

IRVIN INDUSTRIES CANADA LIMITED

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Keywords: Protective Equipment, Air Delivery Systems, Personnel Survival Equipment, Personnel Restraint Equipment, Parachutes, Precision Opening Release Systems, Inflatable Life Support Systems, Special Purpose Parachutes, Recovery Systems, Deceleration Systems, Drone Recovery Systems, Protective Clothing, Survival Kits. (Sub-system manufacture, repair and overhaul of life support and recovery systems).

History: Irvin Industries was incorporated in Canada in 1925 and is a subsidiary of Irvin Aerospace Ltd., Ampthill, U.K. The parent company not only operates many facilities in the U.S. and one in Canada, but also in the U.K. and Italy, and has licensees in West Germany and Japan.

Capability/Products:

Experience: Irvin's customers include the USAF (FF-2 Hitefinder Automatic Parachute Release Mechanism, Vacuum Test Chamber), U.S. Army (FF-2 Hitefinder), the Canadian Department of National Defence, Canadair, Fleet Industries, Eurocopter Canada Ltd., and many other off-shore customers (primarily military).

Rank Export Countries: South East Asia (ASEAN), Europe (NATO), U.S.A.

Plant Size: 66,000 square feet.

Average Work Force: 200

Export Sales: \$8.5 Million

Ratio Commercial/Defence Exports: 99% Defence.

Qualifications: NATO/DND, AQAP-1

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