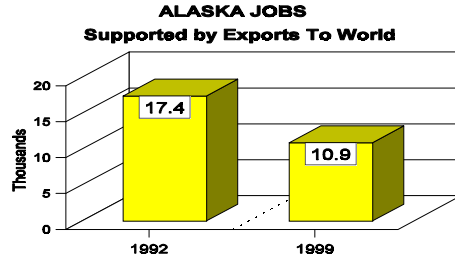


ALASKA STATE EXPORTS



- # In 1999, Alaska's goods exports were \$1.0 billion, down 16 percent (\$185 million) from 1992. During 1999, Alaska was the 45th largest state exporter of goods in the United States.
- # In 1999, Alaska's jobs supported by goods exports were an estimated 38 percent (6,546 jobs) lower than 1992. U.S. jobs supported by goods exports pay 13 to 16 percent higher than the national average wage.
- # In 1991, the latest year available, Alaska's exports accounted for 49.7 percent of its manufacturing output and represented 49.3 percent of its total manufacturing employment.
- # Alaska's exports of manufactured products were down by 19 percent between 1993 and 1999, to \$336.7 million in 1999.
- # The five largest manufacturing sectors in terms of Alaska's exports were: Lumber and Wood Products (\$62.9 million of exports in 1999), Petroleum and Coal Products (\$62.5 million), Food Products (\$44.2 million), Transportation Equipment (\$34.3 million), and Industrial Machinery and Computers (\$34.1 million). These five sectors accounted for 24 percent of the state's total exports in 1999.
- # Among Alaska's fastest growing manufactured exports (in millions) were:

Sector	1993	1999	Change %
Measuring and Scientific Instruments	\$9.1	\$21.7	140%
Food Products	20.3	44.1	118
Industrial Machinery and Computer Equipment	16.8	34.1	103
Petroleum and Coal Products	35.4	62.5	76

- # Alaska is the country's smallest agricultural exporting state, shipping approximately \$200 thousand in agricultural exports abroad in FY 1999.
- # Total exports from Alaska to NAFTA countries in 1999 were 178 percent higher than 1993 (pre-NAFTA), rising from \$107.2 million in 1993 to \$297.6 million in 1999. During 1999, Canada was Alaska's second largest export market, while Mexico was Alaska's 13th largest export market. Exports to Canada in 1999 were 175 percent (\$186.2 million) higher than 1993, to \$292.7 million in 1999. Exports to Mexico in 1999 were 568 percent (\$4.2 million) higher than 1993, to \$5.0 million in 1999.
- # In 1999, total exports from Alaska to Japan were 31 percent (\$147 million) lower than 1993, to \$334.5 million in 1999. During 1999, Japan was Alaska's largest export market.
- # In 1999 total exports from Alaska to the European Union were 131 percent (\$125.2 million) higher than 1993, to \$220.7 million in 1999.
- # In 1999, Alaska exported \$4.9 million to South/Central America and the Caribbean (excluding Mexico), \$115 million to the Pacific Rim (excluding Japan and China) and \$315 thousand to SubSaharan Africa.
- # In 1999, Alaska exported \$4.1 million to China, its 14th largest export market.