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## Subaru Corporation Announces Production, Japan Sales and Export Results for May 2019 (Flash Report)

### < May 2019 >

	May 2019			Jan-May 2019	
	Units	2019 vs 2018		Units	'19 vs '18
Domestic production *1	50,088	+14.9%	First y/y increase in 10 months	230,291	-14.7%
Overseas production *2	☆☆ 40,069	+35.5%	11th consecutive month of y/y increase	176,358	+20.3%
Global production total	☆ 90,157	+23.2%	2nd consecutive month of y/y increase	406,649	-2.3%
Passenger vehicles	7,129	+9.1%	2nd consecutive month of y/y increase	46,373	-8.3%
Mini vehicles	1,869	-6.8%	6th consecutive month of y/y decrease	11,064	-20.1%
Japan sales total	8,998	+5.3%	2nd consecutive month of y/y increase	57,437	-10.8%
Export total *3	36,303	+5.4%	First y/y increase in 7 months	177,374	-19.4%

☆: May record

☆☆: All-time record for any month

### < Production >

- Domestic production increased year-on-year, due to a significant increase in Forester production which offset an impact of changes in plant operation schedules continuing since November 2018.
- Overseas production increased year-on-year boosted by production of Ascent which started in May 2018 as well as increases in other models.

### < Sales in Japan >

- Passenger vehicle sales increased year-on-year, led by the fully-redesigned Forester launched in July 2018 as well as increased sales of the Subaru XV driven by strong demand for its "e-Boxer"-equipped models.  
(e-Boxer: Subaru's newly-developed power unit system that combines a 2.0-liter horizontally-opposed, direct injection Subaru Boxer engine with an electric motor.)
- Mini vehicle sales decreased year-on-year due to decreased sales of the Chiffon and other models.

### < Exports >

- Exports from Japan increased year-on-year due to increased shipments of the Forester.

\*1 JAMA (Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association Inc.) report basis (CBU)

\*2 Local line-off basis

\*3 JAMA report basis