

DAKOTA COUNTY, MN & CANADA

5,100 people are employed at the 45 Canadian-owned businesses operating in Dakota County, and an additional 2,950 jobs depend on goods and services exports to Canada

Dakota County exports \$1.2 billion in goods to Canada annually

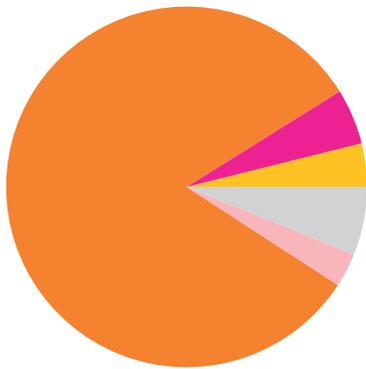
Top Dakota County goods exports to Canada

■ Petroleum & Coal Products.....	\$1.0 billion
■ Pesticides & Fertilizers.....	\$50 million
■ Plastics Products.....	\$21 million
■ Beverages.....	\$20 million
■ Navigational & Meas. Instruments.....	\$19 million

Dakota County exports \$67 million in services to Canada annually

Top Dakota County services exports to Canada

Travel (including for education).....	\$15 million
Insurance services.....	\$14 million
Charges for the use of intellectual property..	\$12 million
Business services.....	\$11 million
Transport.....	\$8 million



Dakota County goods exports to Canada by industry

■ Agriculture.....	4%.....	\$44 million
■ Chemicals.....	5%.....	\$67 million
■ Energy.....	82%.....	\$1.0 billion
■ Minerals & metals.....	3%.....	\$32 million
■ Other.....	6%.....	\$74 million

Dakota County exports to Canada

2024.....	\$1.2 billion
2023.....	\$763 million
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2021.....	\$1.0 billion
2020.....	\$708 million
2019.....	\$341 million
2018.....	\$263 million
2017.....	\$270 million

Top Canadian-owned businesses operating in Dakota County

- Thomson Reuters
- Holiday Stationstores
- Buddys Kitchen
- Select Food Products
- Paisley Consulting
- West Publishing Corporation
- Capital Confirmation
- BMO Harris Bank
- Lastman Ltd
- Trans World NY Sub

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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.