



BILATERAL ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIP MEXICO - SOUTH AFRICA

INVESTMENT

According to data provided by our Ministry of Economy, the cumulative investment of South Africa in Mexico from 1999 to 2018 amounted to 131.4 million dollars, with 37 SA companies. Aspen (pharmaceutical products), Blue Label (electronic services for point-of-sale terminals), Dimension Data (technological services for companies) and SRK Consulting (consulting for mining projects) are the main South African companies with presence in our country.

According to a research provided by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), from 2003 to 2018, Mexican investments in South Africa totalled 37 million dollars, with 2 projects, one of 2011 for 16 million dollars (Katcon) and one in 2016 for 21 million dollars (IMBERA).

Mexican companies FEMSA IMBERA, Cosmolcel, Katcon, Metalsa and Binbit and recently Bimbo have operations in South Africa. The opening of a Kidzania franchise is also expected in 2019.

TRADE

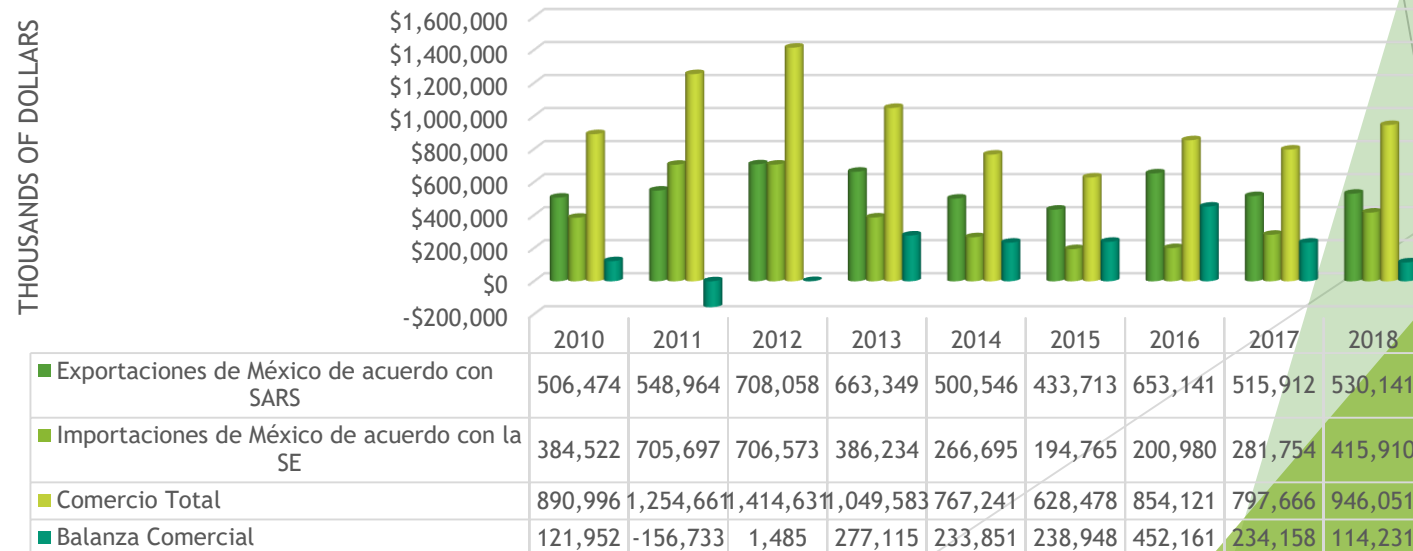
In 2018, trade between Mexico and South Africa was over 946 million dollars, with a surplus in favour of our country of 114 million dollars, according to the certificates of origin of the respective exports.

Mexican exports in 2018 mainly included processors, wheeled tractors, tequila, memory cards (smart cards), memory units, malt beer, electronic devices, auto parts, refrigerator components (compressor refrigeration units), distilled agave liquors (mezcal).

Mexico imports minerals, iron and steel products, machinery and supplies for aeronautics and automotive industry.

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Sources: SARS and SE



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SARS (South African Revenue Service)
SE (Secretaría de Economía)