

KOREA MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR KOREA

South Dakota and Korea

EXPORTS

\$135 million

Goods and services exports to Korea



7%
of state exports
to Asia



3%
of state exports
globally

JOBS FROM EXPORTS

612

Total direct state jobs from exports

+

399

Total indirect jobs from state exports

1,011

Total jobs created by state exports

COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS

\$103 million

Goods exports to Korea

\$32 million

Services exports to Korea



● Oilseeds & Grains

\$70 million

● Misc. Crops

\$5 million

● Meat Products

\$16 million

● Credit-Related Services

\$3 million

● Travel

\$15 million

● Other

\$26 million

INVESTMENT



\$32 million

Invested from Korea
since 2003



387

Jobs created by Korean
investment since 2003

STUDENTS



186

Korean students
in the state



8.8%

of all international
students in the state



\$3.5 million

Spent by Korean
students in the state

TRAVEL AND TOURISM



\$17.3 million

Spent by Korean visitors to the state

KOREAN AMERICANS

1,562

Korean Americans
in the state

10.49% of the state's Asian population

0.18% of the state's population

468 People speak Korean at home

EXCHANGES AND CONNECTIONS

South Dakota State University has active exchange partnerships with eleven universities in South Korea.

All data refers to the US relationship with the Republic of Korea (South Korea) only.
SOURCES: Exports, Jobs, Travel and Tourism: Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), 2016 data; Students: Institute of International Education (IIE), 2016/17 academic year data; Investment: fDi Intelligence (2003-2017); Korean-Americans: US Census Bureau, 2016 American Community Survey 5 year estimate

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