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Plain Facts

On Land and Self-government



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Status of Land and Self-government Negotiations

What's it all about?

Land and self-government negotiations are ongoing in the Northwest Territories. Some claims have been settled, while others are still in negotiation. The following is the status of existing claims as of March, 2000.

Settled claims

Inuvialuit

Final Agreement signed:

Land settlement:

For more information:

June 1984, effective July 1984

91,000 square kilometres of land, of which
13,000 includes mineral rights

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Gwich'in

Final Agreement signed:

Land settlement:

For more information:

April 1992, effective December 1992

16,264 square kilometres of land in the NWT, of which 4,299 includes
mineral rights

1,554 square kilometres of land in the Yukon

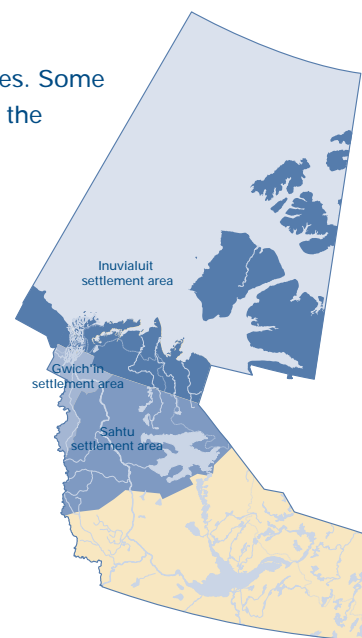
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Sahtu

Final Agreement signed: September 1993, effective June 1994

Land settlement: 41,537 square kilometres of land, of which 1,813 includes mineral rights

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Ongoing negotiations and processes

- Akaitcho Treaty 8 Land, Resources, and Self-government Negotiations
- Beaufort Delta/Inuvialuit & Gwich'in Self-government Negotiations
- Deh Cho Process
- Deline Community Self-government Negotiations
- Dogrib Comprehensive Land and Self-government Negotiations
- Salt River Treaty Land Entitlement Process
- South Slave Metis Tribal Council Land and Resources Negotiations

More background

Web pages:

Dogrib Agreement-in-Principle: www.inac.gc.ca/subject/agree/Dogrib/Dogrib.htm.

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement: www.inac.gc.ca/pubs/information/info22.html

Fact sheets:

Akaitcho Treaty 8 Land, Resources, and Self-government Negotiations

Beaufort Delta/Inuvialuit & Gwich'in Self-government Negotiations

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Dogrib Comprehensive Land Claim and Self-government Negotiations

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim

Inuvialuit Final Agreement

Sahtu Dene & Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement

South Slave Metis Tribal Council Land and Resources Negotiations

Publications:

Dogrib Agreement-in-Principle

The Western Arctic Claim - The Inuvialuit Final Agreement

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement Volumes I & II

Sahtu Dene & Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement Volumes I & II

Fact sheets and publications are available by contacting

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