

Ministry of Sustainable  
Resource Management

# Central Coast Update

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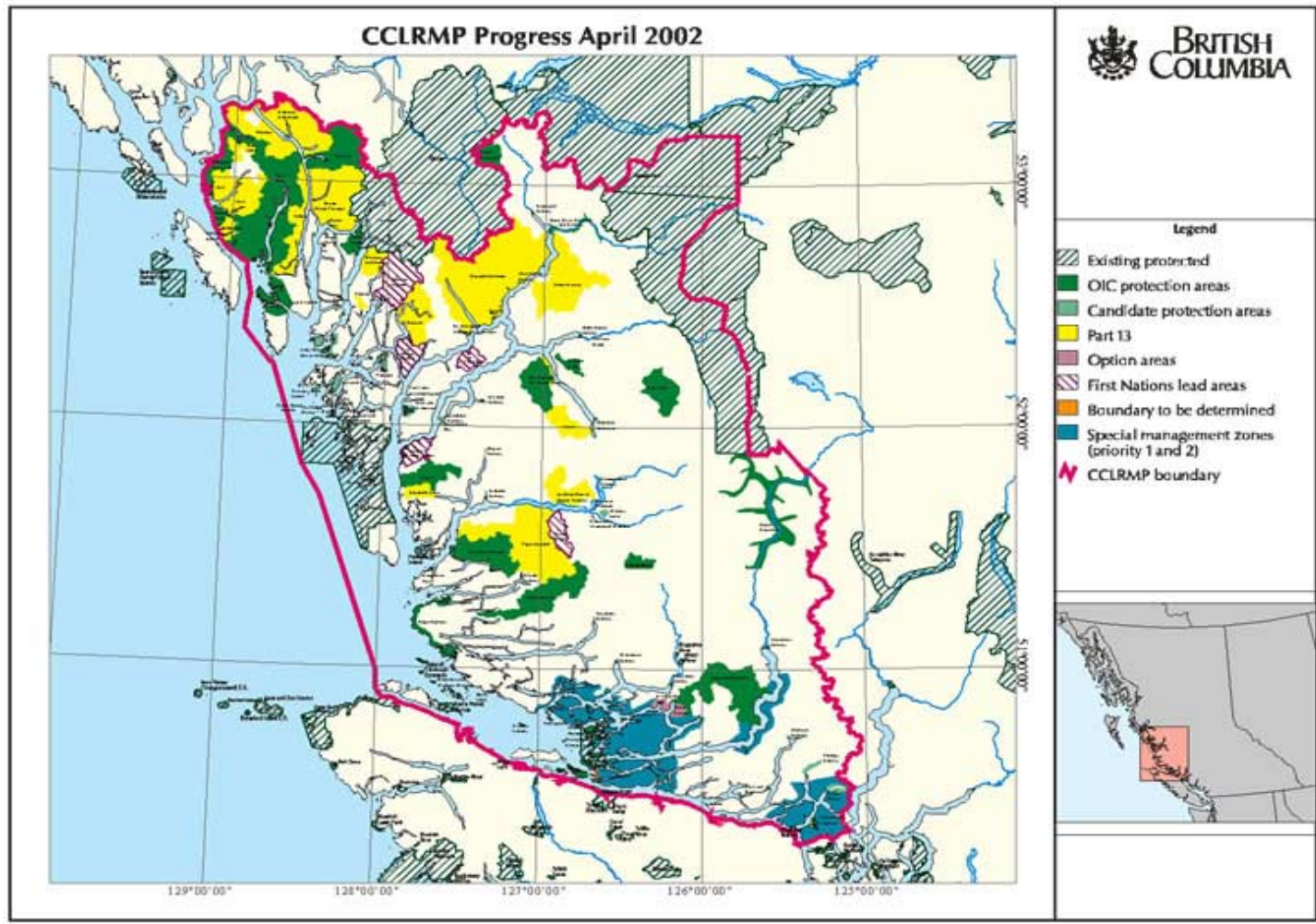


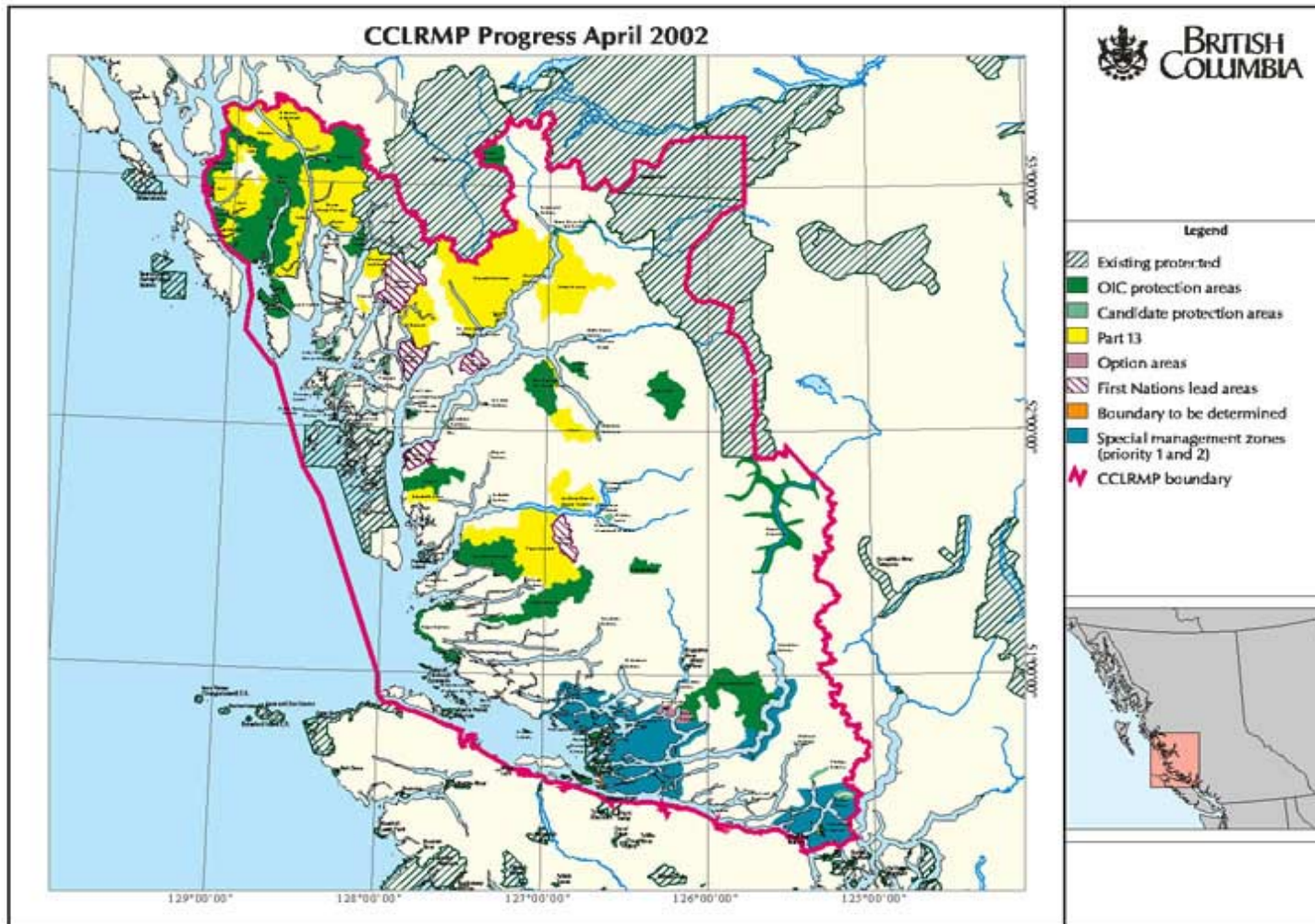
## Four Initiatives

- Addressing economic impacts
- Supporting economic measures and land-use planning for First Nations
- Ensuring credible and science-based information
- Establishing protection areas

## Central Coast

- 4.8 million hectares; 4,400 people
- Coastal temperate rainforests
- High degree of international attention
- Resource industry adjustment





## Central Coast Commitments

- New Era Commitment
- Planning & economic partnerships with First Nations
- Independent, science-based information
- Mitigation
- Balanced protection of globally significant habitat

## Next Steps

- Central Coast LRMP Completion Table final recommendations to Cabinet
- ELU Act Protection Areas expire June 30, 2003
- Government-to-government discussions
- Cabinet to determine long-term status of protection areas