



PRIMARY SECTOR GDP

f #GoodNews #Mexico's primary sector GDP grew 12.4% in almost five years, due to the work and efforts of the over seven million women and men who have made farming into a productive option. bit.ly/2wGsHJV

f Agri-food exports from January 2013 to December 2016 totaled USD 105.604 billion, 60% more than in the previous six-year period. bit.ly/2wGsHJV

t In 2015, #Mexico had an agricultural trade surplus of USD 1.73 billion, rising to USD 3.204 billion in 2016. #MexicoSowsSuccess bit.ly/2wGsHJV

t #Mexico's aquaculture industry grew 16% per year between 2013 and 2016, compared to a worldwide growth rate of 6%. bit.ly/2wGsHJV

Source: [Agriculture Ministry](#)



OIL INVESTMENT

f #DidYouKnow that opening up the energy sector will attract more investment to #Mexico and create thousands of jobs? #LearnMore Click here bit.ly/2gHawdW

f #DidYouKnow that there are 21 new gas station brands in #Mexico and 224 permits were granted to import gasoline and 324 for diesel? 16 private companies have already imported gasoline for their own use and one company is selling it. bit.ly/2gHawdW

t The #EnergyReform brings diversity, competition, opportunities and freedom of choice to the oil industry. bit.ly/2gHawdW

t Opening up the #EnergySector has brought 21 new gas station brands to Mexico and 224 gas and 324 diesel import permits have been issued. bit.ly/2gHawdW

Source: [Energy Ministry](#)



CHILES IN WALNUT SAUCE

f In 2016, #Mexico harvested over 327,000 tons of poblano chiles, a key ingredient for chiles in walnut sauce #ChilesEnNogada bit.ly/2eG6DoN

f Try #Mexico's traditional chiles in walnut sauce #ChilesEnNogada, poetry to the palate bit.ly/2eG6DoN

f #ChilesEnNogada (chiles in walnut sauce): a dish that showcases Mexican nationalism bit.ly/2eG6DoN

t #ChilesEnNogada (chiles in walnut sauce) start with #Mexico's poblano chiles. bit.ly/2eG6DoN

t #ChilesEnNogada (chiles in walnut sauce) have a high nutritional value bit.ly/2eG6DoN

Source: [Agriculture Ministry](#)

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