

## THE AGRICULTURAL CLEAN TECHNOLOGY (ACT) PROGRAM

The ACT is a three-year, up to $\$ 25$ milliion program that supports research and development, technology and knowledge transfer as well as the commercialization and adoption of clean technologies in Canada's agriculture, agri-food and agri-based products sector. The aim is to generate positive impacts on land, water and air, while reducing the intensity of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in agricultural production.

## DETAILS

The program provides nonrepayable contributions to clean technology projects that focus on the following priorities:

- supporting clean growth and innovation as Canada transitions to a low-carbon economy;
- enabling adoption of clean technologies;
- reducing environmental impacts and initiating changes to reduce GHG emissions;
- promoting one of two key areas of clean technologies: precision agriculture and agri-based bioproducts.


## WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Provincial and territorial governments in Canada.

For-profit and not-for-profit organizations that are incorporated in Canada, including:

- businesses and/or corporations;
- co-operatives;
- Indigenous groups;
- academic institutions.


## FUNDING

Applicants may apply for funding for up to 50 percent of total eligible project costs, to a maximum of \$5 million.

Where the Applicant is a for-profit or not-for-profit organization, a $10 \%$ cash contribution is required from the provincial or territorial government supporting the project.

## TIMELINE

The ACT Program expires on March 31, 2021.
Applications are being accepted on a continuous basis until September 30, 2020, or until funding has been fully committed.

## For more information, please visit:

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