

TRANS-PACIFIC PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT (TPP)

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February 2016: Signed by 12 countries (Australia, Brunei, Canada, Chile, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, New Zealand, Peru, Singapore, U.S., and Vietnam)

* These 12 countries share about 40% of the world GDP
(and the U.S. shares roughly the 2/3 of this fraction).

January 2017: The U.S. withdrew.

November 2017: Other 11 countries agreed with the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for TPP (CPTPP, or TPP11).

March 2018: The 11 countries signed the CPTPP.

December 30, 2018: CPTPP entered into force.

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