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Japanese-Brand Automakers Increase U.S. Economic Contributions to New Record Highs
Strong New Data Demonstrates JAMA Members' Continued Dedication to Investing in America

Washington, D.C. – The Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association (JAMA) USA office today released impressive [new data](#) spotlighting the positive economic contributions Japanese automakers are making to the United States. These 2014 figures represent record-high numbers for the percentage of North American-built Japanese-brand vehicles sold in the U.S., U.S. production, exports from U.S. plants, and purchases of American-made auto parts by Japanese automakers.

“On the verge of a historic trade deal, Japanese automakers are strengthening their commitment to the United States. This is proven by the fact that an unprecedented 74% of Japanese-brand vehicles sold in the U.S. are built in North America. JAMA members also have record-high U.S. production, exports from U.S. plants, and American-made parts purchases, which demonstrates Japanese automakers’ dedication to investing in America,” said Ron Bookbinder, General Director of JAMA USA.

The statistics released indicate that JAMA member companies are an integral part of the U.S. economy. Their commitment to America leads to more U.S. jobs and more U.S. exports. The JAMA USA office also [released](#) a first round of data in early June, which included record-high employment numbers and cumulative investment in manufacturing plants.

The new data points are available here:

Japanese Automakers' Economic Contributions to America	2013	2014
Percentage of Japanese-Brand Vehicles Sold in the U.S. that are Produced in North America	71%	74%
Japanese Production in the U.S. (millions of units)	3.635	3.822
Exports from Japanese Auto Plants in the U.S. (units)	391,336	472,000
Japanese Purchases of U.S. Automotive Parts (billions USD)*	\$57.09	\$65.97

*Auto Parts Purchasing data is on a Japanese Fiscal Year basis
 2013: April 1, 2013 - March 31, 2014; 2014: April 1, 2014 - March 31, 2015

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