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$600 Million (USD) G.D.P.

**California**

$2.1 Trillion G.D.P.

**Arizona**

$262 Billion G.D.P.

**Rocky Mtn. Region**

$541 Billion G.D.P.

**Texas**

$1.4 Trillion G.D.P.

**Sonora & Sinaloa**

$600 Billion G.D.P.

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