# TECHNOLOGY ROADMAPPING

# Charting the course to innovation

Fresh thinking
- industry-led
- government-supported

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# THE TECHNOLOGY ROADMAP

# Connecting Technology to Planning

With a technology roadmap, an industry charts the course toward world-leading innovation and launches the action plan to make it reality.

Industry-led, with government support, a technology roadmap is a catalyst to market-driven innovation.

### TECHNOLOGY ROADMAPPING...

is both a process and a forecasting tool that:

- predicts the technologies imperative to addressing future markets;
- charts a path for commercialising the right technologies;
- helps industry seize new market opportunities;
- guides technology R&D decisions;
- builds new partnerships and R&D collaborations, both within Canada and internationally;
- provides crucial input to government policy.

## INDUSTRY AND GOVERNMENT ROLES

Technology roadmapping is led by industry.

The federal government collaborates and provides various supports and services to launch and implement roadmapping.

Once completed, a roadmap can provide the framework for partnership among the diverse groups within an industry sector, becoming the basis for collaborative R&D and other joint efforts. The federal government can also assist at this stage.

#### TALK TO US

If you think technology roadmapping can help your industry be a leading innovator, we need to know.

Contact Industry Canada, or recommend in your Innovation Consultation report that the federal government work with your sector to explore the potential for developing a roadmap and the strategy for implementing it.

