

ASCENSION PARISH, LA & CANADA

1,300 people are employed at the 8 Canadian-owned businesses operating in Ascension Parish, and an additional 1,100 jobs depend on goods and services exports to Canada

Ascension Parish
exports \$426 million
 in goods to Canada annually

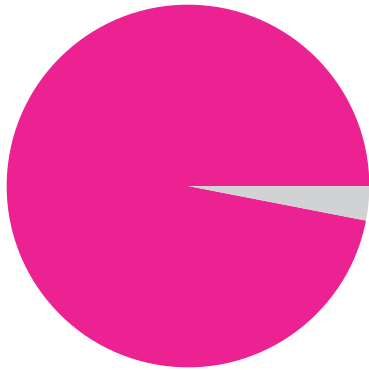
Top Ascension Parish goods exports to Canada

■ Resins & Synthetic Fibers.....	\$246 million
■ Basic Chemicals.....	\$114 million
■ Pesticides & Fertilizers.....	\$45 million
■ Iron, Steel & Ferroalloys.....	\$1 million
■ Nonferrous Metal Products.....	\$1 million

Ascension Parish
exports \$17 million
 in services to Canada annually

Top Ascension Parish services exports to Canada

Charges for the use of intellectual property....	\$8 million
Business services.....	\$4 million
Travel (including for education).....	\$3 million
Maintenance & repair services.....	\$2 million
Financial services.....	\$215,000



Ascension Parish goods exports to Canada by industry

■ Chemicals.....	97%.....	\$412 million
■ Other.....	3%.....	\$13 million

Ascension Parish exports to Canada

2024.....	\$426 million
2023.....	\$483 million
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2021.....	\$423 million
2020.....	\$273 million
2019.....	\$295 million
2018.....	\$341 million
2017.....	\$352 million

Top Canadian-owned businesses operating in Ascension Parish

- PCS Nitrogen
- Methanex
- Circle K
- Illinois Central Railroad

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Sources: **Trade Partnership Worldwide**: Goods exports (2024 data, 2/2025 release), services exports (2023 data, 12/2024 release) and jobs, calculated figures, based on U.S. Census Bureau and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis data at state and national levels. **Dun & Bradstreet**: Canadian-owned businesses (2/2025 release). Figures may not add up due to rounding. Produced by the Embassy of Canada in Washington, D.C.