

FPIInnovations Ontario Team and Forest Sector Road Map

FPIInnovations supports the Canadian forest products sector through new technologies, continuous improvement and market information in forest operations, wood products, pulp & paper and bio-products industries. A private not-for-profit organization funded through industry and government memberships, FPIInnovations delivers industry-directed R&D to its members through its three labs and 500+ employees.

In **Ontario**, FPIInnovations has a strategic partnership with **provincial** and **federal** funders to create and stimulate economic development opportunities in value-added forestry and wood products through the implementation of technology, market research and export assistance.

Technical support from FPIInnovations Ontario Team:

- ▣ **Level I: Technical Enquiries**
 Up to ½ day of complimentary service in response to telephone and e-mail enquiries about forestry or wood products operations, products and markets.
- ▣ **Level II: Direct Technical Support (DTS) Project**
 Up to five days of free technical service to assist SMEs in developing new products and processes and in implementing new technologies.
- ▣ **Level III: Process & Product Development (P & PD) Study**
 More in-depth project to pursue new business ideas through technical investigation and market research. Upon approval by the Ontario Steering Committee, studies can be funded up to 75% and a maximum of \$20,000.

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Locations marked on map: Kenora, Dryden, Barwick, Timmins, Sault Ste. Marie, Mattawa, Toronto, Oakville.

Focus Areas

Forest Operations Services ([link](#))

Marketing Intelligence & Economics

Sawmilling

Stick Frame, Log & Timber Frame Construction ([link](#))

Lumber Drying

Engineered Wood Products

Millwork

Furniture and Kitchen Cabinets

Export Support ([link](#))

Panel Products & Composites

Lean Manufacturing ([link](#))

Design Integration

Quality Systems

Processing Solutions

Bio-energy Options ([link](#))

Business Assessments ([link](#))



Case Studies Links

Dream Homes Case Study 2012

Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek Case Study 2012

Manitou Case Study 2012

