

Statistical Summary of Japan Beef Imports



Volume of Japan Beef Imports (tonnes shipped weight)	Month Vs Month					Year Vs Year			Share of Total		Cal Yr 2013	
	Aug-14	Jul-14	% Chg	Aug-13	% Chg	YTD 14	YTD 13	% Chg	YTD 14	YTD 13	2013	%
Total chilled imports:	19,409	20,701	-6%	19,081	2%	141,479	143,774	-2%			212,305	
from Australia	10,555	10,809	-2%	9,716	9%	78,184	77,859	0%	55%	54%	115,650	54%
from US	7,909	8,975	-12%	8,365	-5%	56,943	58,598	-3%	40%	41%	86,297	41%
from other countries	946	917	3%	1,000	-5%	6,351	7,315	-13%	4%	5%	10,357	5%
Total frozen imports:	38,701	26,067	48%	35,538	9%	200,390	222,462	-10%			321,950	
from Australia	18,830	13,288	42%	19,167	-2%	104,423	117,689	-11%	52%	53%	170,273	53%
from US	13,843	9,178	51%	11,636	19%	68,950	64,754	6%	34%	29%	99,759	31%
from other countries	6,027	3,601	67%	4,735	27%	27,018	40,020	-32%	13%	18%	51,918	16%
Total beef imports:	58,110	46,768	24%	54,619	6%	341,869	366,235	-7%			534,254	
from Australia	29,384	24,098	22%	28,883	2%	182,607	195,548	-7%	53%	53%	285,923	54%
from US	21,752	18,153	20%	20,001	9%	125,893	123,352	2%	37%	34%	186,056	35%
from other countries	6,973	4,518	54%	5,735	22%	33,369	47,335	-30%	10%	13%	62,276	12%

Value of Japan Beef Imports (million yen)	Month Vs Month					Year Vs Year			Share of Total		Cal Yr 2013	
	Aug-14	Jul-14	% Chg	Aug-13	% Chg	YTD 14	YTD 13	% Chg	YTD 14	YTD 13	2013	%
Total chilled imports:	14,520	14,996	-3%	12,544	16%	102,368	95,636	7%			141,875	
from Australia	7,311	7,307	0%	6,070	20%	52,519	49,143	7%	51%	51%	73,266	52%
from US	6,452	6,926	-7%	5,754	12%	44,778	41,054	9%	44%	43%	60,853	43%
from other countries	757	764	-1%	720	5%	5,074	5,441	-7%	5%	6%	7,756	5%
Total frozen imports:	17,082	11,346	51%	13,787	24%	83,662	86,216	-3%			124,320	
from Australia	7,681	5,307	45%	6,934	11%	40,670	42,717	-5%	49%	50%	61,912	50%
from US	6,512	4,274	52%	4,881	33%	30,335	27,233	11%	36%	32%	41,335	33%
from other countries	2,890	1,765	64%	1,972	47%	12,661	16,263	-22%	15%	19%	21,072	17%
Total beef imports:	31,602	26,342	20%	26,331	20%	186,031	181,852	2%			266,193	
from Australia	14,992	12,614	19%	13,004	15%	93,188	91,859	1%	50%	51%	135,176	51%
from US	12,964	11,200	16%	10,635	22%	75,111	68,287	10%	40%	38%	102,187	38%
from other countries	3,647	2,529	44%	2,691	36%	17,732	21,705	-18%	10%	12%	28,830	11%

*Source: Ministry of Finance Japan