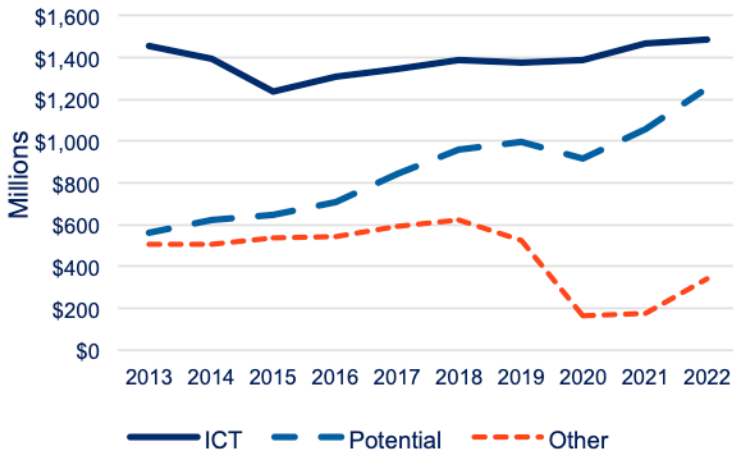# Washington's 8th and Digital Trade

WA-8 Services Exports, 2013-2022

ICT services exports were around $1.5 billion in both 2013 and 2022, supporting 2,345 direct and 2,148 indirect jobs in 2022.

Potentially ICT-enabled services exports grew from $560 million to $1.3 billion (124%), supporting 3,234 direct and 2,673 indirect jobs in 2022.

Exports of other services grew slightly from $506 million in 2013 to $524 million in 2019 (3%), before falling sharply due to Covid-19. They have not yet fully recovered.

Washington's 8th district's digitally tradeable services exports supported 5,579 direct and 4,821 indirect American jobs in 2022.

Top Markets for Digitally Tradeable Services from WA-8, 2022 ($M)

Country	ICT	Potential	Total
Europe	$716	$708	$1,424
Asia & Pacific (ex. China)	$462	$272	$734
North America	$106	$101	$207
Central & South America	$94	$80	$174
China	$89	$32	$121
Middle East & Africa	$18	$60	$77

Europe was Washington's 8th district's top market for digitally tradeable services, followed by Asia & Pacific (ex. China).

Washington's 8th district's exports of potentially ICT-enabled services to Singapore grew from $16 million in 2013 to $118 million (+655%) in 2022.

The "Digital Dozen" accounted for $924 million out of Washington's 8th district's $2.7 billion in exports of digitally tradeable services in 2022.

Top Digitally Tradeable Services Exports from WA-8, 2022 ($M)

Type (ICT in bold)	Total
Royalties from Computer Software	**$1,246**
Research and Development and Testing Services	$437
Database and Other Information Services	$227
Business Management and Consulting Services	$194
Computer Software Services	**$159**
Other	$475

Royalties from computer software are the top ICT services export, but fell from $1.4 billion in 2013 to $1.2 billion in 2022 (-12%).

Research and development and testing services are Washington's 8th district's top potentially ICT-enabled services export, growing from $214 million in 2013 to $437 million in 2022 (104%).

Source for all data: Trade Partnership Worldwide's *CDxports* database