

EXPERTISE

Babcock has built and maintained a collaborative relationship with its industry partners and the Canadian Government for over 13 years to deliver on Canada's submarine program.

No other company has the same breadth and depth of Canadian submarine sustainment experience. Babcock's specialized workforce of submarine experts has helped Canada build a strategic submarine sustainment capability tailored to meet the needs of the Victoria-Class submarine fleet.

Babcock and their Team-Victoria Class partners, including BMT and Seaspan Victoria Shipyards, have built and nurtured a Canadian-based supply chain with over 450 suppliers. Team Victoria-Class has created and maintained over 2,000 indirect and direct jobs, from which over 60% of the positions are considered highly-skilled roles.



Initially, the delivery of Submarine sustainment in Canada leaned heavily on staff recruited or seconded from overseas, who brought in the experience and skills necessary to set up and lead the teams required to support the Victoria-Class submarines. While Babcock continues to trust its global expertise and recruits the best talent globally, its reliance on overseas recruitments has been reduced. They've invested in developing the in-country expertise needed to support the submarine program.

Today, they are proud to see Senior Engineers and Technologists who joined Babcock straight out of Canadian universities and colleges and spent their entire professional careers on Canadian submarines leading teams and passing their knowledge onto the next generation of Canadian Marine Engineers.