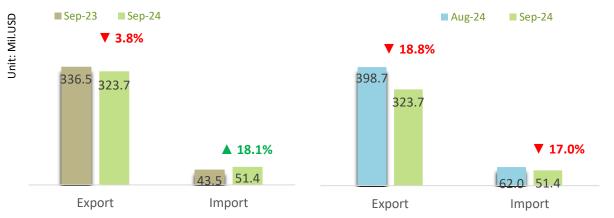
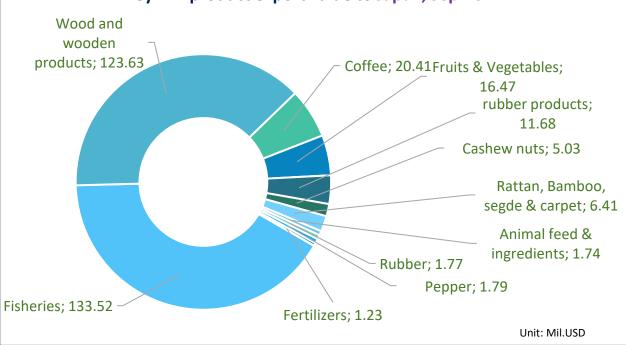


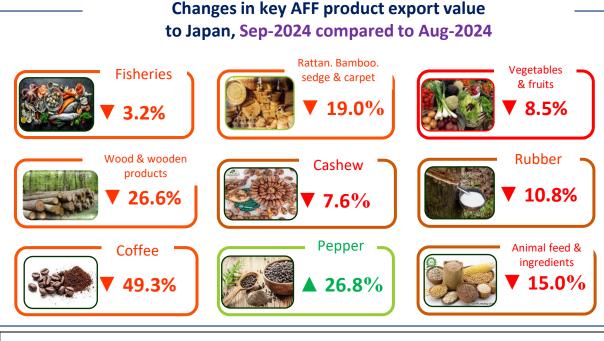
THE SITUATION OF AGRO-FORESTRY-FISHERY (AFF) PRODUCT EXPORT FROM VIETNAM TO JAPAN IN SEPTEMBER 2024

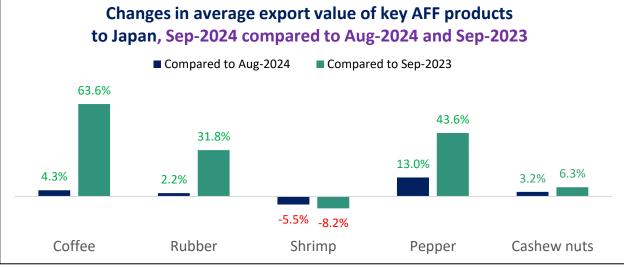




Key AFF product export value to Japan, Sep-2024







Japan Loses 4th Place in Global Economic Rankings

According to a newly released report from the International Monetary Fund (IMF), Japan has been surpassed by Russia, dropping to 5th place in the global economic rankings based on the share of global GDP measured by purchasing power parity (PPP). Specifically, Russia's GDP now accounts for 3.55% of global GDP, surpassing Japan's 3.38.

The IMF forecasts that by 2029, Russia will remain the world's 4th largest economy, with its GDP expected to account for 3.23% of global GDP, compared to Japan's 3%. This shift highlights the challenges Japan's economy faces from the rise of emerging economies, impacting the country's standing in global economic rankings.

Source: Vietnamplus



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Japanese Government Lowers 2024 Economic Growth Forecast

The Japanese government revised its 2024 GDP growth forecast down to 0.7%, from the 0.9% projected in July, citing weak exports impacting economic recovery. The 2025 growth forecast remains at 1.2%. This adjustment, an unusual move, highlights mounting pressure on Japan's economy due to weakening global demand and sluggish domestic consumption.

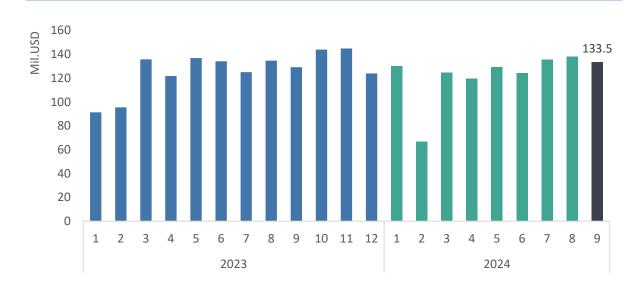
The Bank of Japan (BOJ) has maintained its ultra-low interest rates. Any prolonged weakness in both global and domestic demand could slow the BOJ's plans to fully exit from a decade of easy monetary conditions..

Prime Minister Shigeru Ishiba's administration has pledged to draft a large spending package later this year to cushion the blow to households from rising living costs and support the broader economy.

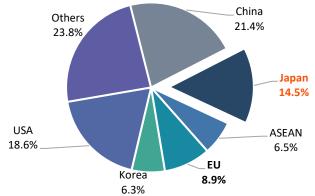
Source: Japantimes



Export value to Japan, Sep-2024



Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value

133.5 Mil.USE

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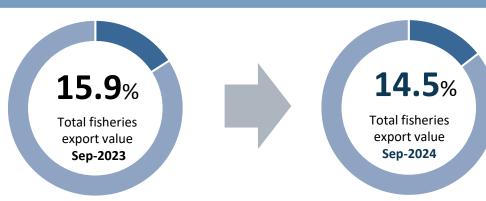
Decrease 3.2% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 3.3% compared to Sep-2023

7.1 Mil.USD higher than monthly average in 2023

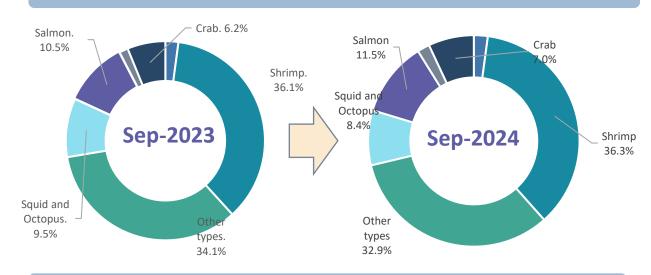
Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 1102.0 Mil.USD, equal to 72.7% of value in 2023

Changes in percentage of export results to Japan, Sep-2024

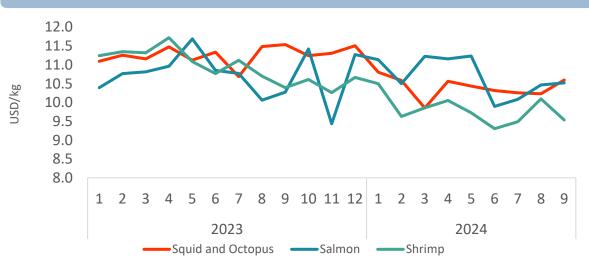




Structure of exports by products to Japan, Sep-2024



Average export price to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024







Salmon

Value: 15.3 Mil.USD

Decrease **14.56**% compared to Aug-2024

Increase **12.7**% compared to Sep-2023

Shrimp

Value: 48.8 Mil.USD

Increase **7.1**% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 3.7% compared to

Sep-2023

Squid and Octopus

Value: 11.2 Mil.USD

Decrease **15.1**% compared

to Aug-2024

Decrease **8.8**% compared to Sep-2023

Squid and Octopus

The average export price in Sep-2024 is **10.6** USD/kg; Increase **3.6**% compared to the previous month; and decrease **8.1**% compared to the same month of 2023.

Salmon

The average export price in Sep-2024 is **10.5** USD/kg; Increase **0.5**% compared to the previous month; and increase **2.4**% compared to the same month of 2023.

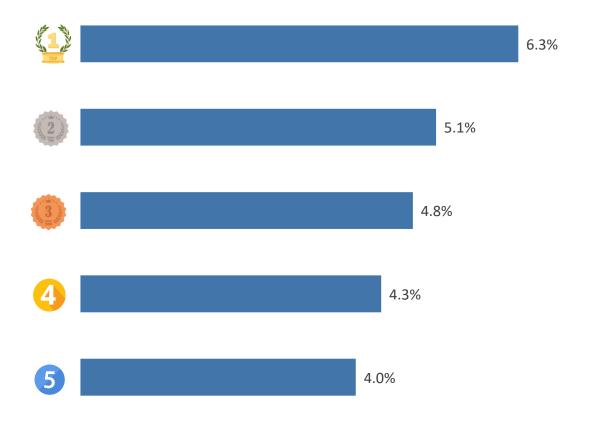
Shrimp

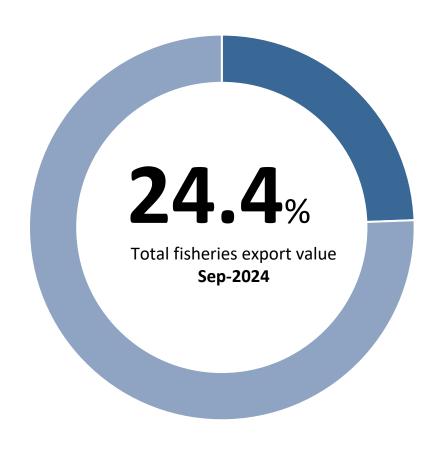
The average export price in Sep-2024 is **9.5** USD/kg; Decrease **5.5**% compared to the previous month; and decrease **8.2**% compared to the same month of 2023.



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024





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Seafood Consumption in Japan Declines Sharply Due to Rising Prices:

Seafood consumption in Japan has dropped to its lowest level since 1960, reaching 22 kg/person/year, as seafood prices have surged and domestic catches have declined. Seafood prices in Japan have risen by 40% in recent years, outpacing the price increases for frozen foods and meat, leading many consumers to shift toward higher meat consumption. Per capita meat consumption exceeded 30 kg in 2022 and continues to rise.

Source: Vasep

China Joins International Oversight on Fukushima Seafood:

Japan's Fisheries Agency announced that China joined the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) and expert teams from South Korea and Switzerland in an inspection to monitor seafood and seawater discharge activities around the Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant, conducted from October 7 to October 15. This marks China's second year participating in the monitoring, following an agreement between Japan and China under the IAEA framework at the end of September aimed at easing China's import ban on Japanese seafood. Six types of seafood from the coastal waters of Fukushima will be sampled and analyzed during the inspection.

Source: Vasep



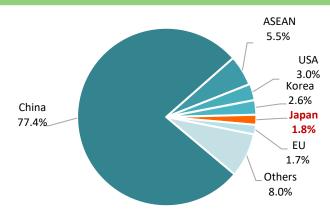




FRUITS & VEGETABLES (EXPORT)



Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value

Decrease **8.5**% compared to Aug-2024

16.5

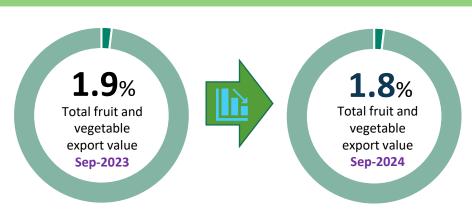
Mil.USD

Increase **32.1**% compared to Sep-2023

1.8 Mil.USD higher than monthly average in 2023

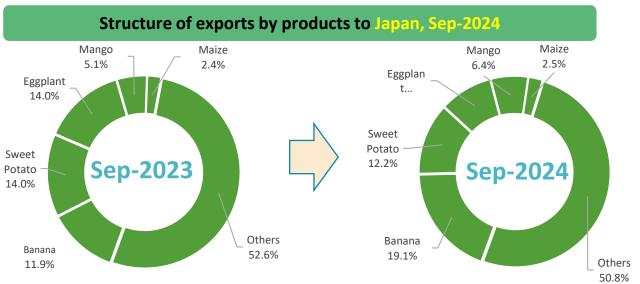
Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 152 Mil.USD, equal to 86.3% of value in 2023

Changes in percentage of export results to Japan, Sep-2024





FRUITS & VEGETABLES (EXPORT)



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024



Banana

Value: 3.1 Mil.USD

Increase 1.7% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 111.8% compared to Sep-2023



Sweet Potato

Value: 2.0 Mil.USD

Decrease 18.0% % compared to Aug-2024

Increase **15.3**% compared to Sep-2023



Eggplant

Value: 1.5 Mil.USD

Decrease **2.1**% compared to Aug-2024

Decrease 14.4% so compared to Sep-2023



Mango

Value: 1.1 Mil.USD

Decrease 6.4% compared to Aug-2024

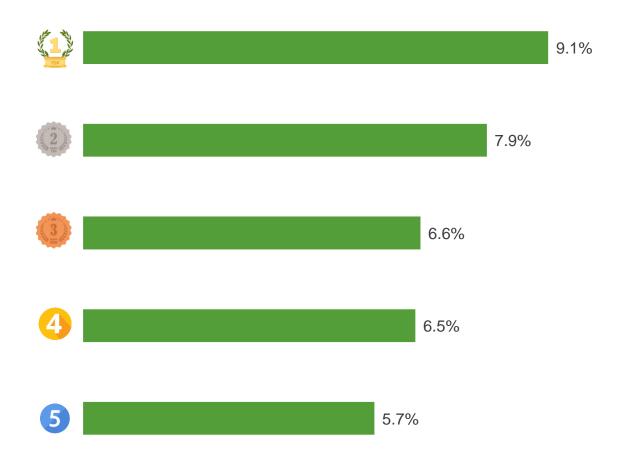
Increase **65.2**% compared to Sep-2023



FRUITS & VEGETABLES (EXPORT)

TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024







FRUITS & VEGETABLES (IMPORT)





Import results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value



0.7

Mil.USD

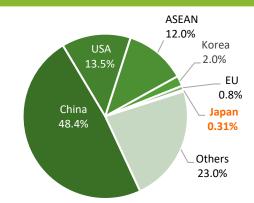
Increase **116.6**% compared to Aug-2024

Decrease **9.4**% compared to Sep-2023

115.3 Thous.USD higher than monthly average in 2023

Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 4.2 Mil.USD, equal to 63.8% of value in 2023

Percentage of import value from Japan, Sep-2024



Changes in percentage of import results from Japan, Sep-2024





0.31%

Total fruit and vegetable import value Sep-2024

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Japan Imports Garlic from Ukraine:

Japan's Shoji Co. Ltd has begun importing Ukrainian garlic to Japan. The project was launched two years ago as a way to support Ukraine and provide high-quality garlic to Japanese consumers, despite the ongoing challenges of the war.

Source: Tridge.com



Japan Allows South Korea to Use Hexaconazole for Anthracnose Control on Exported Peppers

Japan's Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare consulted with South Korea's Rural Development Administration to establish a residue limit for hexaconazole to control anthracnose on peppers exported to Japan. The residue limit for hexaconazole has been set at 0.2 mg/kg.

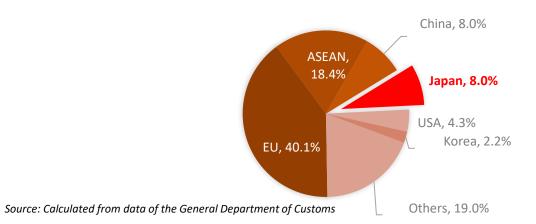
Source: Idahocapitalsun.com



Export value and volume to Japan, Sep-2024



Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value

20.4_{Mil.USD}

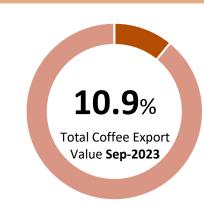
- ▶ Decrease 49.3% compared to Aug-2024
- Increase 21.7% compared to Sep-2023
- **7 13.1** Mil.USD higher than monthly average in 2023
- * Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached **327.1** Mil.USD, equal to **102.8**% of value in 2023

Volume

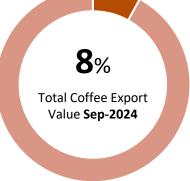
3.5 thous.tons

- ▶ Decrease **51.3**% compared to Aug-2024
- ▶ Decrease 25.6% compared to Sep-2023
- **≥ 2.1** lower thous.tons than monthly average in 2023
- Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 78.8 thous.tons, equal to 71.2% of volume in 2023

Changes in percentage of export results to Japan, Sep-2024

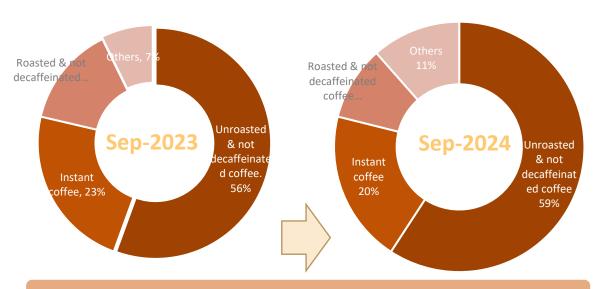




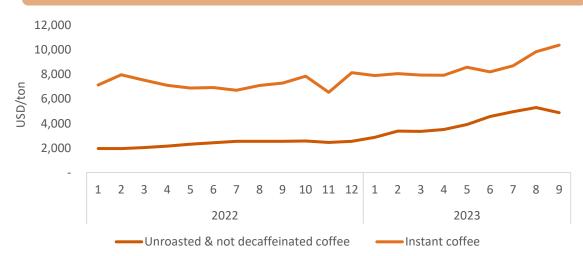




Structure of exports by products to Japan, Sep-2024



Average export price to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024



Unroasted & not decaffeinated coffee

Value: 19.7 Mil.USD

Decrease **16.1**% so với

T5/2024

Decrease **26.3**% so với

T6/2023



Instant coffee

Value: 4 Mil.USD

Increase **0.5**% so so với

T5/2024

Increase **18.4**% so với T6/2023



Khác

Value: 0.9 Mil.USD

Decrease 42.6% so với

T5/2024

Increase **21.2**% so với

T6/2023

Instant coffee

The average export price in Sep-2024 is **10.375** USD/ton. Increase **5.4**% compared to the previous month, and Increase **57.9**% compared to the same month of 2023.

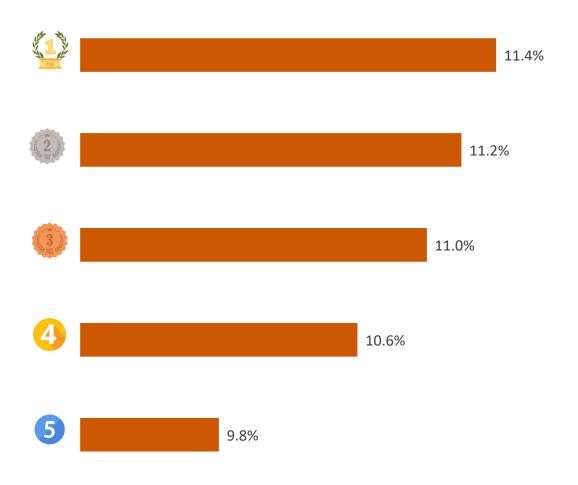
Unroasted & not decaffeinated coffee

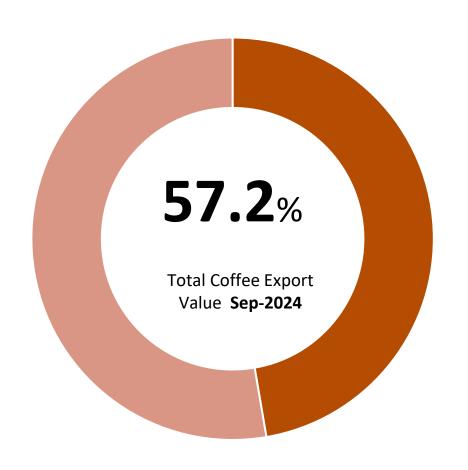
The average export price in Sep-2024 is **4.847** USD/ton; Decrease **7.8**% compared to the previous month, and Increase **92.1**% compared to the same month of 2023.



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024





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2024 Specialty Coffee Exhibition in Tokyo

The Specialty Coffee Association of Japan (SCAJ) hosted the Specialty Coffee Exhibition at the Big Sight convention center in Tokyo. As the largest specialty coffee event in Asia, it featured over 500 booths, 390 companies, and 35 countries. Renowned brands showcased new technologies in coffee roasting and brewing, while barista competitions drew large crowds with top baristas participating.

Highlighted products included smart scales for precise brewing, advanced automatic coffee machines, and decaf coffee services. Sustainable solutions also took center stage, with climate-resistant coffee varieties and carbon-free hydrogen roasting technologies among the innovations on display.

Source: Thejapantimes (10/2024)



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UCC Launches Coffee Roasted with Hydrogen

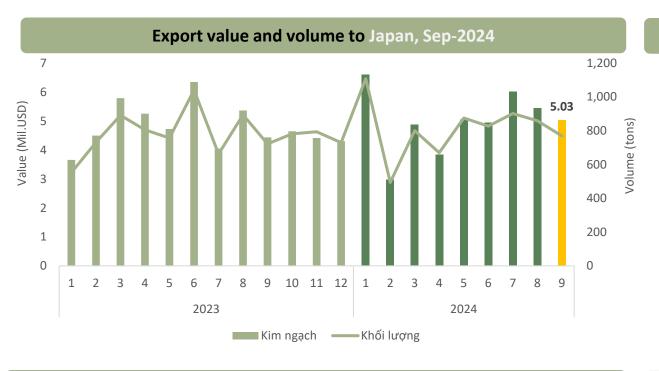
On October 1, UCC Ueshima Coffee Co., Ltd. announced that it became the world's first company to produce coffee roasted using a hydrogen-powered roasting machine. Using hydrogen as a heat source enables flexible temperature control, creating a unique flavor profile while emitting zero CO2. Traditionally, coffee roasting relies on natural gas, which releases CO2 emissions.

With this CO2-free roasting method, UCC aims to reduce emissions in coffee production. After beginning research in 2022, UCC conducted numerous experiments and successfully utilized hydrogen as a heat source for coffee roasting. The product will be available in Japan starting October 2024, with plans to expand to international markets in 2025. UCC currently operates in eight European countries, including the UK, Spain, the Netherlands, and France.

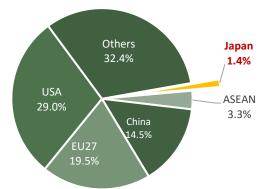


Source: jetro.go.jp (10/2024)





Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value

5.03 Mil.USD

▶ Decrease 7.6% compared to Aug-2024

7 Increase **13.2**% compared to Sep-2023

higher **0.23** Mil.USD than monthly average in 2023

❖ Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 44.7 Mil.USD, equal to 78% of value in 2023 Volume

769 to

tons

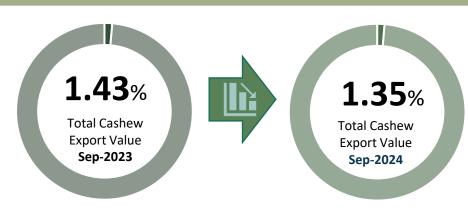
▶ Decrease 10.5% compared to Aug-2024

■ Increase 6.5% compared to Sep-2023

79 tons higher than monthly average in 2023

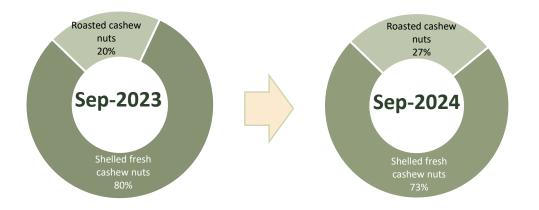
Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 6.5 thous.tons, equal to 78% of volume in 2023

Changes in percentage of export results to Japan, Sep-2024

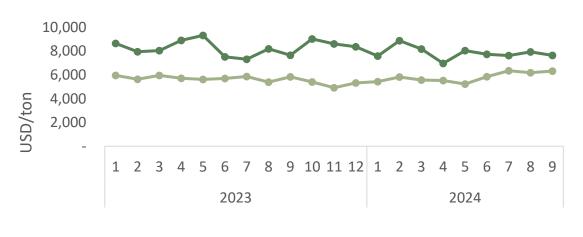




Structure of exports by products to Japan, Sep-2024



Average export price to Japan, Sep-2024



Roasted cashew nuts Shelled fresh cashew nuts

Export results to Japan, Sep-2024



Shelled fresh cashew nuts

Value: 3.68 Mil.USD

Decrease 9.3% compared to Aug-2024

Decrease 4.7% compared to Sep-2023



Roasted cashew nuts

Value: 1.35 Mil.USD

Increase **54**% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 3.2% compared to Sep-2023

Shelled fresh cashew nuts

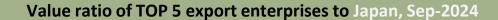
The average export price in Sep-2024 is **6.316** USD/ton; Increase **2.3**% compared to the previous month; and Increase 8.5% compared to the same month of 2023.

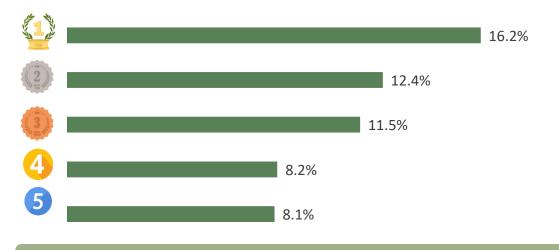
Roasted cashew nuts

The average export price in Sep-2024 is **7.631** USD/ton; Decrease **3.6**% compared to the previous month; and Decrease 0.2% compared to the same month of 2023.

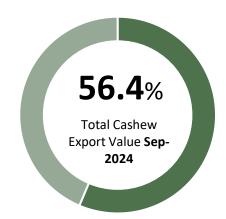


TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024

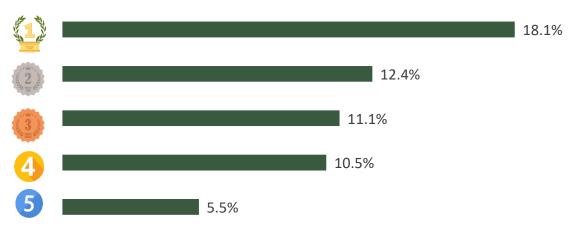


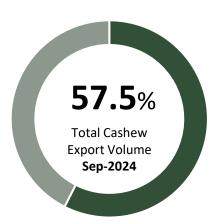


TOP 5 export enterprises by volume to Japan, Sep-2024



Volume ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024





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According to the Cambodia Cashew Association (CAC), Japan's Mirarth GreenTech Plans to Build Two Major Factories in Kampong Thom Province, including a cashew processing plant with a capacity of 20,000 tons per year and a plant for extracting oil from cashew shells.

Currently, the cashew oil extraction process involves five stages, but Mirarth GreenTech has developed advanced technology that requires only one stage. A pilot project using this technology will be launched in Kampong Thom next year. The pilot project for cashew oil extraction is expected to bring multiple benefits to Cambodia, particularly in reducing production costs, thus making both the cashew nuts and shell-extracted oil more competitive in global markets.

Source: cnc.com.kh





WOOD & WOODEN PRODUCTS



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024



▶ Decrease 26.6% compared to Aug-2024

Decrease 14.3% compared to Sep-2023

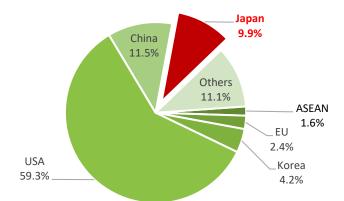
↓ lower 16.2 Mil.USD than monthly average in 2023

❖ Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached 1.3 Bil.USD, equal to 74.6% of value in 2023

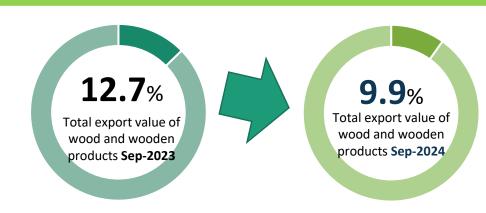
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Mil.USD

Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024



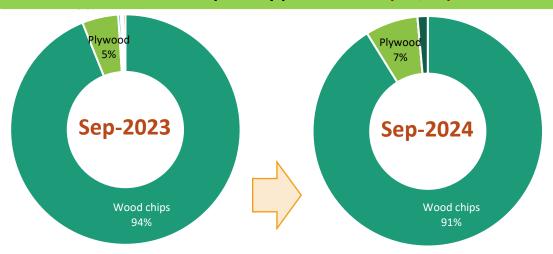
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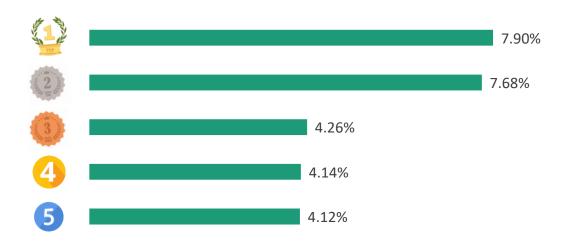


WOOD & WOODEN PRODUCTS

Structure of exports by products to Japan, Sep-2024



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024





Wood chips

Value: 72.9 Mil.USD

Decrease 37% compared to Aug-2024

Decrease 26% compared to Sep-2023

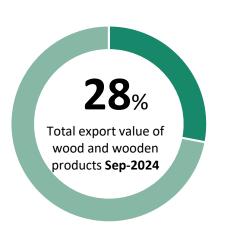
Plywood

Value: 5.9 Mil.USD

Decrease 18% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 10% compared to Sep-2023

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024





WOOD & WOODEN PRODUCTS

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After two consecutive months of growth, Japan's import value of laminated flooring (HS441871-79) decreased by 15% in August 2024 compared to July 2024. Among these products, HS441875 laminated flooring was the largest import, accounting for 72% of the total import value. This was followed by product code HS441879 (8%) and HS441874 (4%).

Japan's plywood import volume (HS441210-39) in August 2024 reached 129,826 m³, matching the import level of July 2024. In August 2024, imports from China and Vietnam declined compared to July, while imports from Malaysia increased. Imports from Indonesia remained stable, consistent with the volume in July 2024.

Source: ITTO



MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS (EXPORT)



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Value



Decrease **5.2%** compared to Aug-2024

Decrease 3.2% compared to Sep-2023

Mil.USD

49.98 Thous. USD higher than monthly average in 2023

Changes in percentage of export results to Japan, Sep-2024

Accumulated 9 months 2024 reached **24.4**

Mil.USD, equal to 81.2% of value in 2023

Percentage of export value to Japan, Sep-2024







Others 43.8%

Source: Calculated from data of the General Department of Customs

Japan 15.1%

China_

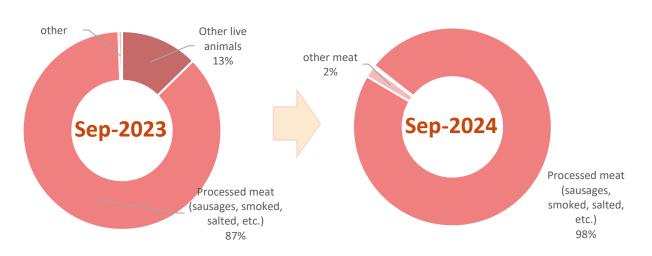
ASEAN 38.6%

2.5%

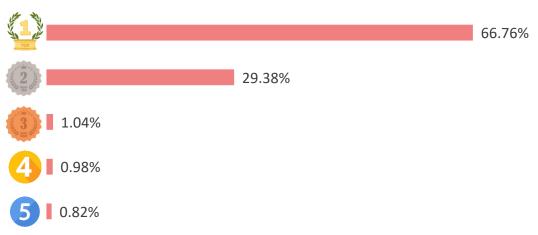


MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS (EXPORT)

Structure of exports by products to Japan, Sep-2024



TOP 5 export enterprises by value to Japan, Sep-2024



Export results to Japan, Sep-2024



Processed meat (sausages, smoked, salted, etc.)

Value: 2.496 Mil.USD

Decrease 3.6% compared to Aug-2024

Increase 9.2% compared to Sep-2023

Value ratio of TOP 5 export enterprises to Japan, Sep-2024





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