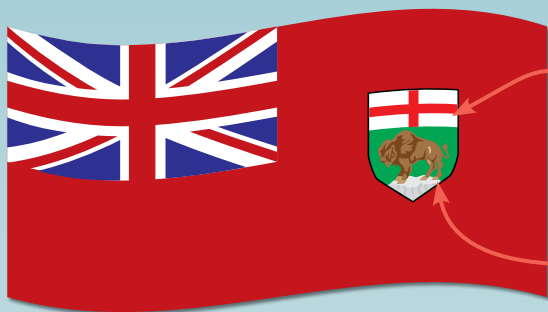# FLYING

WITH

Pride

**Each province and territory has its own flag.
Some are bold and modern; others are fancy and traditional.**

MANITOBA

Adopted: 1966

Cross of St. George for England and the Hudson's Bay Company

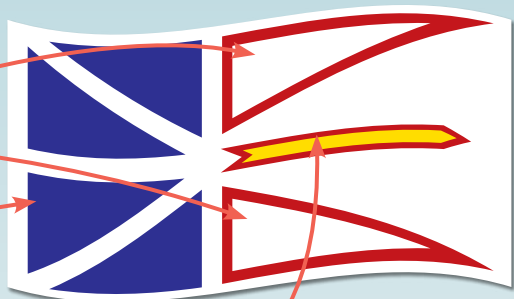Bison represents Indigenous people

NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR

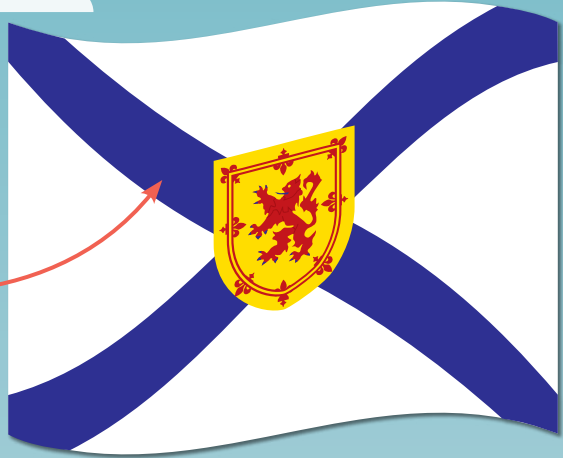*Adopted: 1980*

Island and mainland

Sea

Hope for the future

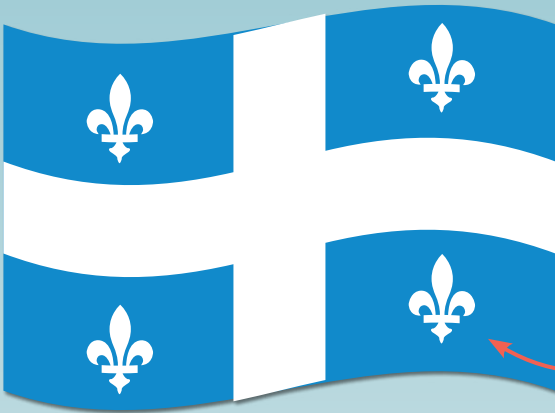# NOVA SCOTIA

Adopted: 1929

Cross of St. Andrew,
for Scotland,
with colours reversed

QUEBEC

Adopted: 1950 | AKA: The Fleurdelisé

Iris flower (fleur-de-lis)
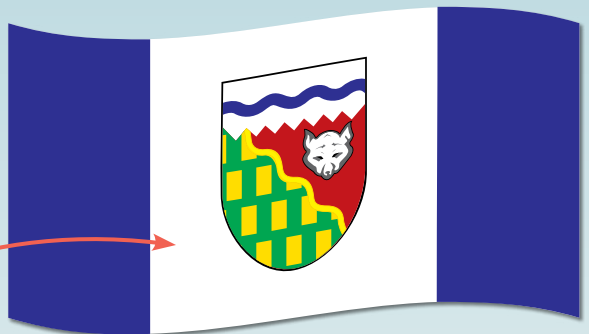symbolizing France dates
back more than 1,500 years

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Adopted: 1969

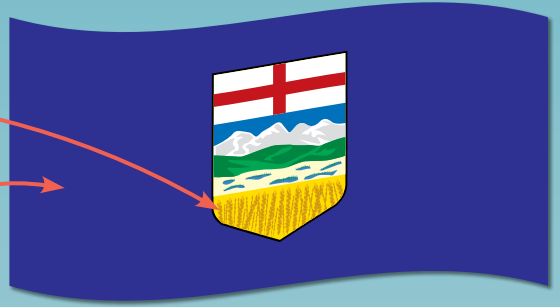Designed by a Manitoban
who won a national contest

Snow and ice

ALBERTA

Adopted: 1968

Wheat field

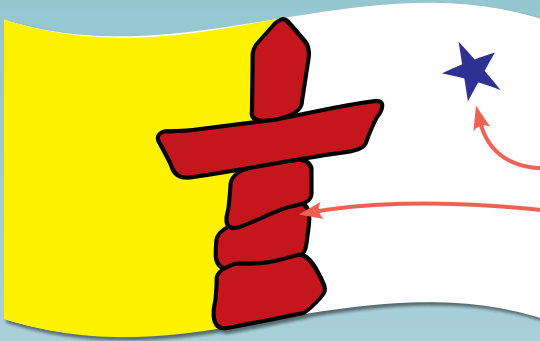One of Alberta's official colours, representing the sky (the other is gold, for prairie)

NUNAVUT

Adopted: 1999

Niqirtsituk (the North Star)

Inuksuk (stone marker)

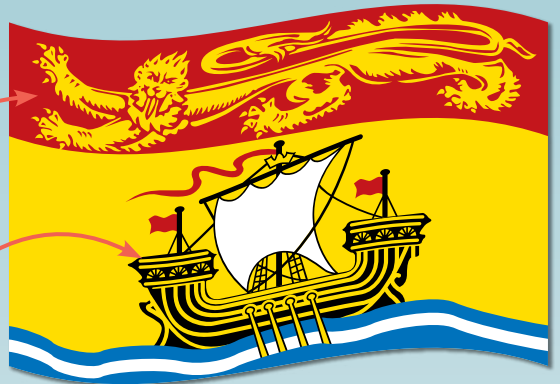Colours represent riches of land, sea and sky

NEW BRUNSWICK

Adopted: 1965

Lion for England, which owned the German territory of Brunswick when the province was named in 1784
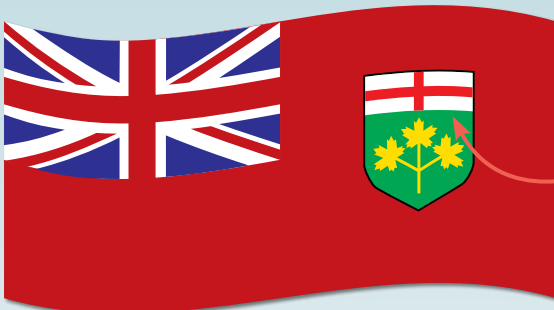
Shipbuilding, sailing the ocean

ONTARIO

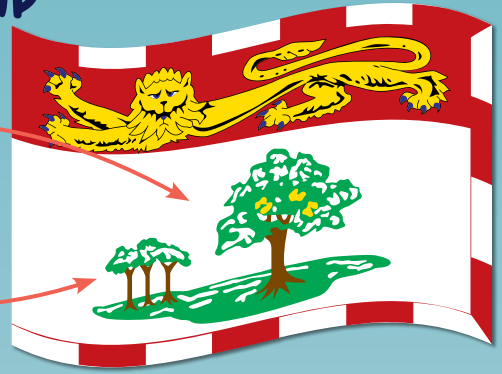*Adopted: 1965*

Maple leaves for Canada

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Adopted: 1964

Oak tree for England

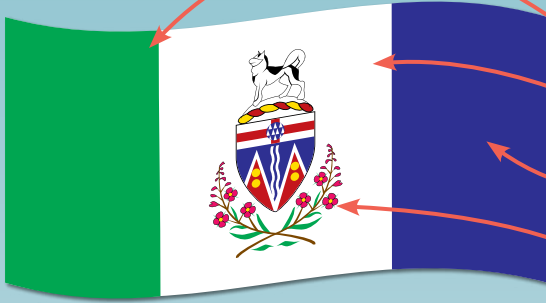Three oaks for P.E.I's three counties

YUKON TERRITORY

Adopted: 1967

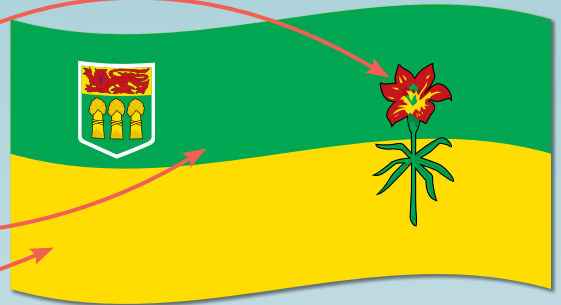Forests

Snow

Lakes and rivers

Fireweed, the official flower

SASKATCHEWAN

Adopted: 1969

Western red lily, the provincial flower

Northern forests

Southern grain fields

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Adopted: 1960

Pacific Ocean

Britain's Royal Family

Setting sun for Canada's farthest-west province