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## **EDITORIAL DIRECTOR'S NOTE**

# Canadian electronics industry grows on innovation



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Canada's electronic industry continues to innovate and make itself relevant on the global stage, whether in video or broadcast, factory automation or resource sectors.

Supply chain executives at EDS 2014 sited Canada's electronics design engineers as early adopters, leading to successful product introductions with leading edge technologies such as the latest in embedded systems. These same executives also noted that Canada leads North America in sales growth.

Today, with an engaged electronics engineering audience and a variety of print and digital services, *Canadian Electronics* is well positioned to serve this growing market throughout 2015. *Canadian Electronics* offers marketers 4 print editions per year, weekly e-newsletters, a daily updated website, an ever-expanding video library and opportunities to reach our buying audience through custom e-blasts.

As Editorial Director and an electronics engineering technologist, I strive to ensure that every issue and digital media offering of *Canadian Electronics* helps keep readers informed about products, news, technologies and thought leader developments in the industry. In our 2014 Reader Survey, 72% of *Canadian Electronics* readers said it was an important source of electronics design engineering information for keeping up-to-date on the industry.

In addition to the print edition of *Canadian Electronics* and its interactive digital edition, newsletters, website and frequent video postings keep readers up to date. For the electronics engineer, technologist executive and technician in Canada, the *Canadian Electronics* brand is a recognized name that industry professionals have trusted since 1986.

## CE's Market Place

Canada's Information and Communications Technology (ICT) manufacturing sector includes computer and peripheral equipment, communications equipment, electronic component, instruments, wire and cable, and industrial machinery. In the most recent data from Statistics Canada, Canadian exports of ICT goods reached \$17.8 billion. Exports of commercial industry machinery (\$383 million), instruments (\$295 million) and electronic components (\$293 million) make up the bulk of this sales volume.

From this data, exports of ICT goods to the U.S. are tabulated at \$11.0 billion, accounting for 61.9% of Canadian ICT goods exports. Imports of ICT goods, on the other hand, are at \$43.6 billion, the data reveals.

The statistics reveal that imports of wireless communications equipment are followed by wired communications equipment.

Instruments accounted for the largest proportion of exports of ICT goods in this data (22.4%), while computer and peripheral equipment accounted for the largest proportion of imports of ICT goods (27.6%).

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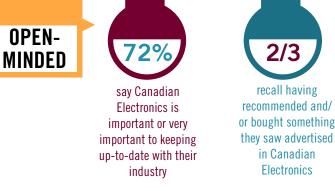
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**62%** have read at least 3 of the last 4 issues they received: 44% have read all four

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# CANADIAN ELECTRONICS 2015 EDITORIAL CALENDAR

Issue

#### **Special Feature Topics**

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#### **FEBRUARY**

Editorial: Jan. 2 Ad close: Jan. 16 Ad material due: Jan. 23

- Batteries & Power Supplies
- Connectivity
- Enclosures

**Special Feature:** Electronics in AUTOMATION

- Switches, Relays
- Test & Measurement

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Editorial: July 24

Ad close: Aug. 7

Ad material due: Aug. 14

- Batteries & Power Supplies
- Connectivity
- Enclosures
- Switches, Relays
- Test & Measurement

**Special Feature:** Electronics in POWER TECHNOLOGY

#### **MAY**

Editorial: March 19 Ad close: Apr. 2 Ad material due: Apr. 9

- Batteries & Power Supplies
- Connectivity
- Enclosures, Fans & Heatsinks
- Motors & Motion Control
- Sensors
- Test & Measurement

#### **NOVEMBER**

Editorial: Sept. 25

Ad close: Oct. 9

Ad material due: Oct. 16

- Batteries & Power Supplies
- Connectivity
- Displays & LEDs
- Enclosures, Fans & Heatsinks
- Motors & Motion Control
- Test & Measurement

**Special Feature:** Electronics in WIRELESS TECHNOLOGY

Special Feature: Electronics in MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

## IN EVERY ISSUE

- Mark Borkowski Business advice you can use
- Taking License Intellectual Property & Patent trends
- Director's Chair Editorial Director's look at the industry
- Industry News Latest from Vendors, Distributors, Reps, R&D
- Teardown Garage Industry experts reveal hottest components
- Executive Q&A

  Thought leadership from top industry executives



# **Technology Handbooks**



#### **FEBRUARY**

#### **TEST & MEASUREMENT**

Ad Close: Jan. 16 Ad material due: Jan 23

#### MAY

#### CONNECTIVITY

Ad close: Apr. 2 Ad material due: Apr. 9

#### **SEPTEMBER**

#### **POWER SUPPLIES**

Ad Close: Aug. 7 Ad Material due: Aug. 14

## NOVEMBER ENCLOSURES

Ad close: Oct. 9
Ad material due: Oct. 16

# 2015 EDITORIAL DIGITAL MEDIA CALENDAR

PRODUCT FOCUS	E-NEWS	E-NEWS			
	AD MATERIAL DUE DATE	LIVE DATE			
JANUARY 2015	DOEDATE				
Motors & Motion Control, Connectivity	January 2	January 8			
LEDs, Displays	January 8	January 15			
Power Supplies, Test & Measurement	-				
	January 15	January 22			
FEBRUARY 2015	January 22	January 29			
	January 20	Г-h			
Enclosures, Sensors	January 29	February 5			
Microprocessors, FPGAs	February 5	February 12			
Connectivity, Passive Components	February 12	February 19			
Embedded Systems, Test & Measurement	February 19	February 26			
MARCH 2015					
Power Supplies & Batteries, Relays	February 26	March 5			
Switches, Wireless Components	March 5	March 12			
Test & Measurement, Motors & Motion Control	March 12	March 19			
LEDs, Sensors	March 19	March 26			
APRIL 2015					
Connectivity, Wire & Cable, Enclosures	April 2	April 9			
Switches, Displays	April 9	April 16			
Sensors, Power Supplies	April 16	April 23			
Test & Measurement, Batteries	April 23	April 30			
MAY 2015					
Motors & Motion Control, Switches	April 30	May 7			
LEDs & Relays	May 7	May 14			
Enclosures, Test & Measurement	May 14	May 21			
Power Supplies, Switches	May 21	May 28			
JUNE 2015					
EDS 2015 Video Report, Connectivity	May 28	June 4			
Motors & Motion Control, Displays	June 4	June 11			
Power Supplies, Passive Components	June 11	June 18			
LEDs, Sensors	June 18	June 25			

PRODUCT FOCUS	E-NEWS AD MATERIAL	E-NEWS LIVE DATE
	DUE DATE	
JULY 2015		
Connectivity, Wire & Cable, Test & Measurement	July 2	July 9
Enclosures, Power Supplies	July 9	July 16
Motors & Motion Control, Displays	July 16	July 23
AUGUST 2015		
Batteries, Terminal Blocks	July 30	August 6
Passive Components, Enclosures & Thermal Management	August 6	August 13
Power Supplies & Relays	August 13	August 20
Switches, Wireless Components	August 20	August 27
SEPTEMBER 2015		
Test & Measurement, Batteries & Power Supplies	August 27	September 3
Enclosures, Switches	September 3	September 10
Connectivity & Terminal Blocks, Sensors	September 10	September 17
Microprocessors, FPGAs	September 17	September 24
OCTOBER 2015		
Power Supplies, Switches & Relays	September 24	October 1
Sensors, Test & Measurement	October 1	October 8
Motors & Motion Control, Enclosures	October 15	October 22
LEDs, Displays	October 22	October 29
NOVEMBER 2015		
Connectivity, Wire & Cable	October 29	November 5
Batteries, Terminal Blocks	November 5	November 12
Sensors, Test & Measurement	November 12	November 19
Motors & Motion Control, Enclosures	November 19	November 26
DECEMBER 2015		
Displays, Power Supplies	November 26	December 3
Sensors, Test & Measurement	December 3	December 10
Passive Components, Enclosures	December 10	December 17

Canadian Electronics' Technology Handbooks are a series of digital magazines that focus on a single product category directed at the electronics industry in Canada. Posted on CE's website as an interactive flip-style magazine, our Technology Handbooks provide specific market and product information, as well as trends within that specific product category, to electronics design engineers, PCB designers, electronics technicians, test and measurement engineers, and embedded systems designers.

## Each of *CE*'s 2015 Technology Handbooks will be promoted via:

- CE's weekly e-newsletter sent to more than 15,000 opt-in subscribers (open rate: 25%)
- Dedicated e-blasts sent to subscribers
- Online ads on www.CanadianElectronics.ca
- Twitter: @cdnelectronics

#### Advertisers in each Technology Handbook receive the following:

- **1)** Full page ad 8-1/4" x 11"
- 2) 500-600 word article, posted opposite ad (article to include logo and one other graphic); article can focus on thought leadership, company expertise, technology and electronics solutions, or consist of a company profile, case study or Q&A interview with a company representative
- 3) Embedded rich-media element (e.g., video, slide show)

# CANADIAN ELECTRONICS ONLINE OPPORTUNITIES

## www.CanadianElectronics.ca

Online display advertising is one of the foundations of digital media. Whether it is a wallpaper, leaderboard, big box or standard banner, online display advertising keeps your brand and message in plain sight of online visitors. They are a simple, yet effective method of gaining exposure among potential customers and generating traffic to your website.



#### **BENEFITS**

- GENERATE BRAND AWARENESS
- PROMOTE NEW PRODUCTS AND EVENTS
- DRIVE NEW TRAFFIC TO YOUR WEBSITE OR ONLINE STORE
- MAXIMIZE YOUR MARKETING MESSAGE THROUGHOUT THE WEBSITE

#### Ad sizes (pixels): Net Rate/Month

Wallpaper	550 px (w) x 684 px (h)	\$1,800
Super Big Box	300 px (w) x 600 px (h)	\$1,400
Leaderboard Rotating & run of site	728 px (w) x 90 px (h)	\$800
Big Box	300 px (w) x 250 px (h)	\$800
Standard Banner	468 px (w) x 60 px (h)	\$750

## **Q&A Interview**

- Display your company's thought leadership via a Q&A interview
- 2-3 minute video with company executive/representative in our inhouse studio
- Video branded with company logo and web site
- Video posted on CanadianElectronics.ca. and included in one of CE's weekly e-newsletters
- Video provided to client for use in our marketing platforms

## **Cost: \$995**



## **Corporate Video**



Corporate video espousing the benefits of your company to potential clients

**Contact Klaus Pirker for more details** 

# **Lead Generation** (e-news, e-blasts, CE Connects and Technology Handbooks)

Two weeks after deployment, we will provide complete metrics, including open rates and a click-through report.

We will also provide all contact information — excluding e-mail addresses — from those that clicked on your ad, which includes a name, job title, company, phone number, number of clicks, address, company size and NAICS code.

#### e-Newsletters

Deliver your sales message right to buyer inboxes. Reach more than 15,000 (opt-in) email subscribers with our weekly e-Newsletters, often achieving open rates exceeding 28%.

#### **BENEFITS**

- HIGHLY-TARGETED BRANDING
- DIRECT-RESPONSE WITH CLICK-THROUGH CAPABILITIES
- ASSOCIATION WITH RELATED EDITORIAL CONTENT/NEWS
- INTERACTION WITH A HIGHLY-ENGAGED OPT-IN AUDIENCE



#### Ad sizes (pixels):

#### Net Rate/Issue

Sponsor message Headline blurb (75 words), link image (300 x 250)	\$1,250
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#### Leaderboard/Mobile Banner

image 1  $(728 \times 90)$  + link image 2  $(300 \times 50)$  + link

\*Sponsorships are sold on a first-come, first-served basis

#### **CE Connects**

Need attendees for your seminar, training course or online demo? Want to drive traffic to a particular whitepaper, product or website? Whatever your message, promote your event, product or service with CE Connects, one of our publications most cost-effective advertising opportunities. With



a reach of more than 15,000 opt-in email subscribers, this monthly e-newsletter could profile your product, whitepapers, software demos, technical training, seminars and more.

# Monthly Net Rate \$595

You should take advantage of this inexpensive and measurable way to promote your service. We do all of the layout work, so all you need to provide are images, text and URL.

#### **Included in the Profile:**

- Logo
- Image of Product or Service
- 25 word description
- Link to the URL of your choice
- 350 px (w) x 247 px (h)

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## **Custom e-Blast** (Custom e-Newsletter)

Promote events, whitepapers and new products, and boost your web traffic with a custom e-Blast. Reach more than 15,000 opt-in email subscribers, plus receive lead generation reports following deployment.

Image Dimensions: (W x H) 558 x variable (or Custom HTML copy instead)

1: \$2,550 net

**2 or more:** \$2,000 net (per e-Blast)

\$800

We have been proactive in addressing Canada's Anti-Spam Legislation (CASL), which took effect on July 1, 2014. Our digital marketing team has renewed and re-qualified 15,000+ subscribers who have provided express consent or implied consent under CASL regulations. This helps ensure your message will be successfully delivered to Canadian Electronics readers.

# CANADIAN ELECTRONICS 2015 ADVERTISING RATES

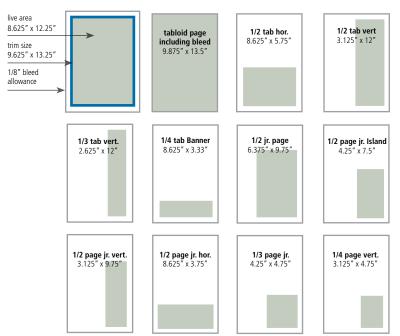
Tabloid live type area: 8-5/8" x 12-1/4"

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AD SIZE	DIMENSIONS	1x	2x	4x
Tabloid Page (trim)	9-5/8" x 13-1/4"	\$5,990	\$5,775	\$5,425
Tabloid Page (bleed)	9-7/8" x 13-1/2"			
Jr. Page	6-3/8" x 9-3/4"	\$4,595	\$4,390	\$4,135
1/2 Tab horizontal	8-5/8" x 5-3/4"	\$4,420	\$4,250	\$4,005
1/2 Tab vertical	4-1/4" x 12"			
1/3 Tab vertical	2-5/8" x 12"	\$4,025	\$3,870	\$3,655
1/2 Page Jr. island	4-1/4" x 7-1/4"	\$3,055	\$2,930	\$2,780
1/2 Page Jr. hor.	8-5/8" x 3-3/4"			
1/4 Tab banner	8-5/8" x 3-1/3"	\$2,860	\$2,760	\$2,625
1/3 Page square	4-1/4" x 4-3/4"	\$2,415	\$2,335	\$2,210
1/4 Page vertical	3-1/8" x 4-3/4"	\$1,890	\$1,820	\$1,745
Product Showcase	2" x 4"	\$600	\$550	\$500



**SPECIAL COLOUR:** For additional colour, matched, PMS or special colours, please contact your Annex Business Media representative.

**SPECIAL POSITIONS:** For cover positions, add 25%. Other requested positions, add 15%.



For further information, please contact your account co-ordinator, Alice Chen, at achen@annexweb.com or 905-713-4369.

#### **Digital Requirements:**

We accept digital files that meet the following criteria:

- High-resolution PDFs created with InDesign, Quark Xpress, (2,400 dpi-150 line screen, all fonts embedded, CMYK with no spot colours or RGB images).
- EPS or TIFF files created in Illustrator or Photoshop (300 dpi with all images embedded and fonts as outlines).
- Process colour (CMYK) ads must be supplied with a high-resolution, full-colour, contract-quality proof to ensure proper reproduction.
- Black and white ads must be supplied with a laser proof.

PLEASE NOTE: We do not accept ads created in Microsoft Office/Publisher programs, Corel Draw (only if exported to Illustrator), film, DCS or CopyDot files.

#### **Web Specifications:**

- Image Dimensions: 300w x 250 pixels, 728w x 90 pixels, 468w x 60 pixels, 550w x 684 pixels
- Image Type: .gif, .jpg. or Flash (Must be regular Flash with embedded URL to set tracking — no swish files.)
- Image Animation (GIF): Single to infinitely looping banners accepted.
   Note: Flash files are not acceptable for e-products.
- Image File Size:
- 50k maximum for static or animated GIF
- 50k for Button Flash
- 80k for Banner Flash
- Linking URL: An active URL must be provided.
- Testing: All creatives must function uniformly on both MAC and PC platforms, as well as multiple browser versions of Firefox, Internet Explorer and Safari.



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