

JAPAN: Value of Exports and Imports by Areas and [selected] Countries 2006/01-04

(Thousands of US dollars, %)

Country/Area	Year to Date			Year on Year % Change		Balance Y on Y Change	Share		Contribution rate	
	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports		Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
Total	203'360'106	184'481'472	18'878'634	3.9	12.5	-12'770'709	100	100	3.9	12.5
Asia	95'190'743	80'399'844	14'790'899	1.8	7.5	-3'983'166	46.8	43.6	0.8	3.4
Oceania	4'746'099	9'623'897	-4'877'797	-4.6	16.5	-1'587'862	2.3	5.2	-0.1	0.8
North America	49'872'382	24'448'862	25'423'519	5.5	2.9	1'888'763	24.5	13.3	1.3	0.4
Central + South America	9'395'708	6'139'856	3'255'852	18.5	18.1	528'328	4.6	3.3	0.8	0.6
Europe	32'901'240	21'641'880	11'259'360	0.8	-4.2	1'196'734	16.2	11.7	0.1	-0.6
<i>Germany</i>	<i>6'393'118</i>	<i>5'993'815</i>	<i>399'303</i>	<i>-0.5</i>	<i>-2.7</i>	<i>132'838</i>	<i>3.1</i>	<i>3.3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>-0.1</i>
<i>France</i>	<i>2'502'204</i>	<i>2'987'245</i>	<i>-485'042</i>	<i>-11.3</i>	<i>6.2</i>	<i>-491'586</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>1.6</i>	<i>-0.2</i>	<i>0.1</i>
<i>United Kingdom</i>	<i>5'129'307</i>	<i>2'234'441</i>	<i>2'894'866</i>	<i>-2.6</i>	<i>-1.5</i>	<i>-101'490</i>	<i>2.5</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>-0.1</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>Italy</i>	<i>2'237'760</i>	<i>2'269'712</i>	<i>-31'952</i>	<i>1.9</i>	<i>-6.7</i>	<i>204'211</i>	<i>1.1</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>-0.1</i>
<i>Switzerland</i>	<i>759'111</i>	<i>1'509'955</i>	<i>-750'844</i>	<i>-5</i>	<i>-8.8</i>	<i>106'061</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>0.8</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>-0.1</i>
Russia, CIS countries	2'218'870	1'901'971	316'899	62.2	1.8	816'293	1.1	1	0.4	0
Middle East	6'052'626	35'977'076	-29'924'449	17.4	44.4	-10'162'889	3	19.5	0.5	6.7
Africa	2'965'309	4'342'011	-1'376'701	10.3	64.2	-1'420'566	1.5	2.4	0.1	1

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Note 1: Imports data is provisional.

Note 2: For list of all countries, please consult sources.

Note 3: Sources: JETRO www.jetro.go.jp and Japan Ministry of Finance www.mof.go.jp