Illinois exports totaled over $65.49 billion in 2018. The agricultural adjusted figure for 2018 is $68.08 billion.\(^1\)

Since 2009, Illinois exports have increased by $23.87 billion, or 57.3%.\(^2\)

Illinois is the largest exporting state in the Midwest and the 5th largest exporting state in the U.S. using agricultural adjusted figures provided by the US Census Bureau.\(^3\)

Top 10 Illinois export categories have seen gains since 2009.

18 of the top 20 Illinois export partner countries have seen gains since 2009.

Export activities support over 800K jobs in Illinois.\(^4\)

Illinois ranks #3 in the nation and Chicago ranks #1 amongst largest metro areas.\(^5\)

Hong Kong is Illinois’ 18th largest FDI partner by employment.\(^6\)

Hong Konger Foreign Direct Investment in Illinois\(^7\)

- Illinois ranks #3 in the nation and Chicago ranks #1 amongst largest metro areas for new and expanding corporate locations.
- Illinois is home to over 2,048 foreign firms that employ more than 324,000 Illinois residents.
- Hong Konger firms employ 2,905 Illinoisans at 32 distinct locations for 18 subsidiaries.
- Hong Kong is Illinois’ 18th largest FDI partner by employment.

Top Hongkonger Firms with Employment in Illinois**\(^8\)

- Abbott Laboratories
- Lenovo Group Limited
- United Continental Holdings, Inc.
- Hong Konger Foreign Direct Investment in Illinois (in millions)\(^9\)

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Export industries support over 800K jobs in Illinois.\(^10\)

Illinois ranks #4 among the 50 U.S. states in exports to Hong Kong.\(^11\)

Illinois is the largest exporting state in the U.S. using agricultural adjusted figures provided by the US Census Bureau.\(\text{\textcopyright} 2019\)

Total Illinois Firms with Employment in Hong Kong**\(^12\)

- Illinois Tool Works Inc.
- The Boeing Company
- Motorola Solutions, Inc.
- United Continental Holdings, Inc.
- Abbott Laboratories

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Hong Kong is Illinois’ 36th largest import market.\(^13\)

Hong Kong is Illinois’ 10th largest export market.\(^14\)

Hong Kong is Illinois’ 36th largest import market.\(^15\)

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