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Arizona

Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)

The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) will boost demand for U.S. farm and food products among nearly 500 million consumers in 11 countries across the Asia-Pacific region. By reducing tariffs and opening new markets for American agricultural products, the TPP will help increase farm income, generate rural economic activity, and support local jobs.

Top 5

Arizona Agricultural Exports

Vegetables	1
Cotton	2
Dairy	3
Beef and Veal	4
Fruits and Nuts	5

10,600

Arizona jobs supported by agricultural exports

$1.4 billion

Annual value of Arizona agricultural exports

Source: USDA-ERS 2013 State Export Data

TPP Highlights

Vegetables

Malaysia and Vietnam will immediately eliminate all tariffs, and Japan nearly all tariffs, on fresh and processed vegetables. All three countries will eliminate tariffs on potatoes and potato products.

Cotton

Vietnamese tariffs, currently as high as 10%, will be eliminated. Japanese and Malaysian tariffs will be locked in at 0%.

Dairy

Japan will eliminate tariffs on cheese and whey and create tariff-rate quotas (TRQs) for whey, butter, milk powder, and evaporated and condensed milk. Malaysia and Vietnam will eliminate tariffs on dairy products. Canada will eliminate tariffs on whey and create TRQs for cheese, fluid milk, butter and other products.

Beef and Veal

Japan's beef tariff, currently as high as 50%, will be reduced to 9%. Japan will eliminate duties on ¾ of tariff lines, including processed beef products. Vietnam will eliminate tariffs and Malaysia will lock tariffs in at 0%.