



# Michigan and Japan

**EXPORTS** 

**\$2.4 billion** goods and services exports to Japan

17% Japan share of total state exports to Asia (40 countries)



**3%** Japan share of total state exports to the world

### JOBS FROM EXPORTS

Jobs directly supported by exports to Japan Jobs indirectly supported by exports to Japan

14.954

Total Jobs Supported by Exports to Japan

### JAPANESE STUDENTS



1.3% Japan's share of all international students



\$12 million Japanese student contribution to state economy

# **TRAVEL & TOURISM**

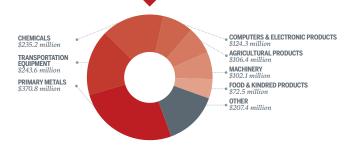


\$416 million

Contribution to state economy by Japanese visitors

## **COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS**

\$1.5 billion Goods Exports to Japan



**\$906 million** Services exports to Japan

#### INVESTMENT IMPACT



**216** Japanese majority owned firms in the state **24,800** American workers at Japanese-owned firms

# JAPANESE-AMERICANS

11,909 Total Japanese Americans in Michigan **0.12%** of the state population

4.74% of state Asian American population 12,022 people who speak Japanese at home

# **EXCHANGES & CONNECTIONS**



JAPANESE GARDENS

Grand Rapids - Frederick Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park | Saginaw - Tokushima Saginaw Friendship Garden | East Lansing - Shakunage Gardens | Niles - Fernwood Botanic Garden and Nature Center | Bloomfield Hills -Cranbrook House and Gardens Auxiliary



**CITIES WITH CHERRY BLOSSOMS DONATED BY JAPAN** 

Detroit | Novi



**JAPAN AMERICA SOCIETIES** 

Detroit



SISTER CITIES

Shiga Prefecture - State of Michigan | Shiga : Ryuoh (Town) - Sault Ste. Marie | Shiga: Takashima - Petoskey | | Fukuoka : Omuta - Muskegon | Iwate : Yahaba (Town) - Fremont (Town) | Fukuoka : Omuta - North Muskegon | Shiga: Koga - Marshall |



**COLLEGES WITH JAPAN** STUDIES PROGRAMS

**EXCHANGES** ON THE

BACK

Marquette - Northern Michigan Univ. | Allendale - Grand Valley State Univ. | Holland - Hope College | Rapids - Aquinas College | Mount Pleasant - Central Western Michigan Univ. |

Shiga: Higashiomi - Marquette Grand Rapids - Calvin College | Albion - Albion College | Grand Michigan Univ. | Kalamazoo -

SOURCE: Exports (2013), Jobs (2013), and Travel & Tourism (2013): Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), US Bureau of Economic Analysis. Japanese Firms: Uniworld Business Publications (accessed January 2015). Employment at Japanese Firms (2012): 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

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# **EXCHANGES & CONNECTIONS (continued)**



#### SISTER CITIES

COLLEGES WITH JAPAN STUDIES PROGRAMS

Shiga: Omihachiman - Grand Rapids | Gunma: Takasaki -Battle Creek | Aichi : Handa - Midland | Nagano : Okaya - Mt. Pleasant | Shiga: Koga -DeWitt | Shiga : Koga - DeWitt Charter Township | Shiga: Koga -Traverse | Tokushima : Tokushima - Saginaw | Shizuoka: Numazu - Kalamazoo | Iwate: Shiwa (Town) - Portage | Shiga: Moriyama - Adrian | Yamaguchi: Hofu - Monroe | Niigata: Tsubame - Dundee | Shiga: Otsu - Lansing | Shiga : Yasu - Clinton Township | Aomori: Owani (Town) - Novi | Shiga: Ritto - Birmingham | Shiga: Hikone - Ann Arbor | Aichi: Komaki - Wyandotte | Shiga: Kusatsu - Pontiac | Aichi: Toyota - Detroit

Kalamazoo - Kalamazoo
College | Benton Harbor - Lake
Michigan College | Adrian
- Adrian College | Ypsilanti
- Eastern Michigan Univ. |
Rochester Hills - Oakland
Univ. | Lansing - Lansing
Community College | East
Lansing - Michigan State Univ.
| Rochester Hills - Oakland
Univ. | Ann Arbor - Univ. of
Michigan | Detroit - Univ. of
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