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$111 in U.S. exports of goods and services for every dollar programmed

- U.S. exports identified in FY18 from USTDA’s work: $4.95 billion
- U.S. jobs supported by USTDA programs in FY18 (estimated): 28,000
- Foreign buyers brought to the United States by USTDA in FY18: 563
- Years USTDA has been supporting U.S. jobs through exports: 26

PROVEN RESULTS FOR NORTH DAKOTA BUSINESSES

- USTDA sponsored a reverse trade mission with delegates from Botswana, Kenya, South Africa, and Zambia to visit U.S. equipment manufacturers and agricultural production sites in several states, including North Dakota. As a result of the reverse trade mission, three firms in the Fargo, ND area gained new customers from Sub-Saharan Africa through new exports of agricultural machinery.

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