



# US Aerospace and Defense Export Competitiveness



**Largest** export market for US

China was the largest aerospace & defense export market for the US, followed by UK and France.



**35%** of US exports

Washington State accounted for 35% of all US aerospace & defense exports.



**33%** of global defense exports

US accounted for 33% of global defense exports in 2015, and remained the largest exporter of commercial and defense products worldwide.



**39%** of global aerospace exports

US accounted for 39% of commercial aerospace exports worldwide in 2014.



**Top** net exporting industry

Aerospace & defense is the leading exporting industry in the US, delivering 9.5% of all US exports.



**\$143 billion** exports in 2015

Total US aerospace & defense exports in 2015 were \$143 billion, a significant increase of 59% over the last five years.