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## Export and Investment Promotion Planning System

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

Region: UNITED STATES

Mission: 602 CHICAGO

Major Competing Countries

Market: 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Sector: 001 AGRI & FOOD PRODUCTS & SERVICE

Subsector: 016 AGRICULTURE MACH, EQUIP, TOOLS

Statistical Data On Sector/sub-sector	Next Year (Projected)	Current Year (Estimated)	1 Year Ago	2 Years Ago
Mkt Size(import) Canadian Exports Canadian Share of Import Market		\$ 7148.00M \$ 112.00M 1.60%	\$ 4808.00M \$ 107.00M 1.60%	\$11328.00M \$ 657.00M 5.80%

Major Competing Countries	Market	Sh	are
i) 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA		79	%
ii) 265 JAPAN			<b>%</b>
iii) 237 ITALY			2
iv) 112 FRANCE			2

Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products 100 \$M AND UP in this Sector/Subsector:

Current status of Canadian exports: Mature with little growth

Products/services for which there are	Current Total Imports
good market prospects	In Canadian \$
i) LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT	\$ 32.00 M
ii) SOIL PREPARATION	\$ 10.00 M
iii) HAYING AND HARVESTING	\$ 10.00 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

Some Canadian exporters to this market in this sector(sub-sector) have enjoyed success previously as a result of a variety of factors which the trade office reports to include:

- aggressive marketing on the part of Canadian Exporters
- participation in trade fairs
- use of Canadian Government export promotion activities
- competitive export pricing for this market
- strong sectoral capability in Canada