

JAPAN MATTERS FOR AMERICA MATTERS FOR JAPAN

Hawaii and Japan

EXPORTS

\$124 M

Total exports to Japan

\$56 M

Goods exports to Japan

\$68 M

Services exports to Japan



6%

of state exports go to Japan

16%

which is

of state exports to the Indo-Pacific

INVESTMENT CAPITAL AND JOBS FROM INVESTMENT

35

Japanese majority owned enterprises

\$256 M

Invested by Japanese greenfield projects since 2003

21,500

Jobs at Japanese-owned companies

236

Jobs created by Japanese greenfield projects since 2003

JOBS FROM EXPORTS

741

Total jobs supported by state exports to Japan

396

Jobs directly supported by state exports to Japan

345

Jobs indirectly supported by state exports to Japan

EDUCATION



744

International students from Japan



21.7%

of all international students are from Japan



\$22.6 M

Japanese student spending

JAPANESE AMERICANS

324,168

Japanese Americans

% of Population	% of Asian American population	People who speak Japanese at home
22.8%	40.4%	40,764

TRAVEL AND TOURISM

\$16.4 M

Japanese visitor spending

7

Direct flights to Japan

EXCHANGES AND CONNECTIONS



State-Prefecture relationships between Hawaii and Hokkaido, Hiroshima, Yamaguchi, Ehime, Fukuoka, and Okinawa



29

Sister relationships with Japan



4

Universities with a Japanese Studies program



4

Japanese gardens



1

Japan-America Society in the state

SOURCES: Exports, Jobs, Travel and Tourism: Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), 2021 data; Students: Institute of International Education (IIE) and NAFSA, 2021/22 academic year data; Investment: fDi Intelligence (January 2003 - December 2021), US Bureau of Economic Analysis 2020 data, and Uniworld Business Publications (accessed January 2023); Asian Americans: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, Survey 5-Year Data 2016-2020; Exchanges and Connections: Sister Cities International (SCI), Council of Local Authorities for International Relations (CLAIR), individual sister city associations, North America Japanese Garden Association, National Association of Japan-America Societies, and individual university websites.

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