

# WHERE CLEANTECH INNOVATION ABOUNDS

A global leader in the acceleration of clean technologies, innovation thrives in Ontario, Canada.

Ontario is at the forefront of cleantech research and development, having leadership in energy storage, electric vehicles, water purification, hydrogen, smart energy technologies and industrial biotechnology. The province's cleantech sector is helping communities, businesses and organizations across the globe implement efficient solutions to environmental challenges.

With world-class R&D capabilities, low business costs, access to leading industry talent, a supportive government and strategic market access, Ontario is the place to grow ideas or source solutions that will meet the exploding global demand for effective clean technology products and services.

## ONTARIO'S CLEANTECH INDUSTRY BY THE NUMBERS

**#1**

largest cleantech sector in Canada

**127,000**

employees

**5,000**

companies

**\$25.2B**

contribution to GDP

**3**

companies on the 2023 Global Cleantech 100

**100**

water technology incubators

**\$7.2B**

annual exports

# ONTARIO EXPERTISE AND LEADERSHIP IN:

- Hydrogen • Water and wastewater • Energy storage • Renewable energy •
- Bioproducts • Environmental engineering • Chemical recycling of plastics •
- Solar • Digital technologies • Cleantech products and Services • Green build •

## WORLD-CLASS CLEAN TECHNOLOGY ECOSYSTEM

Ontario boasts a number of world-leading research institutes and technology incubators focused specifically on cleantech, as well as some of the best R&D incentives to be found anywhere. Our latest initiative is EaRTH District—a collaboration between the University of Toronto and Centennial College that's advancing the cleantech sector's development through research, academic programming and commercialization.

## THE TOP 5 REASONS TO CHOOSE ONTARIO

### 1. TALENT

71% of working adults possess a post-secondary education



### 2. INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

Business, academia and government work together to drive bold ideas to market

### 3. COMPETITIVE COSTS

Some of the lowest corporate taxes in North America

Save up to 50% on after-tax R&D expenditures

Source high quality products and services that are extremely cost-competitive



### 4. ACCESS TO GLOBAL MARKETS

A short distance to U.S. hubs

Free trade agreements with 51 countries

### 5. DIVERSITY

People from 150 countries

Over 200 languages spoken



I'm so impressed with the pool of talent we have here in Canada and the range of potentially world-changing innovations emerging from our cleantech ecosystem."

**Tyler Hamilton,**  
Director of Cleantech  
Ecosystems  
MaRS Discovery District

## WHO'S HERE

- Cummins
- E-Zinc
- GE
- Greenfield Global
- GreenMantra Technologies
- Hatch
- Hydrogen Optimized
- Hydrostor
- Pond Tech
- Pyrowave
- Schneider Electric
- Silfab Solar
- Trojan Technologies
- Veolia Water

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