

The Regional Economic Value of **Thompson Rivers University**

About TRU





The Thompson **Rivers College** Region, British Columbia



Economic impact analysis





jobs in the Thompson Rivers College Region is supported by the activities of TRU and its students.



Alumni impact

Impact of the increased earnings of TRU alumni and the businesses they work for



An economic boost similar to hosting an NHL playoffs game

OR

186x

\$558.0 million

Added income

5,992 Jobs supported





Operations spending impact

Impact of annual payroll and other spending

\$234.6 million

Added income

Enough to buy 6,046 new cars

OR

2,297 Jobs supported





Student spending impact

Impact of the daily spending of TRU students attracted to or retained in the region

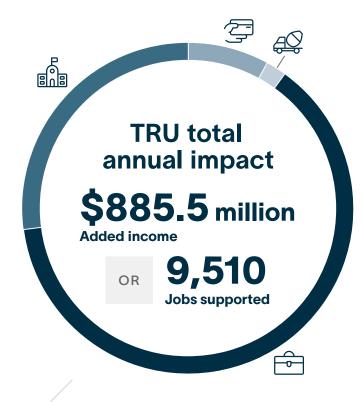


Enough to buy 6,402 families* a year's worth of groceries

\$73.2 million

Added income

1,050 Jobs supported





Construction spending impact

Impact of expenditures for ongoing construction projects

S19.6 million Added income

Jobs supported

Investment analysis



For every \$1...

= 100 jobs * = family of four



Students gain \$1.40 in lifetime earnings



The average bachelor's degree graduate from TRU will see an increase in earnings of \$19,400 each year compared to someone with a high school diploma working in British Columbia.



Taxpayers gain \$5.10 in added tax revenue and public sector savings





Society gains \$7.20 in added provincial revenue and social savings





