



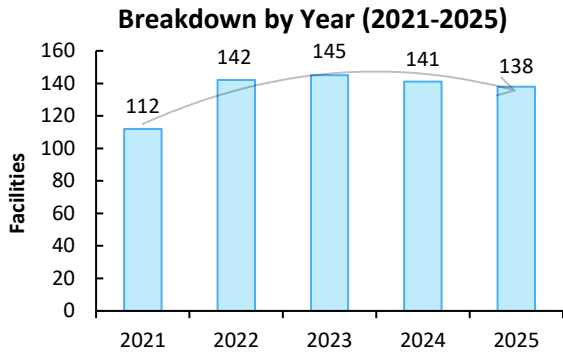
Japanese Direct Investment in Missouri (as of October 1, 2025)



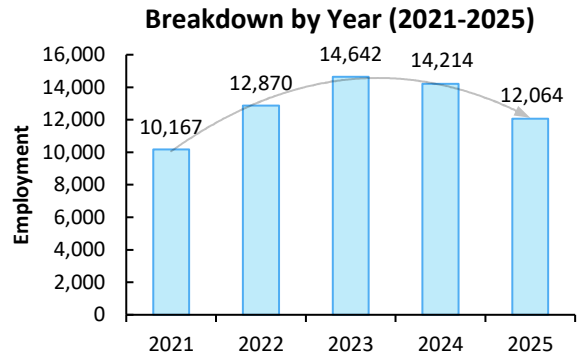
The Consulate-General of Japan in Chicago annually surveys Japanese companies in the Midwest. As the 2025 data indicates, Japanese investment contributes significantly to the state economy.

- **138 Japanese business facilities in Missouri**
- **12,064 direct jobs**

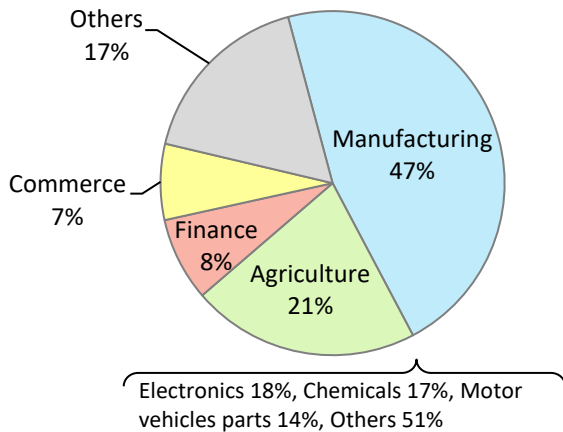
JAPANESE BUSINESS FACILITIES



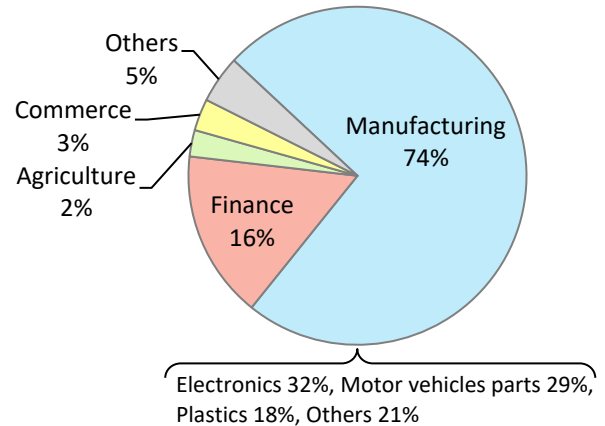
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT



Breakdown by Sector



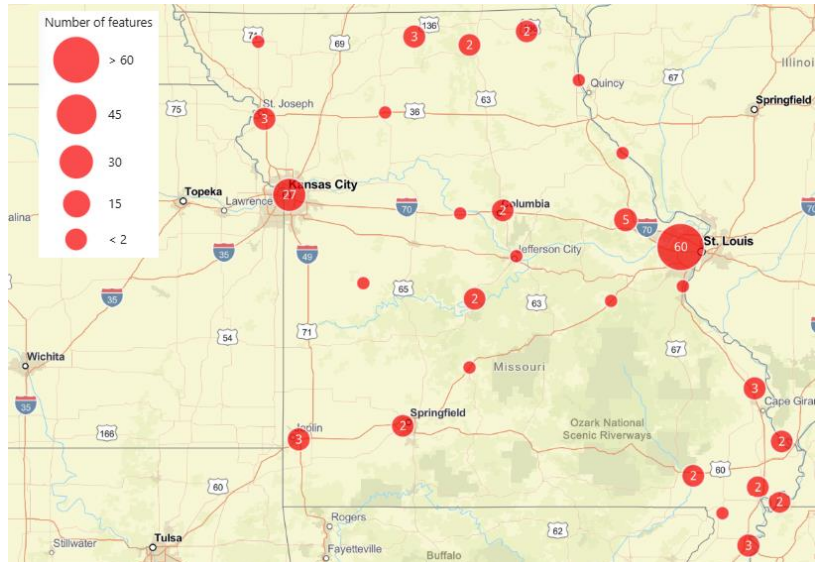
Breakdown by Sector



GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION

Map of Japanese business facilities in Missouri¹

- The largest concentration of facilities is in the St. Louis metropolitan area.
- The City of Kansas City has the highest number of Japanese business facilities (20) and the highest level of employment (1,692) as of October 2025.



Note: Japanese company for the purpose of this survey is defined as any company with 10% or more of shares held by Japanese companies or individuals.
1: Clustered map of Japanese business facilities by addresses.



Japanese Trade with Missouri (as of March, 2026)

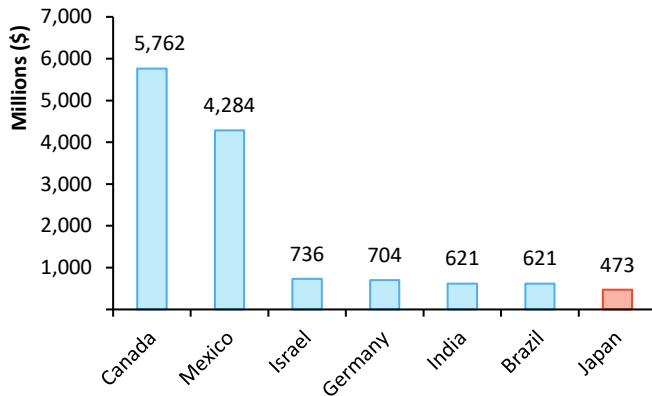


Japanese trade with Missouri contributes significantly to the state economy.

- Japan is Missouri's 7th largest export and the 11th largest import partner.
- The leading exports to Japan are Food Products and Chemicals.
- The leading imports from Japan are Machinery (non-electrical) and Chemicals.

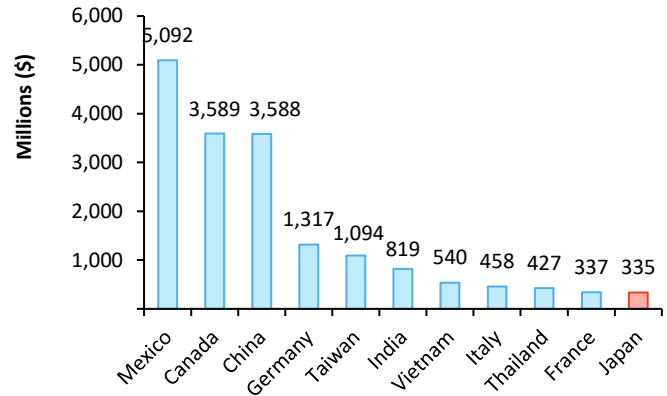
Missouri Exports (2025)

Breakdown by Trade Partner

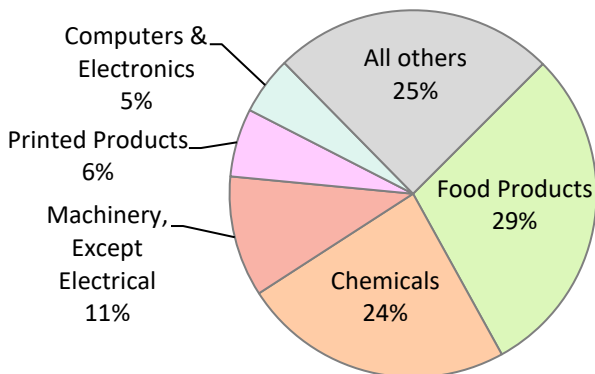


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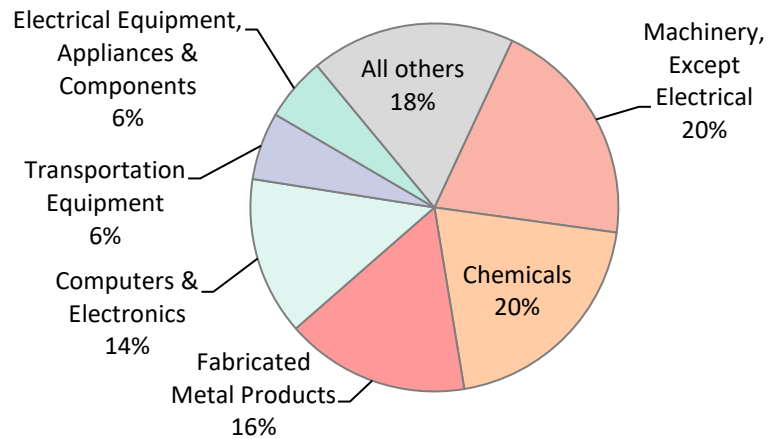
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Exports to Japan by Sector



Imports from Japan by Sector



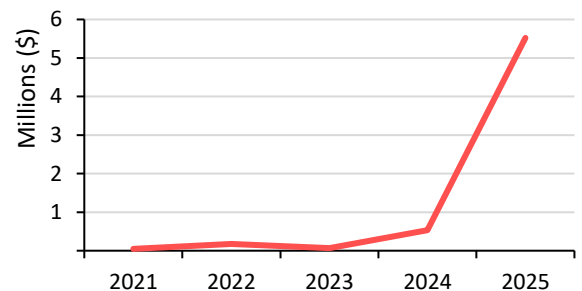
Highlighted Missouri Exports to Japan: Pork and Air Combat Simulators

Top 5 Pork Export Partners

Partner	Export Value (Millions of Dollars)
Japan	133
Korea, South	60
China	23
Canada	20
Colombia	10

Japan is Missouri's largest market for pork exports and has held that position for over 20 years. In 2025, exports to Japan accounted for almost 50% of all Missouri pork exports.

Air Combat Simulators¹ Export Trend (2021-2025)



Japan is Missouri's largest market for air combat simulators and parts exports. These exports have grown massively over the last 5 years increasing almost 11,500% from about \$48 thousand in 2021 to more than \$5.5 million in 2025.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Economic Indicators Division.

Note: HS used for breakdown by export partner and highlighted exports, NAICS used for breakdown by industry, U.S. State Export Data used for pork exports.

1: HS 880521 Air Combat Simulators And Parts Thereof