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#### Newsletter - September 2015

### Houston Metro Area Tops US Exports Market Report

The greater Houston metropolitan area is the largest export market in the United States. Top export markets are Mexico in millions of dollars 14.6o, \$ 17,405; Canada 11.8o,\$14,097; Brazil 6.4o, \$7,634; China 4.9o, \$5,771, and Netherlands 4.5o, \$5,405.

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### Schlumberger to Buy Cameron International

Schlumberger Ltd. SLB 1.75 o , the world's largest oil-field service company, said Wednesday it would buy smaller rival Cameron International Corp. CAM 2.20 o for \$12.7 billion in cash and stock.

Consolidation is expected across the energy sector as companies struggle with low oil prices and a pullback in drilling activity.

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### Petrobras production rises in July

Brazil's state-run oil company Petrobras reported its average oil and natural gas production rose 1.8o in July compared to the previous month and reached 2.796 million barrels of oil equivalent per day (boed).

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### Katia Abreu, Brazilian Minister of Agriculture on Agribusiness

"Brazilian Agribusiness has a bright path, but to keep this standard we can't remain indifferent to international agreements."

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### Agribusiness keeps increasing its relevance in Brazil' exports

Even with the price of all top-sellers, agricultural products in fall in comparison with the same period last year, agribusiness continue to increase its share in Brazilian exports.

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Brazil Texas Chamber of Commerce is devoted to fostering business and friendship among American and Brazilian companies.

We now have one new member in our team:

Andreia Dantas Caroni.

We'll be pleased to assist our members in anything they need.

Sincerely,

Paloma Santana  
Brazil-Texas Chamber of Commerce

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