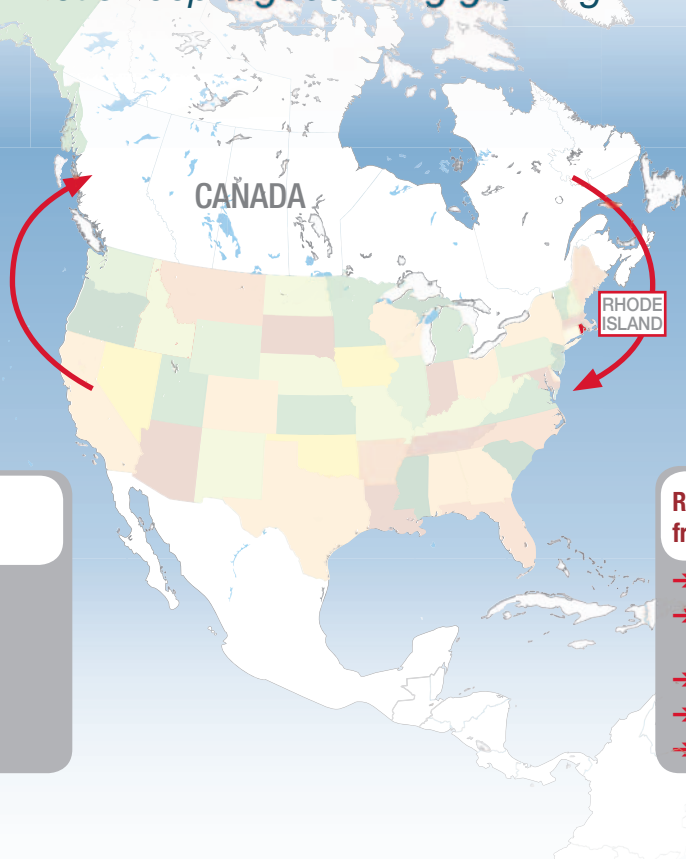


# RHODE ISLAND-CANADA

**AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$35 MILLION IN 2012**

*Let's keep a good thing growing!*



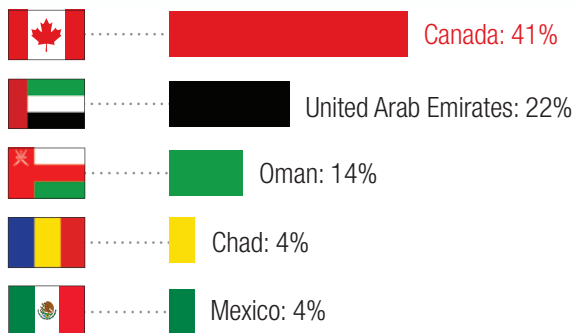
**Rhode Island exported \$17 million to Canada, including:**

- \$10M in ethanol
- \$2M in sausages
- \$0.3M in breads and pastries
- \$0.3M in food preparations
- \$0.2M in cured pork

**Rhode Island imported \$18 million from Canada, including:**

- \$6M in fresh/frozen pork
- \$3M in vegetables and legumes (including \$1M in potatoes)
- \$1M in breads and pastries
- \$1M in maple syrup
- \$1M in live plants

**Rhode Island'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. Rhode Island benefitted from this strong relationship in 2012 by exporting \$17 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 Rhode Island**

→ Approximately 28,000 jobs in Rhode Island 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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