



This report provides an overview of British Columbia's forest product exports and markets. In 2024, forest product exports made up 21% of B.C.'s total commodity export value.

Starting with the March report in 2023, Macau is included in the exports to China. The historical export data from 2013 to 2022 has also been updated.

Table 1: Value by Product, YTD December 2025

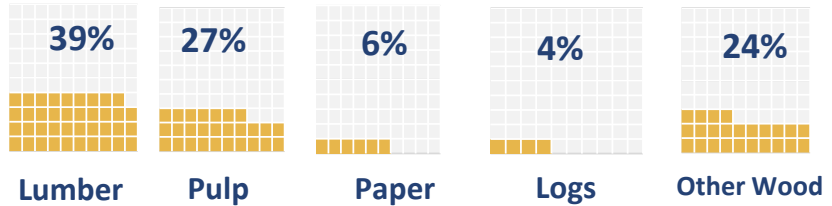


Table 2: Value by Country, YTD December 2025

	Value (\$M)	Change YoY ¹	Share of Value	
			December 2024	December 2025
US	\$5,890	-13%	58%	56%
China*	\$2,441	-4%	22%	23%
Japan	\$930	5%	8%	9%
Others	\$1,351	-5%	12%	13%
Grand Total	\$10,612	-8%	100%	100%

Table 3: Value in \$ Millions by Product, YTD December 2025

	2024	2025	Change YoY ¹
Softwood Lumber	\$4,473	\$4,092	-9%
Pulp	\$3,265	\$2,916	-11%
Paper	\$705	\$654	-7%
Logs	\$420	\$387	-8%
Other Wood Products	\$2,729	\$2,563	-6%
Grand Total	\$11,592	\$10,612	-8%

Table 4: Share of Value, YTD December 2025

	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper ²	Logs	Other Wood ³	Grand Total
US	71%	12%	82%	11%	80%	56%
China*	7%	66%	2%	56%	0%	23%
Japan	10%	5%	0%	26%	11%	9%
Others	13%	17%	15%	6%	9%	13%
Grand Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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4. Panels include OSB, plywood, particleboard, and fibreboard.

All values are in Canadian Dollars

Table 5: Share of Quantity, YTD December 2025

	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Panel ⁴	Pellet
United States	75%	11%	18%	98%	0%
China*	10%	67%	59%	0%	0%
Japan	7%	5%	19%	1%	67%
South Korea	0%	3%	5%	0%	19%
Indonesia	0%	8%	0%	0%	0%
United Kingdom	0%	0%	0%	1%	13%
Other	7%	5%	0%	0%	1%
Grand Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Table 6: Quantity by Product, YTD December 2025

	2024	2025	Change YoY ¹
Softwood Lumber (x1,000 m ³)	13,574	11,936	-12%
Pulp (x1,000 tonnes)	3,354	3,006	-10%
Logs (x1,000 m ³)	2,744	2,452	-11%

Data Source: B.C. Stats tabulation from Statistics Canada data



Figure 1: Total Export Value

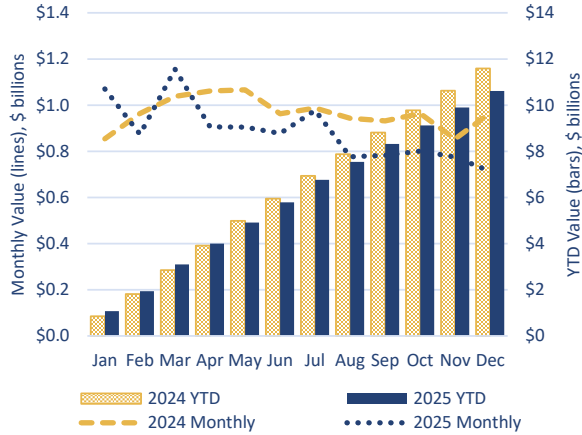


Figure 2: Total Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum

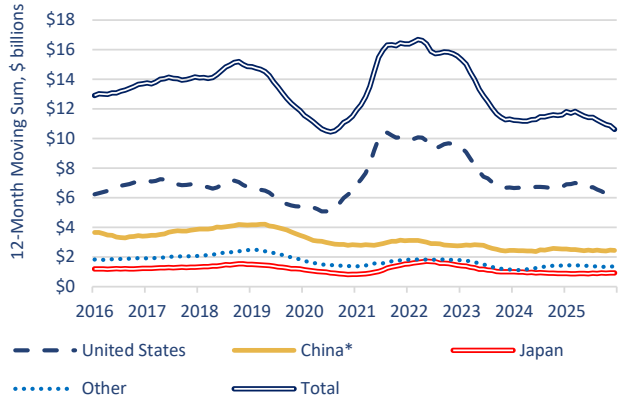


Figure 3: Softwood Lumber Export Value

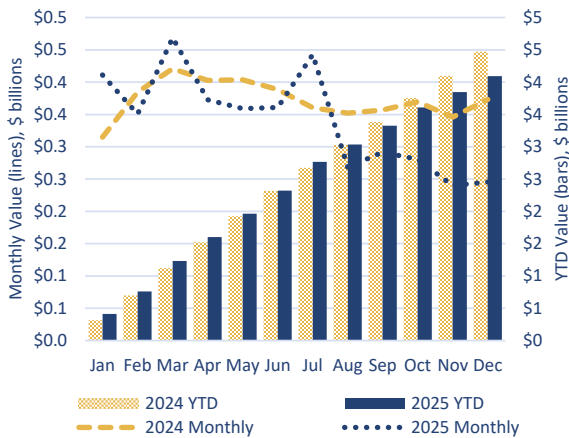


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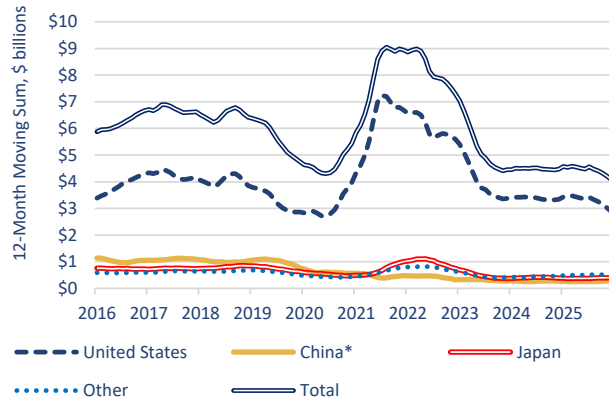


Figure 5: Pulp Export Value

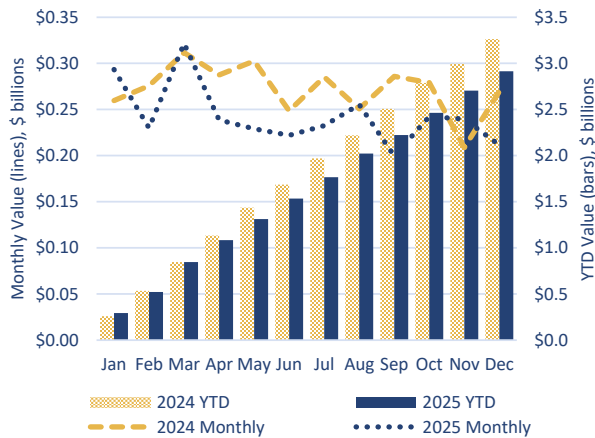
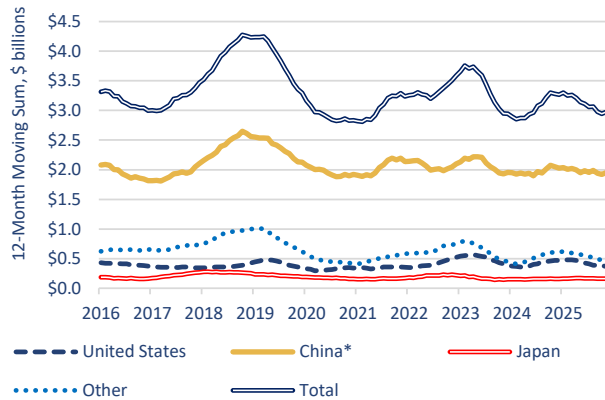


Figure 6: Pulp Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum



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Figure 7: Paper Export Value

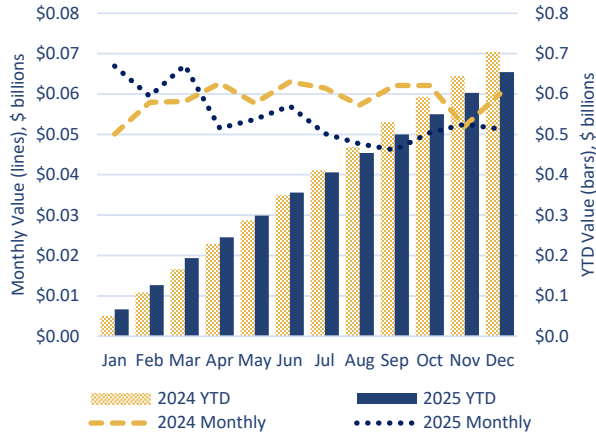


Figure 8: Paper Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum

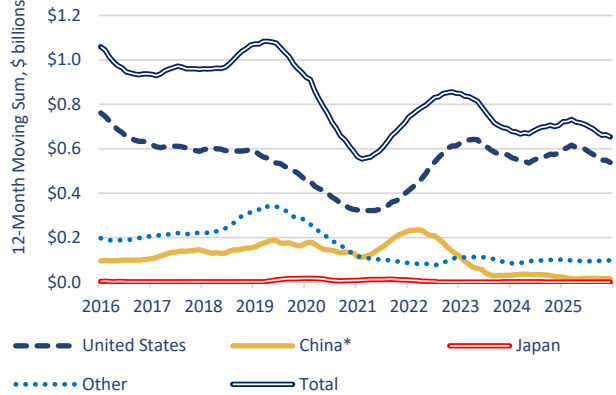


Figure 9: Logs Export Value

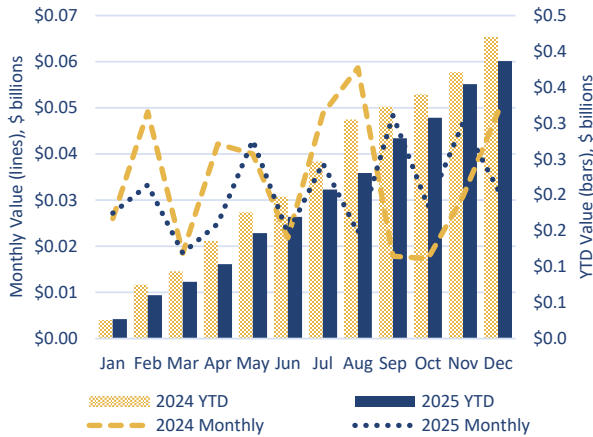


Figure 10: Log Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum

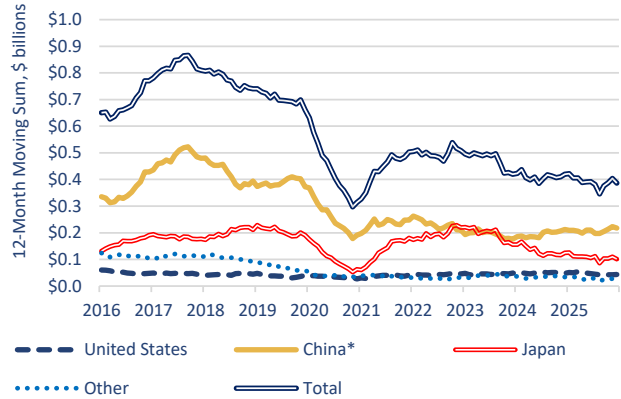


Figure 11: Other Wood Products Export Value

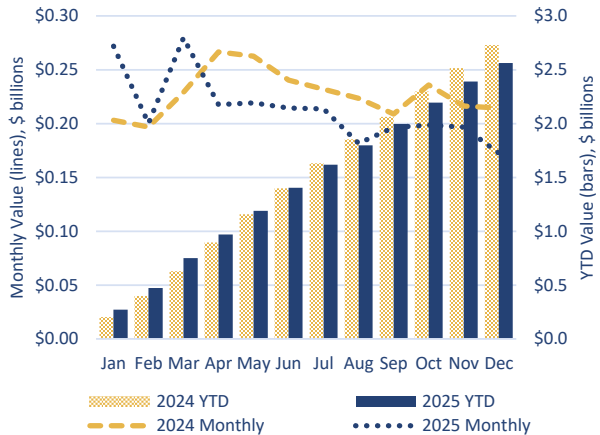
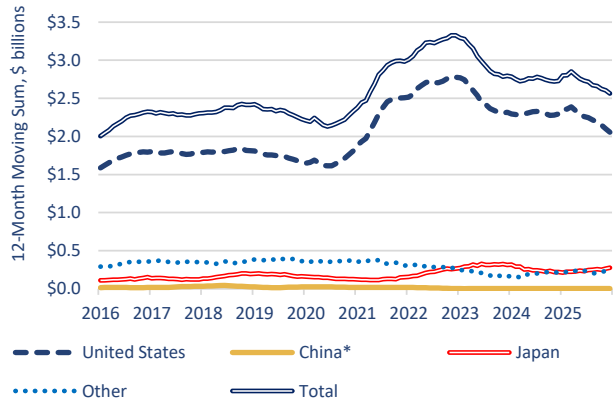


Figure 12: Other Wood Export Value - 12-Month Moving Sum



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Table 7: Value in \$ Millions, December 2025

	December 2025								December 2024							
	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper ²	Logs	Other Wood ³	Country Total	Country Share	Change YoY ¹	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper ²	Logs	Other Wood ³	Country Total	Country Share	
US	\$141	\$19	\$42	\$3	\$142	\$347	49%	-37%	\$274	\$31	\$51	\$2	\$190	\$548	57%	
China*	\$30	\$153	\$0	\$19	\$0	\$202	28%	-11%	\$20	\$182	\$1	\$25	\$0	\$228	24%	
Japan	\$31	\$8	\$0	\$8	\$28	\$75	11%	0%	\$29	\$16	\$0	\$17	\$14	\$75	8%	
Others	\$45	\$31	\$9	\$1	\$2	\$88	12%	-23%	\$51	\$40	\$8	\$5	\$11	\$115	12%	
Grand Total	\$245	\$212	\$51	\$32	\$173	\$713	100%	-26%	\$373	\$269	\$60	\$49	\$215	\$966	100%	
Product Share	34%	30%	7%	5%	24%	100%										
Change YoY	-34%	-21%	-15%	-35%	-20%	-26%										

Table 8: Value in \$ Millions, YTD December 2025

	YTD December 2025								YTD December 2024							
	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper ²	Logs	Other Wood ³	Country Total	Country Share	Change YoY ¹	Softwood Lumber	Pulp	Paper ²	Logs	Other Wood ³	Country Total	Country Share	
US	\$2,897	\$356	\$539	\$44	\$2,054	\$5,890	56%	-13%	\$3,347	\$472	\$581	\$48	\$2,294	\$6,742	58%	
China*	\$287	\$1,919	\$16	\$217	\$3	\$2,441	23%	-4%	\$268	\$2,029	\$23	\$213	\$3	\$2,536	22%	
Japan	\$396	\$154	\$1	\$101	\$278	\$930	9%	5%	\$387	\$158	\$0	\$125	\$219	\$889	8%	
Others	\$513	\$487	\$98	\$25	\$228	\$1,351	13%	-5%	\$471	\$606	\$100	\$34	\$213	\$1,425	12%	
Grand Total	\$4,092	\$2,916	\$654	\$387	\$2,563	\$10,612	100%	-8%	\$4,473	\$3,265	\$705	\$420	\$2,729	\$11,592	100%	
Product Share	39%	27%	6%	4%	24%	100%										
Change YoY	-9%	-11%	-7%	-8%	-6%	-8%										

Table 9: Quantity in Thousands, December 2025

	December 2025			Change YoY ¹			December 2024			
	Softwood Lumber (m ³)	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m ³)	Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Softwood Lumber (m ³)	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m ³)	
US	585	21	39	-23%	-31%	148%	US	762	30	16
China*	118	179	118	46%	0%	-28%	China*	81	180	163
Japan	63	8	37	0%	-43%	0%	Japan	63	15	71
Others	88	38	9	6%	-1%	-63%	Others	83	39	24
Grand Total	854	247	203	-14%	-6%	-26%	Grand Total	988	264	274

Table 10: Quantity in Thousands, YTD December 2025

	December 2025			Change YoY ¹			December 2024			
	Softwood Lumber (m ³)	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m ³)	Lumber	Pulp	Logs	Softwood Lumber (m ³)	Pulp (tonnes)	Logs (m ³)	
US	8,971	345	432	-14%	-27%	-10%	US	10,468	474	480
China*	1,194	2,019	1,438	-7%	-4%	-5%	China*	1,287	2,113	1,507
Japan	820	148	461	-9%	-1%	-21%	Japan	903	149	582
Others	951	494	121	4%	-20%	-31%	Others	917	618	175
Grand Total	11,936	3,006	2,452	-12%	-10%	-11%	Grand Total	13,574	3,354	2,744

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Table 11: B.C. Forest Product Export Value in \$ by Market, YTD December 2025

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD
US	\$6,132	\$7,141	\$6,928	\$6,739	\$5,400	\$6,465	\$9,985	\$9,558	\$6,701	\$6,742	\$5,890
China*	\$3,673	\$3,411	\$3,852	\$4,166	\$3,464	\$2,831	\$3,100	\$2,763	\$2,451	\$2,536	\$2,441
Japan	\$1,193	\$1,230	\$1,307	\$1,507	\$1,195	\$831	\$1,518	\$1,448	\$997	\$889	\$930
Others	\$1,774	\$1,919	\$2,074	\$2,457	\$1,824	\$1,383	\$1,778	\$1,805	\$1,155	\$1,425	\$1,351
Grand Total	\$12,772	\$13,701	\$14,162	\$14,869	\$11,883	\$11,510	\$16,380	\$15,574	\$11,304	\$11,592	\$10,612

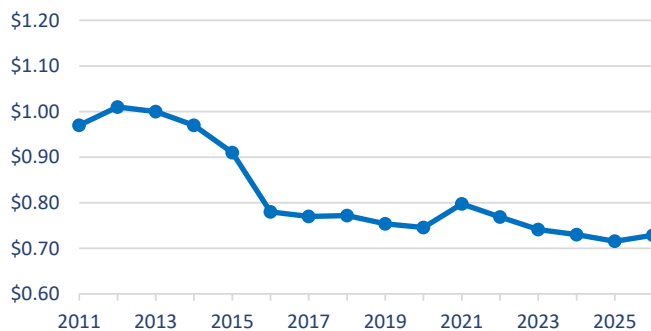
Table 12: B.C. Forest Product Export Value in \$ by Product, YTD December 2025

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD
Lumber	\$5,792	\$6,669	\$6,624	\$6,417	\$4,758	\$5,441	\$8,940	\$7,301	\$4,452	\$4,473	\$4,092
Pulp	\$3,301	\$2,998	\$3,466	\$4,232	\$3,294	\$2,835	\$3,238	\$3,588	\$2,944	\$3,265	\$2,916
Paper ²	\$1,066	\$937	\$958	\$1,066	\$943	\$590	\$717	\$850	\$692	\$705	\$654
Other Wood ³	\$1,948	\$2,325	\$2,304	\$2,413	\$2,226	\$2,330	\$2,982	\$3,326	\$2,796	\$2,729	\$2,563
Logs	\$665	\$771	\$810	\$741	\$662	\$314	\$503	\$508	\$420	\$420	\$387
Grand Total	\$12,772	\$13,701	\$14,162	\$14,869	\$11,883	\$11,510	\$16,380	\$15,574	\$11,304	\$11,592	\$10,612

Table 13: B.C. Forest Product Export Quantity in Millions by Product, YTD December 2025

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD
Lumber (m ³)	26.20	27.67	25.27	23.90	20.15	18.28	18.90	16.56	14.22	13.57	11.94
Pulp (tonnes)	4.27	4.07	4.32	4.08	4.07	3.85	3.48	3.35	3.06	3.35	3.01
Logs (m ³)	5.57	6.28	6.02	5.12	4.84	2.69	3.28	2.66	2.53	2.74	2.45
Panel ⁴ (m ³)	1.78	2.14	2.23	2.11	1.68	1.22	1.27	1.41	1.24	1.33	1.25
Pellet (tonnes)	1.26	1.93	1.78	2.27	2.14	2.37	2.37	2.53	2.21	1.93	2.14

Figure 13: Exchange Rate US\$/C\$



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Figure 14: Softwood Lumber Export Quantity

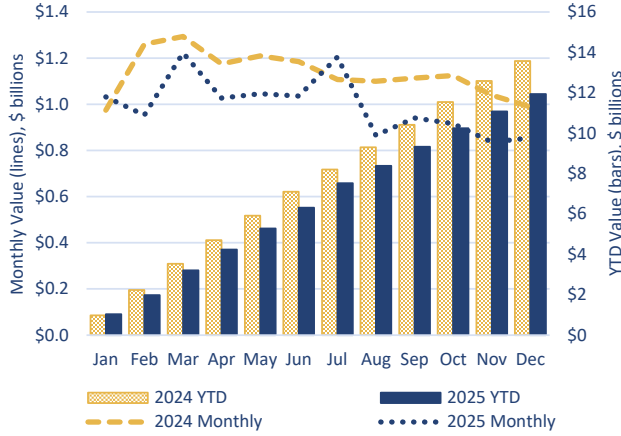


Figure 15: Softwood Lumber Export Quantity - 12-Month Moving Sum

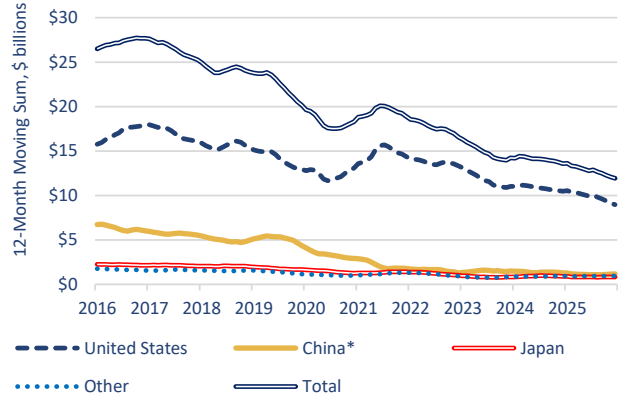


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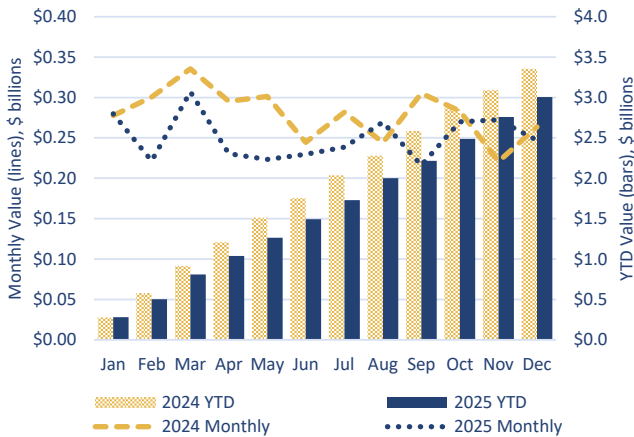


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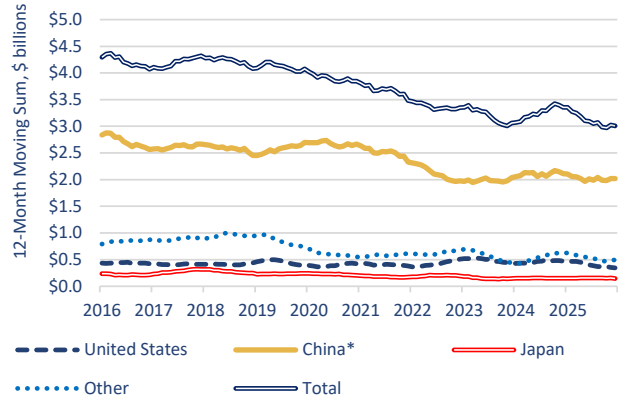


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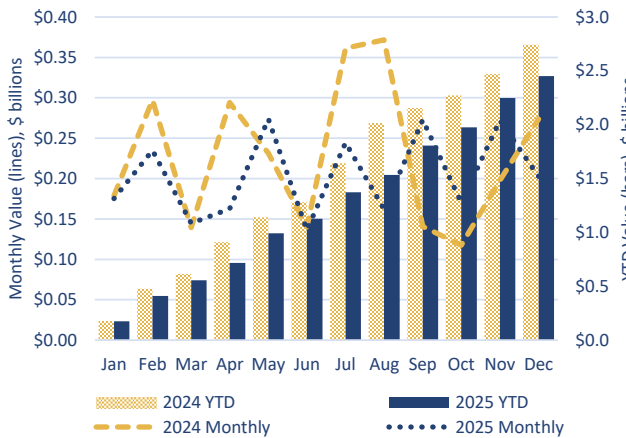
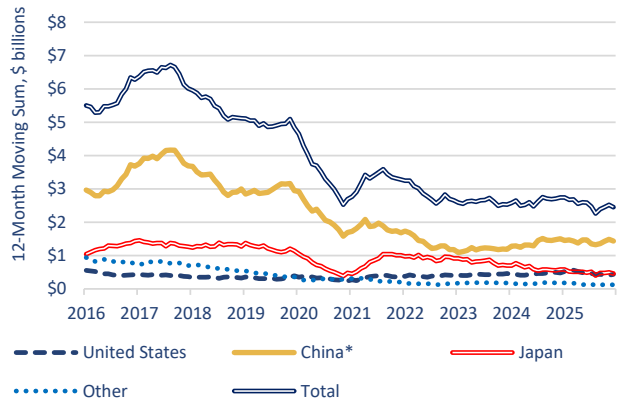


Figure 19: Log Export Quantity - 12-Month Moving Sum



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