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- Capital: Chihuahua
- Municipalities: 67
- Population: 3,759,864 inhabitants
- % of the national population: 3.1
- Territorial extension: 247,455 km²
- Area of the country: 12.6
- National GDP contribution: 3.0
- Sector with highest distribution to the state GDP: Manufacturing Industries (30.8%)

Why invest in Chihuahua?

Chihuahua major states generate benefit in manufacturing exports and people employed this same. It is also among the states with the largest number of assembly plants establishments and foreign investment in manufacturing reception.

Population

Chihuahua's population accounted 3.1% of Mexico's total population in 2016.

POPULATION 2016

Concept	Chihuahua	National	% over National A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total Population (TP)	3,759,864	122,746,451	3.1%
Population under 15 years of age	1,009,715	32,269,331	3.1%
Working Age Population (WAP)	2,750,149	90,477,120	3.0%
Economically Inactive Population (EIP)	1,075,644	36,442,320	3.0%
Economically Active Population (EAP)	1,674,505	54,034,800	3.1%
Active population	1,634,976	52,123,674	3.1%
Inactive population	39,529	1,911,126	2.1%

Source: INEGI, National Survey of Occupation and Employment, last quarter of 2016.

EMPLOYEES BY BRANCH OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY 2016

Concept	Chihuahua	National	% over National A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total Active Population	1,634,976	52,123,674	3.1%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	146,685	6,920,547	2.1%
Mining, electricity and water	18,762	379,300	4.9%
Manufacturing	497,941	8,528,629	5.8%
Construction	120,972	4,346,696	2.8%
Commerce	290,698	9,802,437	3.0%
Accommodation and food services	92,570	3,848,043	2.4%
Transport and warehousing	53,676	2,647,569	2.0%
Professional, financial and corporate services	91,817	3,565,476	2.6%
Social assistance	107,396	4,170,171	2.6%
Other services	131,100	5,407,012	2.4%
Public administration and international institutions	58,246	2,217,975	2.6%
Non specified	25,113	289,819	8.7%

Source: INEGI, National Survey of Occupation and Employment, last quarter of 2016.

Employment

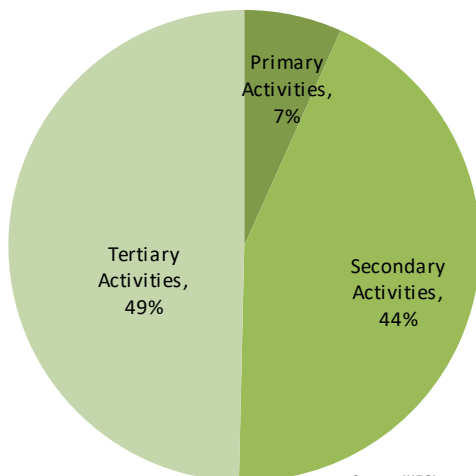
Chihuahua recorded 1.6 million workers during 2016, mainly in manufacturing industry and commerce. In respect to the national level, the state represented 5.8% of the workers in manufacturing industry and 3.0% in commerce.

Economy

The Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of Chihuahua recorded more than 644 billion pesos in 2016, and contributed 3.4% of Mexico's national GDP.

Tertiary sector, which includes Wholesale and retail trade and real estate services, contributed with 49% of the state's GDP in 2016.

GDP STRUCTURE OF CHIHUAHUA, 2016



Source: INEGI
Facts: Millions of pesos

GDP 2016	Chihuahua	National	Share (%) A/B
	Total (A)	Total (B)	
Total	644,228	18,841,226	3.4%
Primary Activities	43,147	673,975	6.4%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	43,147	673,975	6.4%
Secondary Activities	281,271	5,895,701	4.8%
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	18,315	733,066	2.5%
Utilities	13,234	298,215	4.4%
Construction	51,531	1,491,382	3.5%
Manufacturing	198,191	3,373,038	5.9%
Tertiary Activities	319,810	12,271,550	2.6%
Wholesale and Retail trade	111,220	3,717,794	3.0%
Transportation and Warehousing	27,389	1,206,964	2.3%
Information	5,420	335,870	1.6%
Finance and Insurance	15,131	744,498	2.0%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	68,946	2,114,587	3.3%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	6,183	391,874	1.6%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	63	112,269	0.0%
Admin. & Support and Waste Mgmt. & Remediat. Srvc.	9,028	669,564	1.3%
Educational Services	22,603	800,229	2.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	12,018	445,465	2.7%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1,428	85,261	1.7%
Accommodation and Food Services	9,449	458,493	2.1%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	10,577	401,441	2.6%
Public Administration	20,356	787,241	2.6%

Foreign Direct Investment

- Chihuahua received 1,907.6 million dollars in Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in 2016, which represented 7.1% of FDI received in Mexico. Of all the FDI received by the state, almost all was toward the manufacturing industry.

Salaries

Chihuahua recorded an average salary for IMSS contribution of \$293.2 in 2016, which was below the country's average of \$317.9.

Average Salary quote to IMSS*	
Chihuahua	293.2
National	317.9

*Payments per day in 2016.
Source: STPS.

Average Salary quote to IMSS by National Activity Sector*	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	180.4
Extractive industry	519.9
Processing industries	325.3
Construction	209.2
Electrical and water supply	793.2
Commerce	274.0
Transport and communications	369.5
Services to companies and individuals	309.1
Social services	443.9

*Payments per day in 2016.
Source: STPS.

Infrastructure

Infrastructure in Chihuahua	
Railways (Km)	2,655
Trunk and branches	2,231
Secondary	333
Special	91
Sea ports	0
International Maritime Ports	0
Coastal Shipping Ports	0
Airports	2
Domestic	0
International	2

Source: AEPEF 2016 from INEGI.

Chihuahua has 2,655 kilometers of railways. It has two international airports.

Infrastructure in Chihuahua	
Medical units	636
Public	566
Private	70
Sites for hosting	730
Rooms	22,123

Source: AEPEF 2016 from INEGI.

Education

EDUCATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE 2016-2017

Chihuahua	Senior High Schools	Higher Education
Institutions	n.a.	91
Schools	633	154
Students	150,535	129,034
Teachers	13,324	12,758

Source: SEP, 2017.

Around 125,481 students with completed studies from engineering, manufacturing and construction in Mexico, 4,307 are from Chihuahua.

POPULATION OF HIGHER TECHNIC UNIVERSITY BY FIELD OF STUDY 2016-2017

Chihuahua	Enrolment	With completed studies	Graduates
Total	14,019	2,248	1,843
Agronomy and Veterinary	531	117	62
Humanities and Arts	0	0	0
Natural and Exact Sciences, and Computing	235	56	52
Social Sciences, Business and Law	4,792	850	704
Education	0	0	0
Engineering, Manufacturing and Construction	7,535	1,065	923
Health	926	160	102
Services	0	0	0

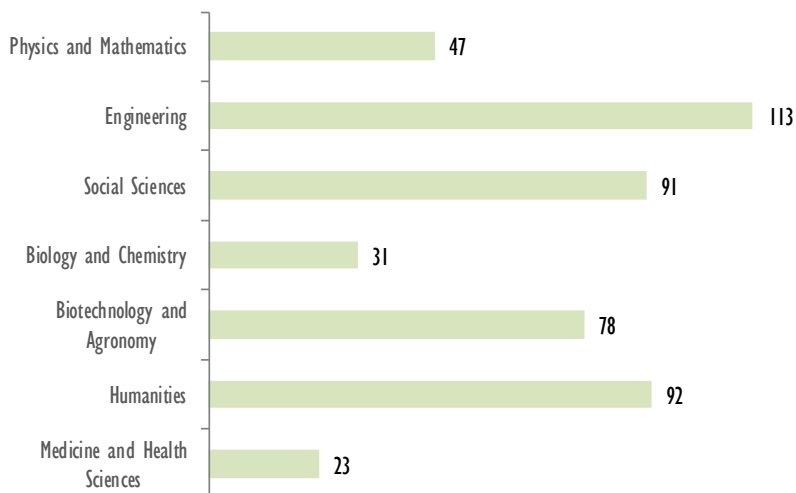
Source: ANUIES, 2017.

UNDERGRADUATE POPULATION BY FIELD OF STUDY 2016-2017

Chihuahua	Enrolment	With completed studies	Graduates
Total	109,914	15,906	13,479
Agronomy and Veterinary	2,664	324	152
Humanities and Arts	3,889	433	343
Natural and Exact Sciences, and Computing	3,873	607	576
Social Sciences, Business and Law	44,022	6,636	5,752
Education	5,914	1,628	1,325
Engineering, Manufacturing and Construction	34,267	4,307	3,801
Health	12,471	1,783	1,294
Services	2,814	188	236

Source: ANUIES, 2017.

NUMBER OF RESEARCHERS BY AREA OF SCIENCE, 2017



Mexico recorded 27,186 researchers at January 2017; 1.7% of them were in Chihuahua.

Most of the researchers in the state focused on the areas of engineering, social sciences and humanities.

Considering only member of National Research System in 2017.

Source: National Research System, CONACyT.