

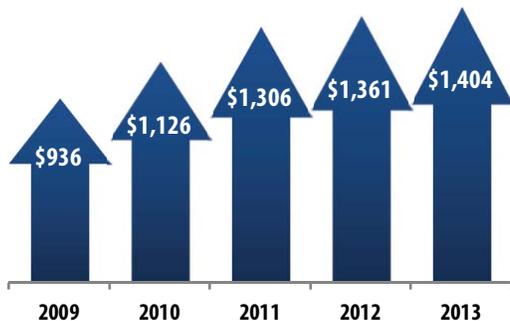


# Exports from U.S. Metropolitan Areas Total \$1.4 Trillion in 2013

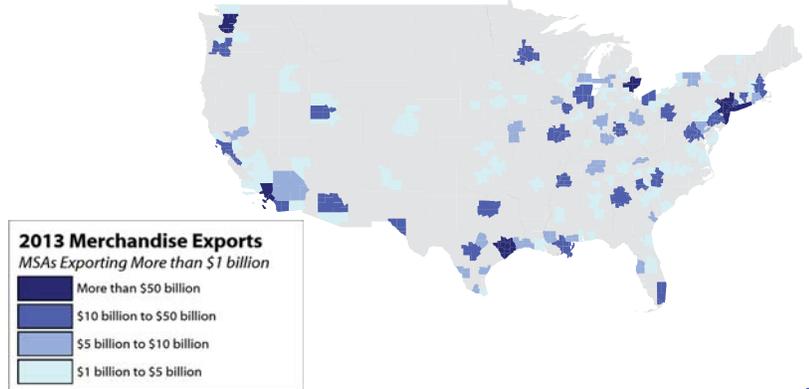
Exports from metropolitan areas account for 89% of all U.S. merchandise exports



Metro area exports have increased by 50% since 2009



Exports from 156 metro areas exceeded \$1 billion in 2013



**134** MSAs reported record-high exports in 2013

Refined petroleum & coal products, primary metal manufactures, and computer & electronic products accounted for much of the export increase in high-growth areas from 2012-2013

## Metro area trade relationships often reflect geographic and cultural ties



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