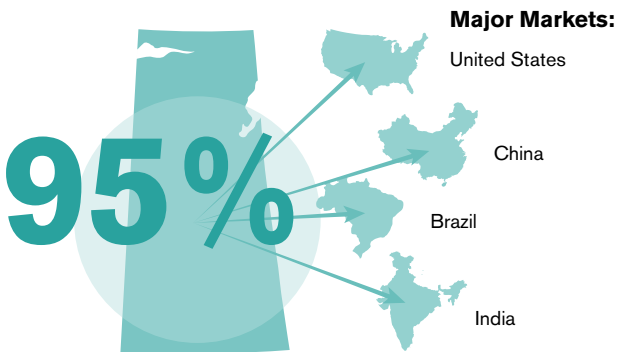
## PRODUCTION

**>22 Million** tonnes of KCl

Three producing companies – **K+S Potash Canada, The Mosaic Company** and **Nutrien Ltd.** – operate 10 mines in the province. Seven mines are underground and three are solution operations.



## AMOUNT EXPORTED



Saskatchewan has the largest and richest potash resources in the world, and could supply the needs of farmers worldwide for several hundred years.

Not only does potash nourish the Earth, it's also used to make industrial products and pharmaceuticals.

## SAFETY

**Mining is one of the safest industries in Saskatchewan, and in Canada.**

Lost Time Injuries per 1 million hours worked: **2.1**



## SALES, RESERVES AND EMISSIONS INTENSITY

**\$10.9 Billion** in sales

**#1 Potash producer in the world.**



**33%**

Saskatchewan produces 33% of global potash.



**Low Carbon Potash**

Saskatchewan potash is made with 50% lower GHG intensity than potash produced by global competitors.



## PROCUREMENT

**\$4 Billion**

total value procured from all suppliers.

**\$2.2 Billion**

goods and services procured from Saskatchewan businesses.



**\$424 Million**

goods and services procured from Saskatchewan Indigenous businesses.