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# Los Angeles-Long Beach-Anaheim, CA Merchandise Exports in 2016

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In 2016, Los Angeles was the  
**4th**  
largest exporter in the U.S.

## Los Angeles Exports in 2016

- Goods exports from the Los Angeles area have increased \$12.5 billion since 2006.
- On average, exports from the Los Angeles area have increased by 2.3% annually over the past 10 years.

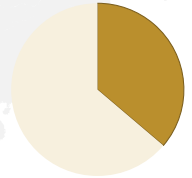
**\$61.2 billion**

**Total Los Angeles goods export value in 2016**

Los Angeles area export growth since 2006

**26%**

Exports from Los Angeles accounted for **36%** of total California goods exports



## Goods Exports From Select Los Angeles Area Counties

County	Export Value
Los Angeles County	\$43.8 billion
Orange County	\$17.4 billion

## Exports Sustain Los Angeles Area Businesses

- In 2014, 92% of Los Angeles goods exporters shipped manufactured products overseas.

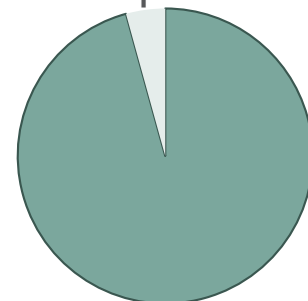
**35,128**

**Number of Los Angeles exporters in 2014 (latest available)**

**33,621**

Number of small and medium-sized goods exporters in Los Angeles in 2014

SMEs account for **96%** of Los Angeles goods exporters



*Note: Exporter counts reflect the number of companies, not establishments, and are therefore not additive across industries and geographies*



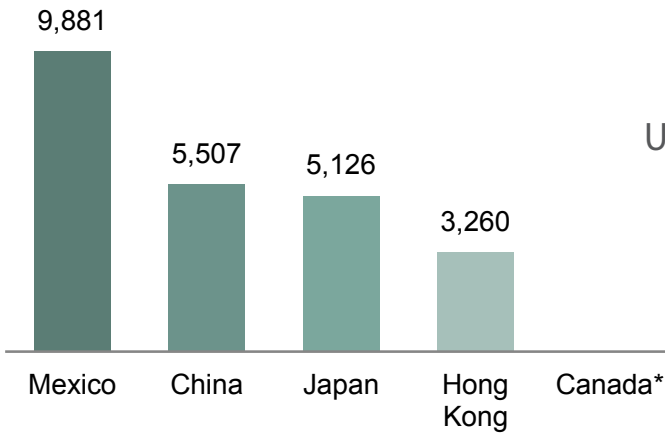
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## Top Los Angeles Export Markets

- In 2016, Mexico accounted for 16% of Los Angeles' total goods exports.

## Top Los Angeles Area Export Markets Millions of dollars



\*Value Suppressed

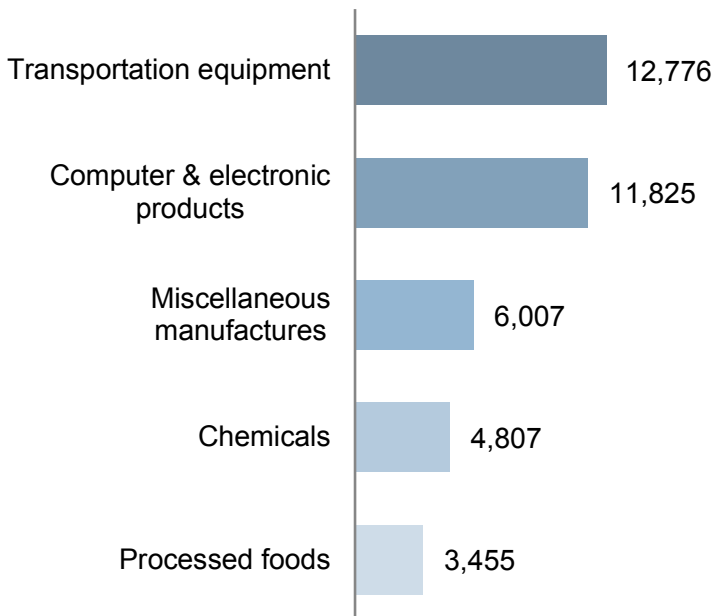
In addition to these top markets, Los Angeles is also a major exporter to:

South Korea \$2.7 billion  
 United Kingdom \$2.1 billion  
 Germany \$1.9 billion  
 Taiwan \$1.9 billion  
 France \$1.5 billion

## Top Los Angeles Export Sectors

- Transportation equipment accounted for 21% of the area's goods exports in 2016.

## Top Los Angeles Export Sectors Millions of dollars



Los Angeles is also a major exporter of:

- Machinery, except electrical
- Electrical equipment, appliances, & components
- Primary metal manufactures
- Fabricated metal products

## Source Notes

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For additional information and to view the complete data series and methodology, visit [www.trade.gov/metrodata](http://www.trade.gov/metrodata).

Exporter data available on <http://tse.export.gov/edb>.