NAFTA by the Numbers

The North American Free Trade Agreement has had a positive impact on the growth of our region. Mexico is the No. 1 export market for both San Diego and California. Under NAFTA, the Cali-Baja region has developed an integrated supply chain that has created jobs, boosted economic growth, and strengthened the local economies on both sides of the border. As a binational region we see firsthand the benefits of trade with our North American neighbors.



\$10,000

Annual savings per U.S. household as a result of free trade or the elimination of tariffs.

199 Percent

Increase in U.S. services exported to Mexico since NAFTA.

28

Number of states that have Mexico as #1 or #2 trading partner.

468 Percent

Increase in U.S. exports overall since NAFTA.

Jobs & People



7 Million+

Number of U.S. jobs in the automobile industry, thanks to NAFTA.

5 Million

Number of U.S. jobs that depend on trade with Mexico.

110,000

Number of jobs in San Diego directly supported by trade.

10 Percent

of San Diego jobs are in the manufacturing industry. It is the second highest paid sector in San Diego.

Integrated Economy



\$5.5 Billion

Value of goods exported to Mexico from San Diego in 2016.

\$2.5 Billion

Value of the manufacturing supply chain that supports co-production between San Diego & Baja California.

3.4 Million

Estimated Number of commercial truck border crossings per year for San Diego County by 2050.