

# JAPAN MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR JAPAN

## South Carolina District 7 and Japan

### EXPORTS

**\$126 million** goods and services exports to Japan



**11%** Japan share of total district exports to Asia (40 countries)



**4%** Japan share of total district exports to the world

### JOBS FROM EXPORTS

**565** Jobs directly supported by exports to Japan

**+** **458** Jobs indirectly supported by exports to Japan

**1,023** Total Jobs Supported by Exports to Japan

### JAPANESE STUDENTS



**no data**  
Japan's share of all international students



**no data**  
Japanese student contribution to district economy

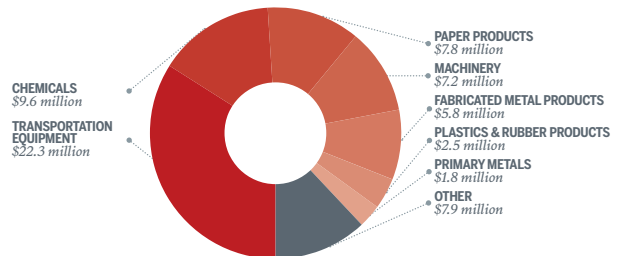
### TRAVEL & TOURISM



**\$47 million**  
Contribution to district economy by Japanese visitors

### COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS

**\$65 million** Goods Exports to Japan



**\$61 million** Services exports to Japan

#### TOP DISTRICT SERVICES EXPORTS TO JAPAN

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Travel   | <b>\$46.4 million</b> |
| Trademarks   | <b>\$2.9 million</b>  |
| Installation, maintenance, and repair of equipment | <b>\$1.8 million</b>  |
| Legal Services                                     | <b>\$1.7 million</b>  |
| Credit-Related Services                            | <b>\$1.4 million</b>  |

### JAPANESE-AMERICANS

**260** Total Japanese Americans in South Carolina District 7  
**0.04%** of the district population  
**4.6%** of district Asian American population  
**428** people who speak Japanese at home

### EXCHANGES & CONNECTIONS



#### COLLEGES WITH JAPAN STUDIES PROGRAMS

Conway - Coastal Carolina Univ.

SOURCE: Exports (2013), Jobs (2013), and Travel & Tourism (2013): Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), US Bureau of Economic Analysis. Japanese Americans (2013): US Bureau of the Census American Community Survey 5-year estimates. Students from Japan and Economic Contributions from Students (both 2013-2014 academic year): Institute of International Education; NAFSA (Association of International Educators). Exchanges and Connections: Sister Cities International and individual sister city partnerships: JGarden.org; National Association of Japan-America Societies; US College Search; Embassy of Japan. For definition of Asia (40 countries) and other methodology, visit [www.AsiaMattersforAmerica.org/data-sources](http://www.AsiaMattersforAmerica.org/data-sources).

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