Oregon's Economy and Trade

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Recent Performance: The Expansion Has Matured



Slowdown Hits Oregon

Total Nonfarm Employment

Year-over-Year Percent Change





1985

1995

2005

2015

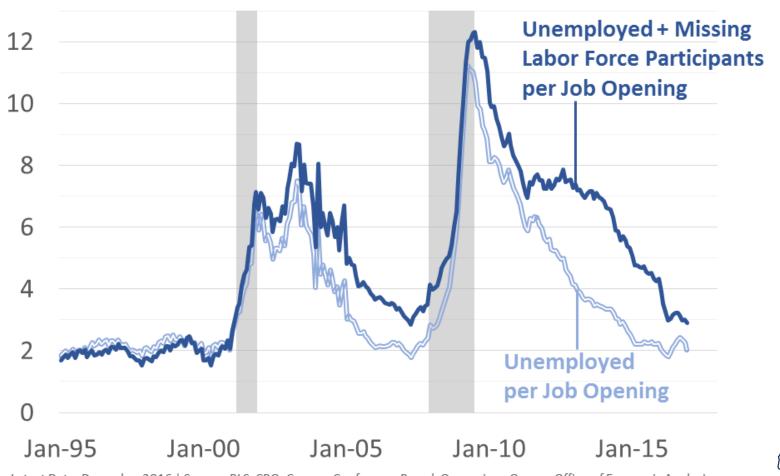
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Tight Labor Market

Oregon Job Openings and Available Labor

Number of Oregonians per Help Wanted Ad

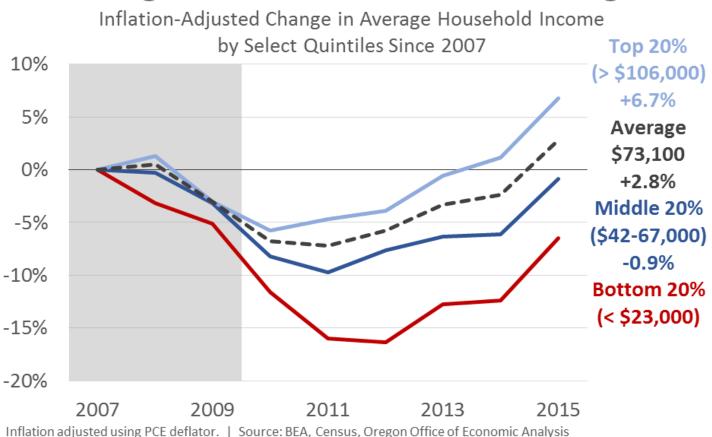






Growth Becomes More Broad Based

Oregon Household Incomes Rising



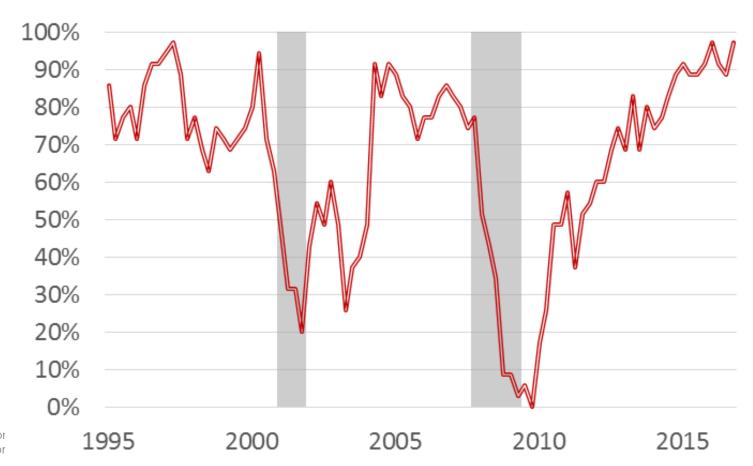




Growth Becomes More Broad Based

Oregon Counties Adding Jobs

Share of Total, Year-over-Year Gains, 1995q1-2016q4





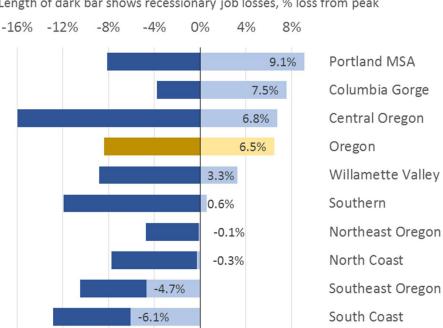




Recovery Across the State

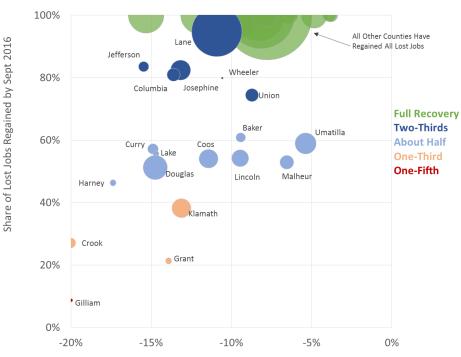
Employment Across Oregon

Length of light bar shows jobs today relative to pre-recession peak Length of dark bar shows recessionary job losses, % loss from peak



Data through Dec '16 | Source: OED, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis

Oregon Employment by County



Great Recession Job Losses

Source: Oregon Employment Department, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis

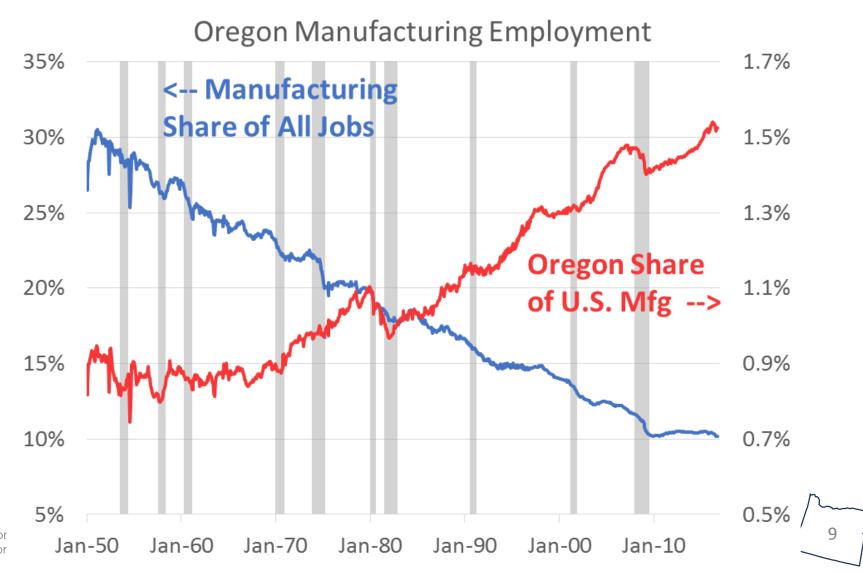




Oregon's Boom & Bust Business Cycles

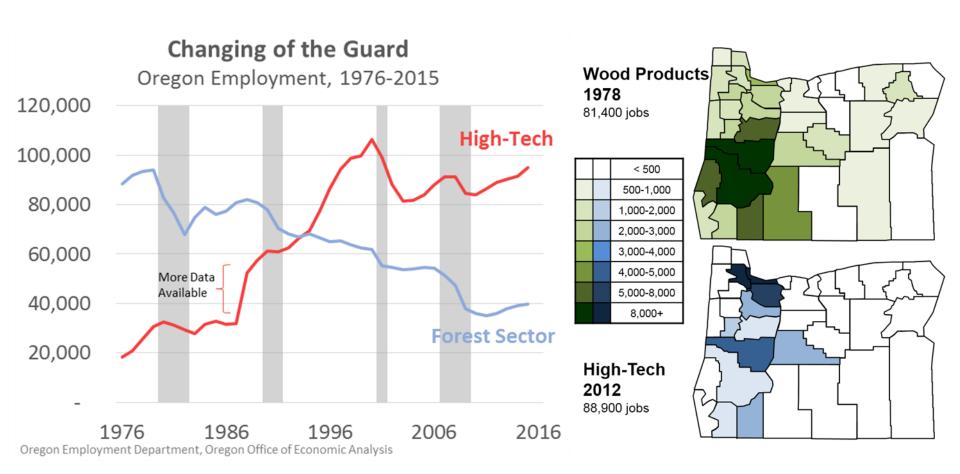


Reason #1: Manufacturing





Changing of the Guard





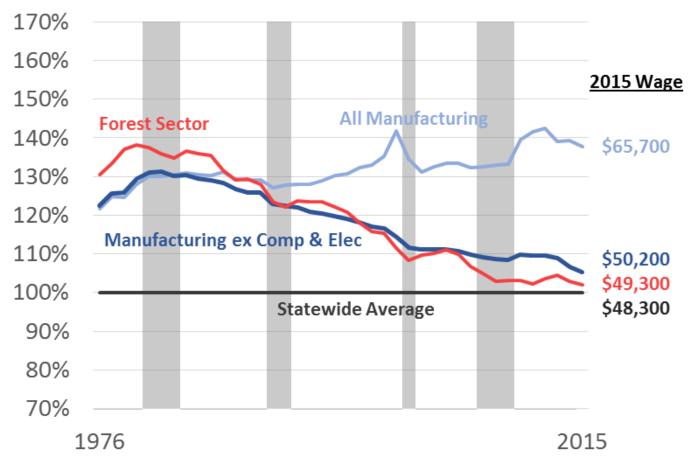
Oregon's high-tech sector today is equivalent in size to the forest sector (timber) in the 1970s in terms of employment, impact of wages and the like. However one big difference is the geographic concentration of the employment.



Manufacturing Jobs Aren't What They Used to Be

Oregon Manufacturing Wages

Relative to Statewide Average Wage



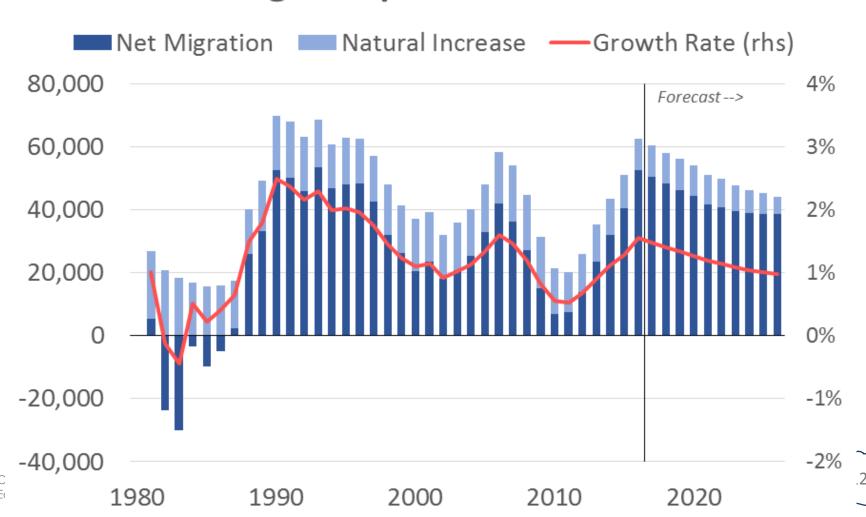






Reason #2: Migration

Oregon Population Growth

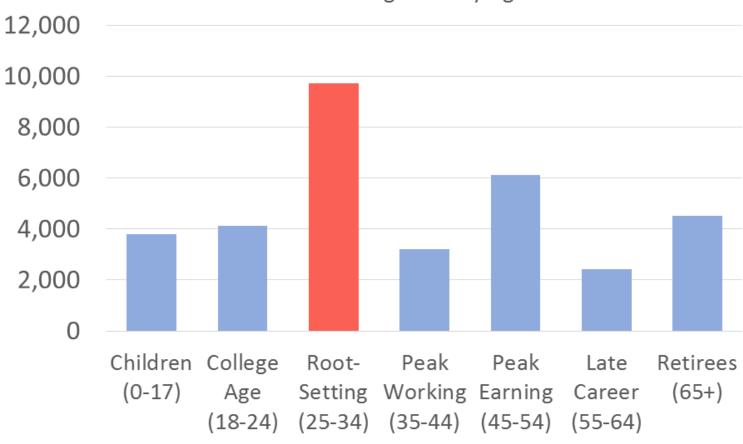




Domestic Migration

Who Moves to Oregon?

Domestic Net Migration by Age





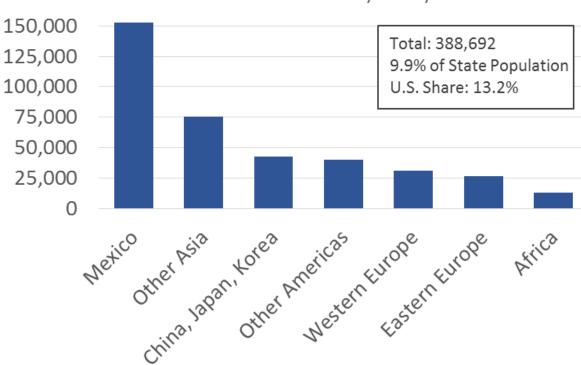




International Migration

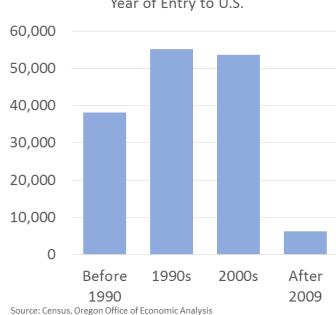
Foreign-Born Oregon Residents





Mexican-Born Oregon Residents





Source: Census, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis



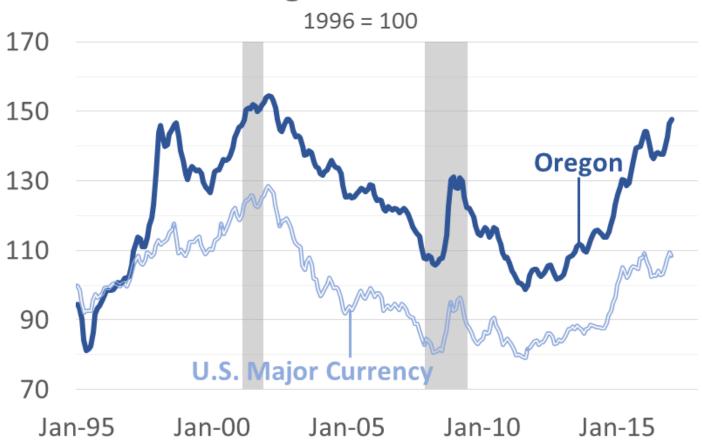






Strong Dollar

Trade-Weighted Dollar Indexes



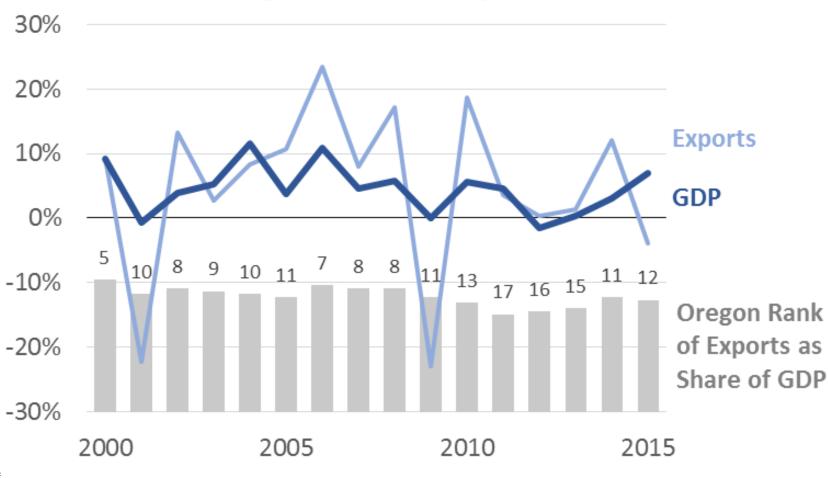






Oregon's Large Traded Sector

Oregon's Trade Dependence





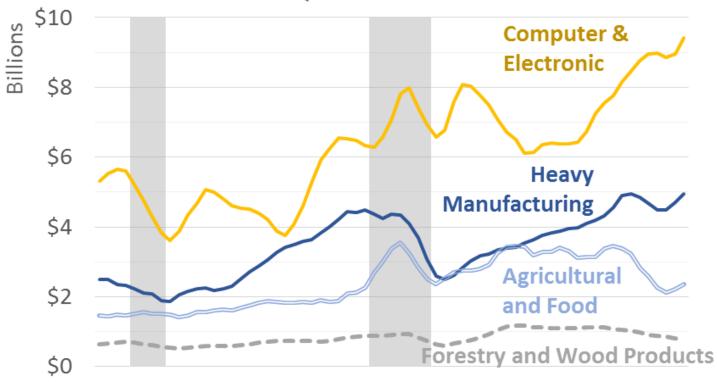
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What We Sell

Oregon Exports by Major Sector





2000 2005 2010

Heavy Manufacturing: Fabricated Metal, Machinery, Primary Metal, Transportation Equipment

Agricultural & Food includes frozen fish and beverages | Forestry & Wood Products includes paper and

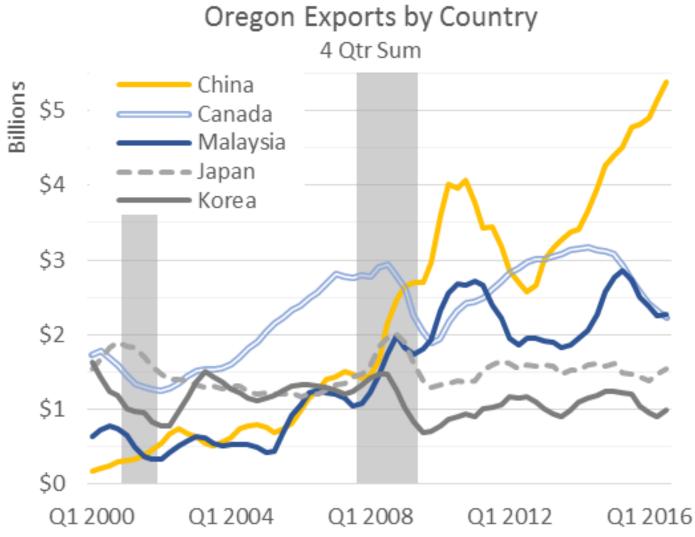
furniture | Source: WiserTrade, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis







Who Is Buying?





Source: WiserTrade, Oregon Office of Economic Analysis



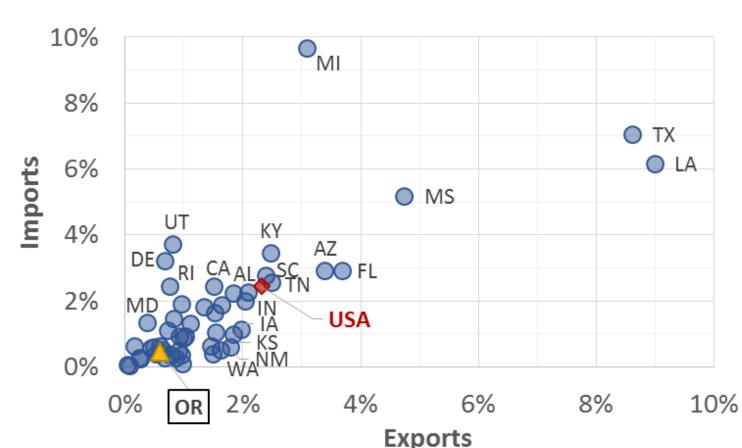


Trade With Latin America

Mexico, Caribbean, South America

U.S. States Trading with Latin America

Share of State GDP



Top OR Exports

Chemicals
Comp Equip
Grains
Machinery
Plastics

Top OR Imports

Motor Vehicles
Iron/Steel
Elec Equip
Nuts
Wood/Lumber

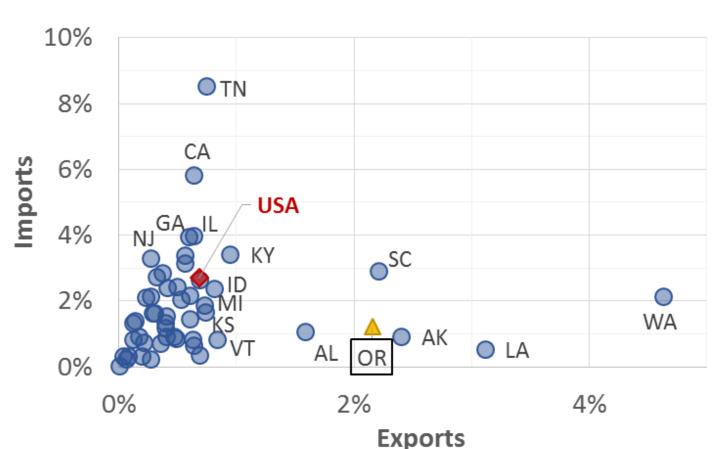




Trade With China

U.S. States Trading with China

Share of State GDP



Top OR Exports

Semiconductors Motor Vehicles Chemicals Machinery Grains

Top OR Imports

Elec Equip
Machinery
Furniture (Parts)
Toys, Games,
Sport Equip
Footwear





Supply Chain Disruption?









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