



San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont, CA

- In 2011, the San Francisco metropolitan area was the 12th largest export market in the United States, with merchandise shipments totaling \$23.6 billion. This is up \$2.2 billion (10.4 percent) from the \$21.4 billion in merchandise exported in 2010.
- The San Francisco metropolitan area accounted for 13.5 percent of California's merchandise exports in 2011.
- For the top 50 U.S. merchandise export destinations, San Francisco ranks among the major metropolitan area exporters to Japan (\$2.3 billion), China (\$2.1 billion), Italy (\$785 million), Switzerland (\$594 million), and Thailand (\$572 million).
- San Francisco ranks among the major metropolitan area exporters of Computer and Electronic Products (\$6.6 billion), Chemicals (\$4.1 billion), Petroleum and Coal Products (\$3.0 billion), Machinery, Except Electrical (\$2.5 billion), and Food and Kindred Products (\$875 million).
- In 2011, San Francisco benefited from existing trade agreements, exporting \$4.3 billion to the NAFTA region and \$95 million to the CAFTA-DR region.
- 18.4 percent of San Francisco's merchandise exports go to NAFTA countries.

TOP SECTORS			TOP COUNTRIES		
Sector	Value	Share	Country	Value	Share
Computer and Electronic Products	\$6.6 billion	28.1%	Canada	\$2.5 billion	10.6%
Chemicals	\$4.1 billion	17.6%	Japan	\$2.3 billion	9.6%
Petroleum and Coal Products	\$3.0 billion	12.7%	China	\$2.1 billion	8.8%
Machinery, Except Electrical	\$2.5 billion	10.5%	Mexico	\$1.8 billion	7.8%
Transportation Equipment	\$1.0 billion	4.4%	South Korea	\$1.3 billion	5.6%

Note: The order in which sectors and countries are displayed does not necessarily reflect the true rank ordering of the top countries. The suppressed data may, in fact, be rightfully anywhere in the ranking.

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