

DEFENCE INVESTMENT PLAN 2018

CANADIAN ARMY AT A GLANCE

SCALABLE

AGILE

RESPONSIVE

23,400
REGULAR FORCE



17,640
RESERVE FORCE



5,140
CANADIAN
RANGERS



3,370
CIVILIANS

*approximate current staff complement

PEOPLE



The Canadian Army has significantly enhanced its recruiting process into its Reserve Force by expediting enrollment. From April 2017 to June 2018, approximately 3,000 new recruits were welcomed into the Army.

EQUIPMENT



Major milestones achieved for the recapitalization and modernization of the Canadian Army include the light and heavy logistic vehicles, enhanced recovery vehicles, heavy equipment construction vehicles and material handling equipment. In addition, the Land Vehicle Crew Training System project, which will provide soldiers with modernized combat vehicle simulation training, is steadily moving forward.

TRAINING



The Canadian Army launched Full-Time Summer Employment in May 2018. Army Reservists in their first 4 years of service can benefit from guaranteed employment gaining unique and relevant work experience while learning valuable life and leadership skills.

CAPITAL INVESTMENT ON A CASH BASIS (\$MILLIONS)

4,876

972

1,435

7,283

Equipment

Infrastructure

IM/IT

PROJECTS TO HIGHLIGHT



- Modernize Logistic Vehicles
- Develop Joint Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear Defence
- Develop Joint Counter-Improvised Explosive Defence
- Acquire Ground-Based Air Defence
- Enhance the Light Force

OPERATIONS



Starting in 2018, Army Reserve units will be assigned specific Mission Tasks: mortars, pioneers, light urban search and rescue and direct fire support. These initiatives will enable the Army Reserve to meet changing operational requirements and also fully integrate with the Regular Force ensuring full-time capability through part-time service.



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