

# IOWA-CANADA

**AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$1.6 BILLION IN 2012**

*Let's keep a good thing growing!*



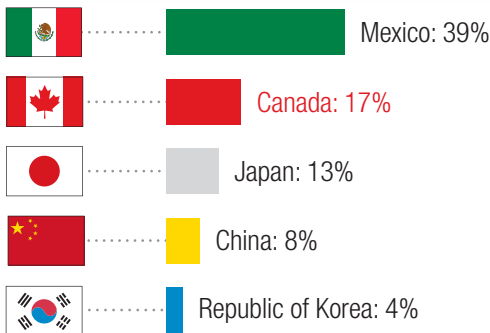
**Iowa exported \$776 million to Canada, including:**

- \$187M in soybean meal
- \$143M in fresh/frozen pork
- \$77M in ethanol
- \$43M in corn
- \$41M in malt extract

**Iowa imported \$816 million from Canada, including:**

- \$269M in canola oil
- \$144M in live hogs
- \$127M in oats
- \$31M in fresh/frozen beef
- \$27M in durum wheat

**Iowa's top agriculture and agri-food export markets:**



**A Strong Partnership in Trade:**

Canada purchased \$21 billion in U.S. agriculture and agri-food products in 2012. Iowa benefitted from this strong relationship in 2012 by exporting \$776 million in agriculture and agri-food products to Canada. To help reduce barriers to trade, lower costs and create economic opportunities, the Regulatory Cooperation Council and Beyond the Border Action Plans were released in December 2011. Increased regulatory cooperation will support U.S.-Canada trade in agriculture and agri-food products, contribute to job creation, and provide a greater variety of safe, high-quality food products for consumers.

**Trade with Canada = Jobs in Iowa**

→ Approximately 87,000 jobs in Iowa depend on trade with Canada.

All currency is in U.S. dollars and based on 2012 data (as of July 2013).  
All export figures do not include re-export values.  
Trade values are approximate and have been rounded where/when appropriate.  
Fertilizers, farm machinery and seafood are not included in the definition of agriculture and agri-food trade.  
Commodity categories are based on the internationally standardized Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS codes).  
Wherein a single commodity is 90 percent or more of an HS group, the specific commodity is named.  
M = Million

Data source: Statistics Canada  
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