

Imports

The value of international imports totaled \$55.2 billion in 2014, according to the World Institute for Strategic Economic Research.

Our top 10 import commodities by value in 2014 were:

1. Industrial machinery and computers - \$10 billion
2. Electrical machinery and electronics - \$8.3 billion
3. Vehicles and parts - \$7.4 billion
4. Furniture - \$2.6 billion
5. Toys, games and sports equipment - \$2.5 billion
6. Aircraft, spacecraft and parts - \$1.9 billion
7. Plastic and plastic articles - \$1.9 billion
8. Articles of iron or steel - \$1.8 billion
9. Knit or crocheted apparel - \$1.6 billion
10. Footwear - \$1.6 billion

Exports

The value of international exports totaled \$18.4 billion in 2014, according to the World Institute for Strategic Economic Research.

Our top 10 export commodities by value in 2014 were:

1. Oil seeds and grains - \$3 billion
2. Industrial machinery and computers - \$1.7 billion
3. Prepared vegetables, fruits and nuts - \$978 million
4. Meat and meat products - \$935 million
5. Fish and seafood - \$906 million
6. Cereals - \$778 million
7. Eggs and dairy products - \$743 million
8. Paper and paperboard - \$704 million
9. Inorganic chemicals and rare-earth metals - \$691 million
10. Edible fruits and nuts, citrus fruits and melon peel - \$683 million

Trading Partners

1. China/Hong Kong - \$33 billion
2. Japan - \$16.2 billion
3. Republic of Korea - \$6.3 billion
4. Taiwan - \$3.8 billion
5. Vietnam - \$1.5 billion
6. Thailand - \$1.2 billion
7. Canada - \$1.1 billion
8. Australia - \$1.1 billion
9. Malaysia - \$905 million
10. Indonesia - \$872 million

The Puget Sound's annual trade with Alaska is estimated at \$5.4 billion, according to the 2015 Ties That Bind study.

If ranked with our international trading partners, Alaska would be fourth.