

AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$1.2 BILLION IN 2014

Let's keep a good thing growing!



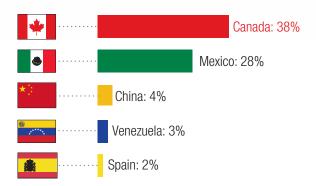
North Dakota exported \$355 million to Canada, including:

- → \$89M in ethanol
- → \$60M in fats and oils (including \$37M in canola oil)
- → \$52M in animal feed (including \$36M in dried distiller grains)
- → \$29M in canola seeds
- → \$27M in corn

North Dakota imported \$808 million from Canada, including:

- → \$286M in canola seeds
- → \$179M in soybeans
- → \$121M in wheat
- → \$64M in barley
- → \$35M in vegetables (including \$20M in dried beans and peas)

North Dakota's top agriculture and agri-food export markets:



A Strong Partnership in Trade:

Taking the pulse of agriculture! Pulse production in both Canada and the U.S. is expanding. What makes the Canadian prairies and North Dakota part of the "Pulse Belt"? Their superior soil and ideal climate conditions! Dry peas, in particular, grow well in cool, semi-arid climates, perfectly fitting the northern plains. The connections between the pulse-growing regions in Canada and the U.S. do not end there. Canadian-owned processing facilities in North Dakota ensure that the state can continue to support its growing pulse sector and related jobs with value-added production. The strength of the North Dakota and Canadian pulse industries are also tied to one another through bi-national collaboration on research and innovation in pulses. With growing global demand for pulses and pulse-related products, both Canada and North Dakota will benefit from further collaboration and market efficiencies.

Trade and investment with Canada = 28,500 jobs in North Dakota

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Data source: U.S. Census Bureau All figures in U.S. dollars and based on 2014 data (as of May 2015), including re-exports. E-mail: MAS-SAM@agr.gc.ca

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