

# National Research Council of Canada:

## Advancing the manufacturing and technology sectors



The National Research Council of Canada's (NRC) Advanced Manufacturing Research Facility is designed and built to meet the needs of local industries, businesses, and academic communities as well as to increase the NRC's research and development capabilities in digital manufacturing and sustainable food packaging.

### Facilitating Innovation and Collaboration

Inspired by nature, the building shell features metal and ceramic tiles that create a reflective screen that mirrors wind and light patterns. Extensive glazing not only allows natural light to filter into the building, but also provides opportunities for the public to see the work being undertaken. The two-storey, state-of-the-art research hub features 10 modular lab spaces, administrative and

support areas, and a large lunchroom. A flexible organization system ensures the building can adapt to changing future research program or expansion needs and reflects the high standards of collaboration and technical advances supported by the NRC's mission as a leader in innovation.



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**FEATURED PRODUCTS**  
Popcorn seating, Swap tables,  
Drift lounge, Terina tables,  
Boulevard panels

**ARCHITECT**  
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