# HOW INDIGENOUS PARTNERSHIPS SUPPORT BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NATURAL GAS AND OIL INDUSTRY



A study by iTotem Analytics found strong connections between Indigenous-affiliated businesses and the B.C. natural gas supply chain.

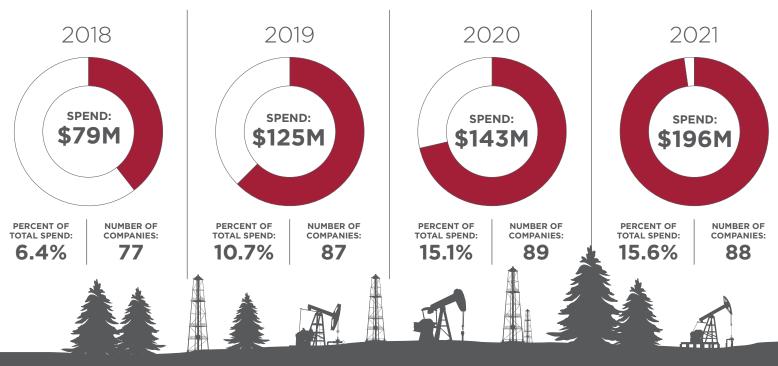
# SPEND WITH INDIGENOUS-AFFILIATED BUSINESSES (2018-2021)

IN B.C.: **\$540M**  rest of canada: \$225M

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### **INCREASING SPEND**

Spend with Indigenous-affiliated businesses increased \$148% from 2018 to 2021



### TYPES OF COMPANIES

A wide range of Indigenous-affiliated companies and entrepreneurs were involved in providing goods and services to B.C.'s natural gas and oil industry, including land reclamation, drilling, engineering, equipment maintenance, construction, camp services and more.

14% Consulting, Contractors, Technical Services (\$76M)
43% Consumables, Utilities and Logistics (\$233M)
41% Parts, Equipment and Capital Assets (\$224)
2% Support Services and Miscellaneous (\$10M)

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

From 2018 to 2021, B.C.'s natural gas and oil industry invested **\$13.6 million** to support more than 75 Indigenous-affiliated community initiatives and organizations.

The iTotem Analytics study was commissioned by the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers.