



Information & Communications Technology 2014 Ventures by the Numbers

The Information & Communications Technology (ICT) group works closely with high-impact, growth-oriented ventures to commercialize their disruptive technology innovations. From idea to growth, the ICT team supports over 600 ventures annually through their resident expert advisors and associates, as well as a robust network of mentors and industry specialists.

4 Industry Clusters

- Financial Technology (FinTech)
- Consumer & Commerce
- Work & Learning
- LegalX

Capital Raised (dilutive and non-dilutive)



>600 >55

Number of active ventures supported

Number of staff and volunteer advisors

>30 Number of strategic events held to introduce ventures to customer and capital partners

Revenue Generated



7 Core Competencies

- Web
- Mobile
- Social
- Cloud
- Big Data
- M2M (machine-to-machine)
- Hardware

Total Jobs Created & Retained



Total number of jobs created by MaRS ICT ventures

District 20

Launched in February 2015, District 20 in the MaRS Heritage Building is MaRS' incubation graduation space – that is, a home for ventures that are too large for the MaRS Commons, but not big enough for their own dedicated offices. Measuring more than 6,000 square feet, it gives companies in the five- to 15-person headcount stage confidential, private areas where they can build their own company culture, while also offering access to all of the benefits of a communal venture community. It is currently home to six hand-selected ICT ventures.

MaRS Commons

The MaRS Commons is an 8,500-square-foot, modern, open-concept workspace complete with a boardroom, four meeting rooms and a kitchen. It's home to the MaRS ICT team and provides co-working space for a curated group of high-growth ventures.

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