

ASEAN MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR ASEAN

Tennessee and ASEAN

EXPORTS

\$2.6 B

Total exports to ASEAN

\$2.1 B

Goods exports to ASEAN

\$560 M

Services exports to ASEAN



5%

of state exports globally go to ASEAN

19%

which is
of state exports to the Indo-Pacific

INVESTMENT

\$111 M

Invested by ASEAN greenfield projects since 2003

281

Jobs created by ASEAN greenfield projects since 2003

EXCHANGES AND CONNECTIONS



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Sister partnership with ASEAN



3

Majority owned enterprises from ASEAN countries

JOBS FROM EXPORTS

13,244

Total jobs supported by state exports to ASEAN

7,382

Jobs directly supported by state exports to ASEAN

5,862

Jobs indirectly supported by state exports to ASEAN

EDUCATION



303

International students from ASEAN



3.3%

of all international students are from ASEAN



\$11 M

ASEAN student spending

ASEAN AMERICANS

58,717

ASEAN Americans

Burmese	3,173
Cambodian	2,367
Filipino	22,824
Hmong	720
Indonesian	869
Laotian	9,184
Malaysian	704
Thai	3,909
Vietnamese	14,967

% of Population	% of Asian American Population
0.8%	35.3%

TRAVEL AND TOURISM

\$90 M

ASEAN visitor spending

SOURCES: Exports, Jobs, Travel and Tourism: Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), 2022 data; Students: Institute of International Education (IIE), 2022/23 academic year data; Investment: fDi Intelligence (2003–2023); ASEAN Americans: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2015-year Asian Alone or in Any Combination estimates; Exchanges and Connections: Uniworld Business Publications (accessed January 2024, data not available for Brunei, Laos, and Myanmar) and East-West Center research.

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