

Export and Investment Promotion Planning System

87/88 Sector/Sub-Sector Highlights
Submitted by Posts by Region

Region: UNITED STATES

Mission: 602 CHICAGO

Market: 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Sector: 010 MINE, METAL, MINERAL PROD & SRV

Subsector: 104 METALS, PRIMARY & FABRICATED

Statistical Data On Sector/sub-sector	Next Year (Projected)	Current Year (Estimated)	1 Year Ago	2 Years Ago
Mkt Size(import) \$	3409.00M	\$ 3219.00M	\$ 3040.00M	\$ 2685.00M
Canadian Exports \$	87.00M	\$ 81.00M	\$ 77.00M	\$ 166.00M
Canadian Share of Import Market	2.60%	2.50%	2.50%	6.20%

Major Competing Countries

Market Share

- i) 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
- ii) 265 JAPAN
- iii) 128 GERMANY WEST
- iv) 051 UNITED KINGDOM
- v) 349 MEXICO

87 %
%
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Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products
in this Sector/Subsector:

100 \$M AND UP

Current status of Canadian exports: Mature with little growth

Products/services for which there are
good market prospects

Current Total Imports

In Canadian \$

- i) INVESTMENT CASTINGS
- ii) PRECISION COMPONENTS
- iii) METAL FABRICATIONS

\$ 9.00 M
\$ 6.00 M
\$ 20.00 M

The Trade Office reports that the following factors influence Canadian
export performance in this market for this sector (sub-sector).In the Trade Office's opinion, Canadian export performance in this sector
(sub-sector) in this market is lower than optimum mainly because of:

- No factors reported by mission