

# JAPAN MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR JAPAN

## Georgia and Japan

### EXPORTS

**\$3.1 billion** goods and services exports to Japan



**18%** Japan share of total state exports to Asia (40 countries)



**5%** Japan share of total state exports to the world

### JOBS FROM EXPORTS

**9,791** Jobs directly supported by exports to Japan  
**+ 10,298** Jobs indirectly supported by exports to Japan  
**20,089** Total Jobs Supported by Exports to Japan

### JAPANESE STUDENTS



**1.0%** Japan's share of all international students



**\$6 million** Japanese student contribution to state economy

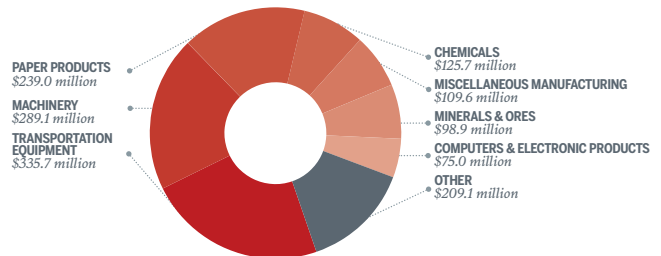
### TRAVEL & TOURISM



**\$798 million** Contribution to state economy by Japanese visitors

### COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS

**\$1.5 billion** Goods Exports to Japan



**\$1.6 billion** Services exports to Japan

### INVESTMENT IMPACT



**169** Japanese majority owned firms in the state  
**26,800** American workers at Japanese-owned firms

### JAPANESE-AMERICANS

**8,333** Total Japanese Americans in Georgia  
**0.08%** of the state population  
**2.52%** of state Asian American population  
**8,474** people who speak Japanese at home

### EXCHANGES & CONNECTIONS



#### JAPANESE GARDENS

Fort Valley - Massee Lane Gardens | Atlanta - Atlanta Botanical Gardens | Atlanta - The Carter Center | Fort Valley - Massee Lane Gardens | Atlanta - Grand Hyatt Atlanta



#### CITIES WITH CHERRY BLOSSOMS DONATED BY JAPAN

Atlanta | Conyers | Macon, which also has a cherry blossom festival.



#### JAPAN AMERICA SOCIETIES

Atlanta



#### SISTER CITIES

Kagoshima Prefecture - State of Georgia | Gunama : Kiryu - Columbus | Hiroshima : Miyoshi - Americus | Toyama : Kurobe - Macon | Fukuoka : Fukuoka - Atlanta | Miyagi : Osaki - Dublin | Hyogo : Takazuka - Augusta Richmond | Kumamoto : Kumamoto - Rome



#### COLLEGES WITH JAPAN STUDIES PROGRAMS

Savannah - Savannah State Univ. | Savannah - Armstrong State Univ. | Macon - Mercer Univ. | Carrollton - Univ. of West Georgia | Decatur - Agnes Scott College | Atlanta - Emory Univ. | Atlanta - Georgia Institute of Technology | Atlanta - Georgia State Univ. | Atlanta - Spelman College |

MORE EXCHANGES ON THE BACK

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COLLEGES WITH JAPAN  
STUDIES PROGRAMS

Atlanta - Oglethorpe College  
| Macon - Wesleyan College |  
Valdosta - Valdosta State Univ.  
| Athens - Univ. of Georgia |  
Demorest - Piedmont College  
| Kennesaw - Kennesaw State  
Univ. | Statesboro - Georgia  
Southern Univ. | Mount Berry -  
Berry College