

Voluntary Report – Voluntary - Public Distribution

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Report Name: Taiwan 2025 Stuck Shipments Summary

Country: Taiwan

Post: Taipei

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Report Highlights:

In calendar year (CY) 2025, USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) office at the American Institute in Taiwan helped secure the release of 926 metric tons of U.S. agricultural products valued at \$2.66 million. FAS intervention prevented or resolved trade disruptions caused by errors or discrepancies in export shipping documents.

Overview

In 2025, the FAS office helped secure the release of 23 shipments of U.S. agricultural products valued at \$2.66 million and weighing 926 metric tons. Without FAS intervention, these shipments would likely have been returned or destroyed at significant cost to U.S. exporters and producers.

Of the 23 released shipments, 83 percent (19 cases) were poultry products and 17 percent (four cases) were beef and beef products. By volume, 94 percent of detained shipments were poultry and 5 percent were beef. Poultry accounted for most of the released shipments because of frequently changing highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) restrictions related to outbreaks in multiple U.S. states during the year.

Beef shipments represented 24 percent of the total cases (4 of 23) and had a combined value of \$651,287.

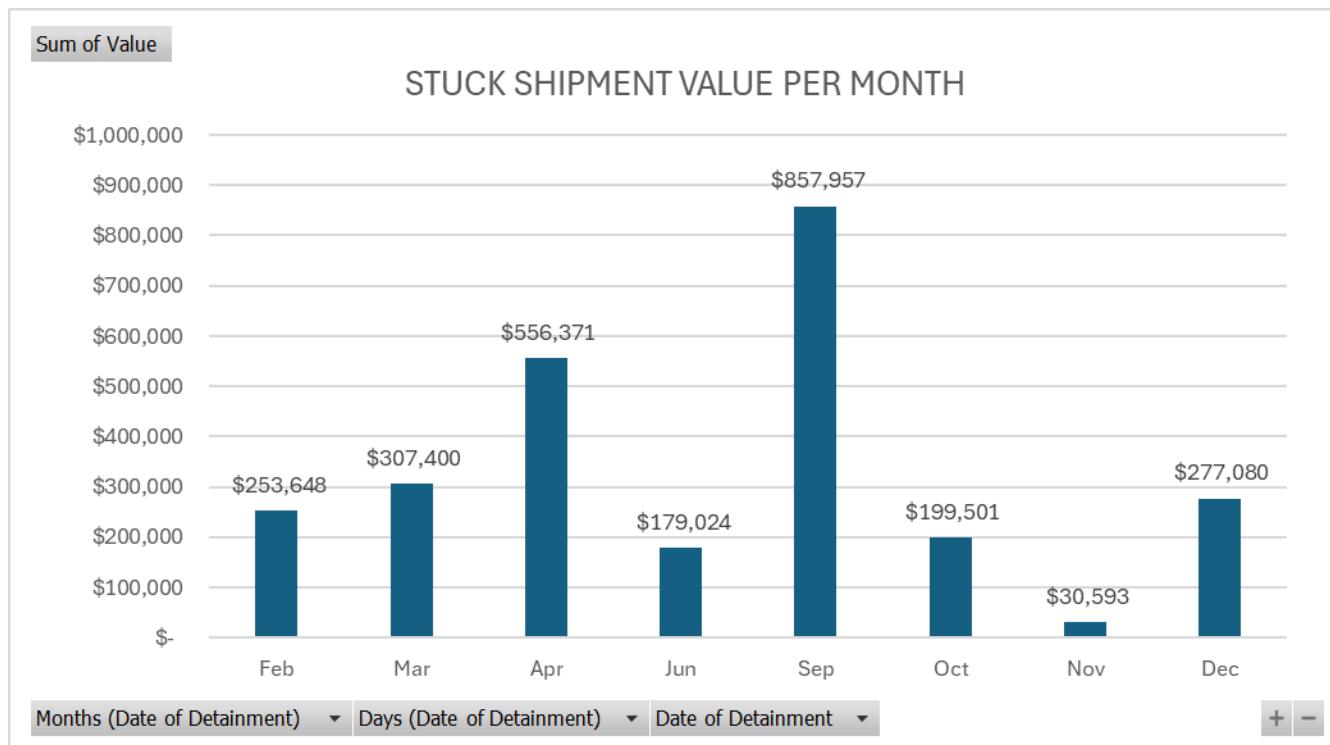
Not captured in the data is FAS' intervention to recondition nine containers of chipping potatoes in February from California saving over \$100,000 of product from being destroyed due to rot and mold.

The successful resolution of these cases required close collaboration with Taiwan authorities. FAS appreciates the professionalism and willingness of Taiwan authorities to work with FAS partners to identify practical solutions that facilitate trade while fully meeting Taiwan's import requirements.

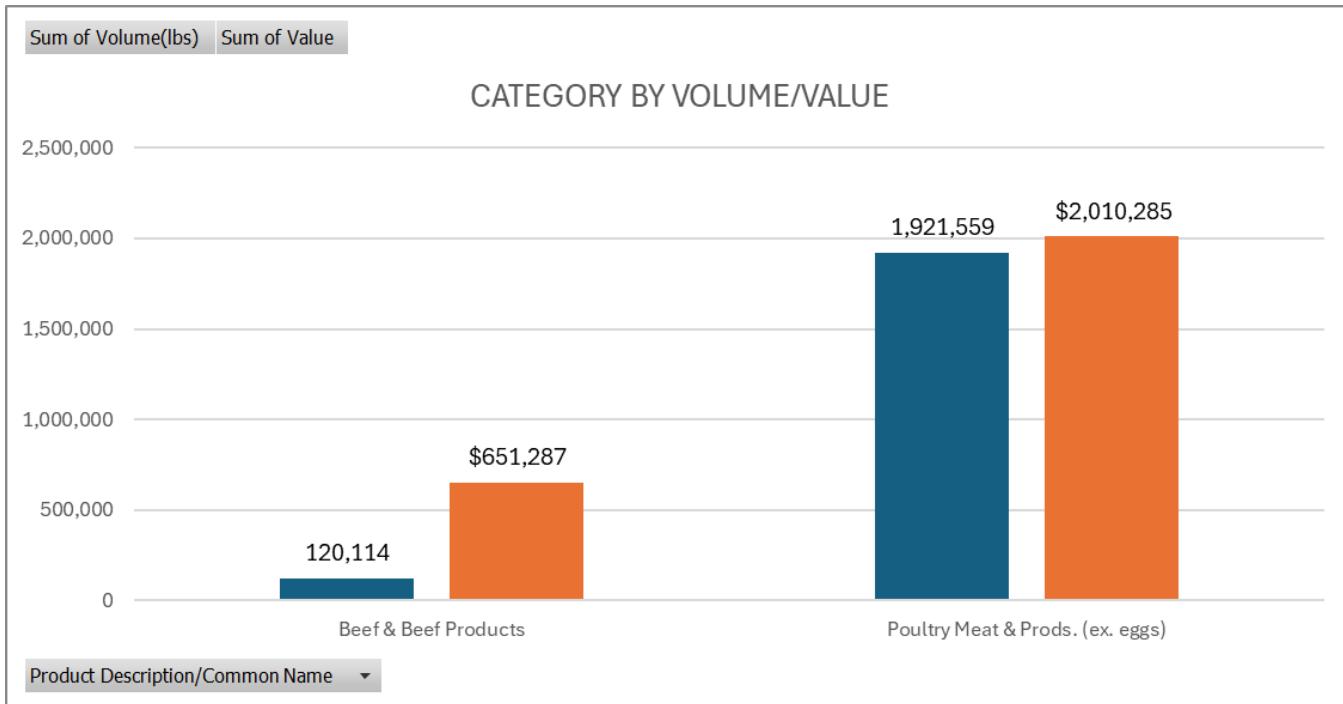
Summary Statistics

Value: \$2,661,573

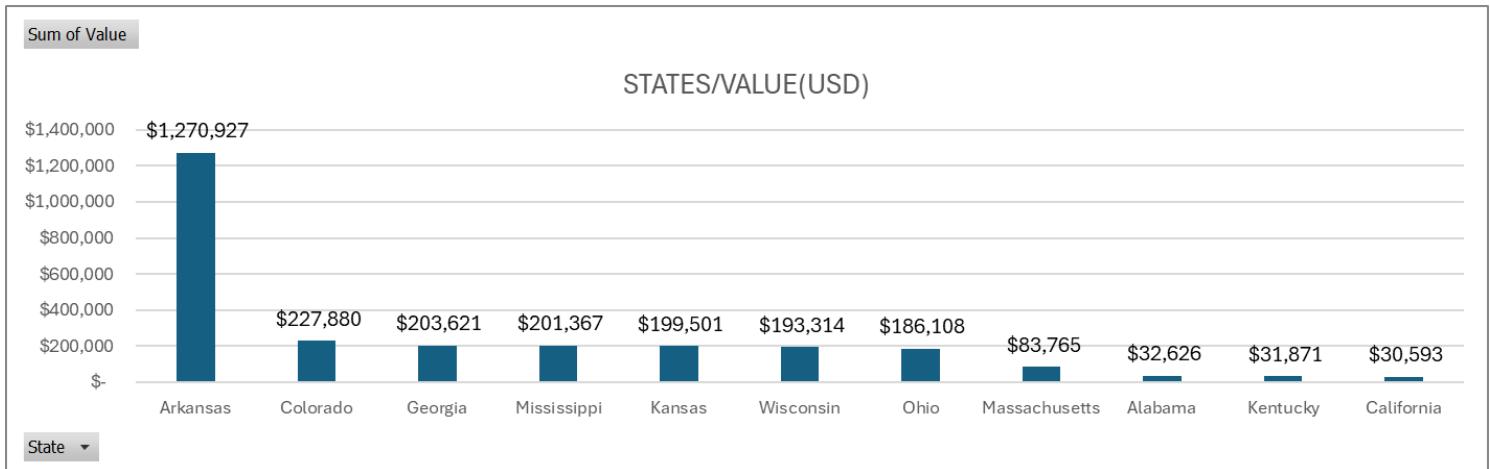
Volume: 2,041,673 pounds (925,928 kilograms)



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