



**Export/Import Profile**

**Kalama, WA**

The Port of Kalama is located in southwest Washington State, just northwest of Portland, OR. Kalama is an important regional port for bulk exports. The Port of Kalama’s industrial area has 7 miles of riverfront property adjacent to the deep-draft navigation channel of the Columbia River. Kalama handled 9.5 million metric tons of grain exports in 2011, which represented 6 percent of the national total. Most of the grain handled by the port is shipped to markets in Asia. There are two grain elevators in Kalama: one is operated by Kalama Export Company, with a storage capacity of 3.5 million bushels, the other is operated by TEMCO, with a storage capacity of 400,000 bushels.

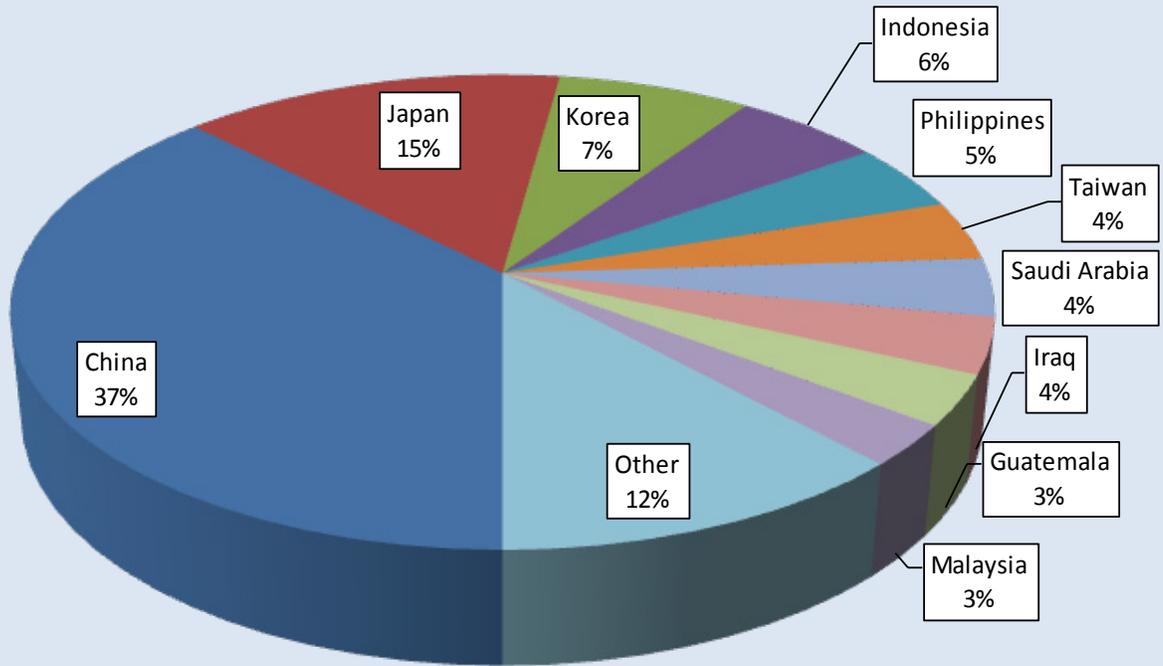
**Exports**

The Port of Kalama moved more than 9.5 million metric tons of agricultural export cargo in 2011, all in bulk. Bulk grains, soybeans, and other grain products represented 99 percent of exports through Kalama. The top shipping lines included Bulk Cargoes (an indication for unknown carriers) and Blue Water Shipping Co., which together moved more than 94 percent of the port’s agricultural export cargo. The top destination markets for these products were China and Japan.

<b>U.S. Waterborne Agricultural Exports Through Kalama, WA, 2011</b>			
<b>Commodities</b>	<b>Metric Tons</b>	<b>Share</b>	<b>U.S. Share</b>
Bulk grains	4,671,384	49%	13%
Soybeans	3,346,242	35%	9%
Grain products, cereal, flour	1,358,802	14%	4%
Animal feed	127,770	1%	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,504,198</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>6%</b>

Source: Port Import Export Reporting Service (PIERS)

### Top 10 Destination Countries for U.S. Waterborne Agricultural Exports Through Kalama, WA, 2011



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### Top Shipping Lines Moving U.S. Waterborne Agricultural Exports Through Kalama, WA, 2011

Commodities	Metric Tons	Share
Bulk Cargoes	7,295,855	77%
Blue Water Shipping Co	1,728,965	18%
Star Shipping	314,930	3%
Other	164,447	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,504,198</b>	<b>100%</b>

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