

ARKANSAS-CANADA

AGRICULTURAL TRADE = \$304 MILLION IN 2014

Let's keep a good thing growing!



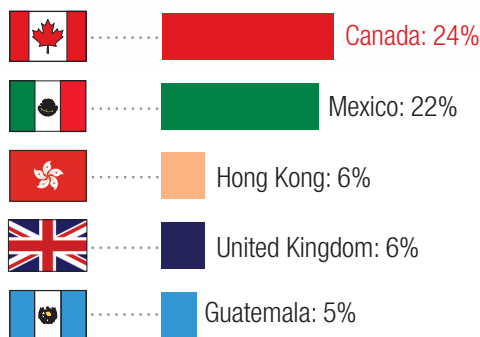
Arkansas exported \$239 million to Canada, including:

- \$79M in rice
- \$24M in prepared cereal grains (including breakfast cereal)
- \$24M in fresh/frozen chicken meat
- \$20M in prepared chicken meat
- \$17M in fertilized chicken eggs

Arkansas imported \$65 million from Canada, including:

- \$16M in alcoholic beverages (including \$8M in liqueurs and cordials)
- \$7M in potato products (including fries and chips)
- \$6M in baked goods
- \$5M in canola oil
- \$4M in processed grains

Arkansas' top agriculture and agri-food export markets:



A Strong Partnership in Trade:

- Since 2005, agriculture and agri-food trade between the U.S. and Canada 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, Arkansas has benefited from this strong relationship - with Canada purchasing over \$26B in agriculture and agri-food products from the U.S. in 2014, of which \$239M came from Arkansas.
- Supply chains that cross our shared border are cost-effective and efficient because of the proximity to each other's agricultural inputs and products. For example, Canada is a major supplier of energy and fertilizers, while the U.S. equips Canada with farm machinery and crop protection technologies.
- Access to Canadian cattle, hogs, and oilseeds allows American feedlots, finishers, and crushing plants to run at capacity, supporting U.S. jobs.

Trade and investment with Canada = 66,600 jobs in Arkansas

M = Million

B = Billion

Data source: U.S. Census Bureau

All figures in U.S. dollars and based on 2014 data (as of May 2015), including re-exports.

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