

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 2015 | |
|---|----------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-----------|---------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|--------|----------------|-----|
| | Mar-16 | Feb-16 | % Chg | Mar-15 | % Chg | YTD 16 | YTD 15 | % Chg | YTD 16 | YTD 15 | 2015 | % |
| Total chilled imports: | 17,143 | 14,499 | 18% | 17,173 | 0% | 45,824 | 43,265 | 6% | | | 204,676 | |
| from Australia | 9,504 | 8,459 | 12% | 10,439 | -9% | 25,682 | 27,725 | -7% | 56% | 64% | 127,704 | 62% |
| from US | 6,879 | 5,319 | 29% | 5,775 | 19% | 17,796 | 12,939 | 38% | 39% | 30% | 67,600 | 33% |
| from other countries | 760 | 721 | 5% | 959 | -21% | 2,346 | 2,601 | -10% | 5% | 6% | 9,373 | 5% |
| Total frozen imports: | 19,024 | 18,388 | 3% | 17,955 | 6% | 50,626 | 60,281 | -16% | | | 289,308 | |
| from Australia | 6,867 | 10,882 | -37% | 7,719 | -11% | 26,136 | 24,161 | 8% | 52% | 40% | 160,876 | 56% |
| from US | 9,609 | 5,886 | 63% | 7,556 | 27% | 19,025 | 25,173 | -24% | 38% | 42% | 97,835 | 34% |
| from other countries | 2,548 | 1,620 | 57% | 2,680 | -5% | 5,465 | 10,947 | -50% | 11% | 18% | 30,597 | 11% |
| Total beef imports: | 36,167 | 32,887 | 10% | 35,128 | 3% | 96,450 | 103,546 | -7% | | | 493,984 | |
| from Australia | 16,371 | 19,341 | -15% | 18,158 | -10% | 51,818 | 51,886 | 0% | 54% | 50% | 288,580 | 58% |
| from US | 16,488 | 11,205 | 47% | 13,331 | 24% | 36,821 | 38,112 | -3% | 38% | 37% | 165,435 | 33% |
| from other countries | 3,308 | 2,340 | 41% | 3,639 | -9% | 7,811 | 13,548 | -42% | 8% | 13% | 39,970 | 8% |

| Value of Japan Beef Imports (million yen) | Month Vs Month | | | | | Year Vs Year | | | Share of Total | | Cal Yr 2015 | |
|--|----------------|---------------|------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|--------|----------------|-----|
| | Mar-16 | Feb-16 | % Chg | Mar-15 | % Chg | YTD 16 | YTD 15 | % Chg | YTD 16 | YTD 15 | 2015 | % |
| Total chilled imports: | 13,901 | 12,424 | 12% | 15,798 | -12% | 38,467 | 39,757 | -3% | | | 182,366 | |
| from Australia | 7,624 | 6,935 | 10% | 9,016 | -15% | 21,294 | 23,807 | -11% | 55% | 60% | 111,424 | 61% |
| from US | 5,598 | 4,320 | 30% | 5,854 | -4% | 14,505 | 13,393 | 8% | 38% | 34% | 61,837 | 34% |
| from other countries | 679 | 1,169 | -42% | 927 | -27% | 2,668 | 2,556 | 4% | 7% | 6% | 9,104 | 5% |
| Total frozen imports: | 7,157 | 7,727 | -7% | 11,188 | -36% | 20,756 | 37,492 | -45% | | | 154,519 | |
| from Australia | 2,594 | 4,318 | -40% | 4,214 | -38% | 10,483 | 13,438 | -22% | 51% | 36% | 79,931 | 52% |
| from US | 3,484 | 2,421 | 44% | 5,174 | -33% | 7,502 | 16,854 | -55% | 36% | 45% | 56,218 | 36% |
| from other countries | 1,079 | 989 | 9% | 1,800 | -40% | 2,772 | 7,201 | -62% | 13% | 19% | 18,371 | 12% |
| Total beef imports: | 21,057 | 20,151 | 4% | 26,986 | -22% | 59,222 | 77,248 | -23% | | | 336,882 | |
| from Australia | 10,217 | 11,253 | -9% | 13,230 | -23% | 31,776 | 37,245 | -15% | 54% | 48% | 191,353 | 57% |
| from US | 9,083 | 6,741 | 35% | 11,028 | -18% | 22,008 | 30,247 | -27% | 37% | 39% | 118,055 | 35% |
| from other countries | 1,757 | 2,158 | -19% | 2,728 | -36% | 5,440 | 9,758 | -44% | 9% | 13% | 27,475 | 8% |

*Source: Ministry of Finance Japan