

# Pennsylvania



#### Introduction

Pennsylvania rose to a position of prominence in early American history when the city of Philadelphia was chosen



as the nation's first capital. This decision was largely the result of the city's position near the geographic center of the original 13 colonies. Pennsylvania's abundant deposits of coal and petroleum made Pennsylvania the leading state for energy

production. Thanks to this thriving energy industry, the city of Pittsburgh also became the nation's leader in steel

production during the early 20th century. The Great Depression had disastrous effects on the steel industry and sparked rampant unemployment throughout Pennsylvania. Today Pennsylvania is home to



thriving real estate, financial services, and tourism businesses. While not as prominent as it once was, steel is still one of the state's top exports and a critical component of the economy.

Abbreviation: PA

Capital: Harrisburg

Nick Name: Keystone State

Time Zone-Standard: GMT -5

Time Zone-Daylight GMT -4

Saving:

Sales Tax Rate: 6.00%

Motto: Virtue. Liberty and

Independence

independence

Web Site: http://www.state.pa.us

#### Government

Governor: Josh Shapiro (D) Senator: David McCormick (R) Senator: John Fetterman (R) Entered Union: December 12, 1787

#### **Statistics**

Total GDP (Billions):	\$710,973.10 (2021)
Per Capita Real GDP:	\$64,948 (2022)
Population:	13,002,700 (2020)
% of People under Poverty Level:	10.90%
Per Capita Personal Income:	\$64,279
Unemployment Rate:	6.40% (2021)
% of Population with a Bachelor's Degree:	34.50%
Total Exports:	\$40,354,943,154.00 (2014)

# **Top 5 Export Partner Countries**

Country	Exports
Canada	\$11,577,578,019
Mexico	\$3,443,708,896
China	\$2,907,322,466
Netherlands	\$2,359,403,656
Germany	\$1,680,428,566

# **Top 5 Export Merchandise**

Segment	Exports
Chemical Manufactures	\$7,290,839,701
Machinery Manufactures	\$4,766,532,685
Computers & Electronic Prod.	\$3,883,098,367
Transportation Equipment	\$3,717,531,931
Primary Metal Manufactures	\$3,635,686,337

#### **Major Cities**

City	Population
Philadelphia	1,567,442
Pittsburgh	304,391
Allentown	120,207

## Main Airports

Code	Name	City
ABE	Lehigh Valley International Airport	Allentown
AVP	Wilkes-Barre/Scranton International Airport	Avoca
MDT	Harrisburg International Airport	Harrisburg
PHL	Philadelphia International Airport	Philadelphia
PIT	Pittsburgh International Airport	Pittsburgh

## **Main Ports**

Port of Erie, Port of Philadelphia, Port of Pittsburgh

## Corporations

\$179,589 \$108,942 \$21,674 \$21,624	City  Chesterbrook  Philadelphia  Camp Hill
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\$21,674	Camp Hill
\$21,624	Dittalermale
	Pittsburgh
\$17,258	Radnor
\$16,227	Philadelphia
\$15,146	Pittsburgh
\$14,192	Pittsburgh
\$12,937	Pittsburgh
\$11,665	Yardley
	\$12,937

Corporate Marginal Income Tax Rate: 9.99% > \$0 Individual Income Tax Rate: 3.07% > \$0

#### **U.S. Commercial Service**