

Canada's Climate Investment Taxonomy:

Canada is making it easier for investors to align and mobilize private capital for a net zero future.

The proposed taxonomy framework will define and classify activities under two categories, based on their degree of risk and opportunity in the net zero transition.

Green-eligible Investments

Financing activities that:

- Generate low-or zero greenhouse gas emissions; or,
- Directly enable low-emitting activities; and,
- Produce goods and services the world needs more of on 1.5°C pathways



Solar & wind power



Hydrogen production from low-carbon electricity



Batteries & storage technologies



Electricity transmission lines



Hydrogen pipelines

Certain activities are ineligible, including

- Any projects related to solid fossil fuels, like coal.
- New oil and gas projects, or significant expansions of existing projects.



Transition-eligible Investments

Investing to help significantly reduce emissions in two types of high-polluting activities:

- Those facing stable or growing global demand on 1.5°C pathways and lacking low-emitting alternatives.
- Existing projects facing declining global demand with emissions profiles and lifespans that align with 1.5°C pathways.



Installing an electric arc furnace at a steel plant



Building a new blue hydrogen facility with a high emissions capture rate



Installing world-leading methane capture on an existing natural gas project.



Installing carbon capture, utilization, and storage on an existing oilsands facility.

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