



# AEROSPACE AND DEFENCE

## LAUNCHING THE NEXT FRONTIER IN TECHNOLOGY.

With **TWO** air force bases, Canada's first commercial spaceport, the Maritime Warfare Centre, and half of Canada's **TOP 10** defence companies, Nova Scotia is a natural hub for aerospace and defence activity.

Canada's next fleet of combat vessels are being constructed in Halifax, Nova Scotia, by Irving Shipbuilding in the largest under-cover shipbuilding facility in North America. The \$70 billion contract is the largest single defence procurement in Canadian history. It's no wonder it was awarded here. We have the technical expertise, cooperative industry, and workforce needed to deliver. Attracted by our strategic location, concentration of aerospace and defence activities, concentration of defence activities, and access to cost competitive talent, Nova Scotia has a dynamic cluster of companies delivering innovative solutions to global markets.