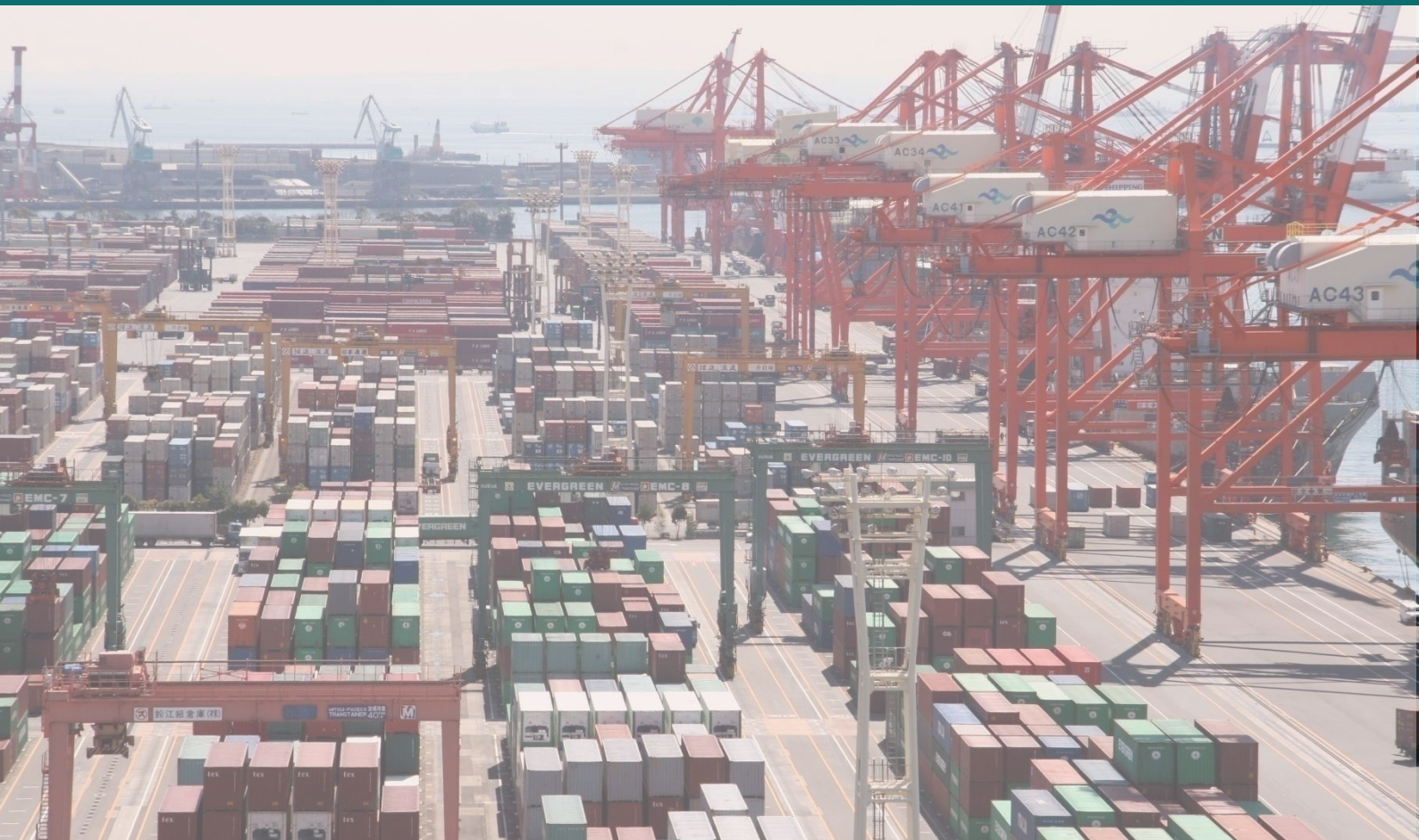


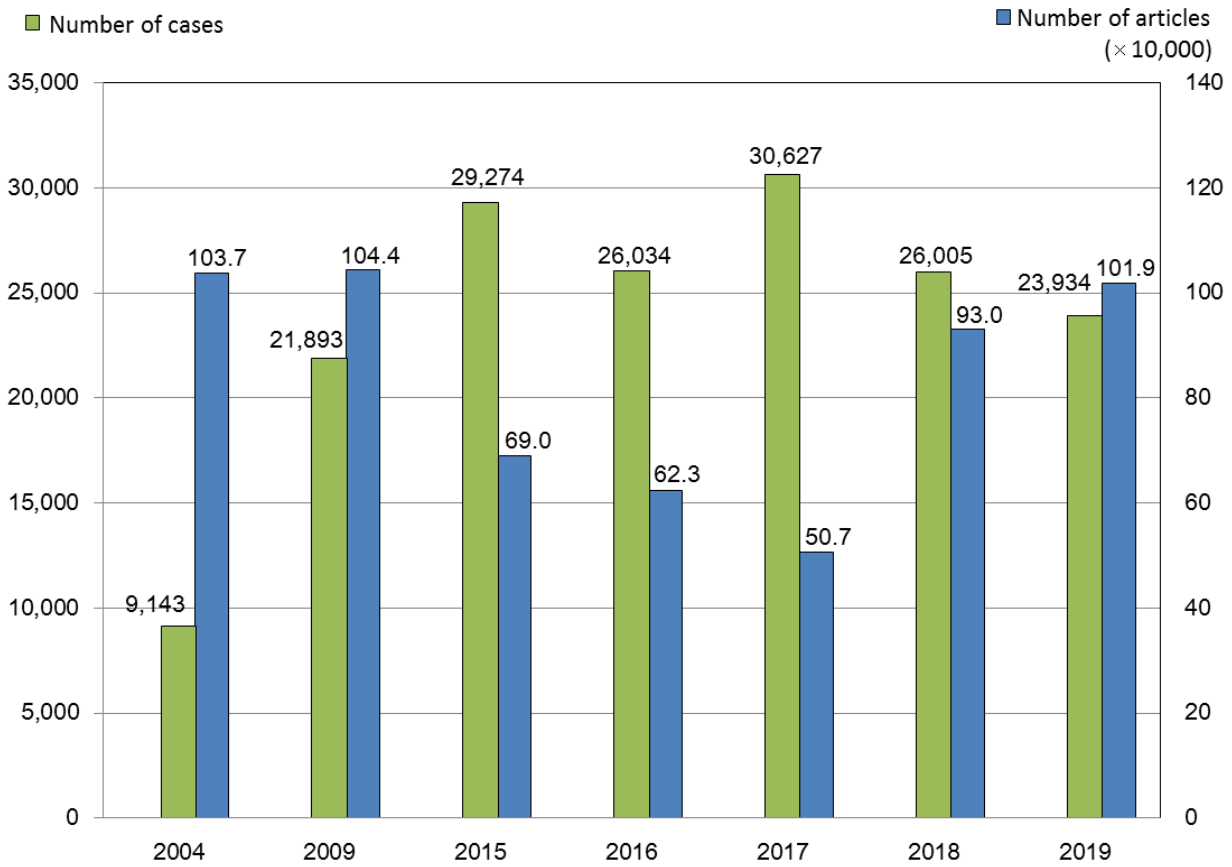


2019 Seizure Statistics of IPR Border Enforcement Japan Customs





Import 1 Number of Import Seizures



Import 2 Import Seizures by Means of Transport 2019

	Cases (share)	Articles (share)
General Cargo (Sea and Air)	2,843 (11.9%)	838,377 (82.3%)
Postal Item	21,091 (88.1%)	180,503 (17.7%)

Import 3 Number of Import Seizures by Type of Right

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
Patent	Cases	5	61	18	6	83	0.3%
	Articles	932	185,781	26,726	28,128	19,211	1.9%
Utility Model	Cases	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Design	Cases	36	87	304	433	289	1.2%
	Articles	3,811	8,507	135,135	116,597	85,684	8.4%
Trademark	Cases	28,982	25,666	30,111	25,284	23,182	96.3%
	Articles	656,853	409,279	313,314	723,650	867,804	85.2%
Copyright	Cases	323	312	295	438	505	2.1%
	Articles	27,948	19,068	31,564	61,199	46,113	4.5%
Related right (Neighboring right)	Cases	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Integrated circuits layout design	Cases	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Plant breeder's right	Cases	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Unfair Competition Prevention Law	Cases	50	9	3	2	3	0.0%
	Articles	77	30	11	101	68	0.0%
Total	Cases	29,274	26,034	30,627	26,005	23,934	100.0%
	Articles	689,621	622,665	506,750	929,675	1,018,880	100.0%

Since “one case” can be recorded in multiple rights, “the sum of number of cases” of each right may differ from “the total number of cases”.



Import 4 Number of Import Seizures by Type of Commodity (cases)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
Bags	11,463	10,727	12,727	9,391	9,639	36.8%
Apparel	4,610	3,873	4,581	6,093	5,949	22.7%
Footwear	3,875	2,617	3,974	3,170	1,999	7.6%
Mobile-Phones and accessories	2,936	4,466	3,633	2,385	1,834	7.0%
Watches	1,234	1,081	1,898	1,613	1,193	4.6%
Belts	491	379	473	496	840	3.2%
Caps	473	373	591	779	836	3.2%
Automobile parts	241	314	289	310	452	1.7%
Pharmaceuticals	1,030	812	459	352	443	1.7%
Accessories	673	335	367	455	406	1.5%
Eyewear and accessories	1,792	415	999	369	296	1.1%
Key holders	799	762	543	423	292	1.1%
Housewares	237	193	243	366	262	1.0%
Sporting goods	169	198	248	373	254	1.0%
Textiles	257	229	269	318	222	0.8%
Others	2,293	1,778	1,535	1,553	1,277	4.9%
Total	29,274	26,034	30,627	26,005	23,934	100.0%

Since “one case” can be recorded in multiple commodities, “the sum of number of cases” of each commodity may differ from “the total number of cases”.

Import 5 Number of Import Seizures by Type of Commodity (articles)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
CDs, DVDs	12,670	4,700	644	444	304,114	29.8%
Paper products	-	-	-	14,682	106,058	10.4%
Electric appliances	28,281	18,981	116,999	68,795	65,937	6.5%
Apparel	59,987	35,736	40,671	45,605	48,933	4.8%
Computer products	10,407	195,152	41,944	49,423	30,477	3.0%
Bags	59,619	38,030	36,084	65,769	30,037	2.9%
Tobacco and smoking implements	305	164	7,967	28,897	27,117	2.7%
Textiles	4,925	3,344	3,446	10,558	24,857	2.4%
Mobile-Phones and accessories	83,937	74,783	65,085	50,461	23,745	2.3%
Sporting goods	10,992	5,441	5,931	4,781	21,047	2.1%
Houseware	6,764	7,595	29,318	74,534	19,019	1.9%
Automobile parts	17,471	25,200	14,184	17,323	15,615	1.5%
Pharmaceuticals	88,543	39,021	17,745	319,716	11,863	1.2%
Key holders	10,628	9,701	7,448	11,628	10,760	1.1%
Accessories	21,121	8,506	5,526	30,062	10,284	1.0%
Others	273,971	156,311	113,758	136,997	269,017	26.4%
Total	689,621	622,665	506,750	929,675	1,018,880	100.0%



Import 6 Number of Import Seizures by Source Countries and Regions (cases)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
People's Republic of China	26,670	23,916	28,250	22,578	19,814	82.8%
Hong Kong, China	1,227	717	828	1,150	1,012	4.2%
Republic of the Philippines	392	270	430	715	691	2.9%
Republic of Korea	494	427	322	525	649	2.7%
Singapore	58	203	165	141	592	2.5%
Vietnam	22	30	95	307	545	2.3%
Thailand	123	155	163	148	154	0.6%
Cambodia	3	5	5	24	100	0.4%
Taiwan	70	58	55	100	70	0.3%
The U.K.	13	25	28	55	57	0.2%
Others	202	228	286	262	250	1.0%
Total	29,274	26,034	30,627	26,005	23,934	100.0%


Import 7 Number of Import Seizures by Source Country and Regions (articles)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
People's Republic of China	527,509	373,735	414,946	773,460	595,421	58.4%
Taiwan	4,707	4,544	2,031	2,169	192,883	18.9%
Republic of Korea	87,260	53,505	9,367	17,449	130,196	12.8%
Hong Kong, China	42,039	159,575	55,023	100,430	60,056	5.9%
Thailand	4,883	8,591	4,143	10,555	8,671	0.9%
Republic of the Philippines	7,001	2,787	5,334	6,332	8,103	0.8%
Vietnam	247	1,056	4,932	8,847	7,577	0.7%
The U.S.	1,762	4,536	1,680	743	4,758	0.5%
Singapore	1,498	3,853	1,519	3,828	4,486	0.4%
The Netherlands	875	68	5	67	1,845	0.2%
Others	11,840	10,415	7,770	5,795	4,884	0.5%
Total	689,621	622,665	506,750	929,675	1,018,880	100.0%



Import 8 Number of Valid Application for Import Suspension 2019

	Number	Share
Patent	21	3.0%
Utility Model	0	-
Design	119	17.1%
Trademark	415	59.7%
Copyright	96	13.8%
Related right (Neighboring right)	42	6.0%
Plant breeder's right	1	0.1%
Unfair Competition Prevention Law	1	0.1%
Total	695	100.0%

(as of Dec 31st, 2019)

Import 9 Estimated Value of Import Seizures by Source Countries and Regions 2019

	Billion yen	Share
People's Republic of China	8.5	66.9%
Hong Kong, China	1.2	9.6%
Republic of Korea	0.8	6.0%
Republic of the Philippines	0.5	4.0%
Vietnam	0.5	3.5%
Others	1.3	9.9%
Total	12.8	100.0%


Import 10 Estimated Value of Import Seizures by Commodity 2019

	Billion yen	Share
Bags	4.4	34.8%
Apparel	2.5	19.3%
Watches	1.1	8.4%
Electric appliance	0.7	5.3%
Sporting goods	0.6	4.9%
Others	3.5	27.3%
total	12.8	100.0%

Export 1 Number of Export Seizures by Destination

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
People's Republic of China	Cases	0	1	0	0	1	50.0%
	Articles	0	11,342	0	0	1,275	99.9%
Vietnam	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	50.0%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Republic of the Philippines	Cases	0	2	0	14	0	-
	Articles	0	15	0	24	0	-
Thailand	Cases	0	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	2	0	-
Korea	Cases	1	2	0	0	0	-
	Articles	240	301	0	0	0	-
Malaysia	Cases	0	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	1	0	0	0	-
Tanzania	Cases	1	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	7	0	0	0	0	-
Total	Cases	2	6	0	15	2	100.0%
	Articles	247	11,659	0	26	1,276	100.0%

Export 2 Number of Export Seizures by Type of Right

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
Trademark	Cases	2	6	0	14	2	100.0%
	Articles	247	11,659	0	18	1,276	100.0%
Copyright	Cases	0	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	8	0	-
Total	Cases	2	6	0	15	2	100.0%
	Articles	247	11,659	0	26	1,276	100.0%

Export 3 Number of Export Seizures by Type of Commodity

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Share
Chemicals	Cases	-	-	-	0	1	50.0%
	Articles	-	-	-	0	1,275	99.9%
Bags	Cases	0	2	0	13	1	50.0%
	Articles	0	10,827	0	16	1	0.1%
CDs, DVDs	Cases	0	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	8	0	-
Mobile-Phones and accessories	Cases	1	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	6	0	0	2	0	-
Sporting goods	Cases	1	2	0	0	0	-
	Articles	240	301	0	0	0	-
Houseware	Cases	0	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	516	0	0	0	-
Automobile parts	Cases	0	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	10	0	0	0	-
Textile	Cases	0	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	5	0	0	0	-
Computer products	Cases	1	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	1	0	0	0	0	-
Total	Cases	2	6	0	15	2	100.0%
	Articles	247	11,659	0	26	1,276	100.0%

**Export 4 Number of Valid Applications for Export Suspension 2019**

	Number	Share
Patent	1	12.5%
Trademark	7	87.5%
Total	8	100.0%

(as of Dec 31st,2019)