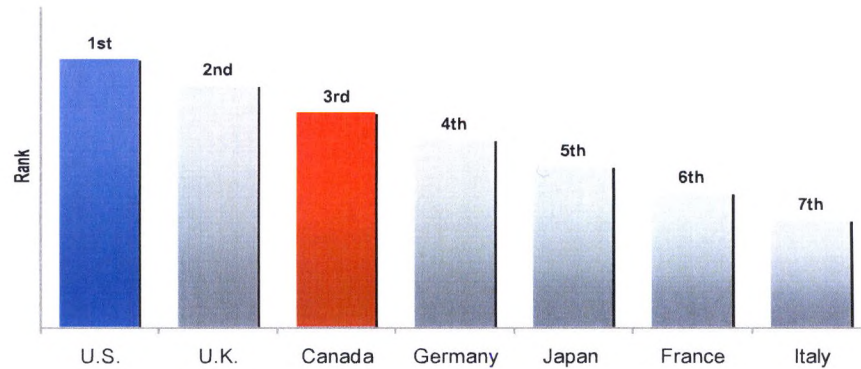




...and Stands Among Leaders in IT Industry Competitiveness

- Canada ranks third behind the U.S. and the U.K. among the G-7 and seventh in a 66-country review of the countries best suited to provide an optimally competitive environment for information technology (IT) firms.

IT Industry Competitiveness Index* G-7 Ranking



*Standing among 66 countries. Index based on the following six categories of quantitative and qualitative indicators: overall business environment; IT infrastructure; human capital; legal environment; R&D environment; and support for IT industry development.
Source: Economist Intelligence Unit, September 2011

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