

4. Site Summary

DIMENSIONS

Area of Total Site:	70 hectares (173 acres)
Length of Shoreline:	4.5 km (2.8 miles)
Length of Central Blvd:	2.8 km (1.7 miles)
Area of Decking:	9.5 hectares (23.6 acres)
Area of Lagoon:	0.75 hectares (1.8 acres)
Area of Open Space:	44 hectares (109.7 acres)
Major Plazas:	7 hectares (17.3 acres)
Service Areas:	7.2 hectares (17.8 acres)

GATES

There were four main gates to the Exposition.

East Gate (Near Expo Centre, on Quebec Street at the foot of Terminal Avenue); West Gate (Near Xerox International Theatre, at the east foot of Drake Street on Pacific Boulevard); Stadium Gate (B.C. Pavilion Complex, at Pacific Boulevard); Canada Gate (Canada Pavilion, Burrard Inlet).

In addition, access to the site was provided via the West Promenade Gate (located at the Canada Pavilion, this access was for Season Pass holders only); the Canada Portal (this was not a gate, but provided a SkyTrain link to the Canada Pavilion site from the False Creek site); and the Marine Gate (endorsed ferry services for pre-ticketed passengers docked at the Marine Gate on False Creek near the Marine Plaza).

HOURS OF OPERATION

Pavilions opened at 1000 and closed at 2200 hours. The site opened at 0915 hours. Rides, cabarets and kiosks closed at 2400 hours.

PAVILIONS

Total:	65
Internationals:	41 (7 nations of the OECS sharing one pavilion, and 8 South Pacific Islands sharing one pavilion)
Provinces/Territories:	9
States:	3
Corporates:	9
Theme:	2
Other:	1 (The Great Hall of Ramses II)