

Rhode Island Manufacturing Facts

Manufacturers in Rhode Island account for 7.96 percent of the total output in the state, employing 8.62 percent of the workforce. Total output from manufacturing was \$4.37 billion in 2014. In addition, there were 41,700 manufacturing employees in Rhode Island in 2015, with an average annual compensation of \$67,501 in 2013.

Manufacturing Output and Firms

Total Manufacturing Output (\$billions, 2014)
(Percent share of total gross state product) \$4.37
7.96%

Manufacturing Firms in Rhode Island (2012) 1,477

Employment and Compensation

Manufacturing Employment (2015)
(Percent share of nonfarm employment) 41,700
8.62%

Average Annual Compensation
(Manufacturing, 2013) \$67,501
(Nonfarm Businesses, 2013) \$49,347

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and the U.S. Census Bureau

Figure 1: Rhode Island Manufacturing Output, in Billions of Dollars, 2000–2014

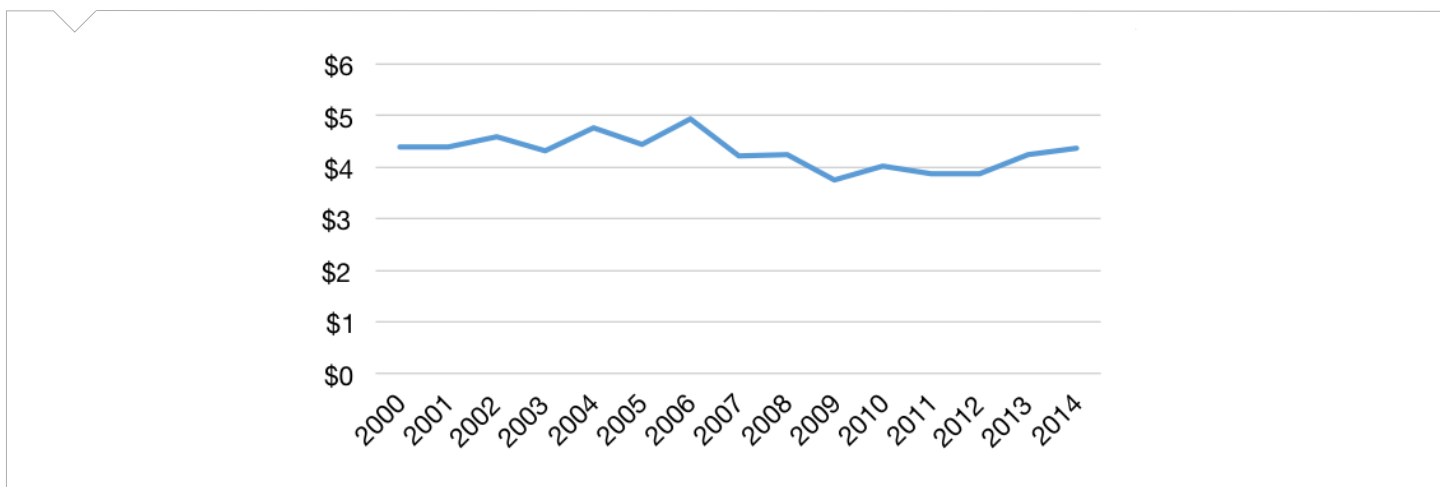
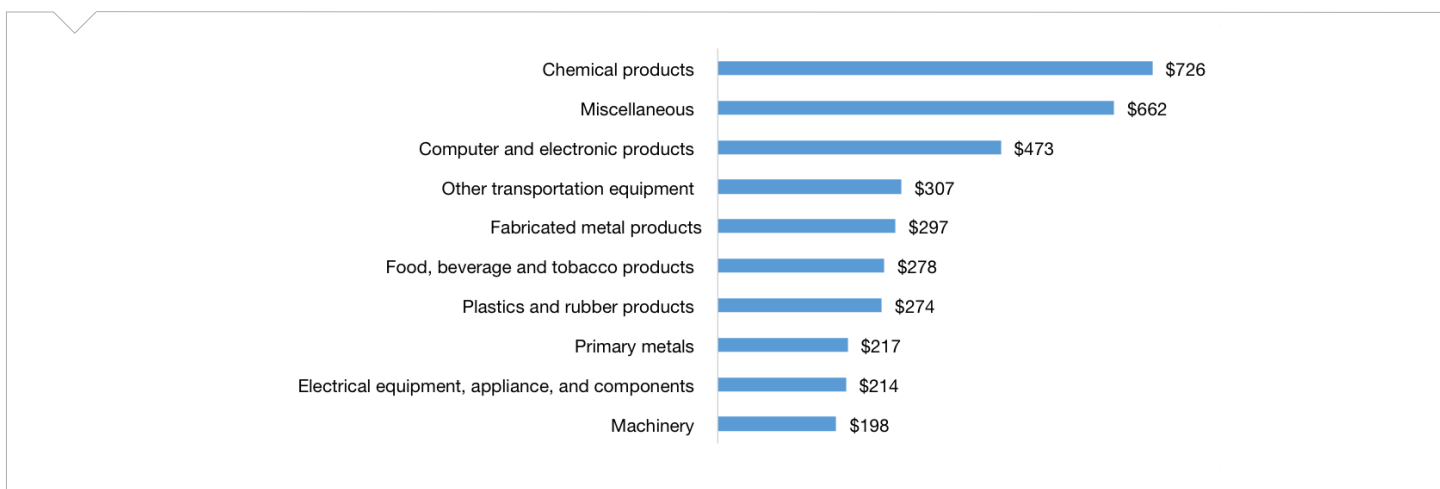


Figure 2: Top 10 Rhode Island Manufacturing Sectors, in Millions of Dollars, 2013



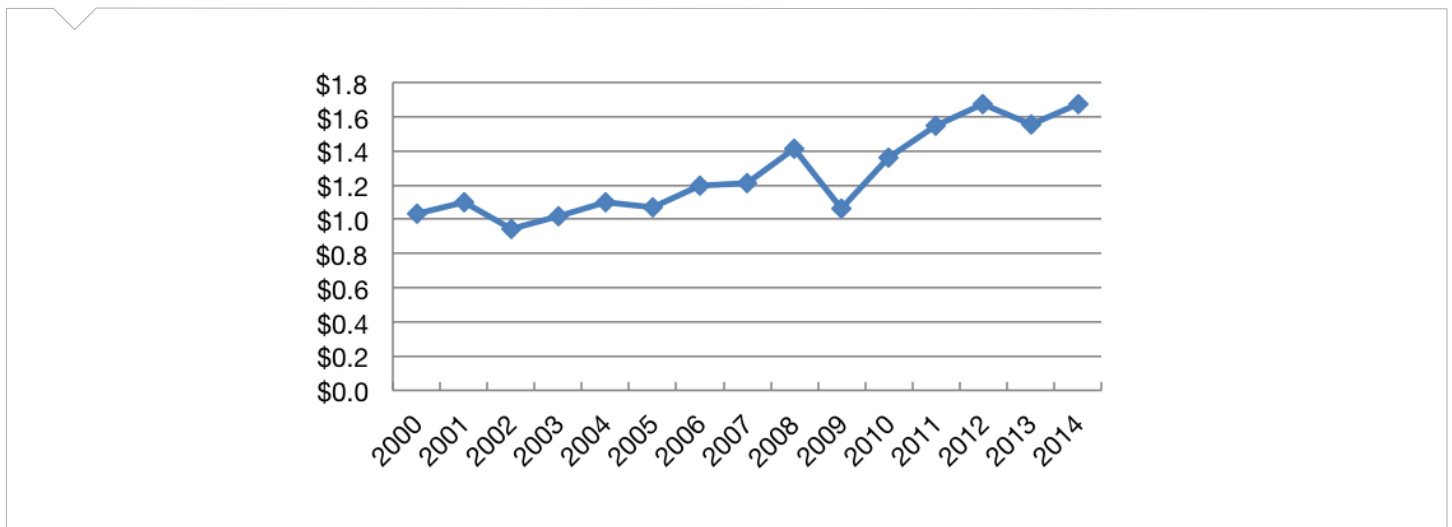
Rhode Island Export Facts

Manufacturers help to drive Rhode Island's economy, with \$1.68 billion in manufactured goods exports in 2014. That same year, \$0.74 billion in exports was with our free trade agreement (FTA) partners. This helps create jobs in the state, and 16.90% percent of its employment stemmed from exports in 2011. Small businesses comprised 88.7 percent of all exporters in Rhode Island.

Manufactured Goods Exports (\$billions, 2014) (Percent share of total goods exports)	\$1.68 69.99%	Manufactured Goods to Free Trade Agreement Partners (\$billions, 2014) (Percent of total exports, 2014)	\$0.74 44.04%
Growth in Manufactured Goods Exports (2009–2014)	57.88%	Top Five Export Markets (Percent of total manufactured goods exports, 2013)	43.74%
U.S. Jobs Supported by Goods Exports (2013)	10,358	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Canada (17.51%) • Mexico (10.56%) • China (5.97%) • Taiwan (5.39%) • Singapore (4.30%) 	
Employment from Manufacturing Exports (Export share of manufacturing jobs, 2011)	16.90%		
Small Business Share of Total Exporters (2013)	88.7%		

Sources: International Trade Administration, U.S. Census Bureau

Figure 3: Rhode Island's Manufactured Goods Exports, in Billions of Dollars, 2000-2014



Additional Trade Facts

- In 2014, manufacturers in the United States sold \$55.0 billion more in manufactured goods to our FTA partners than we bought from them. The United States has a manufactured trade deficit of \$579.2 billion from countries where no FTAs existed.
- FTA countries: Australia, Bahrain, Canada, Chile, Columbia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Israel, Jordan, Mexico, Morocco, Nicaragua, Oman, Panama, Peru, Singapore and South Korea.
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