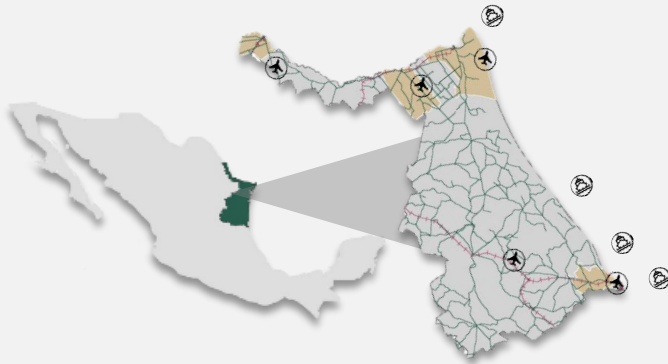




Tamaulipas

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INFRASTRUCTURE AND RESOURCES



80,249 km²
of surface area, 4.1 % of
the national territory

3.6 million people
(Mar. 2026)

1.8 million
1.8 million

43 Municipalities

47 Industrial Parks (2024)

Highways 14,075 km in
length (2022)

Railroads 937 km in length
(2021)
Concessionaires:
Ferrocarril Mexicano, S.A. de C.V.
Kansas City Southern de México, S.A. de C.V.

5 International airport (2022)
Passenger capacity: **566,838**
Load capacity: **463,514 kg**

4 Ports (2021)

Nearby ASIPONA (2022): **Puerto Altamira, Puerto Tampico**

Gas pipeline infrastructure (2023): **Yes, Public and private**

Households with internet access (2022) **68.5 %**

Water resources (2019):
Number of aquifers: **14**
Availability: **Low**

Types of customs: **Borderline
and maritime**

Distance to the 3 main customs border
roads (km) (2022):

Nuevo Laredo: **260.2**
Ciudad Juárez: **1,409.6**
Tijuana: **2,530.5**

Source: SICT-INEGI

MEXICAN TALENT IN HIGHER EDUCATION

16,485
Graduates
(2024-2025)

37
Institutions

7,673
STEM fields
graduates

5,570
Engineering,
manufacturing
and construction

1,120
Information and
communication
technologies

229
Natural sciences,
mathematics and
statistics

Main institutions

with the highest number of STEM graduates



UNIVERSIDAD
AUTÓNOMA DE
TAMAULIPAS

1,734



INSTITUTO
TECNOLÓGICO DE
CIUDAD MADERO

1,389



UNIVERSIDAD
TECNOLÓGICA DE
ALTAMIRA

901

Engineering, manufacturing and construction

graduates and postgraduates:

448

Architecture and
construction

4,821

Mechanical, electrical,
electronic, engineering,
chemical and related
professions

301

Manufacturing
and processes

Source: ANUIES (2024-2025 school year)



10.6

Average of schooling (2024-2025)



1.7

Economically Active Population (EAP) (Mar. 2026)



2.7%

Unemployment Rate
(Mar. 2026) Relative to
the EAP

Source: INEGI-SEP



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MSMEs



148,403
enterprises

• Micro	137,813
• Small	8,934
• Medium-sized	1,656

Source: INEGI - DENUE (Accessed Jul. 2026)

FOREIGN TRADE



8,733
M USD

International purchases



9,839
M USD

International sales

Main export sectors



4,038
M USD

Electrical machinery, appliances and material, and parts



1,778
M USD

Mechanical machinery and appliances, and parts



1,064
M USD

Optical, photography or cinematography instruments and devices

Source: Mexico's Trade Balance (Mar. 2026)

POTENTIAL SECTORS



Semiconductors



Electromobility



Information technologies

Source: Data MX

FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT

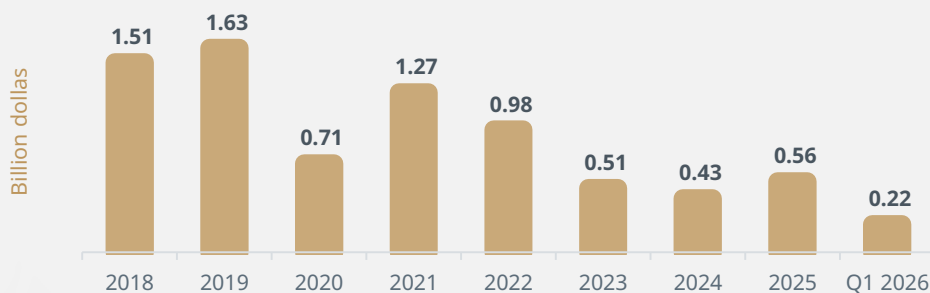
7.83
(B USD)

Historic FDI
(2018 - Q1 2026)

Top 3 by investment origin country

- 1 U. S. A. 2.96 BUSD
- 2 Spain 0.88 BUSD
- 3 Australia 0.73 BUSD

FDI by sector (Billion dollars)



Source: SE (Q1 2026)



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