

ARIZONA EXPORTS

2004 was a mixed year for Arizona exports. The first half saw impressive growth, geographically in Asia and within the electronic components industry. However, weak third and fourth quarters slowed overall annual growth down to just 0.75%, placing Arizona 17th for exports in the US. Arizona exports for 2004 totaled \$13.4 billion.

Top 10 Export Markets

Country	Amount	Percentage Change in 2003
Mexico	\$3.8 billion	+17.49%
Canada	\$1.4 billion	+22.59%
Malaysia	\$744 million	-54.32%
Germany	\$687 million	+13.27%
United Kingdom	\$657 million	-11.46%
China (excl. Hong Kong)	\$629 million	-15.15%
Singapore	\$604 million	+18.47%
France	\$466 million	+33.26%
Thailand	\$440 million	+36.35%
Japan	\$440 million	-5.71%

Top 5 Product Sectors

Product Sector	Amount	Percentage Change in 2003
Electrical machinery	\$5.5 billion	-14.66%
Machinery	\$2.1 billion	+18.85%
Aircraft, spacecraft	\$1.6 billion	+32.96
Optics, medical instruments	\$895 million	+14.97%
Plastic	\$461 million	+11.96%

Source: US Census Bureau and Global Trade Information Services Inc. Information provided by the Arizona Department of Commerce. Visit the website at www.azcommerce.com