

THE U.S. TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY SUPPORTS

MAINE

CONNECTING U.S. BUSINESSES TO GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES

The **U.S. Trade and Development Agency** helps companies create American jobs through the export of U.S. goods and services for priority development projects in emerging economies. USTDA links U.S. businesses to export opportunities by funding project preparation and partnership building activities that develop sustainable infrastructure and foster economic growth in partner countries.

111:1 \$111 in U.S. exports of goods and services for every dollar programmed

\$4.95
billion

U.S. exports identified in FY18 from USTDA's work

563

Foreign buyers brought to the United States by USTDA in FY18

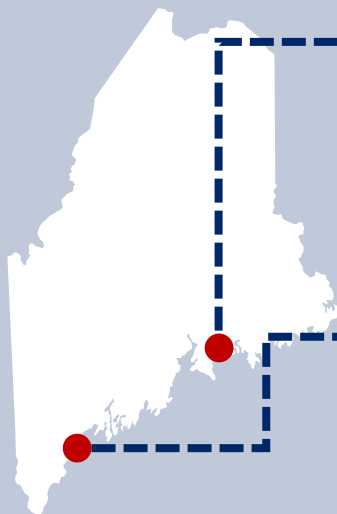
28,000


U.S. jobs supported by USTDA programs in FY18 (estimated)


26

Years USTDA has been supporting U.S. jobs through exports

PROVEN RESULTS FOR MAINE BUSINESSES



 A company based in **Trenton, ME** sold weather monitoring equipment to the Philippines Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration following a USTDA-funded study evaluating the upgrade of meteorological telecommunications systems. USTDA's study laid the groundwork for improving the Philippines' ability to respond to weather events and natural disasters.

 A company in Jordan hired a law firm based in **Portland, ME** to provide legal services for power plant finance projects after participating in a USTDA-funded regional training project, which raised the law firm's profile throughout the Middle East.