

ATLANTIC GROWTH STRATEGY

WORKING FOR ATLANTIC CANADIANS SINCE JULY 2016

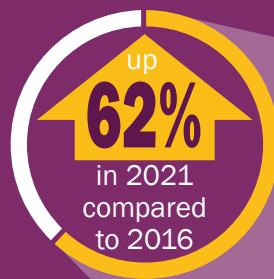


IMPACTING ATLANTIC CANADA'S ECONOMY

75,600
JOB CREATED
between July 2017
and April 2022

75,500+
economic immigrants
and their families
admitted between
January 2016 and
May 2022

ATLANTIC EXPORT VALUE



FOOD AND SEAFOOD EXPORTS up **31.9%** since 2017

GROWING A SKILLED WORKFORCE AND PROMOTING IMMIGRATION

The **ATLANTIC IMMIGRATION PILOT** made a permanent program in 2021



14,500+
newcomers and their families
admitted through AIP since 2017,
exceeding target by more than double



642 international students graduated under Study and Stay by March 2021, exceeding target of 540

GROWING INNOVATIVE BUSINESSES

123 firms received **customized support** to grow their business faster through Accelerated Growth Service between 2016 and 2022

As of 2019, there were **410 high-growth firms in the region**, 1.2 times the baseline of 340 set in 2014

In 2019, **33.4% of Atlantic businesses used advanced technology**, compared to 14.7% in 2012

BOOSTING INFRASTRUCTURE

350 rural and remote communities connected to broadband as of June 2022

INVESTING IN CLEAN TECHNOLOGY

From 2005 to 2020, **greenhouse gases have fallen by 31%**, above target of 30%

Clean Power Roadmap for Atlantic Canada released in March 2022, proposing a **collective vision for a clean energy future**

Over \$593M invested between 2016 and March 2022

STRENGTHENING TRADE, INVESTMENT AND TOURISM

250+ COMPANIES participated in **IN-MARKET ACTIVITIES** through the Atlantic Trade and Investment Growth Agreement (ATIGA) since April 2017

2.5M INTERNATIONAL VISITORS to Atlantic Canada between July 2016 and March 2022

1,280+ COMPANIES supported with **CAPACITY BUILDING INITIATIVES** through ATIGA since April 2017

