

# Propane Powers Canada

Reliable. Affordable. Cleaner. Propane powers everyday life for millions of Canadians - strengthening energy security and lowering emissions.



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## Propane strengthens energy security

- **Growing** domestic propane production
- **Essential** for hospitals, farms, businesses, and rural, remote, and Indigenous communities where options are limited
- **Supports resilient energy systems** during emergencies and extreme weather
- Delivered nationwide through a **reliable supply chain**



## Propane delivers lower emissions

- **Lower emissions** than heating oil, diesel and gasoline
- Recognized globally as a **lower-carbon alternative** to higher-emitting fuels
- **Compatible with hybrid power systems** and renewable electricity
- Canadian-made **renewable propane is a drop-in fuel** that lowers lifecycle emissions using existing propane infrastructure.



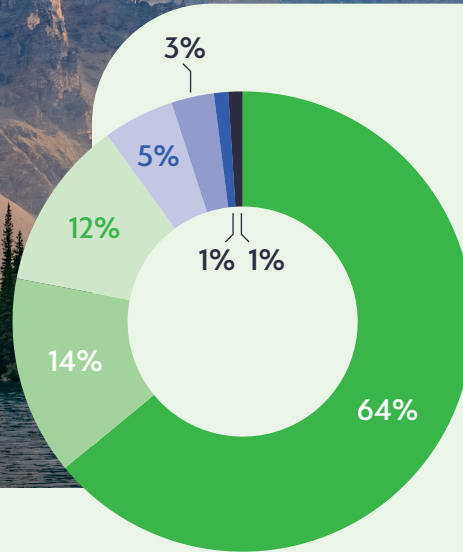
## Propane protects energy affordability

- Significantly **more cost-effective** than diesel in numerous applications
- Propane furnaces with **efficiency ratings up to 97%**
- **Lower maintenance costs** than oil heating systems
- No soil contamination risk, **reducing environmental liability costs**



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# Regional Statistics Alberta in 2026



## Propane demand by sector

- Mining & oil and gas
- Commercial / Institutional
- Non-energy use & producers' consumption
- Manufacturing & construction
- Residential
- Transportation
- Agriculture



Gross domestic product

**\$4.7 B**



Government revenues

**\$1.5 B**



Commercial floor space

**4.6 M m<sup>2</sup>**



Alberta production

**228,000**  
*barrels per day*



Jobs

**12,718**  
*employed*



Fuelling stations

**124**



Households

**27,920**



Export distribution

**99%** *by rail*  
**1%** *by truck*



**Did you know?**

## Propane production hits record levels

Alberta is **Canada's propane production engine, adding about 46 thousand barrels per day since 2018** as natural gas development, particularly in the Montney region, continues to expand. This growth reinforces Alberta's role in a reliable, competitively priced propane supply.



## Propane supports oil and gas sector

Nearly half of Alberta's propane demand—49% in 2024—is driven by the mining and oil and gas sector, making it the province's largest source of propane use.