EXECUTIVE OVERVIEW

Aerek N. Stephens Export Finance Manager Regional Export Promotion Program

Inside Export Financing



Reducing Risk. Unleashing Opportunity.

KEY OVERVIEW HIGHLIGHTS

- Agency Independence
- Mission
- Taxpayer Cost
- Small Business Transactions
- Credit Insurance and Working Capital
- > U.S. Content
- Regional Export Centers





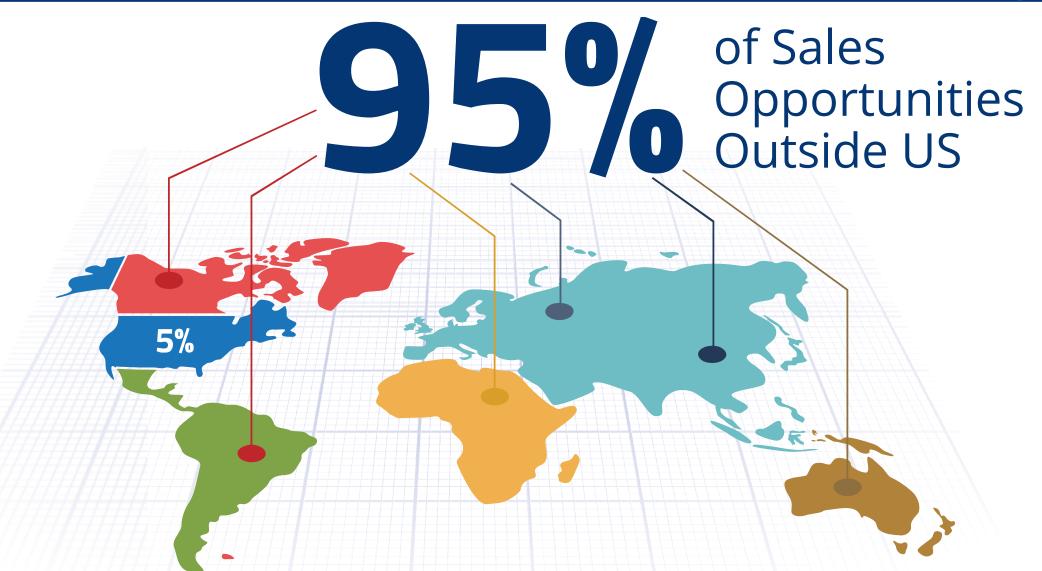
EXPORTS HAVE LED THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY







GLOBAL POPULATION







EXIM REDUCES RISK AND UNLEASHES OPPORTUNITY!

Why Do Only 1% of Companies Export?

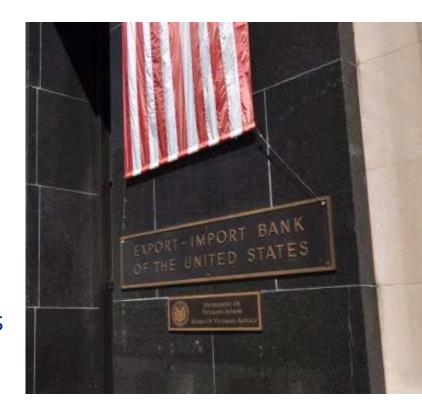
Fear of the Unknown RISK!





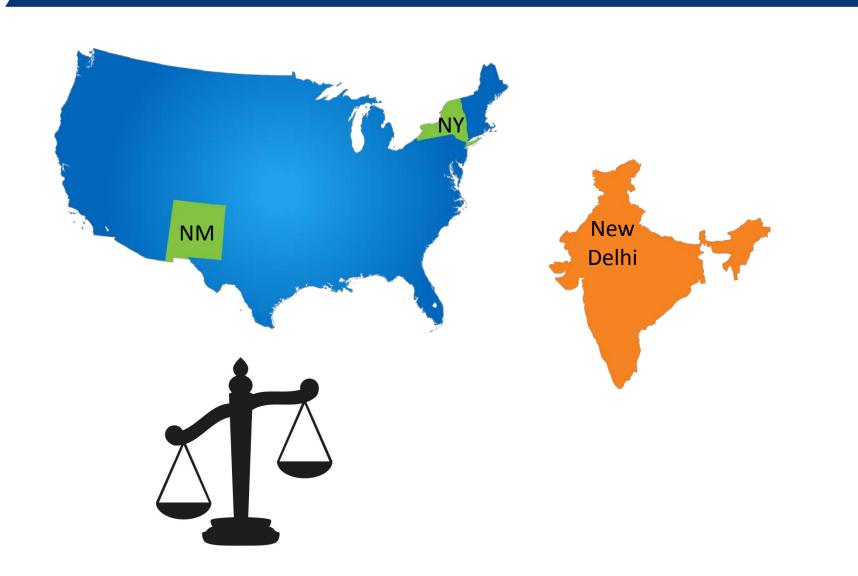
EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE U.S. (EXIM)

- Official Export Credit Agency of the United States established in 1934.
- Mission Supporting American jobs by facilitating the export of U.S. goods and services.
- Self-sustaining no cost to the taxpayer. In the last decade, EXIM has supported more than 1.7 million jobs in all 50 states--and generated more than \$4 billion for American taxpayers.
- **Activities** EXIM provides financial support to fill the gaps where the private sector is unable or unwilling to support.
- How? Loans, Guarantees and Insurance





TAKING THE FEAR OUT OF EXPORTING







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EXIM BANK SUPPORTS SMALL BUSINESS!

FY 2017

- Authorized over \$2.2B of financing to support
 U.S. small businesses
 - Nearly 64% of the bank total authorizations came from small business
- More than 2,240 small business transactions
 - Ninety percent (91%) of total (2460)







HOW CAN EXIM PRODUCTS ASSIST YOU?

Funds to Fulfill Orders



Working Capital Guarantee

Risk Protection

Extension of Credit



Receivables Insurance

Buyer Financing



Medium- and Long-Term Insurance and Loan Guarantee





FUNDS ON A SMALLER SCALE

Unleashing

Exporter's Challenge

"I made the big international sale but now I need funds to operate my business while waiting for payments to come in?"

EXIM's Solution Working Capital Guarantee





WORKING CAPITAL GUARANTEE



Provides lenders with a 90% guarantee to extend short-term loans allowing exporters to purchase inventory, pay for labor, overhead, etc.

- Advance rates are larger than lenders typically offer:
 -) up to 90% against export accounts receivable; and
 -) up to 75% against exportable inventory (including workin-process)
- Also covers standby letters of credit





WHO'S NOT WORRIED ABOUT GETTING PAID?











EXPORT CREDIT INSURANCE - BENEFITS

- Protects against buyer nonpayment
 - Shields U.S. exporters from commercial and political risks
- Expands sales and develops new markets
 - Allows exporters to offer "open account" credit terms
 - Eliminates the need for buyers to pay in advance thereby improving cash flow
- Boosts borrowing base
 - Increases exporters borrowing base with their lenders by assigning EXIM insured receivables as collateral



WE SUPPORT A VARIETY OF INDUSTRIES

- Manufacturing
- Construction Equipment
- Medical Equipment
- Mining
- Power-generation
- Aircraft and Avionics

- Services
- Renewable Energy
- Agribusiness
- Wholesale/Retail
- Oil & Gas





PUBLIC POLICY (CHARTER) RESTRICTIONS – Just a Few

- No Military or Defense-related products or obligors (exceptions apply)
- > U.S. Content (Standard-Term: 50+%; Medium-Term: 85% U.S.)
- Restricted Countries (Country Limitation Schedule)
- Economic impact
- Shipping
- Additionality





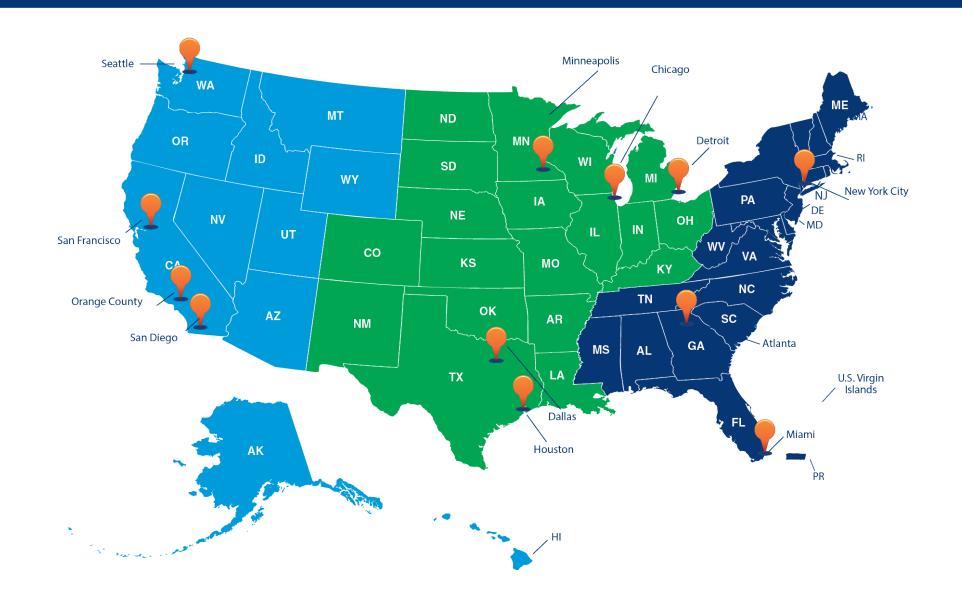


CALL EXIM, IF YOU...

- Have a foreign buyer that wants credit terms
- Export routinely but your growth in foreign sales is limited because of risks of non-payment
- Are losing export opportunities because you will only accept a Letter of Credit (L/C) or cash pre-pay
- > Are encountering cash flow problems due to increased foreign sales
- > Have a buyer that needs several years to pay for capital equipment



EXIM REGIONAL EXPORT CENTERS







CONSULT WITH AN EXIM REGIONAL DIRECTOR

Customer Contact Center: 800.565.3946 (EXIM)

(Operating Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Eastern Time

Monday through Friday, excluding Federal holidays.)

www.exim.gov/contact

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ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Additional resources and assistance in applying for EXIM products are available from:
 - Insurance Brokers -- see list on <u>www.exim.gov</u>
 - Regional Export Promotion Program (REPP) --see list on <u>www.exim.gov</u>
 - Delegated Lenders -- see list on <u>www.exim.gov</u>
 - U.S. Export Assistance Centers (USDOC and SBA)





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