

Photo essay: Stunning images of Canada from above

From the majesty of the Maritimes to the stark landscapes of Alberta's oil sands, the nation as you've never seen it before.



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The Confederation Bridge spans the Abegweit Passage of the Northumberland Strait to link Prince Edward Island with New Brunswick. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).

Circular and semi-circular melt patterns where aerators in an ice-covered water treatment lagoon in Crysler, Ont., are accelerating the spring thaw. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



A Catholic cemetery in Shawiningan, Que. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



The Canada Day parade being marshalled in the Miramichi Valley High School parking lot in Newcastle, N.B. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



Steam boilers, storage tanks, piping and other infrastructure are constructed at a work site south of Fort McMurray, Alta. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



A wind turbine is assembled on Wolfe Island, Ont. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



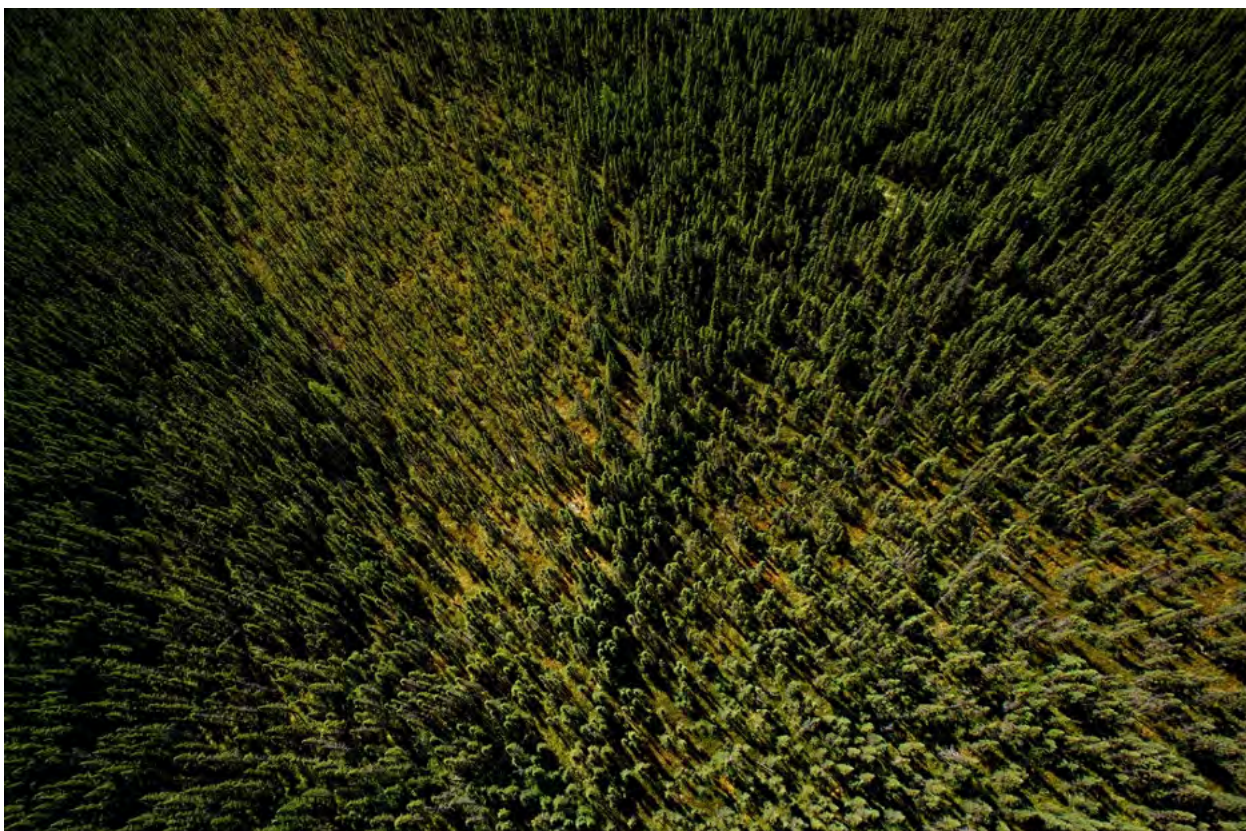
A helicopter affords an aerial view of Niagara Falls, Ont. (Raina + Wilson).



Snow geese gather in Chesterville, Ont. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).



The boreal forest in Cochrane, Ont. (Photograph by Tobin Grimshaw).



Players compete in a beach volleyball tournament in Ottawa. (Photograph by Louis Helbig).

