

Washington

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

Washington Agricultural Exports

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

34,100

Washington jobs supported by
agricultural exports

\$4.5 billion

Annual value of Washington
agricultural exports

Source: USDA-ERS 2013 State Export Data

TPP Highlights



Fruits

Japan, Malaysia, and Vietnam will eliminate tariffs on all fresh and processed fruits, including citrus.



Tree Nuts

Japan, Malaysia, and Vietnam will eliminate tariffs on all tree nuts, including almonds, pecans, macadamia nuts, and walnuts.



Wheat

Japan will create new tariff-rate quotas for wheat and wheat products and eliminate existing tariffs for processed products such as cookies and crackers. Malaysia and Vietnam will eliminate tariffs on wheat and wheat products.



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.