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FHI Announces Production, Japan Sales and Export Results for March 2014 and FY2014 (Flash Report)

< March 2014 >

		March 2014					Jan-Mar 2014	
			Units		2014 vs 2013	Units	'14 vs '13	
	Domestic Production *1	\star	62,069	+11.2%	First y/y increase in 2 months	167,625	+6.4%	
	Overseas Production *2		15,884	-4.9%	Decreased y/y for 11th consecutive month	43,809	-11.4%	
Global Production Total		\star	77,953	+7.5%	First y/y increase in 2 months	211,434	+2.2%	
	Passenger Vehicles		19,619	+15.6%	Increased y/y for 3rd consecutive month	40,370	+8.2%	
	Mini Vehicles		9,164	+19.7%	Increased y/y for 7th consecutive month	19,542	+17.9%	
Japan Sales Total			28,783	+16.9%	Increased y/y for 3rd consecutive month	59,912	+11.2%	
Ex	Export Total *3		52,285	+49.0%	Increased y/y for 14th consecutive month	127,554	+28.3%	

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 $\stackrel{\text{tr}}{\Rightarrow}$: Record high for the month of March \star : Record high for a single month

Domestic Production:

Overseas Production:

Increased y/y due to strong demand for the Forester.

Decreased y/y due to inventory adjustments prior to the launch of the all-new Legacy and Outback.

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Passenger Vehicles: Increased y/y led by strong sales of the Impreza series and Forester. Mini Vehicles: Increased y/y led by strong sales of the Pleo, Sambar and other models.

< Exports > Increased y/y due to strong demand for the Forester in North America and other markets.

		FY2014 (Apr 2013 - Mar 2014)					
		Units		2014 vs 2013			
Dom	estic Production *1	\star	649,911	+11.5%	Increased for 4th consecutive year		
Over	rseas Production *2		163,511	-9.8%	First decrease in 5 years		
Global Production Total		\star	813,422	+6.4%	Increased for 4th consecutive year		
Pass	enger Vehicles		129,031	+11.1%	Increased for 3rd consecutive year		
Mini	i Vehicles		57,814	+9.0%	First increase in 2years		
Japan Sales Total			186,845	+10.4%	First increase in 2years		
Export Total *3		\star	499,194	+30.2%	Increased for 2nd consecutive year		

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Domestic Production: **Overseas Production:**

 \star : Record high for the April-March period

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Passenger Vehicles: Mini Vehicles:

Increased over the previous year led by strong sales of the Impreza series and Forester. Increased over the previous year led mainly by the Stella mini passenger car.

Increased over the previous year due to strong demand for the Forester.

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Increased over the previous year due to continued strong sales in North America as well as high demand for the Impreza series and Forester in major overseas markets.

- *1 JAMA (Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association Inc.) report basis (CBU)
- *2 Local line-off basis

Decreased over the previous year as inventory levels of the Legacy and Outback got improved.

*3 JAMA report basis