

Export and Investment Promotion Planning System

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

Region: LATIN AMERICA-CARIBBEAN

Mission: 631 BUENOS AIRES

Market: 001 ARGENTINA

Sector: 016 INDUSTRIAL MACHIN, PLANTS, SERV.

Subsector: 999 ALL SUB-SECTORS

Statistical Data On Sector/sub-sector	Next Year (Projected)	Current Year (Estimated)	1 Year Ago	2 Years Ago
Mkt Size(import) \$	500.00M	\$ 450.00M	\$ 400.00M	\$ 360.00M
Canadian Exports \$	0.00M	\$ 0.00M	\$ 0.00M	\$ 0.00M
Canadian Share of Import Market	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Major Competing Countries

Market Share

i) 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	050 %
ii) 609 EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET C	020 %
iii) 047 BRAZIL	015 %

Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products in this Sector/Subsector: 15-30 \$M

Current status of Canadian exports: No Export results to date

Products/services for which there are good market prospects

Current Total Imports

- i) MANUFACTURING EQUIPMENT
- ii) SERVICES

In Canadian \$
\$ 180.00 M
\$ 20.00 M

The Trade Office reports that the following factors influence Canadian export performance in this market for this sector (sub-sector).

- there are import restrictions which can present significant problems
- the degree of import duty protection of local industry tends to be high

In the Trade Office's opinion, Canadian export performance in this sector (sub-sector) in this market is lower than optimum mainly because of:

- a lack of interest in the market on the part of Canadian exporters
- non competitive pricing
- the apparent limited sectoral capability in Canada compared to other competing export countries
- difficulties of adaptation of marketing techniques to the market by some Canadian companies
- high tariffs
- non-tariff protectionist measures which are difficult to overcome
- market prospect which are relatively new and have not yet been explored adequately by Canadian exporters