



- Capital: Saltillo
- Municipalities: 38
- Population: 2,748,391 inhabitants
- % of the national population: 2.4
- Territorial extension: 151,563 km²
- Area of the country: 7.7
- National GDP contribution: 3.1
- Sector with highest distribution to the state GDP: Manufacturing (31.8%)



Why invest in Coahuila?

Coahuila offers different options to the investors for relocate or expand their operations in Mexico. This border state has the ideal logistics location to start businesses into the North American market; besides Coahuila offers a modern and first-class infrastructure, and a solid education platform which provides to the enterprises a train skilled and qualified workforce.

Population

Coahuila's population accounted 2.4% of Mexico's total population in 2010.

POPULATION (2010)

Concept	Coahuila	National	% over National A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total Population (TP)	2,748,391	112,336,538	2.4%
Population under 14 years of age	835,135	33,913,202	2.5%
Working Age Population (WAP)	1,913,256	78,423,336	2.4%
Economically Inactive Population (EIP)	830,553	33,452,310	2.5%
Economically Active Population (EAP)	1,074,282	44,425,601	2.4%
Active population	1,007,045	42,421,721	2.4%
Inactive population	67,237	2,003,880	3.4%

Source: INEGI, 2010 People and Housing Census

EMPLOYEES BY BRANCH OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY (2010)

Concept	Coahuila	National	% over National A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total Active Population	1,037,370	42,699,571	2.4%
Agriculture	64,773	5,705,703	1.1%
Mining, Manufacturing, Electricity and Water	278,073	6,861,492	4.1%
Construction	85,148	3,576,193	2.4%
Commerce	193,382	8,201,891	2.4%
Other Services	405,446	17,791,507	2.3%
Non Specified	10,548	562,785	1.9%

Source: INEGI, 2010 People and Housing Census

Employment

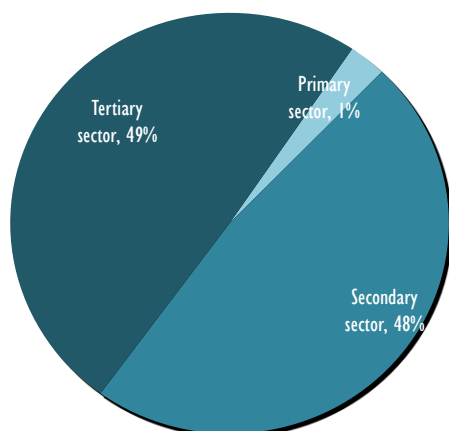
Coahuila recorded 1 million workers during 2010, mainly in the commercial and in the manufacturing industries. In respect to the national level, the state represented 2.4% of the workers in the commercial industry and 4.1% in the manufacturing industry.

Economy

The Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of Coahuila exceeded 388 billion pesos in 2010, and contributed 3.1% of Mexico's national GDP.

Secondary sector, which includes manufacturing and construction sectors, contributed 49% of the state's GDP in 2010.

GDP STRUCTURE OF COAHUILA, 2010



Source: INEGI
Facts: Millions of pesos
*Indirectly Measured

PIB 2010	Coahuila	National	Share (%) A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total	388,503	12,504,744	3.1%
Primary sector	10,779	439,244	2.5%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	10,779	439,244	2.5%
Secondary sector	185,686	4,320,102	4.3%
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	14,107	1,079,586	1.3%
Utilities	4,896	156,217	3.1%
Construction	26,700	840,202	3.2%
Manufacturing	139,983	2,244,097	6.2%
Tertiary sector	192,038	7,745,399	2.5%
Wholesale and retail trade	51,526	2,049,929	2.5%
Transportation and warehousing	32,507	889,037	3.7%
Information	5,604	395,546	1.4%
Finance and insurance	7,281	460,592	1.6%
Real estate and rental and leasing	29,298	1,269,831	2.3%
Professional, scientific, and technical services	10,562	387,089	2.7%
Management of companies and enterprises	243	51,485	0.5%
Admin. & support and waste mgmt. & remediat. svcs.	8,405	300,991	2.8%
Educational services	14,599	625,205	2.3%
Health care and social assistance	10,775	372,319	2.9%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	789	47,496	1.7%
Accommodation and food services	6,139	283,425	2.2%
Other services (except Public Administration)	6,287	303,753	2.1%
Public Administration	11,706	554,930	2.1%
Financial intermediation services*	-3,683	-246,228	1.5%

Million of pesos

*Indirectly Measured



Foreign Direct Investment

- Coahuila received 75 million dollars in Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in 2010, which represented 0.4% of FDI received in Mexico.
- Of all the FDI received by the state, most was directed toward the manufacturing industry, followed by the retail trade sector.

Salaries

Coahuila recorded an average salary for IMSS contribution of \$218.7 in 2010, which was below the country's average of \$236.6.

Average Salary quote to IMSS *	
Coahuila	218.7
National	236.6

*Payments per day in 2010 annual average
Source: National Minimum Wages Commission (CONASAMI in Spanish)

Average Salary quote to IMSS by National Activity Sector*	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	130.5
Extractive industry	369.2
Processing industries	247.1
Construction	179.9
Electrical and water supply	539.3
Commerce	208.4
Transport and communications	302.0
Services to companies and individuals	236.8
Social services	260.2

*Payments per day in 2010 annual average
Source: National Minimum Wages Commission (CONASAMI in Spanish)

Infrastructure

Infrastructure in the state of Coahuila	
Railways (Km)	2,218
Trunk and branches	1,699
Secondary	367
Special	152
Sea ports	0
Height and cabotage	0
Cabotage	0
Airports	5
National	0
International	5

Source: Source: SCT 2010, and AEPEF 2010 from INEGI.

Coahuila has 2,218 kilometers of railways. It also has 5 international airports.

Infrastructure in the state of Coahuila	
Medical unit	408
Public	379
Private	29
Sites for hosting	250
Rooms	10,301

Source: Source: SCT 2010, and AEPEF 2010 from INEGI.

Education

EDUCATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE 2008-2009

Coahuila	Senior High Schools	Higher Education
Schools	408	201
Students	90,590	76,764
Teachers	7,093	8,056

Source: SEP

Out of 89,298 students who graduated from engineering and technology in Mexico, 3,166 graduated in the state of Coahuila, during the 2008-2009 cycle.

BACHELOR'S POPULATION 2008-2009

Coahuila	Undergraduates	Graduates
Total	8,070	4,194
Agricultural sciences	357	211
Health Sciences	409	365
Natural and Exact Sciences	96	12
Social and Administrative Sciences	3,943	1,699
Education and Humanities	201	66
Engineering and Technology	3,064	1,841

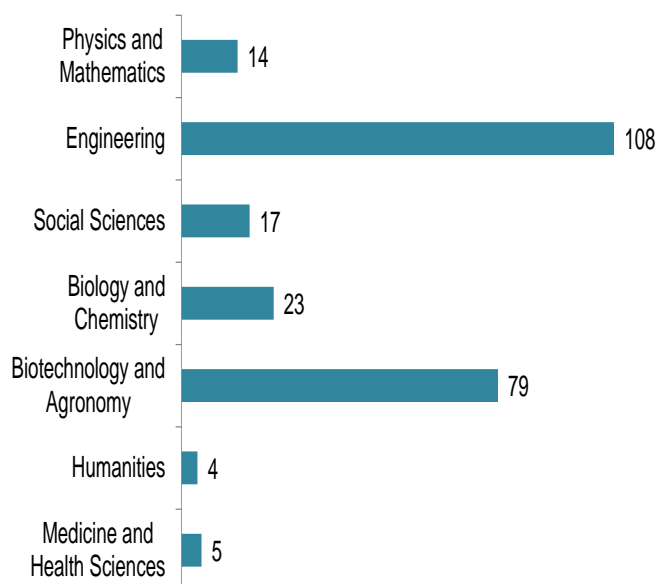
Source: National Association of Universities and Higher Education Institutions (ANUIES in Spanish)

HIGHER TECHNICAL SCHOOL POPULATION 2008-2009

Coahuila	Undergraduates	Graduates
Total	1,555	1,750
Health Sciences	1	0
Social and Administrative Sciences	399	427
Engineering and Technology	1,155	1,323

Source: National Association of Universities and Higher Education Institutions (ANUIES in Spanish)

NUMBER OF RESEARCHERS BY AREA OF SCIENCE



Researchers living force at January 2011

Source: National Research System, CONACYT

Mexico recorded more than 16,000 researchers at January 2011; 1.5% of them were in Coahuila.

Most of the researchers in the state focused on the areas of engineering, biotechnology and agronomy.



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