



Lake Charles, LA Merchandise Exports

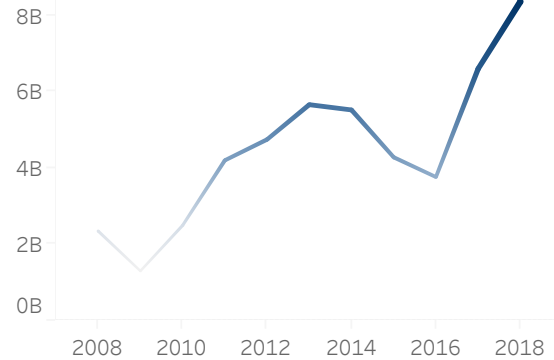
2018 Goods Exports:

\$8.4B

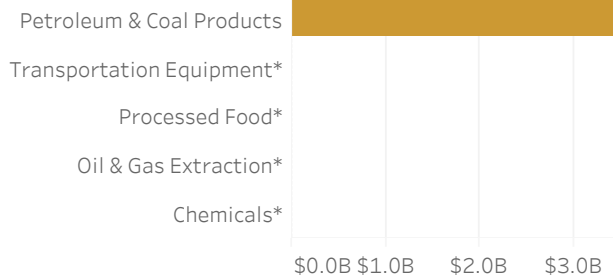
2017-18 Change: \$1,760M (26.7%)

In 2018, Lake Charles was the
44th largest
exporter among U.S. metro areas

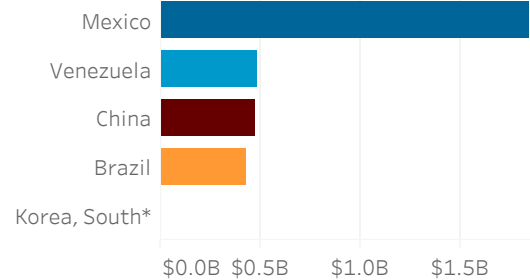
Goods Export Value, US\$



Top Export Categories:



Top Export Partners:



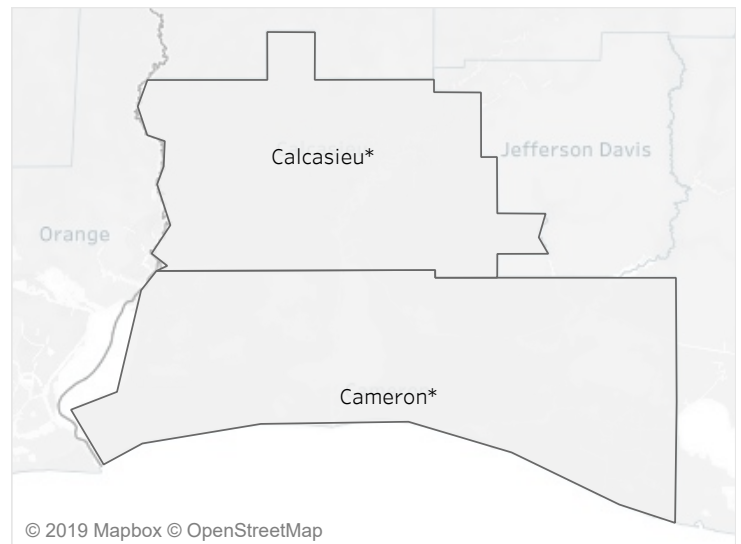
*Indicates that data are suppressed, but category/partner are among the top 5.

Top Exporting Counties

Lake Charles, LA

Cameron Parish*

Calcasieu Parish*



Counties listed above reflect, at most, the top 10 by export value.

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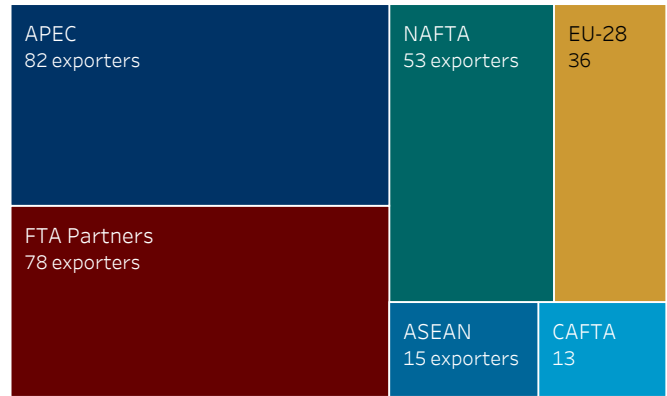
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companies exported goods from the Lake Charles area in 2016.

67%

were small- and medium-sized exporters (SMEs)

Number of Exporters by Market Region



2017 Lake Charles GDP:

\$17.3B

2017 Lake Charles Employment:

143K

Top Industries in 2017

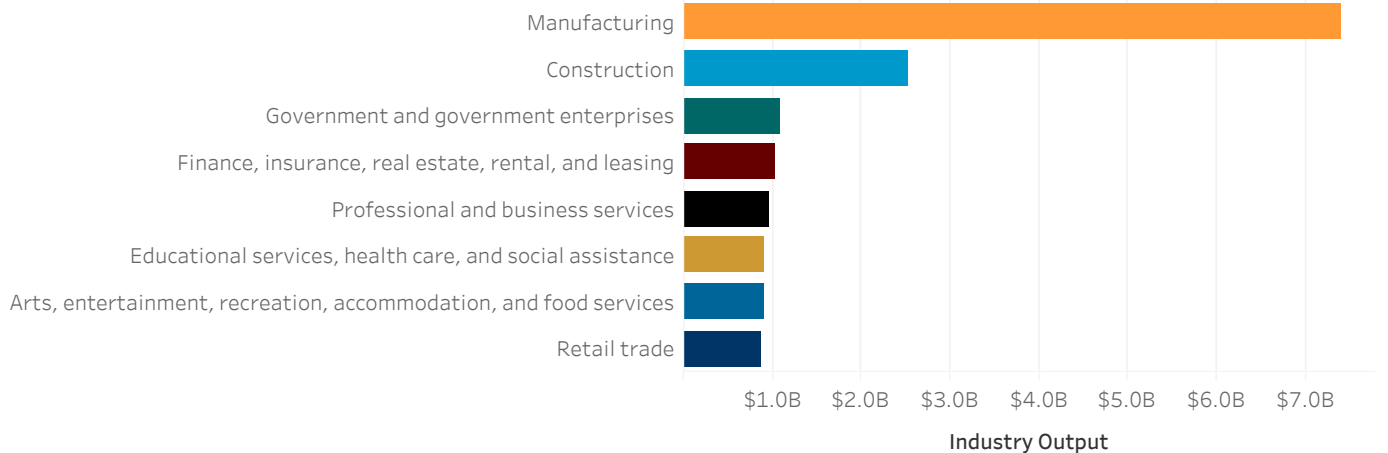


Chart does not take into account sectors where data is suppressed to avoid disclosure of private company information.

Data Sources:

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To view the complete export data series and methodology, visit <https://tse.export.gov/metro>

Employment and production data are available from the Bureau of Economic Analysis' GDP-by-Region Accounts.