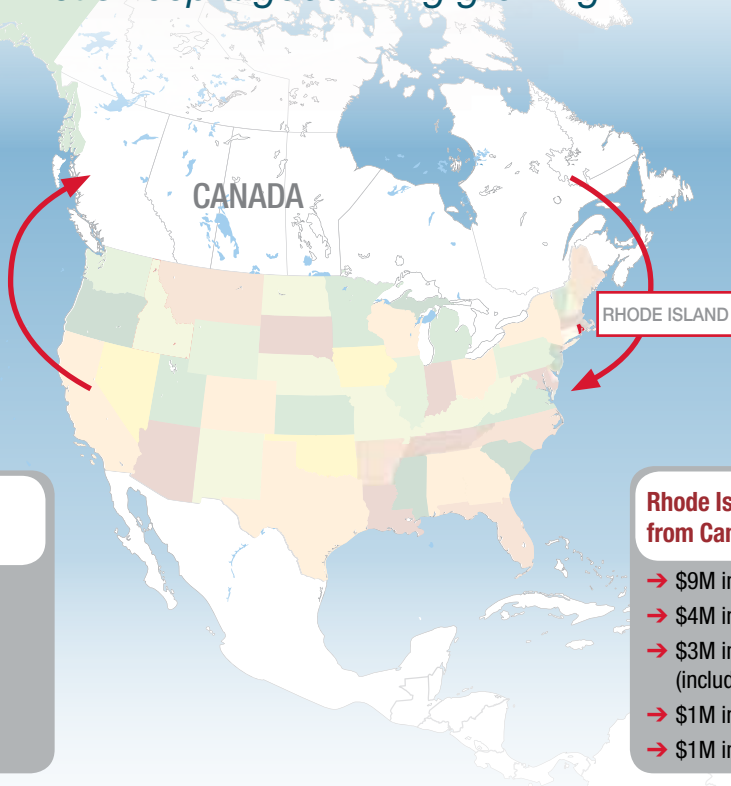


# RHODE ISLAND-CANADA

**AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$31 MILLION IN 2013**

*Let's keep a good thing growing!*



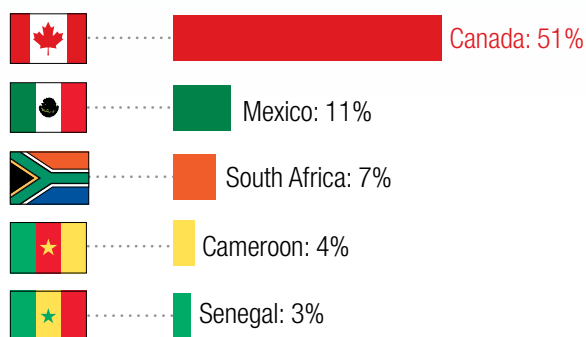
**Rhode Island exported \$5 million to Canada, including:**

- \$3M in sausages
- \$0.3M in breads and pastries
- \$0.3M in cured pork
- \$0.2M in sauces and condiments
- \$0.2M in food preparations

**Rhode Island imported \$26 million from Canada, including:**

- \$9M in fresh/frozen pork
- \$4M in pet feed
- \$3M in vegetables and legumes (including \$1M in potatoes)
- \$1M in maple syrup
- \$1M in live plants

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



**A Strong Partnership in Trade:**

- Since the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) came into force, agriculture and agri-food trade has more than quadrupled, leading to significant changes in trade patterns and resulting in a more integrated North American marketplace.
- The U.S., and in particular Rhode Island, has benefited from this strong relationship - with Canada purchasing over \$21 billion in agriculture and agri-food products from the U.S. in 2013, of which \$5 million came from Rhode Island.
- The work of the Regulatory Cooperation Council and Beyond the Border initiatives is significant to our continued growth in agriculture and agri-food trade and to strengthening our industry competitiveness. For more information: [www.actionplan.gc.ca/rcc](http://www.actionplan.gc.ca/rcc)
- Increased regulatory cooperation will reduce regulatory differences and duplicative actions that can hinder cross-border trade while ensuring a greater variety of safe, high-quality food products for consumers.

**Trade with Canada = 27,100 Jobs in Rhode Island**



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