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Suzuki January 2019 Automobile Production, Japan Sales, and Export Figures (Preliminary)

■ Production

	January 2019 (units)	Year-on-Year	Year-on-Year Trends
Japan production	81,849	101.5%	Up for the ninth consecutive month
Overseas production	229,607	110.1%	Up for the first time in three months
Global production	311,456	107.7%	Up for the first time in three months

*Japan production: Complete built-up (CBU) units + complete knocked-down (CKD) units

*Overseas production: Units completed at overseas plants that exclude CKD units from Japan

January 2019 key points

- Japan production volume increased year-on-year owing to the increase in production of passenger vehicles for exports.
- Overseas production volume became the highest ever for January owing to the increase in countries including India and Hungary.
- Global production volume became the highest ever for January owing to the increase in both Japan and overseas production.

■ Japan sales

	January 2019 (units)	Year-on-Year	Year-on-Year Trends
Minivehicles	47,032	107.5%	Up for the tenth consecutive month
Standard and small vehicles	10,744	111.3%	Up for the 17th consecutive month
Total	57,776	108.2%	Up for the tenth consecutive month

*Minivehicle: Small-sized car unique to Japan with an overall length of 3.4m or less, an overall width of 1.48m or less, an overall height of 2m or less, and an engine displacement of 660cc or less.

*Standard and small vehicle: Car that exceeds the above minivehicle specification.

January 2019 key points

- Minivehicle sales in Japan increased year-on-year owing to the increase in sales of models including the Spacia and the all-new Jimny.
- Standard and small vehicle sales in Japan became the highest ever for January owing to the increase in sales of models including the all-new Jimny Sierra and the Solio.
- The total Japan sales of minivehicle and standard and small vehicle sales increased year-on-year.

▪ Exports

	January 2019 (units)	Year-on-Year	Year-on-Year Trends
Exports	17,434	175.8%	Up for the first time in four months

*Total of exported CBU units + CKD units.

January 2019 key point

- Overall exports increased year-on-year owing to the increase in exports to markets including Europe.