









**CHIHUAHUA** 

# TALENT. SUPPLIERS. LOCATION.

CHIHUAHUA IS THE BEST LOCATION IN NORTH AMERICA FOR JLR'S ASSEMBLY PLANT







# **Strategic Location**







Ottawa

Toronto

Detroit

# Chihuahua State at a glance

- **Area:** 250,000 km<sup>2</sup> (96,500 mi<sup>2</sup>) (13% of Mexico)
- **Population:** 3.5 M Inhabitants (3% of Mexico)
- Population density: 14 per km<sup>2</sup> (37 per mi<sup>2</sup>)
- **Municipalities:** 67
- Main cities:
  - Chihuahua (capital)
  - Juarez (largest)
- **Border crossings:** 10
- Ports of entry: 5

#### Population:

3.5 Million Inhabitants

#### By gender

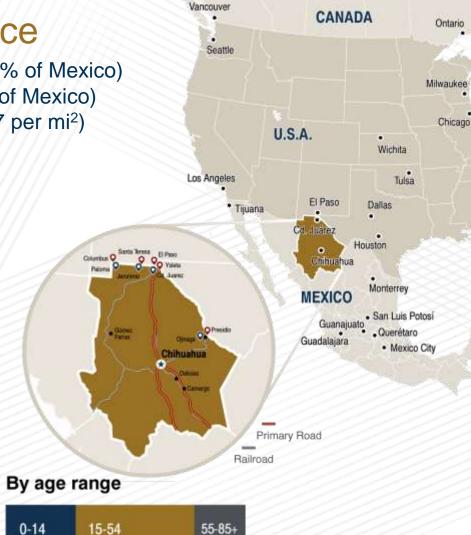
Woman Men 51% 49%

#### By age

Over 27 Under 27 50% 50%

29%

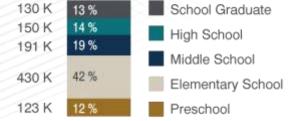
60%



11%

#### Education

1 million students



40K Engineering Students



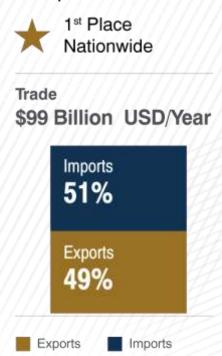
🌟 +5 K Engineers graduate every year



## Chihuahua State at a glance

In 2016, Chihuahua border crossings accounted for:

- 850 Thousand commercial trucks
- 13.5 Million vehicles
- 7 Million pedestrians





+485

29

50

45

50

110

45

160



+360,000

15,000 15,000

21,000

27,000

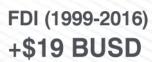
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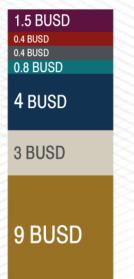
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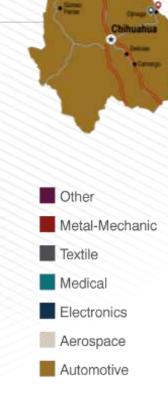
170,000

**IMMEX Establishments IMMEX Employment** 







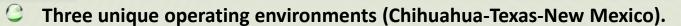


**IMMEX** Is defined as an instrument to temporarily import goods and services that will be manufactured, transformed or repaired, and then re-exported without payment of taxes, compensatory quotas, and other specific benefits

- Minimum export +500 KUSD
- Minimum 10% income from exports



# What is happening in the region?



- 4.5 million population in the Region (Juarez, El Paso, Santa Teresa).
- Multilingual and Multicultural business environment.
- 5 Airports / International railway System (UP, BNSF and FERROMEX).
- + 90 Million ft2 of Industrial Buildings.

# JUAREZ: Among the Continent's Largest Mfg. Centers:

- + 250,000 mfg jobs.
- + 320 "IMMEX" plants
- FDI: +600 musd

Main Sectors: Advanced Manufacturing for: Aerospace, Automotive, Medical Devices & Consumer Electronics.

+ \$ 99 US billion in US-Mexico Trade

- \$55 US billion exports
- \$44 US billion imports
- + 35,000 daily pedestrian crossings
- + 60,000 daily vehicle crossings
- + 4,500 daily commercial trucks crossings

HIHUAHUA

NEW MEXICO

**TEXAS** 

Promotion of tourism activities and clusters such as: Health, Hunting, ecotourism, cultural and educational

Trade missions, business meetings with international companies.

More tan 70,000 jobs in El Paso, TX and Sta. Teresa, N.M. tied to Juarez industrial activity.

# **Talent development**

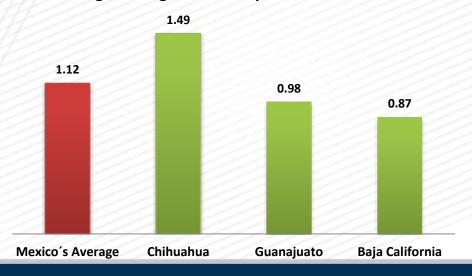


Our workforce is our greatest asset for industrial growth...

In Chihuahua, Educational and Training
Centers are linked to support the industry
needs

- Universities and Technology Institutions.
- Vocational Technical institutions.
- R&D Centers (eg. CIMAV- Advanced Materials Research Center).
- The CENALTEC, a state of the art training center that trains specialized operative personnel according to industry needs.

#### **Engineering Graduates per 1,000 Inhabitants**



# **Talent development**



- This unique training center in Mexico, is used to train and certify operative and technical personnel under international standards in 2 Campus: Chihuahua and Juarez City.
- © CENALTEC's educational model consists in short term programs adapted to comply with the industry's specific needs, with 80% hands-on learning programs.
- Instructors with a wide industrial experience (+20 years)

#### Aerospace International Certifications

- I. Machining Honeywell,Kenteq/ROC Europe, NIMS/ASME- USA
- II. SMA Textron Aviation, Bell USA
- III. Welding BRP, others.
- II. Others



## **Integration of industries groupings: Triple Helix Model**

#### Public and Private Training, Education and **R&D** Institutions





































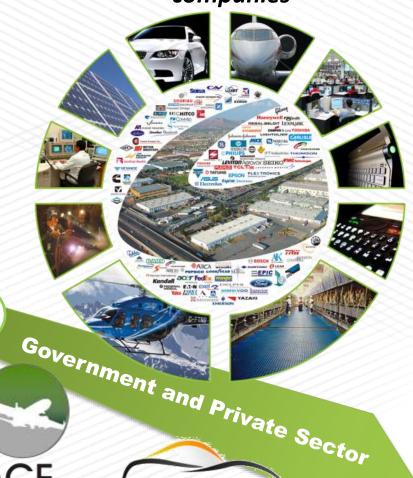




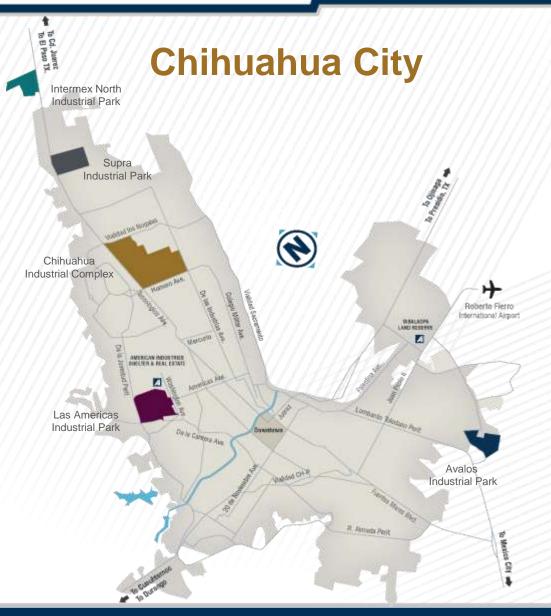


Chihuahua's **AEROSPACE** Cluster

>550 facilities of medium and large companies







- **Area:** 9,219 km<sup>2</sup> (3,560 mi<sup>2</sup>)
- Population: 900,000 Inhabitants
- **Elevation:** 1,415 m. (4,635 ft.)
- **Avg. Temp.:** 11°C 26°C (52°F 79°F)
- Distance to El Paso TX: 382 km(238 mi)
- FTL Cost: \$800 USD (CHIH-ELP)
- IMMEX Companies: +105
- Manufacturing employment: +106,000
- IMMEX Employment: +75,000

#### Wages

	Total Cost (USD/Hr)	
Hardillad Labor	Min	\$2.19
Unskilled Labor	Max	\$4.83
Chilled Labor	Min	\$2.46
Skilled Labor	Max	\$5.64

#### Real Estate (Q4 2016):

Market S	262	
	USD/M²/Month	USD/Ft²/Month

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Avg. Lease Rate	\$4.52	\$0.42



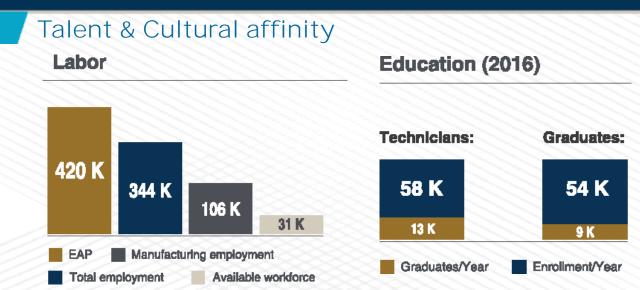


#### The Chihuahua advantage:

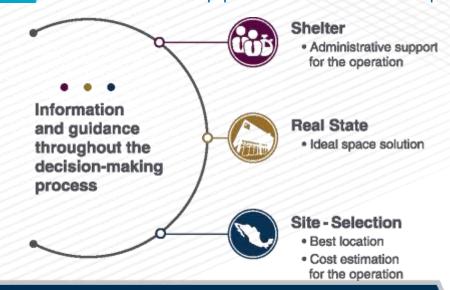
Proximity to market



Productivity / Attractive business costs



#### Trusted & supportive business partners











# Chihuahua's competitive advantages

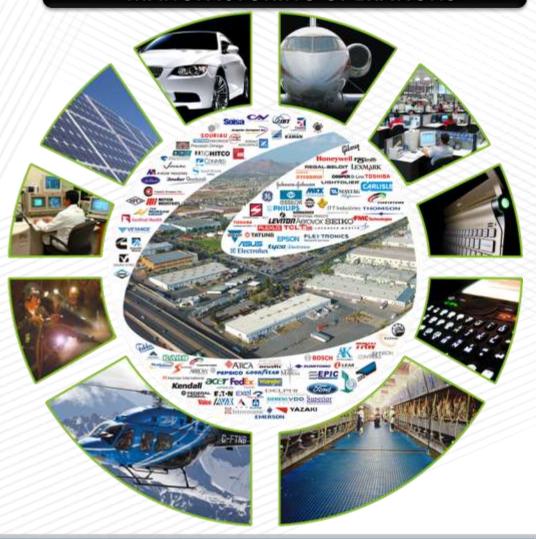
- Preferential access to foreign markets. Strategic geographical location: 800 miles of land border with the US.
- Highly trained and competitive labor force (skilled, low cost, management talent and cultural affinity).
- Presence of major corporations and OEM's in the following sectors: Automotive, electronics, aerospace, household appliances, medical devices, metal mechanic, IT, textile, among others).
- <u>Advanced manufacturing "know-how"</u>.
- "Just in time" business culture experience with North America and Europe.
- <u>World class-infrastructure</u>: water supply, electric power for industrial use, education institutions network with international universities, access by air, train, highways between Mexico and the US.
- Design and research centers, bilingual and bicultural work force.
- Sustainable and long-term incentives and support programs by the State Government, as well as intermediate with Local and Federal Government.
- Stable labor environment (union free).



# **Economic development based on industrial clusters**

- Aerospace
- Automotive & Auto parts
- Electric & Electronics
- Life Sciences
- Renewable Energies
- Information Technologies
- Agro-industry & Food products
- Furniture
- Textile / Garmet
- Construction materials & Mining
- Tourism

# HOME TO OVER 550 MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS





## **Success Stories**



























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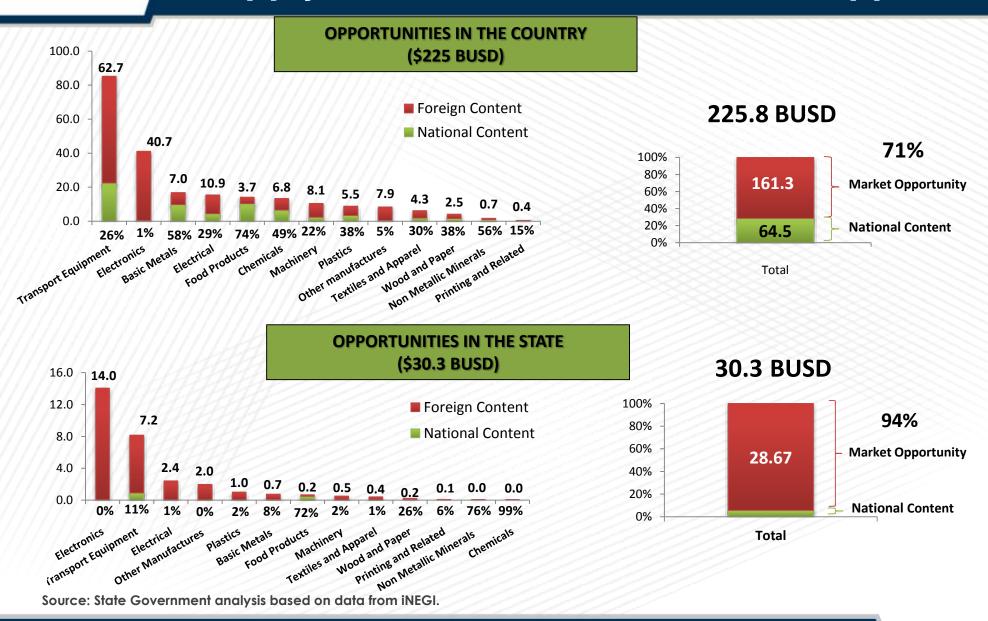








# Supply Chain: Excellent business opportunities



# Thank You



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