

What is the Canadian Commercial Corporation (CCC)?

Pierre Pettigrew, Liberal Minister for International Trade, praised the CCC:

“Since its creation in 1946, CCC has acquired a unique expertise in the sale of Canadian goods and services to the public sector of foreign countries. It is well-known for its capacity to meet the needs of the defence and aerospace sectors of foreign governments, in particular the *U.S. Department of Defense, its most important client.*

“The CCC is focusing on three types of support for Canadian exporters: customized export sales and contracting services, a govern-

ment-backed guarantee of contract performance for Canadian suppliers of foreign buyers, and access to commercial financing for Canadian companies in need of working capital to finance exports before shipping.”

Source: House of Commons, Sept. 19, 2001.

Note on Table 9: Because the CCC acts as the broker for exporters, it effectively hides information on military exports from public view. As a result, the Canadian corporations responsible for exporting the products listed in Table 9 are not made public.

CCC Rank within the Top 100 U.S. "Department of Defense" Prime Contractors		
Year	Rank	Value (US\$)
1996	51	258,633,000
1997	68	202,312,000
1999	83	166,293,000
2000	19	676,881,000
2001	58	280,131,000
2002	46	394,578,000
Total		\$2,033,505,000

Table 9: Military Exports to the U.S., Brokered by the Canadian Commercial Corporation (2001 - 2002)

Weapon System	Iraq War 2003	Contract Values (\$US)			Weapon System	Iraq War 2003	Contract Values (\$US)		
		2001	2002	Total			2001	2002	Total
M249 5.56mm SQD Automatic Weapon	✓	68,200		68,200	H100-T400-CP400 PT-6T-3		2,802,838	8,178,402	10,981,240
M60 7.62mm Machine Gun		1,987,425	1,328,696	3,316,121	H-46		66,218	903,348	969,566
A-10	✓	892,875	525,948	1,418,823	Helicopter Training			1,168,680	1,168,680
M1 Abrams series	✓	4,983,237	2,865,276	7,848,513	HH-53		920,385	473,328	1,393,713
AH-1G		1,022,430		1,022,430	J69		103,004	3,093,708	3,196,712
AH-1J		204,461	356,021	560,482	J85		668,455		668,455
AH-64	✓	72,510	613,485	685,995	KC-135	✓	32,869,848		32,869,848
AN/BSY-2 Submarine Combat System		1,329,789		1,329,789	Light Armoured Vehicle	✓	8,750,303	976,730	9,727,033
AN/TSC-61 Flight Coord Control		29,708		29,708	M-109 Howitzer	✓	88,396	90,552	178,948
AN-SSQ-53 (DIFAR)		1,061,785		1,061,785	M60 105mm Gun			12,034,015	12,034,015
B-1	✓		741,724	741,724	OH-58	✓	203,194	1,150,000	1,353,194
B-52	✓	26,612	1,156,850	1,183,462	P-3	✓	5,546,551	11,689,736	17,236,287
M-2/M-3	✓	41,715	338,750	380,465	Rescue & Salvage Ship			6,981,864	6,981,864
C-121		25,900		25,900	Rescue Ship Submarine		3,000,000		3,000,000
C-130	✓	16,745,715	4,137,835	20,883,550	S-3	✓	34,289	50,425	84,714
C-141			169,600	169,600	Satellite Communications		1,800,000		1,800,000
C-2	✓		670,080	670,080	SH-3D	✓	6,331,051	17,754,372	24,085,423
C-45		497,900		497,900	SH-60	✓		1,702,804	1,702,804
C-5		1,549,014	3,425,656	4,974,670	Sight Crew SRVD Weapons AN/TVS5			143,080	143,080
Aircraft Carrier, Nuclear			80,460	80,460	T-37		38,961		38,961
CH-47	✓	2,750,888	228,938	2,979,826	T-38		4,167,872		4,167,872
CH-53	✓		4,059,076	4,059,076	T400		1,959,650	3,358,213	5,317,863
DDG-2 Destroyer		17,043,801	14,609,786	31,653,587	T-56		1,794,047	679,430	2,473,477
E-2	✓	1,176,119	4,719,909	5,896,028	T-58		1,904,274	582,171	2,486,445
E-3A	✓	105,616		105,616	T700			117,000	117,000
EA-6B	✓	36,120	43,196	79,316	TA4			140,024	140,024
F110		481,004	758,600	1,239,604	TF33		123,420		123,420
F-14	✓	7,628,381	11,569,896	19,198,277	TF34		3,609,320	826,984	4,436,304
F-15	✓	61,597	1,328,474	1,390,071	Trident			142,154	142,154
F-16	✓	280,521	5,110,973	5,391,494	Trucks >10 ton		3,465,127	3,558,963	7,024,090
F-18	✓	8,582,949	2,837,399	11,420,348	UH-1	✓	321,766	80,513	402,279
F-4		776,212	2,838,728	3,614,940	UH-3H	✓	10,480,333	13,285,254	23,765,587
F-404-GE-400 or 402		411,440	3,448,630	3,860,070	UH60	✓	7,582,402	1,622,520	9,204,922
F-5			231,000	231,000					
Fork Lift 50,000 lb			149,239	149,239	Totals		229,079,933	168,439,798	327,568,293