

Korea and Israel:

Trade and Investment Status

Let's take a closer look at where the trade and investment relationship between South Korea and Israel currently stands.

Korea-Israel Free Trade Agreement

Korea and Israel most recently held a sixth round of free trade agreement (FTA) talks aimed at boosting bilateral economic exchanges and investment from March 13-15, 2018 in Jerusalem.

The two nations began FTA talks in May 2015 and followed up with five rounds of negotiations, but they have not yet been able to finalize the pact.

Korea-Israel Trade

Exports

USD 1,448,112,338

Exports YoY

14.2%

Main Export Items

semiconductor manufacturing equipment,
electron microscopes, aircraft parts

Imports

USD 1,271,466,580

Imports YoY

9.0%

Main Export Items

automobiles, synthetic resins, color TVs

Korea-Israel Investment

■ Incoming Investment

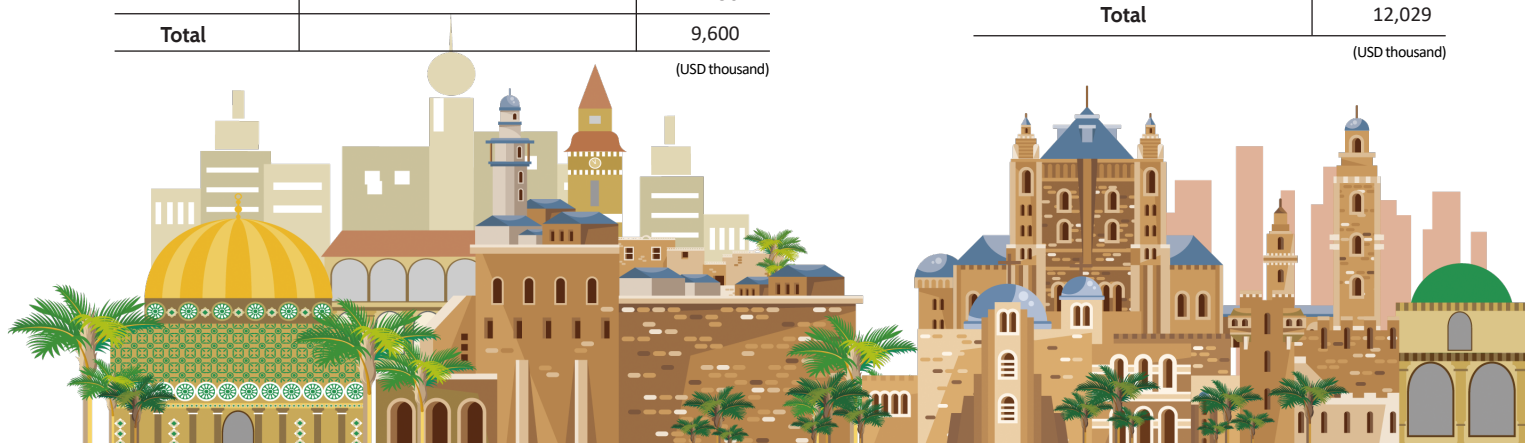
		Declared Amt.
Manufacturing	Machinery Equipment / Precision Medical Equipment	6,000
	Electrical / Electronics	89
	Transport Machinery	3,143
Services	Wholesale / Retail	277
	Information and Communications	90
Total		9,600

(USD thousand)

■ Outgoing Investment

	Declared Amt.
Manufacturing	8,000
Information and Communications	4,000
Specialized, Science, and Technology Services	29
Total	12,029

(USD thousand)



Source: Korea International Trade Association; Export-Import Bank of Korea; Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy