

For foreign investors seeking shelter in a turbulent global economy, Canada offers stability and growth prospects that no other G7 nation can match.

With its strong, stable and dynamic economy, Canada is the ideal place to do business. From aerospace to software to life sciences, many of the world's most innovative and successful companies have a presence in Canada. Join them by making Canada your next investment destination.

To help firms like yours flourish even in these uncertain times, Canada offers a competitive tax regime and generous research and development (R&D) incentives. Its well-educated, talented and diverse workforce is another draw. Canada also delivers unparalleled access to the North American marketplace—along with high living standards and a safe business environment.

a position of strength

Canada Wins Gold For Economic Growth Performance Among G7 Countries For Over A Decade

Canada's Winning Performance

- Over the past ten years, Canada has taken first place among the G7 countries in GDP and employment growth.
- Canada will lead the G7 in real economic growth from 2009 to 2013, according to the Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU).
- Canada is the best place in the G7 to invest and do business during the next five years, as ranked by the EIU.
- Canada has the soundest banking system in the world, according to the World Economic Forum's 2008-2009 *Global Competitiveness Report*.
- Canada will rebound much faster than any other G7 economy in 2010, expecting 2.3 percent growth in that year, according to a consensus forecast of the world's leading economists.
- Due to its prudent fiscal policies since the mid-1990s, Canada had been posting 11 straight budget surpluses and slashing its debt, making it far less vulnerable than the U.S. and other G7 countries, where current account deficits and net foreign debt are ballooning. 

