



Missouri's exports to Japan in 2020: \$469M¹





Missouri's imports from Japan in 2020: \$269M¹





1,600 Missourians born in Japan ²



2,300 Missourians who speak Japanese ²



7 educational institutions with Japanese programs



70 Japanese companies in Missouri, including:



























Sister cities & states

Kansas City / Kurashiki Independence / Higashimurayama Grandview / Haruna

Lee's Summit / Aizuwakamatsu



Columbia / Hakusan City

St. Louis / Suwa

Springfield / Isesaki

Missouri / Nagano Prefecture



Cultural organizations

Japan America Society of St. Louis³ Heart of America Japan-America Society⁴ University of Missouri Asian Affairs Center⁵ St. Louis Language Immersion Schools⁶



13 Missouri companies in Japan



Recent investments

Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Missouri, a subsidiary of Toyota, invested \$62 million in its Troy, MO facility in 2019. The facility produces cylinder heads used in every Toyota and Lexus manufactured in the U.S.

TG Missouri (owned by Japan-based Toyoda Gosei Co. Ltd.) expanded their Perryville, MO facility in 2019, investing \$17 million.

Ajinomoto Windsor, Inc. opened a new plant in Joplin, MO in 2018. The plant brought 120 new jobs to the community.

Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp. recently expanded their Maryville plant, bringing the plant's total floor space to around 900,000 square feet. The expansion is expected to create 30 new jobs.

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¹ International trade administration, 2020

² American Community Survey, 2019, 1-year estimates

³ http://jasstl.org/

⁴ https://kcjas.org/

⁵ https://international.missouri.edu/asia/

⁶ http://www.sllis.org/