

VERMONT-CANADA

AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$567 MILLION IN 2013

Let's keep a good thing growing!



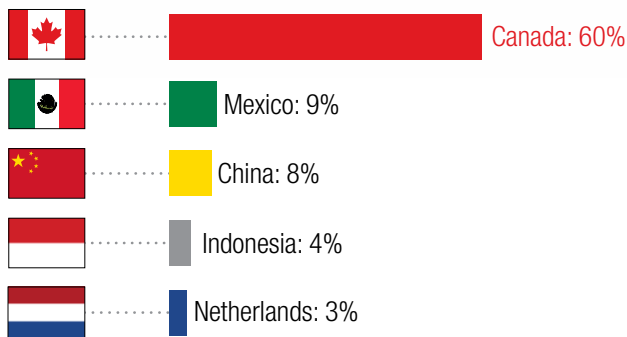
Vermont exported \$87 million to Canada, including:

- \$34M in chocolate products
- \$12M in roasted coffee
- \$7M in food preparations
- \$5M in dairy products (including \$4M in milk and cream)
- \$5M in candy

Vermont imported \$480 million from Canada, including:

- \$187M in chocolate products
- \$43M in sugars (including \$37M in maple syrup)
- \$34M in corn
- \$29M in canola meal
- \$29M in food preparations (including \$6M in syrups and concentrates)

Vermont'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 Vermont, 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 \$87 million came from Vermont.
- 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
- 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 = 14,200 Jobs in Vermont



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