

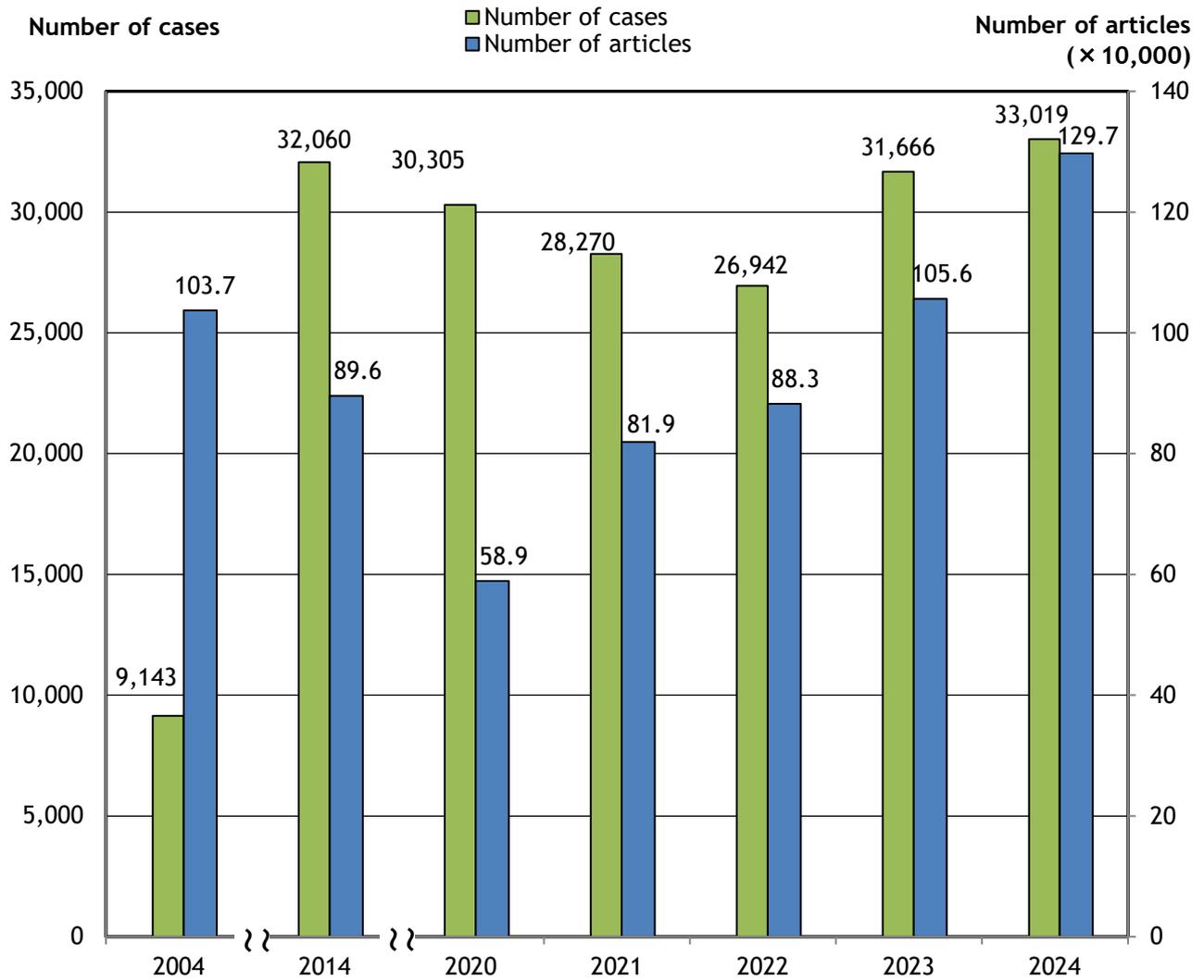


2024 Seizure Statistics of IPR Border Enforcement Japan Customs





Import 1 Number of Import Seizures



Import 2 Import Seizures by Means of Transport 2024

	Cases (share)	Articles (share)
General Cargo (Sea and Air)	4,071 (12.3%)	937,230 (72.3%)
Postal Item	28,948 (87.7%)	359,883 (27.7%)

Import 3 Number of Import Seizures by Type of Right

		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Patent	Cases	116	174	280	230	267	0.8%
	Articles	40,523	27,429	34,631	34,127	237,802	18.3%
Utility Model	Cases	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Design	Cases	323	302	354	348	502	1.5%
	Articles	58,867	73,953	136,148	442,073	298,131	23.0%
Trademark	Cases	29,483	27,424	25,705	30,448	31,212	93.6%
	Articles	416,599	621,684	548,972	500,824	443,887	34.2%
Copyright	Cases	576	674	841	863	1,380	4.1%
	Articles	73,230	96,345	162,896	79,221	317,293	24.5%
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	0	0	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	0	0	-
Total	Cases	30,305	28,270	26,942	31,666	33,019	100.0%
	Articles	589,219	819,411	882,647	1,056,245	1,297,113	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)**

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Apparel	9,166	9,088	6,963	10,401	11,774	31.1%
Bags	9,931	9,570	9,045	9,028	7,293	19.3%
Footwear	1,962	3,934	4,275	4,448	4,228	11.2%
Accessories	569	942	1,216	1,375	2,083	5.5%
Mobile-Phones and accessories	1,453	1,656	2,413	3,373	1,647	4.4%
Watches	4,057	1,672	2,362	1,703	1,589	4.2%
Eyewear and accessories	473	862	225	238	1,398	3.7%
Automobile parts	672	232	265	829	1,388	3.7%
Caps	1,319	1,348	1,201	1,117	1,211	3.2%
Houseware	191	195	372	695	886	2.3%
Electric appliances	265	326	576	468	565	1.5%
Belts	1,313	606	520	486	522	1.4%
Cosmetics	146	166	190	170	475	1.3%
Key holders	485	472	453	351	295	0.8%
Games and toys	140	200	131	248	270	0.7%
Others	1,820	1,928	1,933	1,844	2,175	5.8%
Total	30,305	28,270	26,942	31,666	33,019	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)

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Tobacco and smoking implements	1,818	5,785	60,944	317,764	191,976	14.8%
Apparel	67,582	108,684	76,269	84,403	74,160	5.7%
Electric appliances	64,728	104,848	98,062	68,976	57,516	4.4%
Paper products	47,461	8,511	16,025	20,907	36,830	2.8%
Medicines	3,166	21,502	148,439	118,190	36,818	2.8%
Accessories	15,233	17,134	30,093	31,262	36,310	2.8%
Bags	41,993	44,984	54,613	44,836	34,492	2.7%
Houseware	8,941	43,809	19,107	34,164	26,656	2.1%
Automobile parts	28,076	16,740	17,431	21,143	23,668	1.8%
Games and toys	8,573	12,016	18,111	8,800	23,270	1.8%
Computer products	42,914	44,110	35,136	29,891	20,671	1.6%
Stationery	7,975	11,200	16,325	4,427	17,846	1.4%
Textiles	23,531	35,181	14,434	6,697	15,341	1.2%
Footwear	5,086	24,954	13,707	15,421	13,886	1.1%
Mobile-Phones and accessories	20,043	22,855	31,716	14,990	11,009	0.8%
Others	202,099	297,098	232,235	234,374	676,664	52.2%
Total	589,219	819,411	882,647	1,056,245	1,297,113	100.0%

**Import 6 Number of Import Seizures by Source Country / Region (cases)**

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
China	25,828	21,885	20,461	25,271	26,604	80.6%
Vietnam	1,374	3,033	2,135	2,690	3,215	9.7%
Malaysia	50	23	34	486	979	3.0%
Republic of Korea	406	589	649	751	785	2.4%
Hong Kong, China	451	335	325	318	520	1.6%
Singapore	845	354	569	315	216	0.7%
Thailand	133	240	226	494	164	0.5%
Philippines	635	1,112	631	230	147	0.4%
Indonesia	49	49	47	66	56	0.2%
United States	58	39	48	99	51	0.2%
Others	476	611	1,817	946	282	0.9%
Total	30,305	28,270	26,942	31,666	33,019	100.0%


Import 7 Number of Import Seizures by Source Country / Region (articles)

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
China	410,405	615,539	671,133	921,579	931,082	71.8%
Taiwan	13,333	5,254	4,537	5,539	237,430	18.3%
Hong Kong, China	58,157	38,554	64,204	27,720	47,612	3.7%
Vietnam	28,621	91,303	70,614	66,487	45,407	3.5%
Republic of Korea	45,994	23,342	30,567	20,235	17,926	1.4%
Singapore	4,703	8,706	19,401	1,340	4,818	0.4%
Thailand	3,572	4,482	5,733	5,521	4,059	0.3%
Philippines	16,208	29,116	11,749	3,635	3,061	0.2%
Malaysia	1,692	185	514	613	2,017	0.2%
Bangladesh	1,440	103	2,035	279	858	0.1%
Others	5,094	2,827	2,160	3,297	2,843	0.2%
Total	589,219	819,411	882,647	1,056,245	1,297,113	100.0%

**Import 8 Number of Valid Application for Import Suspension 2024**

	Number	Share
Patent	36	4.6%
Utility Model	0	-
Design	144	18.4%
Trademark	503	64.4%
Copyright	92	11.8%
Related right (Neighboring right)	1	0.1%
Plant breeder's right	2	0.3%
Unfair Competition Prevention Law	3	0.4%
Total	781	100.0%

(as of Dec 31st, 2024)**Import 9 Estimated Value of Import Seizures by Source Country / Region 2024**

	Billion yen	Share
China	20.7	73.2%
Vietnam	3.9	13.8%
Hong Kong, China	1.1	3.9%
Republic of Korea	0.9	3.1%
Malaysia	0.5	1.7%
Others	1.1	4.3%
Total	28.2	100.0%

Import 10 Estimated Value of Import Seizures by Commodity 2024

	Billion yen	Share
Bags	8.1	28.6%
Watches	5.8	20.6%
Apparel	5.7	20.2%
Accessories	4.5	15.9%
Electric appliances	0.9	3.1%
Others	3.2	11.6%
Total	28.2	100.0%



Export 1 Number of Export Seizures by Destination

		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Hong Kong, China	Cases	2	2	1	0	4	26.7%
	Articles	1,600	3,939	50,461	0	598	56.0%
China	Cases	1	1	2	2	4	26.7%
	Articles	45	2	1,993	2	460	43.1%
Mongolia	Cases	0	0	0	0	2	13.3%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	2	0.2%
Philippines	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	6.7%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	4	0.4%
Cambodia	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	6.7%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Thailand	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	6.7%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Tanzania	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	6.7%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Turkey	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	6.7%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Georgia	Cases	0	0	0	2	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	2	0	-
United Arab Emirates	Cases	0	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	1	0	-
Republic of Korea	Cases	1	0	1	0	0	-
	Articles	356	0	79,649	0	0	-
Guam	Cases	0	0	1	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	1	0	0	-
United States	Cases	1	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	10,321	6	0	0	0	-
Total	Cases	5	4	5	5	15	100.0 %
	Articles	12,322	3,947	132,104	5	1,068	100.0 %



Export 2 Number of Export Seizures by Type of Right

		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Patent	Cases	0	1	1	0	1	5.6%
	Articles	0	1,252	1,870	0	1	0.1%
Design	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	5.6%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	3	0.3%
Trademark	Cases	4	3	4	5	15	83.3%
	Articles	11,966	2,695	130,234	5	1,061	99.3%
Copyright	Cases	1	0	0	0	1	5.6%
	Articles	356	0	0	0	3	0.3%
Total	Cases	5	4	5	5	15	100.0%
	Articles	12,322	3,947	132,104	5	1,068	100.0%



Export 3 Number of Export Seizures by Type of Commodity

		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Share
Automobile parts	Cases	0	1	1	3	7	31.8%
	Articles	0	6	1	3	8	0.7%
Games and toys	Cases	0	0	0	0	3	13.6%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	595	55.7%
Others	Cases	0	0	3	0	3	13.6%
	Articles	0	0	130,233	0	443	41.5%
Bags	Cases	1	0	0	1	2	9.1%
	Articles	356	0	0	1	5	0.5%
Computer products	Cases	3	0	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	1,645	0	0	0	5	0.5%
Watches	Cases	0	1	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	0	2	0	0	3	0.3%
Electric appliances	Cases	0	1	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	0	1,252	0	0	2	0.2%
Apparel	Cases	1	0	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	10,321	0	0	0	2	0.2%
Textiles	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	2	0.2%
Mobile-Phones and accessories	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	2	0.2%
Houseware	Cases	0	0	0	0	1	4.5%
	Articles	0	0	0	0	1	0.1%
Accessories	Cases	0	0	0	1	0	-
	Articles	0	0	0	1	0	-
Stationery	Cases	0	0	1	0	0	-
	Articles	0	0	1,870	0	0	-
Cosmetics	Cases	0	1	0	0	0	-
	Articles	0	2,687	0	0	0	-
Total	Cases	5	4	5	5	15	100.0%
	Articles	12,322	3,947	132,104	5	1,068	100.0%

**Export 4 Number of Valid Applications for Export Suspension 2024**

	Number	Share
Design	2	16.7%
Trademark	10	83.3%
Total	12	100.0%

(as of Dec 31st,2024)