# Monterrey Industrial Market Report



## Market Analysis



- In a statement from the Nuevo Leon Ministry of Economy, it was announced that the state is consolidating its national leadership in vehicle exports. From January to June 2025, the state recorded a 10.9% increase in the export of vehicle units compared to the same period in 2024, according to the National Institute of Statistics and Geography (INEGI) and the Administrative Registry of the Light Vehicle Automotive Industry (RAIAVL).
- In June of this year alone, growth was 6.7% compared to June 2024, despite a complex national outlook in which vehicle exports in the rest of the country saw an accumulated decline of 3.3% in the first half of the year.



Tenant	Submarket	Туре	Square Feet	
Quanta Computer	Santa Catarina	Lease	1,239,000	
Kuehne Nagel	Apodaca	Lease	335,000	
Confidential	Apodaca	Lease	203,000	

### Leasing Market Fundamentals

	Current Quarter	Prior Quarter	One Year Ago	12-Month Forecast
Total Inventory (SF)	118.0M	117.0M	107.0M	<b>↑</b>
Vacancy Rate	7.8%	8.5%	3.2%	<b>→</b>
Gross Absorption (SF)	3.1M	0.4M	2.9M	$\rightarrow$
Net Absorption (SF)	0.7M	-2.4M	0.9M	$\rightarrow$
Asking Rent (USD/SF/Year)	\$7.94	\$8.03	\$7.80	$\rightarrow$
U. Construction (SF)	7.8M	9.3M	12.0M	$\rightarrow$



- A stable asking price around US\$8.05 per square feet per year.
- Vacancy rate will remain on the rise, nearly 8.0%
- Accumulative gross absorption of 5.3 million square feet.

1.	Economy	
2.	Leasing Market Fundamentals	

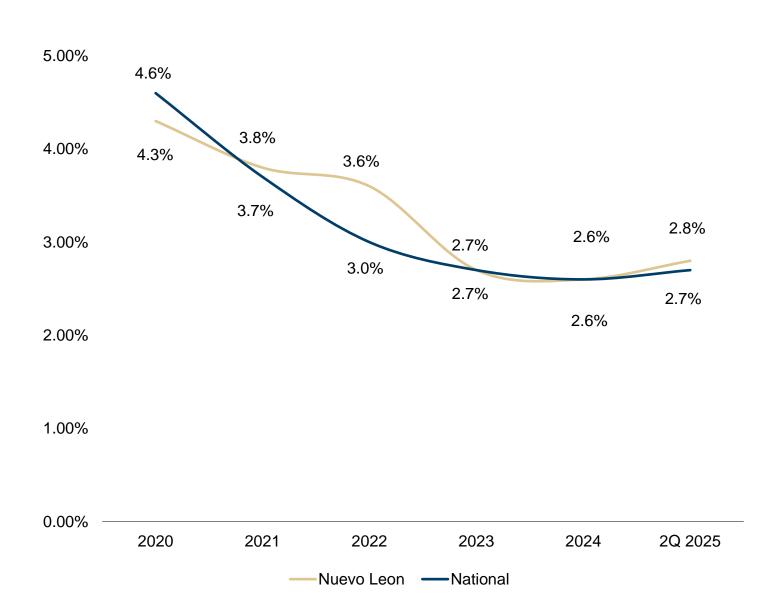
## Economy



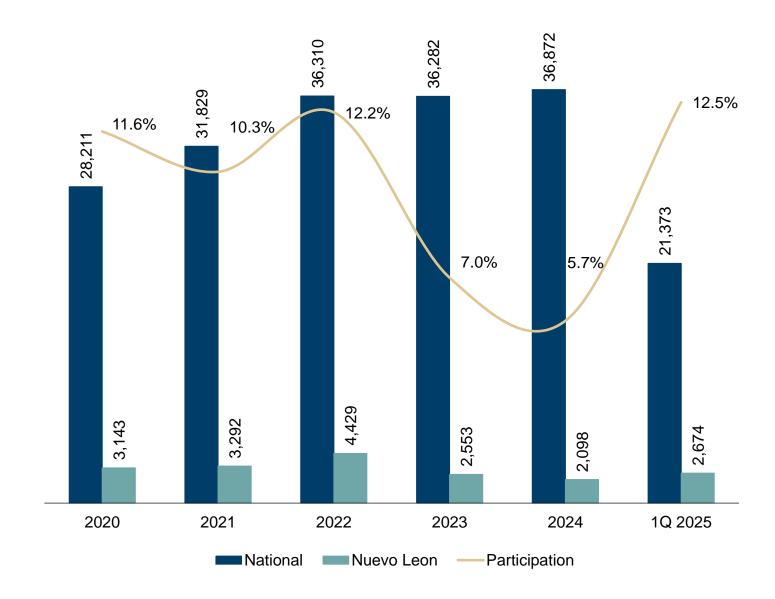
### **Economics**

In the second quarter of 2025, the national unemployment rate was recorded at 2.7%, lower as the rate for Nuevo Leon was 2.8%. Additionally, Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) in Mexico by federal entity, based on 1Q 2025 data, amounted to 21,373 million dollars, with the state of Nuevo Leon accounting for 12.5% of this amount.

### **Unemployment Rate**



### **Foreign Direct Investment (Million Dollars)**



Source: Secretariat of Labor and Social Welfare (Nuevo Leon), 2Q 2025

Source: Ministry of Economy (Nuevo Leon), 1Q 2025

## Employment by Sector and Economic Position in Nuevo Leon

The September Labor Information document from the Secretariat of Labor and Social Welfare of Nuevo Leon indicated that economic activity by sector for 2Q 2025 recorded the following data: 35% in other services, 20% in commerce, and 16% in the manufacturing industry, among others. Furthermore, the Quarterly Exports by Federal Entity (ETEF) report, also for 1Q 2025, indicated that Nuevo Leon accounted for 9.9% of a total of 133.6 billion dollars.



8%

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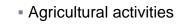
## Other Services

35%

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Commerce

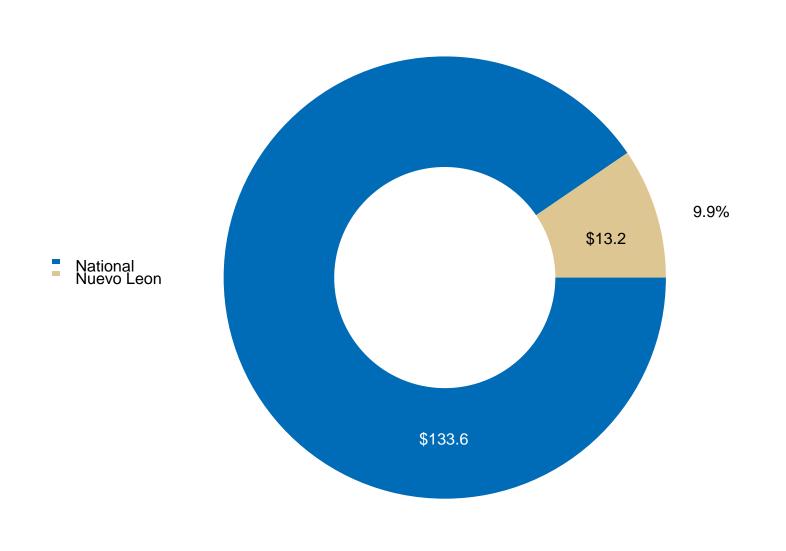


### Construction

### Transport and communication

- Government and International **Organizations**
- No specified
- Energy

### **Export Value (Billion Dollars)**



Source: Secretariat of Labor and Social Welfare (Nuevo Leon), 2Q 2025

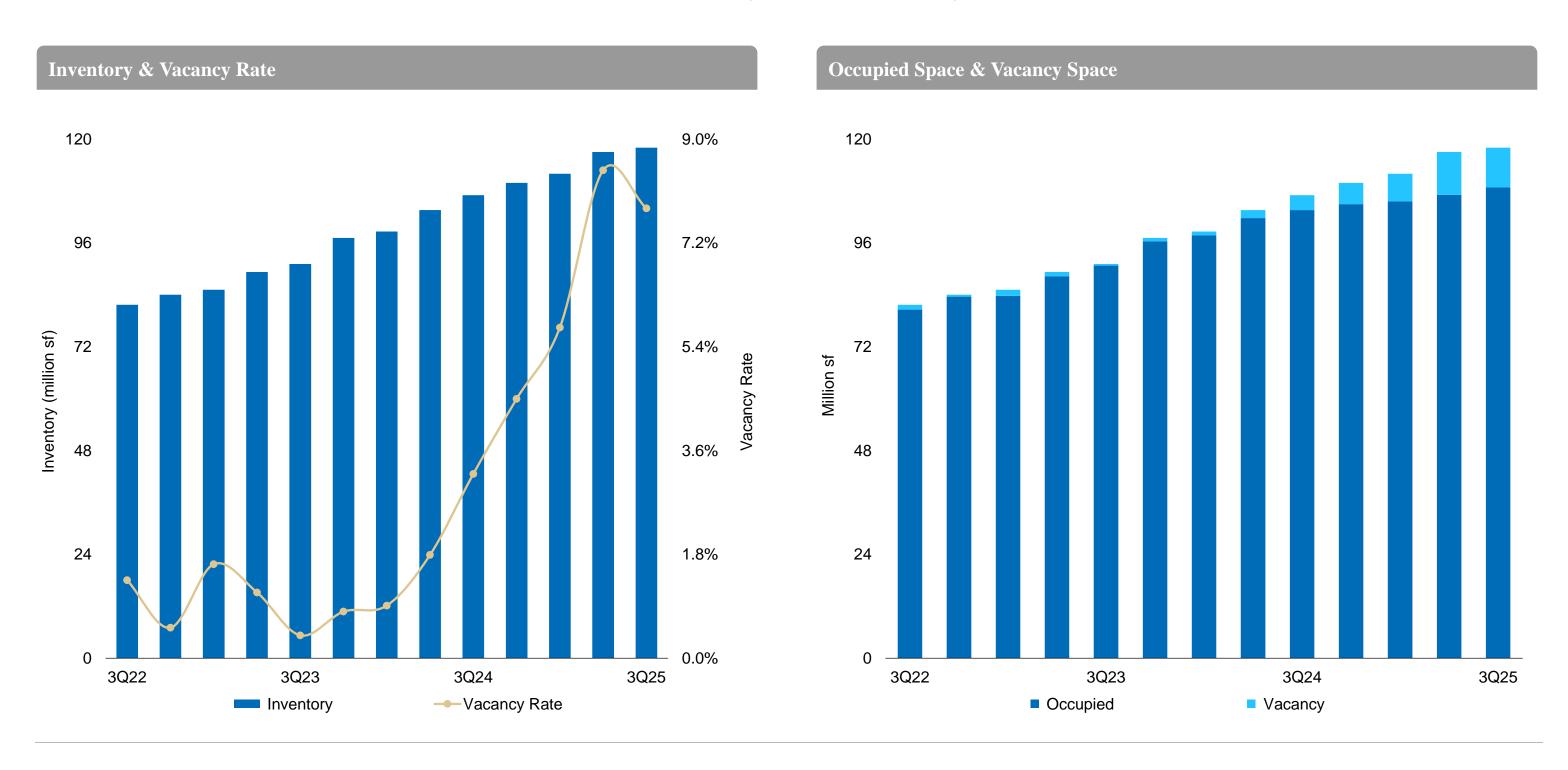
Source: QEFE INEGI, 1Q 2025

## Leasing Market Fundamentals



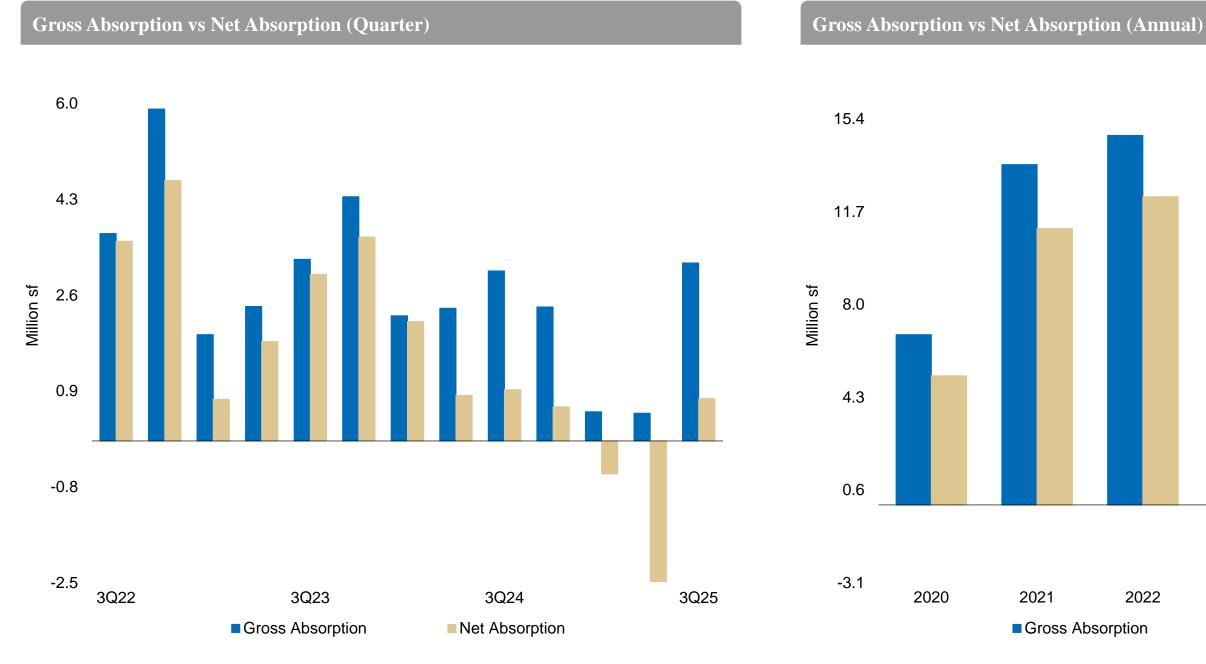
### Market Demand

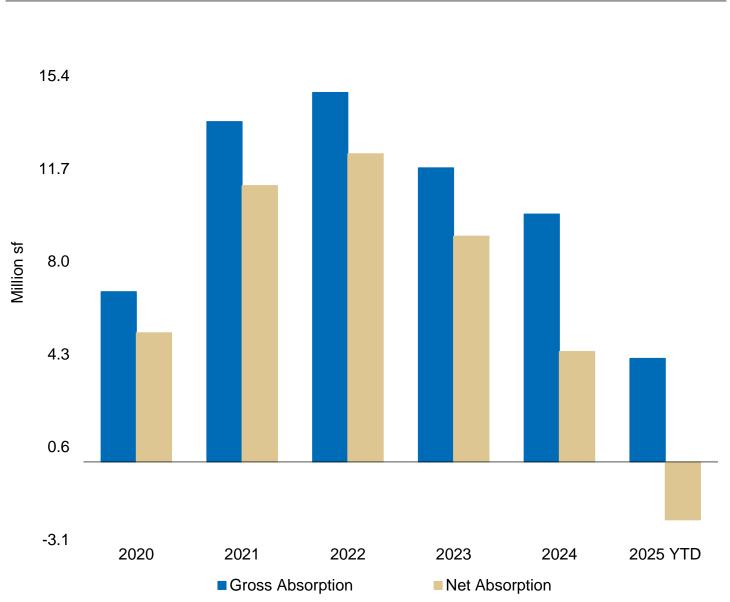
The third quarter showed a slight change in demand for Class A industrial space, recording a decrease in the vacancy rate to 7.8%, which translates to just over 9.2 million square feet vacant for lease. One of the main reasons for this drop in the vacancy rate is the leasing of a speculative building of just over 1.2 million square feet.



## Absorptions

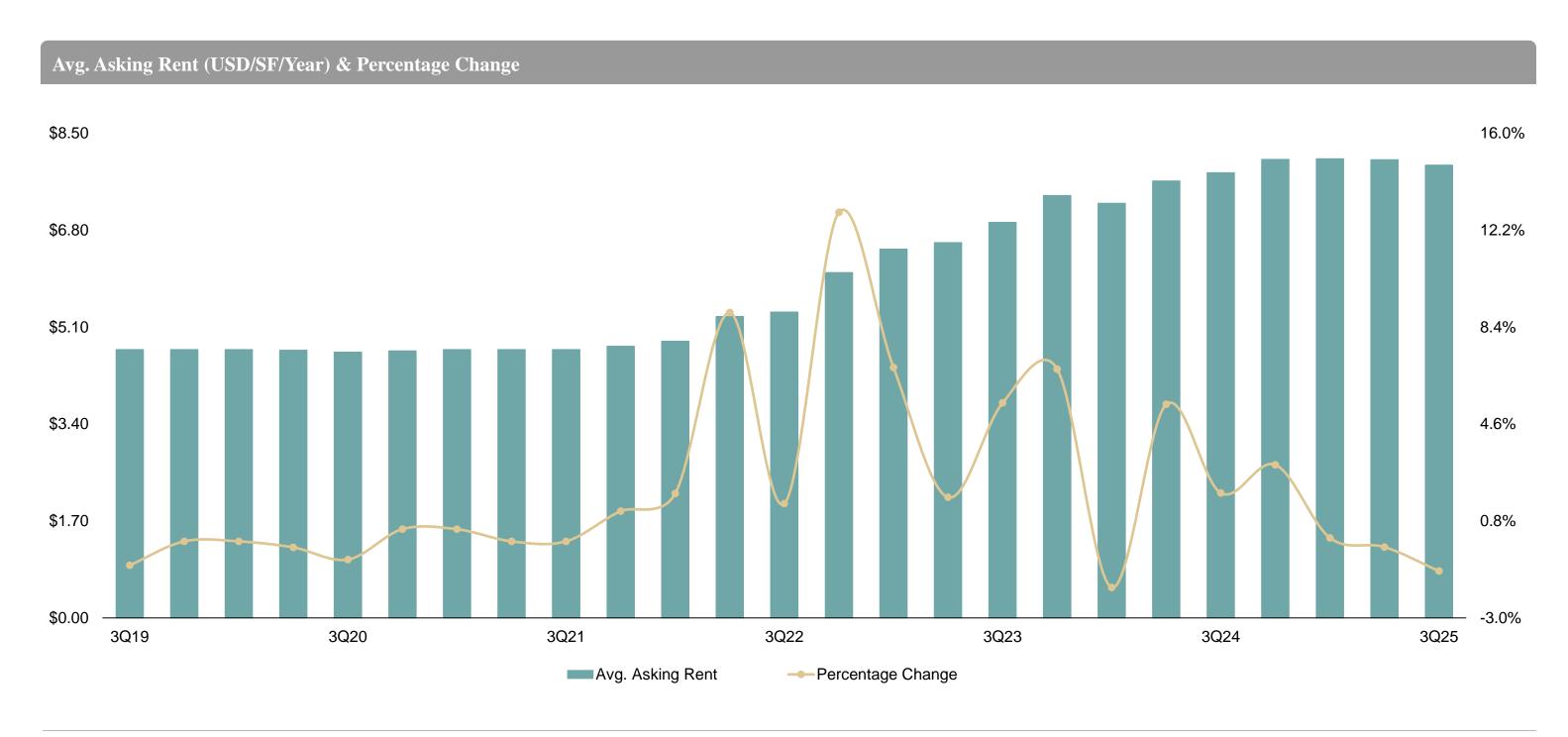
The quarter showed an upward trend in both gross absorption and net absorption, compared to what has been observed since the first quarter, closing with figures of 3.1 million square feet and 744,700 square feet, respectively. In addition, the accumulated gross and net absorption registered 4.1 million square feet and -2.3 million square feet, respectively.





## Average Asking Rent

The asking price once again showed a downward trend, which has been observed since the beginning of the year, ending the quarter at US\$7.94 per square feet per year. The submarket with the highest asking rent is Apodaca, with a rate of US\$8.13 per square feet per year.

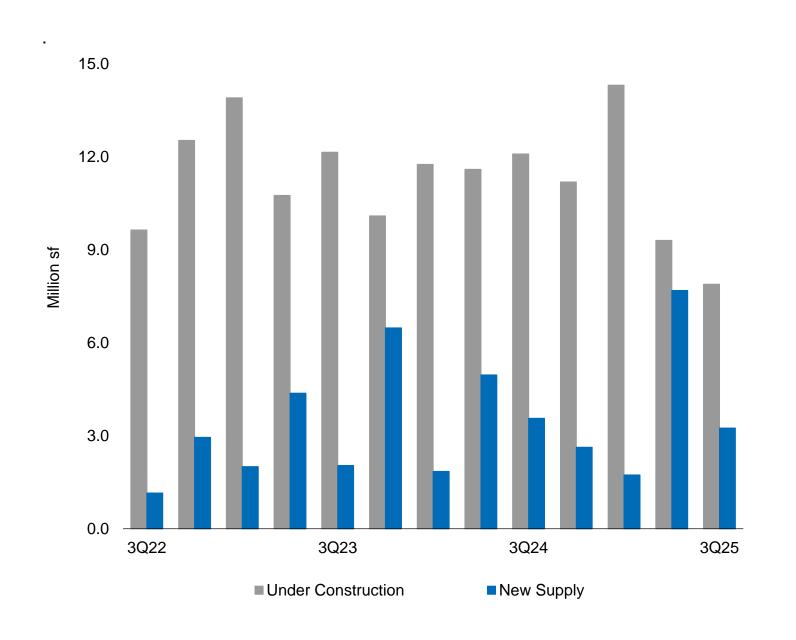


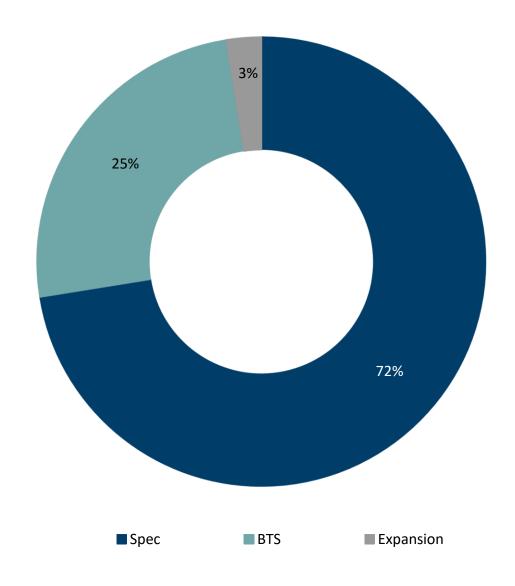
## **Space Under Construction**

At the close of the quarter, the industrial market recorded a total of 7.8 million square feet, with a new supply of just over 3.2 million square feet. Regarding space under construction, 72.5% corresponds to speculative buildings, 25.0% to build-to-suit projects, and 2.5% to expansions of existing buildings. Speculative buildings in the planning stage accounted for more than 17.3 million square feet.

**Under Construction & New Supply** 

**Type of Buildings Under Construction (3Q25)** 





## Market Indicators

	Inventory (million SF)	Construction (SF)	Vacancy (SF)	Vacancy Rate	Gross Absorption (SF)	Gross Absorption YTD (SF)	Net Absorption (SF)	Net Absorption YTD (SF)	Asking Lease Rate (USD/SF/Year)	Construction Asking Rent (USD/SF/Year)
Apodaca	41.8	2,950,581	4,187,813	10.0%	888,830	1,196,398	-753,215	-2,587,747	\$8.13	\$8.05
Cienega de Flores	19.8	1,056,994	1,351,407	6.8%	-	331,206	0	-468,155	\$7.82	\$7.79
Escobedo	11.7	2,290,022	1,349,385	11.5%	-	206,958	-274,254	-350,947	\$7.85	\$7.95
Guadalupe	16.3	409,793	570,616	3.5%	480,910	480,910	480,910	78,297	\$7.92	-
Monterrey	1.33	0	0	0.0%	-	0	0	0	-	-
Pesqueria	3.19	132,902	120,674	3.8%	-	0	0	-120,674	\$7.92	\$8.28
Salinas Victoria	5.58	0	269,065	4.8%	200,564	303,564	200,564	303,564	\$7.92	-
San Nicolas	0.85	0	0	0.0%	-	0	0	0	-	-
Santa Catarina	17.1	1,048,792	1,354,401	7.9%	1,562,306	1,615,426	1,090,750	835,021	\$7.56	\$7.88
Market	118.0	7,889,085	9,203,363	7.8%	3,132,610	4,134,461	744,755	-2,310,641	\$7.94	\$7.97

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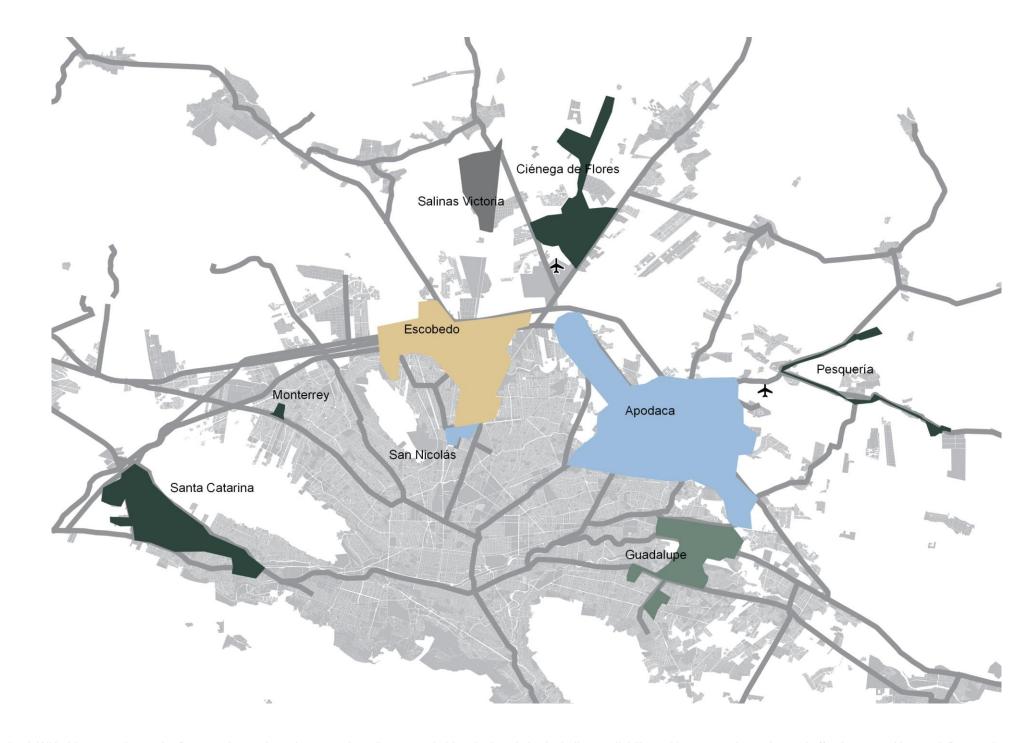
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