Oregon Exports

Individual countries cannot produce all the products their citizens need or want. When countries trade, they import (bring in products) and export (ship out products). Oregon exported more than six billion dollars of goods to foreign countries in 2005, about 1.5% of all goods shipped from the USA that year.

More than 50% of those goods were shipped to just five countries. It is difficult to measure the amount of goods imported for use in Oregon because when ships arrive in Oregon’s ports only some of the goods they deliver stay in Oregon. The rest is sent to other states.