WHY THE ARIF?

A strong research and innovation system lays the foundation for remarkable discoveries, creates new jobs, and helps Alberta build a prosperous, growing society positioned for national and international success.

The Government of Alberta realizes that setting realistic, measurable targets is the first step to achievement. This Framework sets out a suite of aspirational Innovation Targets, intended to inspire collective action to develop transformational solutions that advance the lives of Albertans.

Aspirational, yet feasible innovation targets in areas of highest need or opportunity will:

- stimulate bold ideas and actions from innovators, industry, and entrepreneurs;
- guide research investments to support new knowledge where it’s needed; and
- support a robust pipeline of innovations from early stage to scale-up, to market-ready.

WHAT IS NECESSARY FOR SUCCESS?

A successful research and innovation system requires the right elements and conditions to support and catalyze its findings and activities:

- Infrastructure
- People
- Innovation Environment
- System Linkages

HOW WILL WE GET THERE?


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