



WHERE AUTOMOTIVE LIVES

Along the 500-mile (800 km) corridor that stretches from Detroit to Ottawa lies the richest concentration of auto-related resources anywhere in the world. Ontario is the only subnational jurisdiction with five OEMs and is one of the top vehicle-producing jurisdictions in North America.

Ontario is home to a unique ecosystem of world-leading vehicle assemblers, parts manufacturers and research centres that have been meeting the needs of international customers for more than 100 years. The expertise of Ontario's automotive cluster spans from proof-of-concept prototyping to production line automation systems to global logistics tracking software. And breakthrough technologies from Ontario research labs are shaping the future of connected-car technologies, driverless vehicles and electric vehicle (EV) production.

ONTARIO'S AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY BY THE NUMBERS

5

GLOBAL OEMS
ASSEMBLING
VEHICLES

400+

COMPANIES WORK
IN **CONNECTED** AND
AUTONOMOUS DEVELOPMENT
AND **SMART MOBILITY**

36 AWARDS

FROM J.D. POWER AND
ASSOCIATES, INCLUDING
THE **#1 RATED AUTO**
PLANT IN THE WORLD

500+

TOOL, DIE AND
MOULD COMPANIES

24

AUTOMOTIVE SKILLED
TRADES PROGRAMS

80%

OF ONTARIO'S AUTO
OUTPUT EXPORTED

700+

PARTS
SUPPLIERS

ONTARIO EXPERTISE AND LEADERSHIP IN:

- Abundance of EV battery critical mineral deposits
- Artificial intelligence
- Autonomous vehicles
- Climatic testing
- Connected cars
- Cybersecurity
- Electric vehicle production
- Lightweighting
- Manufacturing and assembly
- Smart mobility
- Tool, die and mould



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



Ontario is now a global leader in driving the future of automotive and mobility through the development of a model that leverages Ontario's regional strengths and assets to support the commercialization of new technologies."

GRANT COURVILLE
 VP, PRODUCTS AND STRATEGY
 BLACKBERRY QNX

LEADERS IN ELECTRIC AND INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION

The future of electric and intelligent transportation is being built in Ontario today. The province's automotive industry has seen a surge of investment in the production of electric vehicles and large-scale EV battery manufacturing. What is more, with expertise in artificial intelligence, connectivity, cybersecurity and quantum computing, more than 400 companies in Ontario are now actively involved in connected and autonomous vehicle development.

WHO'S HERE	ArcelorMittal	Ford	Lear	NextStar Energy	Toyota
	Dofasco	General Motors (GM)	Linamar	Stellantis (formerly Fiat-Chrysler)	Umicore
	BlackBerry QNX	Honda	Magna	Tesla	Volkswagen
	Denso		Martinrea		

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