

## Arkansas- Mexico Trade Relationship

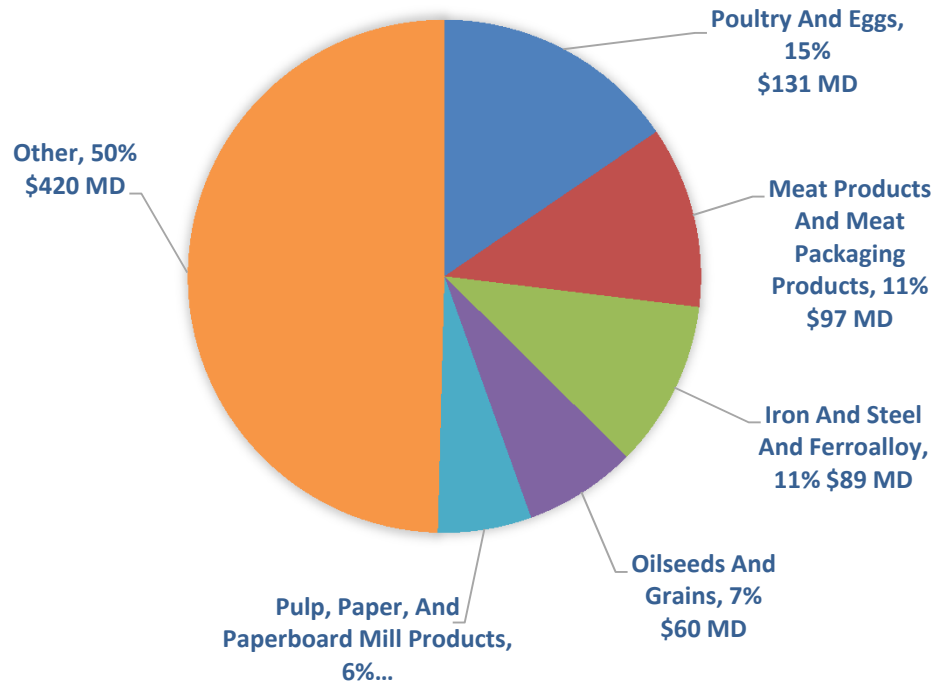
- In 2017, trade between Arkansas and Mexico surpassed **\$1.5 billion**
- Mexico is Arkansas's 2<sup>nd</sup> largest export market



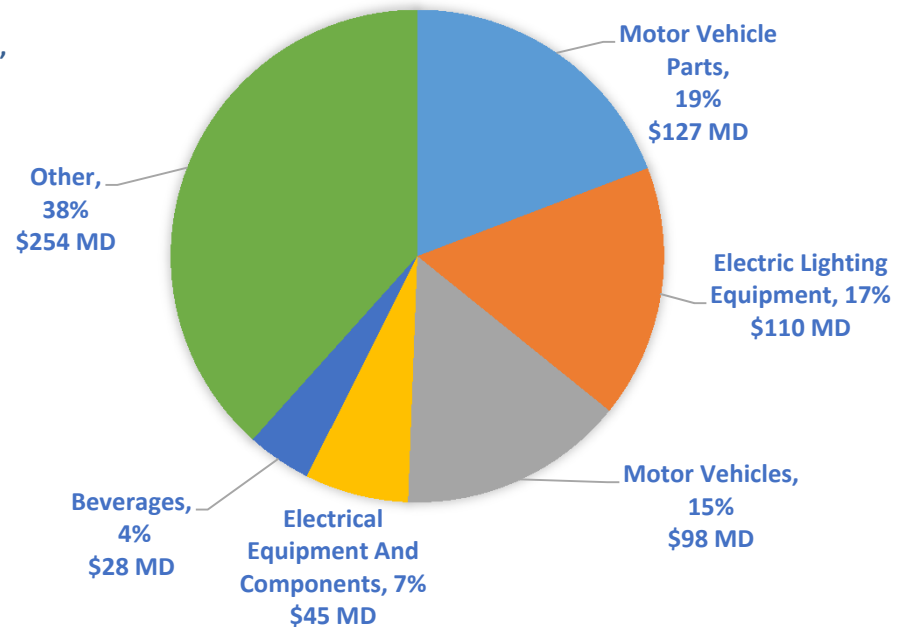
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# Arkansas – Mexico trade by industry

## Top Export Industries to Mexico



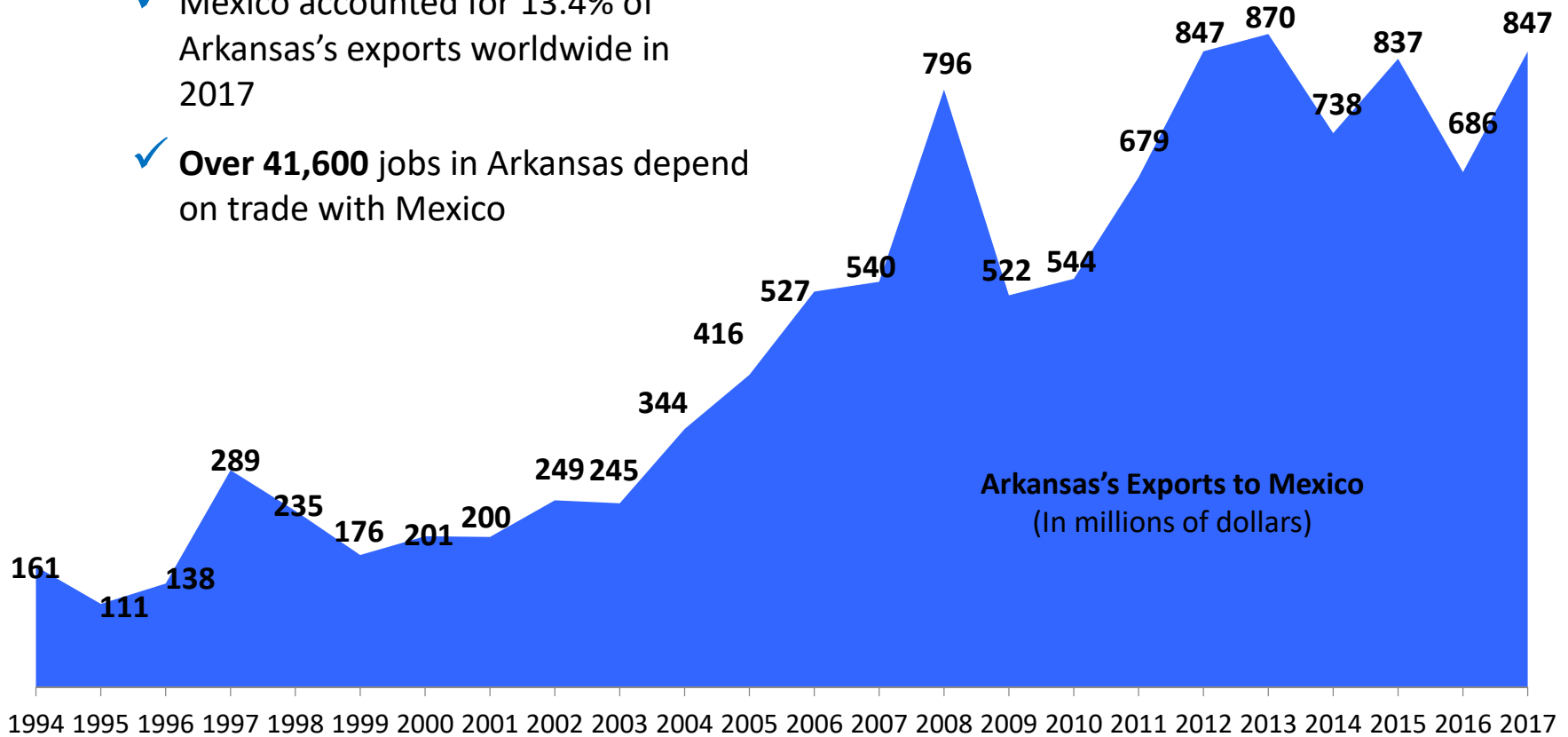
## Top Import Industries to Mexico



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# Arkansas's Exports to Mexico since NAFTA

- ✓ **710%** increase in Arkansas' exports to Mexico under NAFTA
- ✓ Mexico accounted for 13.4% of Arkansas's exports worldwide in 2017
- ✓ **Over 41,600** jobs in Arkansas depend on trade with Mexico



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# Arkansas – Mexico trade by main products

## Exports to Mexico: millions of US dollars

Product	2017
Birds Eggs, In The Shell, Fresh, Preserv Or Cookd	127
Meat & Ed Offal Of Poultry, Fresh, Chill Or Frozen	68
Rice	63
Fl-RI Iron & Na Steel Nun600mm Wd, Clad Etc	42
Parts & Access For Motor Vehicles (Head 8701-8705)	41
Civilian Aircraft, Engines, And Parts	32
Trailers Etc; Other Vehicles, Not Mech Propeld, Pt	26
Prepared Or Preserv Meat, Meat Offal & Blood Nesoi	26
Kraft Paper & Paperboard, Uncoat Nesoi, Rolls Etc	24
Lamps & Lighting Fittings & Parts Etc Nesoi	23

## Imports from Mexico: millions of US dollars

Product	2017
Insulated Wire, Cable Etc; Opt Sheath Fib Cables	148
Tractors (Other Than Works Trucks Of Heading 8709)	99
Lamps & Lighting Fittings & Parts Etc Nesoi	93
Air Conditioning Machines (Temp & Hum Change), Pts	37
Ethyl Alcohol, Udenat, Und80% Alc; Spirit Beverag	23
Machines Etc Having Individual Functions Nesoi, Pt	21
Electrical Mach Etc, With Ind Functions Nesoi, Pts	20
Centrifuges; Filter Etc Mach For Liq Or Gases; Pts	17
Expts Of Repaired Impts; Impts Of Returned Expts	16
Parts & Access For Motor Vehicles (Head 8701-8705)	15

## Mexican investment supports jobs in Arkansas

- Mexican companies operate 52 business establishments in Arkansas and provide 3,323 local jobs.

