



INTERNATIONAL INDICATORS

Foreign direct investment ²	Exports ¹
110 MUSD	1,263 MUSD
2017	2016

REMARKABLE ASPECTS

Strategic geographical position of the Gulf of Mexico: sea connection with America & Europe through the Port of Progreso.

Puerto Progreso is Mexico's coastal industrial hub closest to the United States east coast.

Merida is the most developed productive, business, financial, technological, educational, and medical services centre in southeast Mexico.

TECHNOLOGIC ECOSYSTEM ACTORS ³

Yucatan Scientific Research Centre (CICY)

UNAM Peninsular Centre for Humanities & Social Sciences (CEPHICIS)

Centre for Research & Higher Education in Social Anthropology (CIESAS)

MORE THAN 8 RESEARCH CENTRES

Centre for Research & Advanced Studies, Merida unit (CINVESTAV - Merida Unit)

CIATEJ, Southeast Section (CIATEJ)

Dr Hideyo Noguchi Regional Research Centre (CIR Biomedical)

MORE THAN 92 HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ⁴

- Autonomous University of Yucatan
- Conkal Institute of Technology
- Marist University of Merida
- Merida Institute of Technology

STATE INDICATORS ¹

Population	Area
2,182,983	39,185 km²

23° State ranking in national GDP

24° State ranking in national exports

15% Retailing

State GDP **14.9 MUSD**

4% Primary activities

29% Secondary activities

67% Tertiary activities

COMPETITIVENESS CLUSTERS ²

- Agro-industry
- Energy
- Tourism

- Biotechnology
- Logistics

STRATEGIC PROJECTS ³

- Digital Yucatan: comprehensive empowerment of the digital city **1**
- Health Tourism Cluster **2**
- Technical certification centre of processes & products for the 'Made in Yucatan' brand **3**

Sources:

1. INEGI, 2016. - 2. Ministry of Economy, 2017.
 3. ProMéxico, 2017. - 4. ANUIES, 2017.
 5. State Innovation Agenda, 2015

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