

INTERNATIONAL INDICATORS

Foreign direct investment ²	Exports ¹
747 MUSD	1,284 MUSD
2017	2016

REMARKABLE ASPECTS

Tourism is the second most important economic activity and represents 8.2% of its GDP. It creates more than 250 thousand jobs and employs 9% of the state's working population.

Sinaloa offers unique business opportunities in biotechnology, production of nutraceutical products, biopharmaceuticals, bioenergy, functional materials, genomics, and proteins.

TECHNOLOGIC ECOSYSTEM ACTORS ³



MORE THAN 9 RESEARCH CENTRES

MORE THAN 63 HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ⁴

- Los Mochis Institute of Technology (Ahome)
- Autonomous University of Durango (UAD) Ahome-Culiacan-Mazatlan
- Autonomous Indigenous University of Mexico
- Culiacan Institute of Technology
- El Dorado Higher Institute of Technology

STATE INDICATORS ¹

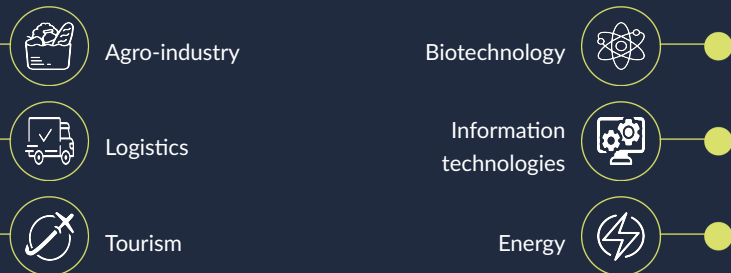
Population	Area
3,044,298	56,818 km²

16° State ranking in national GDP
22° State ranking in national exports
8% Retailing

State GDP 23.1 MUSD

12% Primary activities
21% Secondary activities
67% Tertiary activities

COMPETITIVENESS CLUSTERS ²



STRATEGIC PROJECTS ³

- Natural Gas project to supply Sinaloa with clean energy
- Long-term logistic plan to establish Mazatlan as an industrial centre

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