



Funding sources and resources for the agriculture and agri-food sector in the Yukon

This is an overview of agriculture-related funding programs and services available for the agriculture sector in the Yukon. While brief program descriptions are included, interested parties should refer to a specific program's website or contact the program administrator to obtain and review relevant details such as the eligibility criteria and the maximum funding amounts.

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Funding finders

| Name and description | Eligibility | Source and contact information |
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| <p>AgPal A web-based tool that assists you in finding federal, provincial, and territorial agricultural programs and services that can help with your needs.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Email: aafc.agpal-agriquichet.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agpal.ca/</p> |
| <p>Business Benefits Finder A web-based tool that assists you in finding federal, provincial, and territorial programs and services that can help you with your needs.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada Innovation, Science and Economic Development Website: https://innovation.ised-isde.canada.ca/innovation/s/?language=en_CA</p> |
| <p>Indigenous Pathfinder Service A one-stop shop for advice and referral to help navigate the relevant information, tools and support available to start or expand activities in the agriculture and agri-food sector. The service strives to ensure you do not miss other supports and business opportunities available to you.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 613-773-2600 Email: aafc.indigenouspathfinder-explorateurautochtone.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/indigenous-pathfinder-service</p> |



Funding programs for agriculture and agri-food projects

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| <p>Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership (Sustainable CAP) Provides funding for agricultural and agri-food projects or initiatives that support the following collective outcomes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved sector environmental performance, adaptation to climate change and reduction of greenhouse gas emissions; • Increased sector capacity and growth across the entire agri-food value chain; or • Enhanced sector resiliency, diversity, equity and inclusion, and public trust. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Energy, Mines and Resources Agriculture Branch Phone: 867-667-5838 Email: sustainablecap@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/sustainableCAP</p> |
| <p>Inclusive Diversification and Economic Advancement in the North (IDEANorth) Makes foundational investments in economic infrastructure, sector development and capacity building to help position Northerners in the territories to take advantage of Canada's innovation economy. The program focuses on four priority areas: economic growth and sector development; business scale-up, productivity and innovation; small-scale economic infrastructure development; and foundational economic infrastructure.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada CanNor - Yukon Region Phone: 867-667-3346 E-mail: Operations@cannor.gc.ca Website: https://www.cannor.gc.ca/eng/1385477070180/1385477215760</p> |
| <p>Regional Economic Growth through Innovation The Business scale-up and productivity stream helps businesses to accelerate their growth and assists with the adoption of innovative technologies that support scale-up, productivity and global competitiveness as well as the development of and entry into new markets.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada CanNor - Yukon Region Phone: 867-667-3263 Email: Operations@cannor.gc.ca Website: https://www.cannor.gc.ca/eng/1544468675997/1544468795408</p> |



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| <p>The Regional innovation ecosystems stream helps create, grow and develop strong and inclusive regional networks that support business growth and innovation. It also fosters the entrepreneurial environment necessary for more innovative regional economies and increases the competitiveness of small and medium-sized enterprises (SME), women entrepreneurs and under-represented groups.</p> | | |
| <p>Economic Development Fund Supports projects and initiatives that provide long-term, sustainable economic benefits to Yukoners and Yukon communities. Eligible projects include those that support business innovation; sustainability and planning; encourage economic diversification through market support; and increase business competitiveness through capacity and capital development.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-456-3803 Email: edf@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/edf</p> |
| <p>Good Energy Program Offers rebates for energy efficient retrofit projects done to existing commercial and institutional buildings that directly reduce their carbon emissions, energy consumption, and energy costs. Building retrofits can include permanent upgrades to buildings, or upgrades to assets within buildings (i.e., appliances, heating systems).</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Energy, Mines and Resources Energy Branch Phone: 867-393-7063 Email: energy@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/good-energy</p> |
| <p>Canada Digital Adoption Program Offers a grant and access to expert advice to increase online sales, reduce costs, better manage inventory and more. The Grow Your Business Online Grant helps SMEs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • get online • increase sales | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada Phone: 1-800-328-6189 Website: https://ised-isde.canada.ca/site/canada-digital-adoption-program/en</p> |



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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> adopt security software connect with customers improve social media marketing improve user experience for online customers <p>The Boost Your Business Technology Grant helps SMEs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> reduce overhead costs speed up transactions respond to clients more quickly manage inventory more efficiently improve supply chain logistics | | |
| <p>Poultry and Egg On-Farm Investment Program</p> <p>Helps supply-managed* poultry and egg producers adapt to market changes resulting from the implementation of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership.</p> <p>*Yukon producers are eligible applicants if they meet all other eligibility criteria</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poultry and/or egg producers | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aaaf.pfefip-pifvo.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/programs/poultry-egg-farm-investment</p> |
| <p>Supply Management Processing Investment Fund</p> <p>Helps processors* of supply-managed commodities adapt to market changes resulting from the implementation of the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) and the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP).</p> <p>*Yukon processors are eligible applicants if they meet all other eligibility criteria</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dairy, poultry and egg processors Egg graders | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aaaf.smpif-fitpgo.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/programs/supply-management-processing-investment-fund</p> |



Programs supporting labour needs

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| <p>Youth Employment and Skills Program Provides funding for the creation of agricultural internships that provide career-related work experiences to youth and youth facing barriers.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-866-452-5558 Email: aaafc.yesp-pecj.aac@canada.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/youth-employment-and-skills-program</p> |
| <p>Canada Summer Jobs Provides wage subsidies to employers with 50 or fewer full-time employees, to create quality summer work experiences for young people aged 15 to 30 years.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada Employment and Social Development Canada Phone: 1-800-935-5555 Website: https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/services/funding/canada-summer-jobs.html</p> |
| <p>Student Training and Employment Program (STEP) Offers wage subsidies to hire post-secondary students for summer jobs. The subsidy is \$7.20 per hour for 450 to 600 hours of employment.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Education Phone: 867-667-8555 Email: terilee.huff@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-supports-business/apply-subsidy-hire-summer-student#apply-for-a-step-subsidy-to-hire-a-student</p> |
| <p>Yukon Summer Career Placement Program (SCP) Assists students/youth for their future entry into the labour market. The program focuses on providing career-related work experience and developmental learning for youth and students through the provision of a wage subsidy to employers. All proposals must demonstrate that the jobs would not otherwise be available without the financial assistance of the program; and that the jobs created will not interfere with a collective agreement already in place.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Education Phone: 867-667-8555 Email: terilee.huff@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-supports-business/apply-subsidy-hire-summer-student#apply-for-a-summer-career-placement-subsidy-to-hire-a-student-or-youth</p> |



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| <p>Staffing Up Program</p> <p>Helps you as an employer to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • find, hire, and keep workers that are a good fit for your organization; • train new or existing workers to meet your needs; • develop workplace supports to accommodate your staff; • enhance your human resource knowledge and practice; • get and use labour market information; • connect with other employers to find and keep workers; and • hire workers to address emergent Government of Yukon priorities. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-667-5906 Email: labourmarket@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-supports-business/apply-funding-find-hire-and-keep-workers-staffing</p> |
| <p>Yukon Nominee Program (foreign workers)</p> <p>Allows employers to hire long-term employees. Foreign workers, called nominees, nominated to work under the program are accepted with the expectation that they will live in the Yukon over the long term.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-667-5131 Email: yukon.nominee@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/yukon-nominee-program-foreign-workers</p> |
| <p>Yukon Community Program</p> <p>Provides flexibility to employers in the Yukon's communities to address the seasonal nature of employment in the territory. While the focus is on retention and economic growth of communities outside of Whitehorse, employers in Whitehorse can also apply. This program is intended to grow a viable labour market outside Whitehorse with workers who can demonstrate that they intend to settle permanently in an eligible community.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-667-5131 Email: yukon.nominee@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-supports-business/apply-hire-foreign-worker-through-yukon-community</p> |



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| <p>Temporary Foreign Agricultural Worker Program Hire a temporary foreign agricultural worker under one of the following streams:</p> <p><u>Seasonal Agricultural Worker Program</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> temporary foreign worker must be from Mexico or the participating Caribbean countries production must be included on the National Commodities List <p><u>Agricultural stream</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> temporary foreign worker can be from any country production must be included on the National Commodities List <p><u>Stream for high-wage positions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> production is not included on the National Commodities List temporary foreign worker can be hired for any high-wage agricultural position <p><u>Stream for low-wage positions</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> production is not included on the National Commodities List temporary foreign worker can be hired for a low-wage agricultural | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary producers Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Employment and Social Development Canada</p> <p>Website: https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/services/foreign-workers/agricultural.html</p> |



Programs specific to Indigenous governments and organizations, non-profit organizations and municipal governments*

*Programs listed in other sections may also apply to these governments and organizations.

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| <p>AgriDiversity Program</p> <p>Supports activities that help the sector better leverage the potential of youth, women, Indigenous peoples and persons with disabilities.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations* • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments <p>* regional not-for-profit associations must demonstrate the ability to share data, lessons learned, final reports and material that would mitigate duplication of efforts with other regional associations.</p> | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aafc.agridiversityagri-diversite.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agridiversity-program</p> |
| <p>Community Development Fund</p> <p>Provides funding for projects, events and initiatives that provide long-term, sustainable economic and social benefits to the Yukon's communities.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-667-8125 Email: cdf@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/cdf</p> |
| <p>Food Literacy Grants</p> <p>Supports existing community-drive food literacy initiatives and new and innovative food programs.</p> <p>Eligible projects include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - cooking programs; - gardening; - traditional harvesting; - traditional preparation; and - supportive food environments. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Health and Social Services Health Promotion Unit Phone: 867-456-6160 Email: health.promotion.nutrition@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/food-literacy</p> |
| <p>Northern Indigenous Economic Opportunities Program (NIEOP)</p> <p>Supports greater participation by northern Inuit, First Nations and Métis communities and businesses and enables them to pursue opportunities for employment, income, and wealth creation.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada CanNor - Yukon Region Phone: 867-667-3263 E-mail: Operations@cannor.gc.ca Website: https://www.cannor.gc.ca/eng/1385486556734/1385486648146</p> |



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| <p>NIEOP is made up of two program streams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Community Readiness and Opportunities Planning program • The Entrepreneurship and Business Development program | | |
| <p>Climate Change and Health Adaptation Program Builds capacity for climate change adaptation by funding community-designed and driven projects. This program funds First Nations and Inuit communities' efforts to build capacity to adapt to the health impacts of climate change. Food security initiatives that help First Nation and Inuit communities respond to direct or indirect climate change impacts are eligible for funding under this program. Merran Smith, with the Council of Yukon First Nations, can provide information and assistance in developing proposals to the program.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada Indigenous Services Canada Council of Yukon First Nations Phone: 867-393-9200 Email: Nelly.Bouevitch@cyfn.net</p> <p>Indigenous Services Canada Phone: 867-332-8212 Email: merran.smith@sac-isc.gc.ca Website: https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1536238477403/1536780059794</p> |
| <p>Climate Change Preparedness in the North Program (Community Stream) Funds climate change adaptation projects in the Yukon, Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Nunavik and Nunatsiavut. The program works with Indigenous and northern communities, territorial and regional governments and other stakeholders to identify priorities for climate change adaptation in the North. The program provides support to northern communities and organizations to help them adapt to climate change impacts by funding, among others, projects that relate to country/traditional foods and food security.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments | <p>Government of Canada Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada</p> <p>Council of Yukon First Nations Phone: 867-393-9200 Email: Nelly.Bouevitch@cyfn.net</p> <p>Crown-Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada Phone: 613-218-8457 Email: andree.mailloux@rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca Website: https://www.rcaanc-cirnac.gc.ca/eng/1481305554936/1594738066665</p> |



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| <p>Lands and Economic Development Services Program: Project-based funding</p> <p>Offers project-based funding for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • economic development, land management and environment management activities, including (but not limited to) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ capacity development; ▪ planning; ▪ land designations that support economic development; and ▪ development of proposals to raise financial resources. • program management services pertaining to community economic development. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada</p> <p>Phone: 867-667-3888. Email: yukon@aadnc-aandc.gc.ca Website: https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1473167344730/1611275258458</p> |
| <p>Local Food Infrastructure Fund</p> <p>This fund is for community-based, not-for-profit organizations whose mission is to reduce food insecurity by establishing and strengthening their local food system. The program's primary goal is to help increase food security through investments in infrastructure needs.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments • Municipal governments • Territorial government | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada</p> <p>Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aaafc.foodprograms-programmesalimentaires.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/programmes/local-food-infrastructure-fund</p> |

Financing, business support and business risk management (BRM) programs

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| <p>Farm Credit Canada</p> <p>Provides financing, insurance, software, learning programs and other business services to producers, agribusiness and agri-food operations.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Indigenous organizations | <p>Farm Credit Canada</p> <p>Phone: 1-888-332-3301 Email: csc@fcc-fac.ca Website: https://www.fcc-fac.ca/en.html</p> |



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| <p>Yukon Business Incentive Tax Credit This personal tax credit reduces Yukon income tax for eligible investors who invest in eligible cooperatives or corporations with qualified investments. The tax credit permits eligible investors to claim 25 per cent of their investment in an eligible Yukon organization as a credit against their individual tax return. Investors are permitted to claim a credit to a maximum of \$25,000 per year.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-456-3803 Email: ecdev@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-support-business/get-tax-credit-organization-you-invest</p> |
| <p>Venture Loan Guarantee program Partnership between the Government of Yukon and participating financial institutions. This program encourages commercial lenders to invest in local businesses by guaranteeing a portion of the loan.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Indigenous organizations | <p>Government of Yukon Dept. of Economic Development Phone: 867-456-3803 Email: ecdev@yukon.ca Website: https://yukon.ca/en/doing-business/funding-and-support-business/apply-have-government-guarantee-part-your-business-loan</p> |
| <p>Pathfinding Services Offers free pathfinding services on how to start or grow a business.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Yukonstruct Phone: 867-457-0150 Email: info@yukonstruct.com Website: https://yukonstruct.com/pathfinding-services/</p> |
| <p>Start Up Boot Camp Develops your business or validates an innovative idea through an 8-week intensive business program.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Yukonstruct Phone: 867-457-0150 Email: info@yukonstruct.com Website: https://yukonstruct.com/startup-bootcamp/#</p> |
| <p>AgriInvest Allows producers to set money aside that can be used to recover from small income shortfalls or to make investments to reduce on-farm risks. This is a self-managed producer-government savings account.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-866-367-8506 Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agriinvest</p> |



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| <p>AgriStability Provides income support to producers who experience a large margin decline.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-866-367-8506 Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agristability</p> |
| <p>Canadian Agriculture Loans Act (CALA) Program A loan guarantee program designed to increase the availability of loans to farmers and agricultural co-operatives. Farmers can use these loans to establish, improve, and develop farms, while agricultural co-operatives may also access loans to process, distribute, or market the products of farming.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-866-367-8506 Email: aaafc.fgp-pgf.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/canadian-agricultural-loans-act-program</p> |
| <p>Farm Debt Mediation Service Provides financial counselling and mediation services to farmers in financial difficulty. It is a free and voluntary service for both producers and creditors.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-866-452-5556 Email: aaafc.fdmwest-smmeaouest.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/farm-debt-mediation-service</p> |



Programs supporting exporters

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| <p>Trade Accelerator Program (TAP) Helps small and medium-sized enterprises to gain the knowledge and network of contacts to unleash their export potential. Offered through a series of online workshop sessions with trade and industry experts, Canadian business leaders learn to overcome export barriers and reach new markets faster. Available through the World Trade Centre of Toronto's online platform.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Export Development Canada Website: https://www.edc.ca/en/campaign/trade-accelerator-program.html</p> <p>Edmonton Chamber of Commerce Phone: 780-409-2134 Email: asamji@edmontonchamber.com Website: https://www.edmontonchamber.com/tap/</p> |
| <p>CanExport – Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Offers financial support and personalized advice from experienced trade commissioners that will help you identify potential markets, partnerships, and opportunities to achieve your international business needs.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Global Affairs Canada, Trade Commissioner Service Phone: 1-866-203-2454 Email: CanExportSMEs@international.gc.ca Website: https://www.tradecommissioner.gc.ca/funding-financement/canexport/sme-pme/index.aspx?lang=eng</p> |
| <p>Agri-Food Trade Services for Exporters Offers a single point of contact for helping the Canadian food industry and businesses reach international markets.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Email: aaafc.mas-sam.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/international-trade/single-window-contact-agri-food-trade-services</p> |
| <p>Canada Brand Helps global consumers recognize Canadian food and beverage products and showcases the diverse range of products from our varied landscape from coast to coast to coast.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Email: marque-canada-brand@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriclient.powerappsportals.com/en-CA/home-accueil/</p> |
| <p>Trade Show Service Promotes your products at the world's premier food and beverage trade shows.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/international-trade/trade-show-service</p> |



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| <p>AgriAssurance Program: Small and Medium-sized Enterprise (SME) Supports businesses to adopt assurance systems and supporting tools to make verifiable claims to meet export market requirements or domestic markets for Indigenous Peoples.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aafc.assurance.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agriassurance-small-and-medium-sized-enterprise-component</p> |

Programs supporting research and innovation

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| <p>Yukon University Innovation and Entrepreneurship Works with innovators and entrepreneurs to take their ideas from concept to market in broad ways. The program has a strong focus on women and First Nations, supporting Yukon made ideas and innovations via financial support, business-specific wrap around support, programs, expertise, and space.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Yukon University Phone: 867-668-8759 Email: innovation@yukonu.ca Website: https://www.yukonu.ca/innovation</p> |
| <p>AgriInnovate Program Provides repayable contributions for projects that aim to accelerate the demonstration, commercialization, and/or adoption of innovative products, technologies, processes or services that increase agri-sector competitiveness and sustainability.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aafc.agriinnovateprogram-programmeagriinnovover.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agriinnovate-program</p> |
| <p>AgriScience Program – Projects Component Funds pre-commercial research and development projects that benefits the agriculture and agri-food sector and Canadians.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary producers • Food processors • Non-profit organizations • Indigenous organizations • Indigenous governments | <p>Government of Canada Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Phone: 1-877-246-4682 Email: aafc.agriscienceprogram-programmeagri-science.aac@agr.gc.ca Website: https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/agricultural-programs-and-services/agriscience-program-projects</p> |