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# Mississippi Exports, Jobs, & Foreign Investment

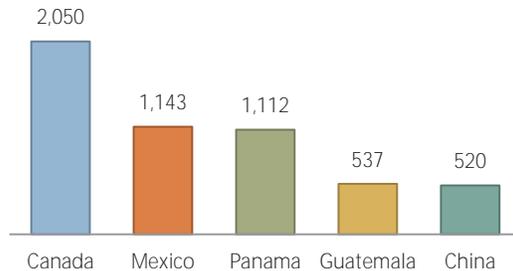
## Mississippi Depends on World Markets

- Exports from Mississippi helped contribute to the \$2.26 trillion of U.S. goods and services exports in 2015.

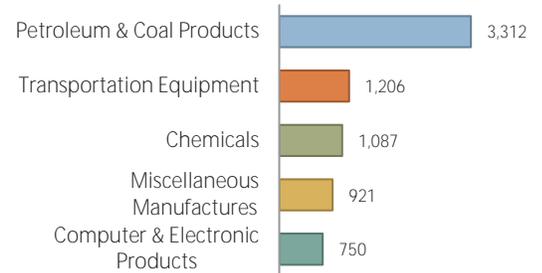
# \$10.8 billion

## Mississippi goods exports in 2015

Mississippi's Top 5 Export Markets (Millions of U.S. Dollars)



Mississippi's Top 5 Export Categories (Millions of U.S. Dollars)

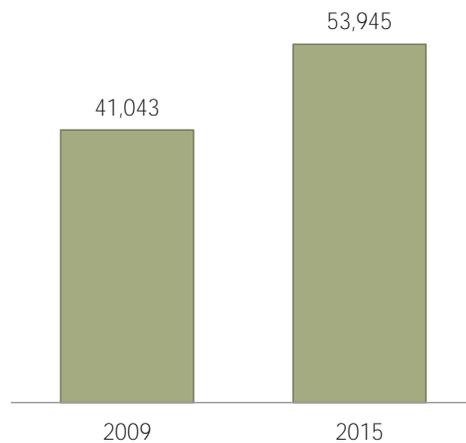


## Exports Support Jobs

- Nationally, U.S. jobs supported by exports reached an estimated 11.5 million in 2015, up 1.9 million from 2009.

## Jobs Supported by Mississippi Goods Exports

Up by 13 Thousand Jobs Since 2009



# 53,945

## U.S. jobs supported by goods exports from Mississippi in 2015

**86%** of these jobs were supported by manufactured goods exports

## Exports Sustain Thousands of Mississippi Businesses

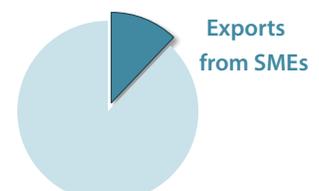
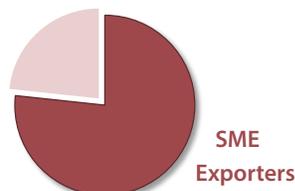
- A total of 2,197 companies exported from Mississippi locations in 2014.

# 1,685

## Number of small and medium-sized (SME) goods exporters in Mississippi in 2014

SMEs account for **77%** of Mississippi goods exporters

...and **12%** of known Mississippi goods export value





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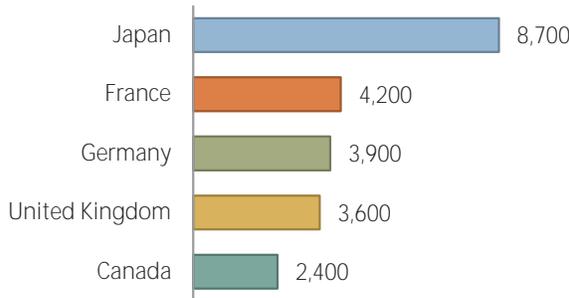
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## Foreign Investment & Jobs in Mississippi

- In 2014, foreign-owned companies employed 34,000 Mississippi workers

### Mississippi Employment in Foreign-Owned Companies

Number of Employees by Country of UBO



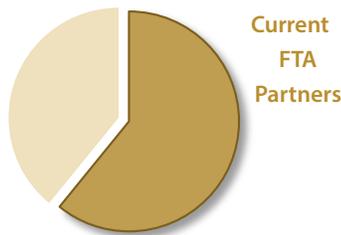
**3.8%**

Share of Mississippi private-industry employment at foreign-owned firms

## Free Trade Agreements

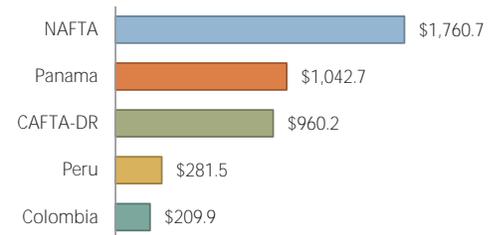
- The U.S. currently has 14 free trade agreements in force with 20 countries.
- Mississippi's exports to U.S. FTA partners totaled \$6.6 billion in 2015.

In 2015, exports to FTA markets accounted for **61%** of Mississippi exports



Since 2005, exports from Mississippi to FTA markets have grown by **228%**

### Top Dollar Growth, 2005-15 (Millions of U.S. Dollars)



## Mississippi's Metropolitan Exports

- Memphis is the 26th largest metro area reporting goods exports nationwide.

Metro Area	2015 Goods Export Value	Share of State Exports
Memphis	\$11.8 billion	*
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula	\$4.0 billion	40.6%
Jackson	\$1.3 billion	13.6%
Hattiesburg	\$287 million	2.9%

\*Share of state exports unavailable for MSAs that cross state lines

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