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TRADE AND INVESTMENT PROMOTION PLANNING SYSTEM

90/91 SECTOR/SUB-SECTOR HIGHLIGHTS

Market: CHILE Mission: SANTIAGO

Sector: FOREST PRODUCTS, EQUIP, SERVICES

Sub-Sector: CONSULTING & OTHER SERVICES

Market Data	2 Years Ago	1 Year Ago	Current Year (Estimated)	Next Year (Projected)
Market Size Canadian Exports Canadian Share of Market	25.00 \$M 2.00 \$M 8.00 %	35.00 \$M 5.00 \$M 14.00 %	60.00 \$M 8.00 \$M 13.00 %	80.00 \$M 12.00 \$M 15.00 %

Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products in this sector/subsector: 30-60 \$M

Market Share Major Competing Countries 40.00 % UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 15.00 % SWEDEN

15.00 % CANADA 10.00 % GERMANY WEST 10.00 % CHILE EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET C 10.00 %

Current Status of Canadian exports in this sector/subsector: Small but expanding

Products/services for which there are good market prospects:

- 1. Logging equipment
- 2. Skidders
- 3. Sawmill equipment
- 4. Off road vehicles
- 5. Portable sawmills
- 6. Fire fighting equipment
- 7. Spare parts

Factors contributing to current successful Canadian exports:

- Import restrictions are not a significant impediment in this sector

Factors for Canadian exports not reaching market potential:

- Lack of promotion and advertising
- Market prospects have not been adequately explored
- Lack or understanding of growth of
- the ind. in Chile & of value of Cda