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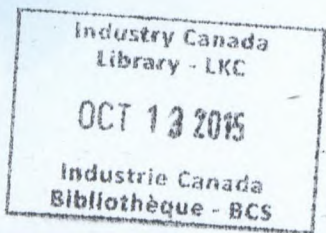
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For biotechnology researchers seeking information, entrepreneurs looking for potential investors, or consumers interested in learning more about life sciences, our on-line information products have the answers. The **Life Sciences Branch** of Industry Canada provides up-to-date information about a variety of topics related to the Canadian and international life sciences industry.

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Biotechnology Gateway

Linking you to the world of biotechnology

A gateway that provides information on all aspects of biotechnology.

- Canadian industry overview
- Biotechnology company capabilities
- Biotechnology products and services
- Government programs and strategies
- International investment

<http://strategis.gc.ca/bio>

Commercialization Portal

Uniting business and science

A window to the world of life sciences commercialization.

- Business development and marketing
- Financing and venture capital
- Technology transfer
- Partnerships and international investment
- Industry and government resources
- Regulatory environment

<http://strategis.gc.ca/commport>



Biotechnology Regulatory Assistance Virtual Office (BRAVO)

Clarifying Canada's regulatory roadmap to biotechnology success

A comprehensive view of Canada's regulatory landscape designed to assist industry in achieving regulatory compliance in the areas of agriculture, aquaculture, energy, the environment, forestry, mining and health.

- Acts and regulations
 - Guidelines
 - Standards
 - Contact information
- <http://bravo.ic.gc.ca>

Biotechnology Business Intelligence Express (Bio BIX)

Examining intellectual property and biotechnology

A compendium of Canadian technological innovations in biotechnology.

- Assessment of strategic opportunities and threats
 - Evaluation of collaboration prospects, new products and processes
 - Science and technology-related trends
 - Patents and trademarks
- <http://strategis.gc.ca/biobix>

Biotechnology Clusters

Investing in biotechnology

A geographic and sectoral guide to the growing biotechnology industry in Canada.

- Leading research activities
- Company profiles
- Support mechanisms
- Investment opportunities

<http://strategis.gc.ca/bioclusters>

Industrial Sustainability

Building environmentally conscious industries

A tool for using biotechnology to promote responsible industry practices.

- Cleaner production
- Renewable resources
- Bio-based economy
- Case studies

<http://strategis.gc.ca/biosustainability>

Invest in Life Sciences

Building financial strength

Highlighting investment information for biotechnology and health sectors.

- Investment information
- Latest life sciences news
- Company capabilities
- Contact information

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Biotechnology Science Centre

Building knowledge

A virtual laboratory for learning about the science that drives biotechnology.

- Concepts and applications clearly defined
 - Latest technologies simply explained
- <http://strategis.gc.ca/biosciences>

Biotechnology and the Consumer

Exploring the world of biotechnology

A consumer-oriented primer that examines historical, present and future applications of biotechnology in the Canadian marketplace.

- Product sectors include health, food, and the environment
 - Social issues surrounding biotechnology applications
 - Federal regulation of biotechnology in Canada
- <http://strategis.gc.ca/consumerbio>

Ethics and the Industry

Exploring the social implications of biotechnology

An examination of science and ethics in today's biotechnology industry.

- Industry initiatives in ethics
 - Laws, conventions and guidelines
 - Discussion scenarios
- <http://strategis.gc.ca/bioethics>

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Life Sciences e-Technology Transfer (LSeTT)

Presenting Canada's technology compendium for worldwide innovations

A searchable database of domestic and international technology licensing opportunities.

- A "life sciences only" search engine
- University research and innovation
- Marketable technologies from government laboratories and hospitals
- Technology transfer offices and contacts from hundreds of worldwide sources

<http://strategis.gc.ca/LSeTT>

Coming Soon

Biotechnology Regulatory Pathway to Market (BioRPM)

Guiding you to market

A step-by-step guide detailing each phase of the regulatory process and facilitating compliance with Canadian regulatory requirements from R&D to the post-market.

Biotechnology Regulatory Assistance Virtual Office U.S. (BRAVO U.S.)

Mapping the U.S. regulatory landscape

A regulatory roadmap through federal and state legislation in the United States.

It provides federal guidelines to assist regulatory compliance and contact information of U.S. departments and agencies.

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