

Louisiana Manufacturing Facts

Manufacturers in Louisiana account for 21.7 percent of the total output in the state, employing 7.5 percent of the workforce. Total output from manufacturing was \$52.75 billion in 2015. In addition, there were 148,800 manufacturing employees in Louisiana in 2015, with an average annual compensation of \$84,992 in 2015.

Manufacturing Output and Firms

Total Manufacturing Output (\$billions, 2015) (Percent share of total gross state product)	\$52.75 21.7%
Manufacturing Firms in Louisiana (2014)	2,947

Employment and Compensation

Manufacturing Employment (2015) (Percent share of nonfarm employment)	148,800 7.5%
Average Annual Compensation (Manufacturing, 2015) (Nonfarm Businesses, 2015)	\$84,992 \$44,611

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

Figure 1: Louisiana Manufacturing Output, in Billions of Dollars, 2005–2015

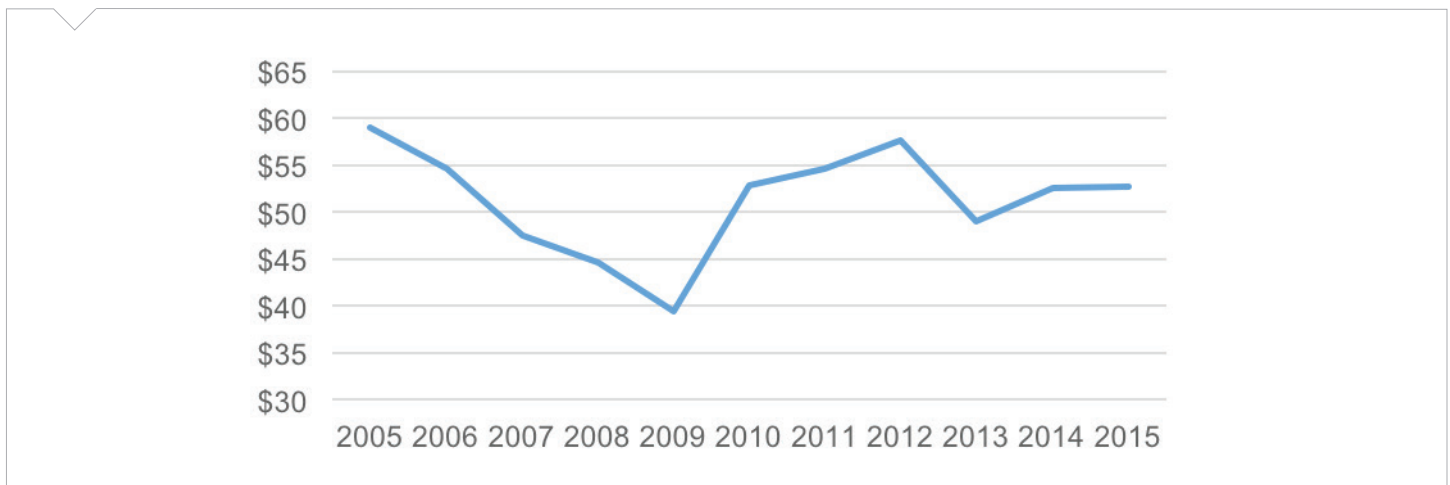
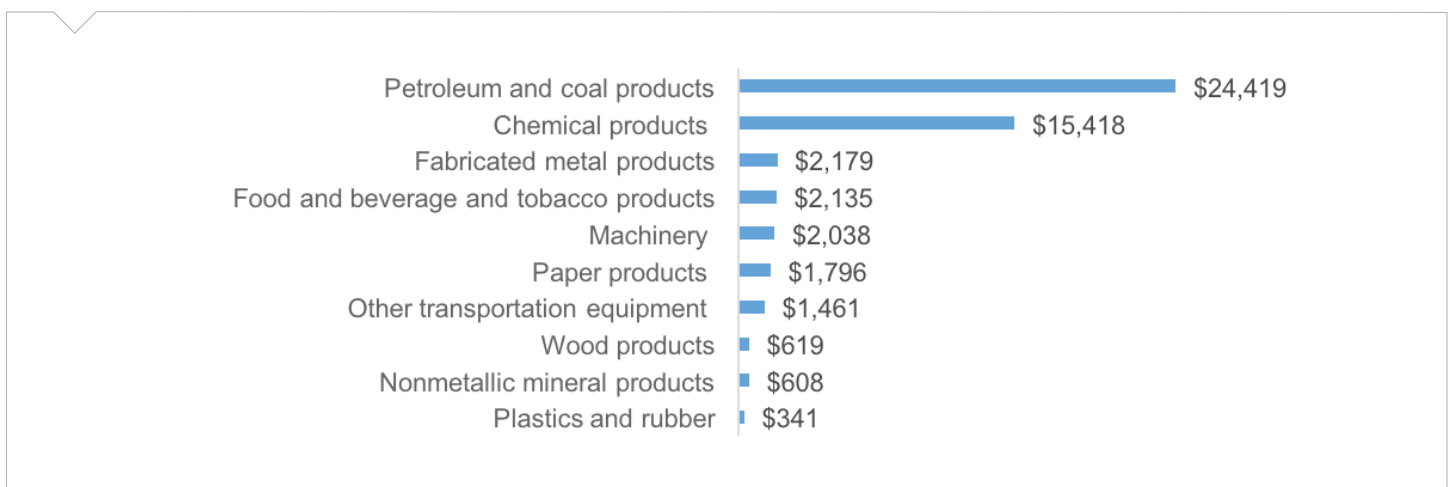


Figure 2: Top 10 Louisiana Manufacturing Sectors, in Millions of Dollars, 2014



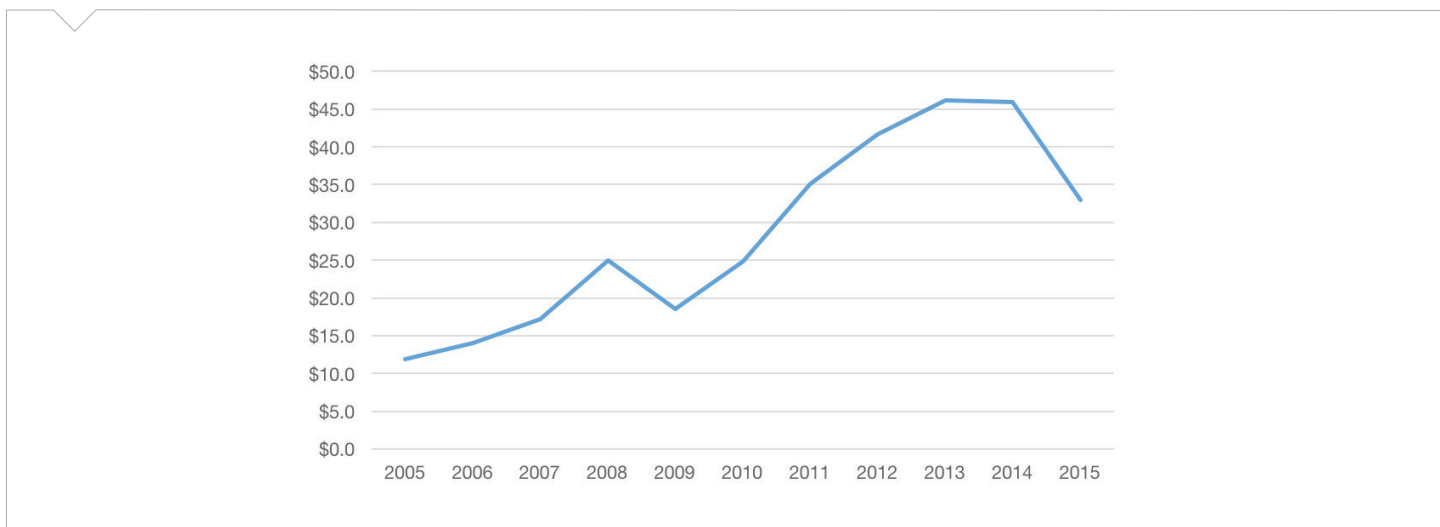
Louisiana Export Facts

Manufacturers help to drive Louisiana's economy, with \$33.01 billion in manufactured goods exports in 2015. That same year, \$13.54 billion in exports was with our free trade agreement (FTA) partners. This helps create jobs in the state, and 21.50% percent of its employment stemmed from exports in 2011. Small businesses comprised 84.5 percent of all exporters in Louisiana.

Manufactured Goods Exports (\$billions, 2015) (Percent share of total goods exports)	\$33.01 67.10%	Manufactured Goods to Free Trade Agreement Partners (\$billions, 2015) (Percent of total exports, 2015)	\$13.54 41.00%
Growth in Manufactured Goods Exports (2010–2015)	33.10%	Total Manufactured Goods Exports to TPP (2015)	\$9.51
U.S. Jobs Supported by Goods Exports (2014)	170,200	Top Five Export Markets (Percent of total manufactured goods exports, 2015)	35.10%
Employment from Manufacturing Exports (Export share of manufacturing jobs, 2011)	21.50%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mexico (13.60%) • Canada (6.20%) • Netherlands (6.10%) • China (4.70%) • Brazil (4.50%) 	
Small Business Share of Total Exporters (2013)	84.5%		

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

Figure 3: Louisiana's Manufactured Goods Exports, in Billions of Dollars, 2000-2015



Additional Trade Facts

- In 2015, manufacturers in the United States sold \$12.7 billion more in manufactured goods to our FTA partners than we bought from them. The United States has a manufactured trade deficit of \$639.6 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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