

ARKANSAS-CANADA

AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$244 MILLION IN 2010

Let's keep a good thing growing!



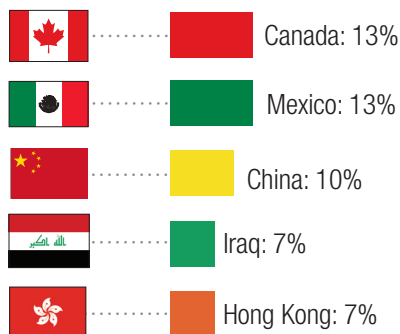
**ARKANSAS EXPORTED
\$188 MILLION TO CANADA,
INCLUDING:**

- \$74M in rice
- \$19M in prepared chicken
- \$15M in breakfast cereals
- \$10M in chicken
- \$9M in eggs

**ARKANSAS IMPORTED
\$56 MILLION FROM CANADA,
INCLUDING:**

- \$11M in breads and pastries
- \$10M in frozen fries
- \$3M in beef
- \$3M in canola oil
- \$2M in whiskey

ARKANSAS' TOP AGRICULTURAL EXPORT MARKETS



BILATERAL TRADE SUPPORTS INCREASED SECTOR SPECIALIZATION AND EFFICIENCIES

Arkansas is the third largest exporter of rice in the United States. Since 2005, the state has increased its rice exports by over \$240 million, and Canada's rice imports from Arkansas have grown by nearly 60%. Meanwhile, Canada supplies Arkansas with an assortment of breads and pastries and a variety of fruit and vegetable preparations. Arkansas' rapidly increasing production of rice is a big part of our growing trading relationship and when accompanied by increases in Canadian exports of pastries, fruits, and vegetable preparations, demonstrates the ability of trading partners to meet one another's complementary needs through sector specialization.

TRADE WITH CANADA = JOBS IN ARKANSAS

- Approximately 69,000 jobs (or 1 in 18 people employed) depend on overall trade with Canada.

All figures are in U.S. dollars (based on 2010 data).
U.S. export figures to Canada do not include re-export values.
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