

# ASIA MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR ASIA

## Missouri District 8 and Asia

### EXPORTS

**\$640 M**

Goods and services exports to the Indo-Pacific

**\$462 M**

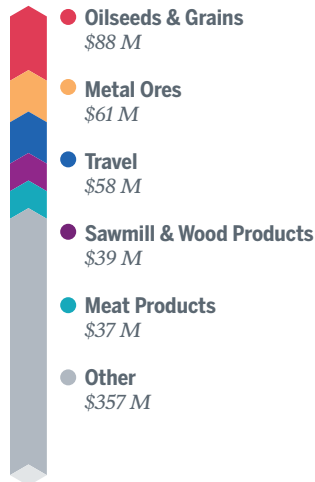
Goods exports to the Indo-Pacific

**\$179 M**

Services exports to the Indo-Pacific

**28%**

of district exports globally go to the Indo-Pacific



### JOB FROM EXPORTS

**2,318**

Jobs directly supported by district exports to the Indo-Pacific

**2,402**

Jobs indirectly supported by district exports to the Indo-Pacific

**4,720**

Total jobs supported by district exports to the Indo-Pacific

### TRAVEL AND TOURISM

**\$93 M**

Asian visitor spending in the district

### EXCHANGES AND CONNECTIONS



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Sister relationship with the Indo-Pacific

### ASIAN AMERICANS

**6,731**

Asian Americans in the district

**1%**

of the total district population is Asian American

#### TOP ASIAN ETHNICITIES IN THE DISTRICT

| Ethnicity | Population | % of Asian Population |
|-----------|------------|-----------------------|
| CHINESE   | 2,063      | 31%                   |
| FILIPINO  | 1,307      | 19%                   |
| KOREAN    | 734        | 11%                   |

### STUDENTS

**1,529**

International students from the Indo-Pacific

**70%**

of all international students in the district are from the Indo-Pacific

**\$35 M**

Asian student spending in the district

For more information and articles about your local connections to the Indo-Pacific:



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SOURCES: Exports, Jobs, Travel and Tourism: Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), 2018 data; Students: Institute of International Education (IIE) and NAFA, 2018/19 academic year data; Investment: fDi Intelligence (2003-2019); Asian Americans: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2018 Asian alone or in combination 5-year estimate; Exchanges and Connections: Sister Cities International (SCI), individual sister city associations, individual airline and university websites. For definition of the Indo-Pacific (39 countries) and other methodology visit [AsiaMattersforAmerica.org/sources-and-methodology](https://AsiaMattersforAmerica.org/sources-and-methodology)

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