

Export of Japan-made Industrial Sewing Machine to The World in 2014 Recorded 173,650 Units

Increasing 3.9% Compared with the Previous Year

Concerning the export results of industrial sewing machine during the period from January to December 2014, the statistics are compiled by JASMA. It was made by data from the Customs and Tariff Bureau of the Finance Ministry.

The total export registered 173,650 units showing an increase of 3.9%, 6,488 units com-

pared with same period of the previous year.

• **Export Trend Classified by Area**
[East Asia]

The total quantity of industrial sewing machine export to this region was 43,922 units showing a decrease of 2.6% compared with the previous year.

The export to China which is

a largest importing country was 19,757 units showing a decrease of 5.5% compared with the previous year.

There are many general purpose sewing machines in Chinese market quantitatively, and those sewing machines are being produced at the Chinese factories of the manufacturers which advanced from Japan. Because of

Export Customs Clearance of Japan-made Industrial Sewing Machine, Classified by Main Countries for The Period of January ~ December 2014

Source of Data: JASMA (Units)

Country	Single Needle Straight Lockstitcher		Overlock Machine	Other Special Machine	Total	Ratio for 2013 and 2014 (%)
	For Fabric	For Other Material				
S. Korea	627	5	1,215	3,151	4,998	+ 5.8
China	550	632	95	18,480	19,757	- 5.5
Taiwan	23	24	25	818	890	- 38.5
Hong Kong	361	829	3,165	13,922	18,277	+ 1.4
Vietnam	4,406	382	3,896	9,450	18,134	- 16.6
Thailand	30	40	53	842	965	- 1.9
Singapore	8,972	1,350	1,313	36,122	47,757	+ 14.7
Indonesia	47	1	22	576	646	- 45.0
India	1,292	740	887	5,405	8,324	- 12.3
U.A.E.	1,325	3	961	1,885	4,174	+ 32.8
Egypt	1,370	0	792	1,296	3,458	- 14.1
Germany	20	52	2,715	1,387	4,174	+ 54.7
Poland	3,759	571	0	3,625	7,955	+ 88.1
Turkey	535	12	425	3,475	4,447	- 24.9
Canada	5	0	1,440	2	1,447	+ 2.6
U.S.A.	2,764	3,183	2,151	7,662	15,760	+ 7.5
Mexico	3	6	4	2,347	2,360	+ 50.4
Equador	0	0	0	511	511	-48.4
Peru	0	4	3	1,664	1,671	+ 5.0
Brazil	0	0	0	401	401	- 74.9
Grand Total	26,882	8,103	20,447	118,218	173,650	+ 3.9