

WHATCOM COUNTY, WA & CANADA

1,000 people are employed at the 61 Canadian-owned businesses operating in Whatcom County, and an additional 2,200 jobs depend on goods and services exports to Canada

Whatcom County exports \$480 million in goods to Canada annually

Top Whatcom County goods exports to Canada

■ Petroleum & Coal Products.....	\$253 million
■ Ag. & Construction Machinery.....	\$47 million
■ Grain & Oilseed Milling Products.....	\$20 million
■ Marine Products.....	\$19 million
■ Fruits & Tree Nuts.....	\$19 million

Whatcom County exports \$134 million in services to Canada annually

Top Whatcom County services exports to Canada

Transport.....	\$104 million
Travel (including for education).....	\$18 million
Business services.....	\$5 million
Charges for the use of intellectual property....	\$3 million
Financial services.....	\$2 million



Whatcom County goods exports to Canada by industry

■ Agriculture.....	17%.....	\$83 million
■ Energy.....	53%.....	\$254 million
■ Equipment & machinery.....	17%.....	\$81 million
■ Forest products.....	6%.....	\$28 million
■ Other.....	7%.....	\$34 million

Whatcom County exports to Canada

2024.....	\$480 million
2023.....	\$660 million
2023.....	\$660 million
2021.....	\$622 million
2020.....	\$546 million
2019.....	\$776 million
2018.....	\$881 million
2017.....	\$776 million

Top Canadian-owned businesses operating in Whatcom County

- South Everson Lumber Co
- Flora
- Dealer Info Systems Corp
- Hertco Kitchens US Corp
- Moon Cheese
- Tree Island Wire
- Chocolate Chocolate
- All American Marine
- Hempler Foods Group
- Bell Lumber & Pole Company

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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.