

## **Export Development Canada**

Business Opportunities in Peru and Colombia

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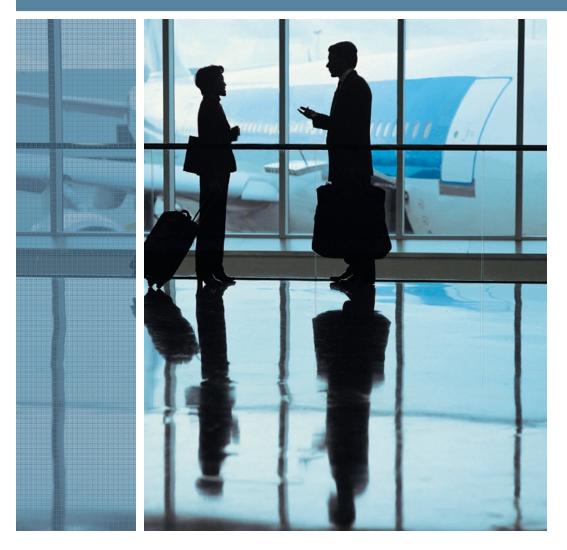
## About EDC

- Canada's Export Credit Agency
- Crown corporation wholly owned by Government of Canada
- Financially self-sustaining
- Operates on commercial principles





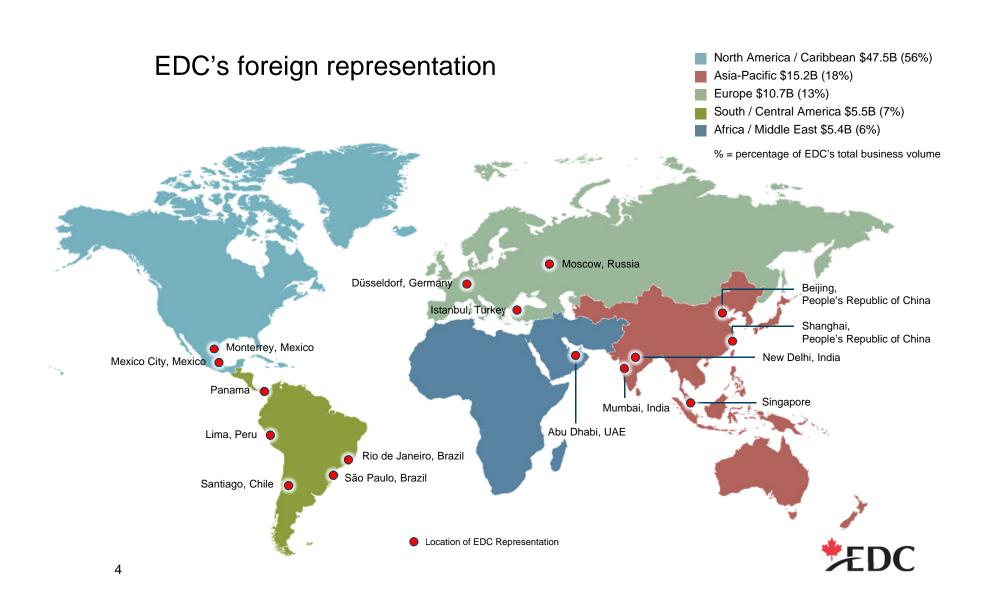
## EDC's Role



- To support and develop
  Canada's export trade and international business efforts
- Financing and insurance solutions for Canadian exporters and investors



## Supporting Business Worldwide





## Overview of EDC Products

### Accounts Receivable Insurance



- Protect against foreign buyer's failure to pay
- Enter and expand into new markets
- Offer more flexible payment terms
- Increase access to working capital



## **Bonding Services**



- ▶ EDC provides a guarantee to your bank so it can issue guarantees to your customers and suppliers
- ▶ EDC shares the risk with your surety company
- Protect yourself from wrongful calls
- Get bonds without tying up cash



## **Export Guarantee Program**



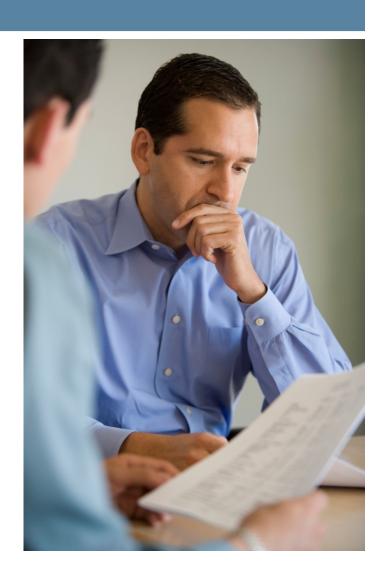


- ▶ EDC provides your bank with loan guarantees to finance your export contracts
- Get capital you need from your bank
- Free up your line of credit
- Meet up-front costs of export contracts



### Political Risk Insurance

- Coverage for various political risks
- Protects your assets, investments from certain political events
- Increases access to cash from financial institution
- Helps attract additional project capital





## Foreign Buyer Financing



- Direct financing to your foreign customer
- Loan or guarantee to another financial institution
- Lines of credit
- Flexible financing options for foreign buyers
- ▶ EDC assumes risk of non-payment



### Statement of Commitment to CSR

At EDC we are committed to carrying out our mandate in a socially responsible manner consistent with our corporate values.

## CSR Operating Principles —











**Vision / Core Values** 



### EDC in the Andean

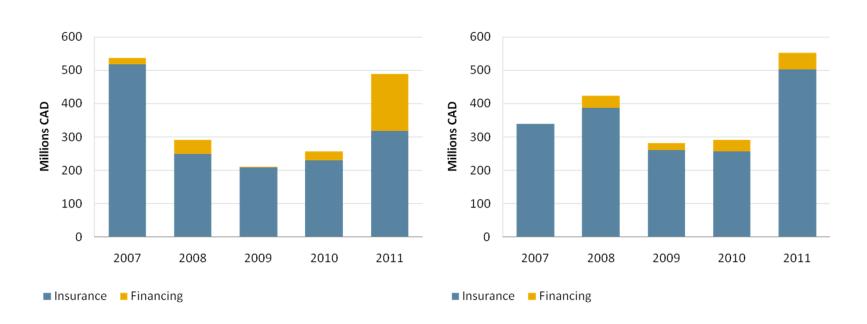
- ▶ In market representation since 2008
  - Office in Lima covers Peru, Colombia, Bolivia, Ecuador, Venezuela
- ▶ **EDC Position**: Colombia and Peru open under all programs with both the Private and Public sectors.
- Key Sectors of Focus: Mining, Oil & Gas, Infrastructure & Environment, Transportation
- Business Strategy: engage directly with project sponsors in the Extractive and Infrastructure sectors
- Major Buyers: E.g.: Petrominerales, Ecopetrol, EPM, ISA, Antamina, Graña y Montero, Yanacocha, Odebrecht



## **EDC Business Volumes by Product**

### Peru

# Colombia



Customers Served 2007: 110

2011: **155** 

Customers Served 2007: 126

2011: **195** 



### Market Environment - Peru & Colombia

- ▶ Credible macroeconomic policies investment grade ratings
- Political stability
- Business friendly environments

	Colombia	Peru	Chile	Brazil
(Ease of) Doing Business Rank	42	41	39	126
Starting a Foreign Business				
Procedures	13	11	11	17
Time in days	27	43	29	166
Ease of Establishment	68.4	72.5	63.2	62.5
Global Competitiveness	68	67	31	53

Sources: IFC/World Bank, WEF





# **Opportunity Overview**

### Extractive Sector – Colombia and Peru

- Oil & Gas Colombia
  - Foreign Direct Investment in Colombia's O&G sector reached US\$6.5b by September 2011
  - ▶ Ecopetrol plans to invest US\$80b between 2011 and 2020
- Mining Peru
  - One of the top producers of Gold, Copper, Zinc, Silver, and Tin
  - Planned private investment over next decade = \$51b
  - Opportunities in cleaner production



### Health Sector - Peru

- Construction and upgrade of hospitals
- ► Investment portfolio for next four years = US\$2.5b
- Opportunities for medical devices
- Target buyers include
  - Ministry of Health
  - Grupo Salud
  - Clinica Internacional



## Information and Communication Technology

 Opportunities for Security Equipment, Geomatics, e-Health, and Telecommunication Equipment

### Peru

- Claro US\$1b planned investment between 2011 and 2014
- Telefonica Peru US\$1.5b planned investment by 2013
- Nextel Peru's CAPEX for 2011 = US\$1.6b

### Colombia

- ▶ ICT is a pillar of the national development plan
- Goal is to increase connectivity
- Leverage connectivity for e-health, e-learning, e-government, and e-business services



## Water & Sanitation and Renewable Energy - Peru

### Water Sanitation

- Government plans to invest ~ US\$3.5bn to expand water and sanitation coverage
- ▶ IDB and World Bank programs
  - Water treatment
  - Waste-water treatment
  - Water distribution

### Renewable Energy

- Wind power
- Biomass
- Mini-hydro



### Power - Colombia

- Wind farms
- Hydro generation
  - Tunneling
  - Turbines
  - Environmental assessments
  - Detailed engineering
- ▶ Top firms: EPM, ISA, ISAGEN, Electricas Medellin
- Antioquia cluster of service and equipment providers



## Strategies to Succeed and Challenges

### **Market Strategies to Succeed**

- Be committed to the market over the long-term
- Develop a local presence for visibility with key clients and for after-sales service, technical assistance and spare parts delivery & installation
- Invest in local partnerships : JVs, MOUs, Strategic Alliances
- Get good advice: Legal, Accounting
- Collaborate with DFAIT, Sector Associations, Chambers of Commerce, other companies with market experience

### Challenges

- Strong presence of local and international competitors
- Weak Supply Chains
- Labour
- Education
- Infrastructure



### **Useful Sources of Information**

### Colombia

- Departamento Nacional de Planeacion
- Agencia Nacional de Infraestructura
- <u>Unidad de Planeacion Minero Energetica</u>
- Cámara Colombiana de la Construcción

### Peru

Proinversion

EDC → <u>www.edc.ca/infrastructure</u>

DFAIT → <u>www.tradecommissioner.gc.ca</u>



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