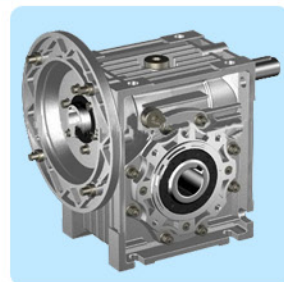
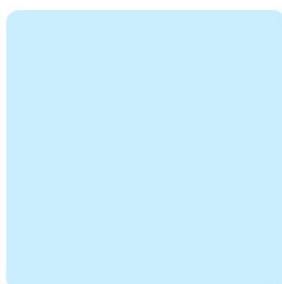


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## 1. 2012 China Casting Industry Export Analysis

### 1.1. 2012 China No Forging of Cast Iron Products (HS: 732510) Export

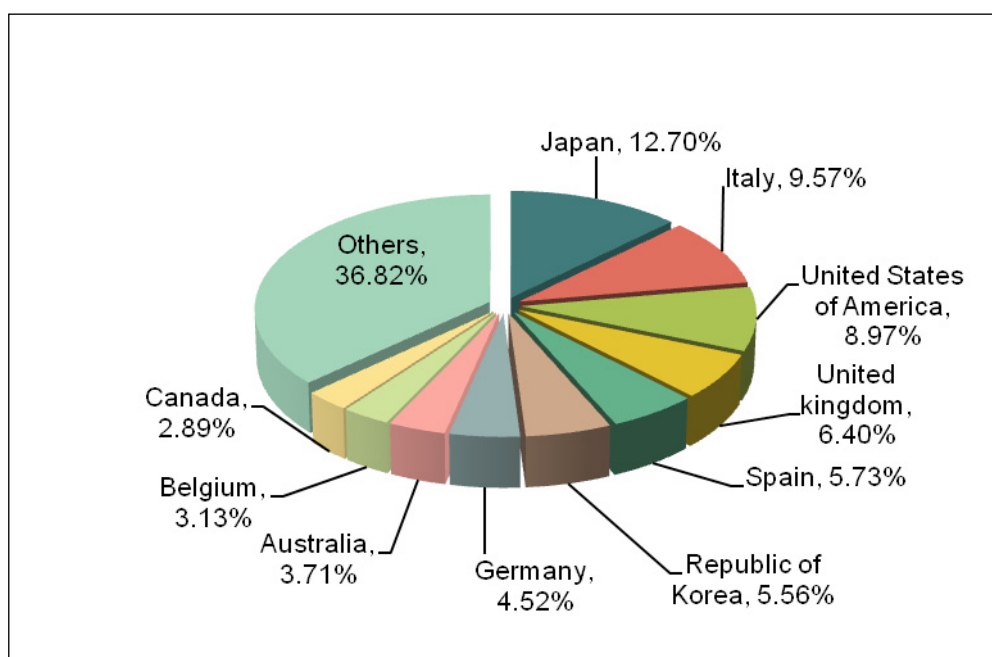
- 2012 China No Forging of Cast Iron Products Export Volume and Value

Month	Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume compared with last year	Value compared with last year
Jan.	31,680,324	42,781,722	-27.6%	-14.5%
Feb.	17,026,103	22,000,251	-12.4%	-7.5%
Mar.	32,808,047	43,366,721	3.4%	13.0%
Apr.	33,929,966	44,589,906	-20.2%	-15.3%
May	38,111,815	49,855,037	-16.5%	-12.7%
Jun.	36,401,559	47,188,106	-14.9%	-13.8%
Jul.	28,108,382	37,802,631	-14.2%	-10.9%
Aug.	36,015,798	48,262,998	1.1%	3.3%
Sep.	31,512,081	41,572,546	-8.2%	-6.6%
Oct.	28,885,082	36,697,311	-3.9%	-6.5%
Nov.	33,477,573	42,995,443	11.4%	2.5%
Dec.	34,923,997	45,608,679	-6.2%	-6.0%
Total	382,880,727	502,721,351	-10.1%	-6.9%

The exports volume reached 383 thousands Tons at 2012, dropped 10.1% as before, and the export value reached \$ 503 million, lost 6.9% as before. There are 3 months exports increased only in 2012.

● 2012 China No Forging of Cast Iron Products Import Country and Region (Ranked by Export Value)

No.	Country/Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Japan	43,663,482	63,851,462	9.3%	16.7%
2	Italy	43,135,064	48,110,153	-33.8%	-40.4%
3	USA	22,948,976	45,071,740	-0.4%	9.0%
4	UK	23,488,024	32,153,145	-1.7%	-1.9%
5	Spain	23,572,354	28,823,488	-33.1%	-33.1%
6	Korea	27,499,661	27,944,689	-16.1%	-6.4%
7	Germany	15,805,867	22,746,995	-32.8%	-31.1%
8	Australia	11,372,873	18,670,975	13.4%	19.0%
9	Belgium	13,265,435	15,712,753	-4.0%	-11.8%
10	Canada	10,564,970	14,534,015	-1.2%	12.2%
11	UAE	10,651,901	12,423,290	-14.8%	-11.8%
12	Taiwan	11,754,263	11,606,180	-14.5%	-21.7%
13	Morocco	9,594,008	10,044,089	-2.2%	4.0%
14	HK	10,398,960	9,515,219	-2.1%	8.4%
15	Saudi Arabia	8,608,594	9,172,178	62.8%	57.7%
16	Netherlands	3,151,675	8,015,937	-22.8%	-6.8%
17	Algeria	8,092,097	7,999,037	1.7%	3.5%
18	Malaysia	6,080,839	7,650,547	-19.1%	-14.2%
19	Israel	5,941,899	6,364,571	28.1%	33.6%
20	Singapore	5,390,091	5,856,091	16.5%	20.9%



2012 mainly consumption market of China No forging of cast iron products included Japan, Italy, USA, UK, Spain, Korea, Germany, Australia, Belgium and Canada. Among them, Japan ranked the No.1, taken 12.7% rate of market, and the top ten exports countries shared 3/4 of whole market.

- 2012 China Major Original No Forging of Cast Iron Products Delivered Place

No.	Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Hebei	171,110,570	198,770,719	-11.9%	-13.5%
2	Shandong	59,770,504	94,347,505	4.1%	11.7%
3	Jiangsu	17,810,577	33,813,543	16.1%	24.2%
4	Shanxi	27,115,462	32,552,346	-13.5%	-15.5%
5	Tainjin	17,960,290	22,175,864	-58.5%	-56.4%
6	Liaoning	11,558,787	20,609,359	34.4%	51.3%
7	Hunan	18,588,394	20,098,146	-4.7%	-13.0%
8	Shanghai	13,621,254	19,107,533	-5.9%	3.4%
9	Guangdong	17,201,589	17,854,563	-13.6%	-3.4%
10	Beijing	5,395,656	10,328,019	12.2%	15.9%
11	Zhejiang	4,300,318	10,089,548	-2.0%	16.2%
12	Henan	2,602,560	4,815,247	-25.5%	-13.8%
13	Shanxi	2,131,775	3,158,333	-26.6%	-23.6%
14	Anhui	1,849,750	3,008,453	226.9%	412.2%
15	Fujian	2,479,855	2,944,856	75.0%	41.7%
16	Hubei	1,998,588	2,555,568	32.8%	49.2%
17	Neimenggu	4,533,238	1,282,216	3453.4%	594.4%
18	Xinjiang	529,284	1,103,090	24.2%	88.9%
19	Guizhou	632,869	1,072,205	26.7%	27.1%
20	Guangzhou	737,004	966,176	-6.5%	2.8%

The major original no forging of cast iron products delivered places are Hebei, Shandong and Jiangsu.

### 1.2. 2012 China Exports Analysis of Forging of Cast Iron Products, Grinding Balls and Similar Articles for Mills (HS: 732591)

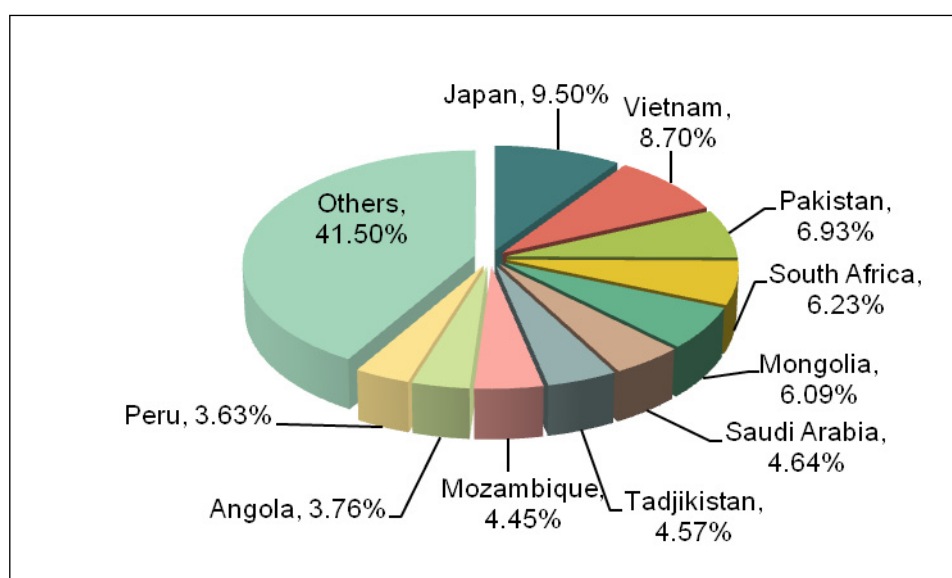
- 2012 China Export Volume and Value of Forging of Cast Iron Products, Grinding Balls and Similar Articles for Mills

Month	Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume compared with 2011	Value compared with 2011
Jan.	4,056,317	6,139,487	25.7%	79.3%
Feb.	1,080,769	1,598,594	-54.9%	-47.2%
Mar.	3,284,042	4,227,534	-38.7%	-32.5%
Apr.	3,389,399	4,461,223	-25.9%	-27.1%
May	4,333,986	5,318,069	13.1%	11.2%
Jun.	3,258,265	4,431,150	41.2%	59.2%
Jul.	6,576,839	8,236,165	13.3%	25.8%
Aug.	3,250,886	4,040,241	-26.8%	-26.4%
Sep.	3,232,326	4,011,673	-12.0%	-7.8%
Oct.	4,355,564	5,448,843	8.8%	7.3%
Nov.	6,528,069	7,863,956	47.1%	34.8%
Dec.	5,188,659	7,461,059	26.3%	33.3%
Total	48,535,121	63,237,994	0.80%	6.60%

The exports volume reached 49 thousand Tons at 2012, took 0.8% growth only, and the export value reached \$ 63 million, increased 6.6% as before.

● 2012 Import Country and Region for China Forging of Cast Iron Products, Grinding Balls and Similar Articles for Mills (Ranked by Export Value)

No	Country/Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Japan	4,745,987	6,009,589	1.0%	5.4%
2	Vietnam	3,075,402	5,503,976	119.4%	355.8%
3	Pakistan	4,300,950	4,382,436	-25.5%	-28.0%
4	South Africa	2,611,619	3,937,518	-65.2%	-64.5%
5	Mongolia	3,876,130	3,851,420	4113.2%	6343.0%
6	Saudi Arabia	2,218,210	2,931,375	333.2%	478.4%
7	Tajikistan	2,288,420	2,887,194	130.5%	104.8%
8	Mozambique	1,996,500	2,816,944	-29.8%	-32.3%
9	Angola	1,531,000	2,380,520	0.0%	0.0%
10	Peru	2,600,850	2,293,398	-18.7%	-17.9%
11	Indonesia	1,687,078	2,209,876	-52.2%	-46.2%
12	Botswana	1,640,000	2,149,100	-55.2%	-53.1%
13	Kazakhstan	1,053,837	1,954,726	723.3%	533.0%
14	Brazil	678,355	1,872,522	868.6%	2510.9%
15	Myanmar	1,885,756	1,763,482	74.6%	95.4%
16	Turkey	1,005,274	1,372,475	0.0%	0.0%
17	Chile	1,121,260	1,241,768	235.7%	280.4%
18	Azerbaijan	516,000	1,213,974	0.0%	0.0%
19	Philippines	1,069,590	1,168,206	150.6%	206.1%
20	USA	682,942	886,201	-45.1%	-45.9%



2012 mainly consumption market of China forging of cast iron products, Grinding balls and similar articles for mills included Japan, Vietnam, Pakistan, South Africa, Mongolia, Saudi Arabia, Tajikistan, Mozambique, Angola and Peru. Among them, Japan ranked the No.1, taken 9.5% rate of market, and the top ten exports countries shared 58.5% of whole market with dispersed export market.

- 2012 China Major Original Delivered Place for Forging of Cast Iron Products, Grinding Balls and Similar Articles for Mills

No	Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	USD
1	Anhui	21,415,281	29,316,843	-23.9%	-22.9%
2	Liaoning	5,717,761	5,348,779	38.2%	26.1%
3	Shandong	4,366,964	4,763,086	-28.6%	-25.0%
4	Sichuan	1,642,157	4,175,838	1264.9%	4242.2%
5	Xinjiang	2,166,840	2,739,328	116.1%	90.2%
6	Jiangsu	2,069,211	2,713,291	219.2%	347.0%
7	Yunnan	2,450,216	2,390,048	64.0%	69.1%
8	Hebei	1,399,145	2,372,769	273.2%	497.9%
9	Beijing	2,082,321	2,361,623	173.7%	115.3%
10	Jiangxi	1,362,082	2,336,490	15.0%	76.6%
11	Shanghai	1,265,001	1,040,493	5.0%	-34.2%
12	Guangdong	446,755	832,583	-62.7%	-5.5%
13	Hunan	470,473	618,842	285.6%	813.1%
14	Tianjin	229,044	405,073	322.7%	242.0%
15	Fujian	160,640	377,764	405.9%	330.4%
16	Henan	286,740	290,016	48.6%	50.3%
17	Shanxi	142,179	249,298	0.0%	0.0%
18	Neimengu	321,320	243,056	6326.4%	12052.8%
19	Guizhou	115,000	183,258	0.0%	0.0%
20	Guangxi	132,500	152,109	-32.6%	-17.1%

The 2012 major original delivered places for forging of cast iron products, Grinding balls and similar articles for mills are ANHUI, LIAONING and JIANGSU, and export value from ANHUI took 46.4% as whole.



### 1.3. 2012 China Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel for Technical Use Export Analysis

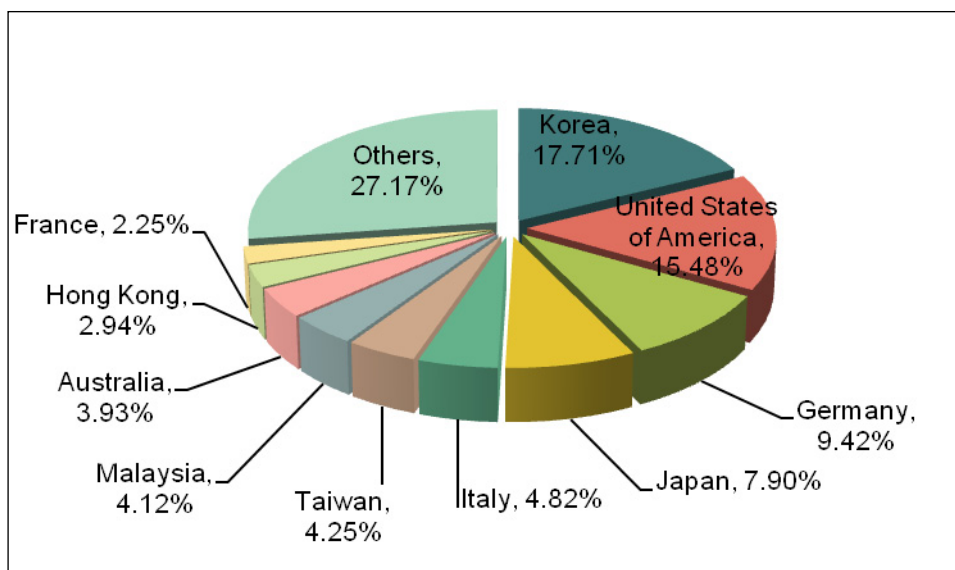
- 2012 China Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel for Technical Use Export Volume and Value

Month	Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume compared with 2011	Value compared with 2011
Jan.	8,519,038	13,983,782	16.7%	18.1%
Feb.	3,476,466	6,255,254	5.3%	4.3%
Mar.	8,033,664	14,318,016	33.4%	42.9%
Apr.	9,793,717	17,000,131	26.4%	31.5%
May	8,127,316	15,374,734	27.6%	27.4%
Jun.	8,116,740	14,288,326	14.7%	15.3%
Jul.	6,963,492	13,525,067	-19.4%	2.8%
Aug.	10,527,146	16,166,420	30.9%	5.8%
Sep.	7,404,129	13,409,348	-28.2%	-15.6%
Oct.	6,564,475	10,247,676	-8.5%	-11.1%
Nov.	7,289,817	13,113,054	-18.9%	-22.0%
Dec.	7,564,696	12,706,514	-32.3%	-27.9%
Total	92,380,696	160,388,322	0.30%	3.10%

2012 China other cast articles of iron or steel for technical use exports volume reached 92 thousand Tons at 2012, took 0.3 % growth only, and the export value reached \$ 160 million, increased 3.1% as before.

- 2012 Import Country/Region for China Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel for Technical Use (Ranked by Export Value)

No	Country/Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Korea	20,252,631	28,409,829	14.9%	4.7%
2	USA	9,546,961	24,822,051	4.4%	16.4%
3	Germany	8,638,609	15,100,935	58.7%	36.2%
4	Japan	4,765,215	12,669,747	19.3%	46.4%
5	Italy	5,518,412	7,737,307	-35.8%	-37.5%
6	Taiwan	5,844,095	6,820,912	-26.7%	-28.3%
7	Malaysia	6,231,849	6,611,458	941.6%	1115.1%
8	Australia	2,701,333	6,305,475	13.5%	46.4%
9	HK	1,989,054	4,722,794	0.6%	38.0%
10	France	1,645,647	3,615,559	-26.6%	-10.0%
11	Thailand	1,730,736	2,683,190	-11.7%	20.6%
12	Canada	1,225,568	2,521,383	-26.3%	-24.4%
13	Netherland	562,302	2,281,400	7.2%	69.1%
14	UK	861,834	2,267,423	-23.8%	-15.8%
15	Denmark	989,393	2,201,748	133.7%	116.4%
16	South Africa	777,797	1,897,127	16.5%	31.2%
17	Bahrain	1,615,539	1,838,009	27097.6%	18825.1%
18	Vietnam	740,760	1,829,080	127.3%	294.8%
19	Spain	1,100,729	1,790,366	-67.6%	-61.1%
20	Singapore	792,877	1,786,347	-33.7%	-47.8%



2012 mainly consumption market of China other cast articles of iron or steel for technical use included Korea, USA, Germany, Japan, Italy, Taiwan, Malaysia, Australia, HK and France. Among them, Korea ranked the No.1, taken 17.71% rate of market, and the top ten import countries shared 72.83% of whole market. In top twenty consumption markets, the export value rose more than 100% to Malaysia, Denmark, Bahrain and Vietnam with 1115.1%, 116.4%, 18825.1% and 294.8% growth separately.

- 2012 China Major Original Delivered Place for Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel for Technical Use

No	Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Shandong	15,999,929	29,986,197	-14.8%	-8.4%
2	Hebei	21,601,368	27,776,775	63.1%	43.8%
3	Jiangsu	9,013,429	22,147,061	-12.3%	-9.4%
4	Guangdong	7,177,819	18,731,874	-21.3%	-5.3%
5	Liaoning	7,931,956	12,020,719	76.6%	67.6%
6	Shanghai	4,873,553	9,107,394	59.4%	28.3%
7	Zhejiang	2,578,580	8,083,305	19.7%	42.4%
8	Tianjin	4,838,977	7,354,124	-47.1%	-28.3%
9	Shanxi	4,383,213	6,019,257	-35.3%	-28.3%
10	Shanxi	4,541,869	4,676,500	54.0%	34.1%
11	Fujian	3,659,571	4,083,656	-17.1%	-13.1%
12	Henan	1,721,021	2,168,841	104.1%	126.7%
13	Beijing	455,484	1,446,617	-48.7%	-25.8%
14	Chongqing	230,203	1,148,284	11.6%	534.3%
15	Sichuan	362,978	1,075,592	-84.5%	-78.5%
16	Hunan	1,518,838	1,022,704	188.8%	163.5%
17	Anhui	465,544	800,494	126.7%	148.5%
18	Gansu	57,579	724,081	22.2%	19.8%
19	Hubei	323,005	720,179	80.6%	122.6%
20	Jiangxi	48,510	354,545	-47.1%	-44.2%

2012 China major original delivered place for other cast articles of iron or steel for technical use are SHANDONG, HEBEI and Jiangsu.

### 1.4. 2012 China Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products Exports Analysis

- 2012 China Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products Export Volume and Value

Month	Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume compared with last year	Value compared with last year
Jan.	74,991	1,214,395	46.8%	47.9%
Feb.	49,192	928,052	85.8%	115.4%
Mar.	49,058	691,830	-57.5%	-39.6%
Apr.	69,441	737,311	-13.0%	-34.5%
May	79,319	698,849	-4.9%	-24.0%
Jun.	92,737	1,310,203	55.1%	72.3%
Jul.	76,249	849,636	51.8%	13.5%
Aug.	119,616	1,458,455	177.8%	104.5%
Sep.	91,659	1,312,439	79.2%	100.1%
Oct.	89,379	804,901	56.8%	22.6%
Nov.	69,328	904,160	47.3%	-1.7%
Dec.	81,760	1,118,689	-25.4%	-53.3%
Total	942,729	12,028,920	21.80%	6.50%

2012 China Cast, molded, stamped or forged copper products export volume reached 943 Tons, took a 21.8% growth as before, and export value reached 12 million, increased 6.5% as before.

- 2012 China Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products Export Country and Region (Ranked by Export Value)

No	Country/Region	Total		Compared with the same period of 2011	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	USA	231,980	3,232,403	8.4%	0.1%
2	Belarus	57,750	1,495,745	2228.6%	65.7%
3	Japan	171,878	1,073,560	18.8%	-14.2%
4	HK	52,627	698,602	220.8%	206.0%
5	Thailand	19,890	573,213	28.8%	-3.8%
6	Slovenia	7,336	439,820	53.7%	68.7%
7	Germany	31,565	426,307	-44.7%	-4.2%
8	Taiwan	23,908	416,349	-69.7%	-53.2%
9	India	43,861	383,812	724.0%	120.1%
10	UAE	72,158	321,605	1621.3%	1767.5%
11	Kenya	15,518	228,864	698.3%	1172.7%
12	Vietnam	19,528	196,588	-29.8%	-42.9%
13	Korea	15,210	193,737	-41.8%	-31.5%
14	UK	15,823	192,194	-33.7%	-41.9%
15	Russian	25,187	174,634	92.2%	-9.2%
16	Australia	8,644	154,315	79.5%	54.8%
17	Malaysia	3,354	147,604	-42.7%	-18.0%
18	Iran	10,488	128,533	48.6%	36.7%
19	Indonesia	13,582	125,739	-27.2%	30.7%
20	Congo (gold)	10,360	114,500	19447.2%	13531.0%

2012 mainly consumption market of China Cast, molded, stamped or forged copper products included USA, Belarus, Japan, HK, Thailand, Slovenia, Germany, Taiwan, India and UAE. Among them, USA ranked the No.1, taken 26.87% rate of market, and the top ten import countries shared 75.33% of whole market. In 2012, the export value rose more than 100% to HK, India, UAE, Kenya and Congo (gold) with 206.0%, 120.1%, 1767.5%, 1172.7% and 13531.0% growth separately.

- 2012 China Major Original Delivered Place for China Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products

No.	Region	Total		Compared with last year	
		Volume (Kg)	Value (USD)	Volume	Value
1	Zhejiang	297,940	2,931,104	23.6%	-14.6%
2	Jiangsu	219,800	2,363,278	-7.6%	-15.2%
3	Shanghai	87,265	2,047,370	50.2%	50.6%
4	Shanxi	30,625	1,291,137	597.3%	38.3%
5	Shandong	46,484	790,021	59.9%	41.6%
6	Guangdong	34,700	633,754	-0.9%	-14.4%
7	Hebei	79,603	459,097	4.9%	21.0%
8	Liaoning	30,586	402,872	73.5%	24.5%
9	Henan	30,000	263,549	1392.5%	582.9%
10	Beijing	15,984	234,362	62.9%	250.6%
11	Tianjin	22,360	207,046	80.6%	-7.1%
12	Fujian	15,979	144,548	-6.0%	21.8%
13	Sichuan	10,768	115,201	-48.7%	-54.4%
14	Hubei	6,785	65,715	480.9%	369.1%
15	Jilin	10,415	27,788	95.0%	103.4%
16	Chongqin	135	25,094	58.8%	585.1%
17	Guangxi	992	12,287	0.0%	0.0%
18	Shanxi	1,832	10,513	19.7%	-10.4%
19	Hunan	359	2,910	0.0%	0.0%
20	Heilongjiang	102	1,167	-76.0%	-60.0%

2012 China major original delivered place for China Cast, molded, stamped or forged copper products are ZHEJIANG, JIANGSU and SHANGHAI.

Data Source: China Custom

## 2. 2012 Global Casting Industry IM&EX Market Analysis

### 2.1. 2012 Global Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel IM&EX Market Analysis

- 2010-2012 Global Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel Importation Market Analysis

No	Country/Region	Import Value (Unit: a thousand dollar)			2012 Growth Rate compared with 2010
		2010	2011	2012	
1	Germany	622,242	876,477	765,265	22.99%
2	USA ↑	412,978	553,365	631,962	53.03%
3	Italy	395,859	536,677	492,072	24.30%
4	France	286,467	321,757	272,340	-4.93%
5	UK	214,698	279,973	250,883	16.85%
6	Belgium	184,413	252,024	238,421	29.29%
7	Japan ↑	174,772	207,061	221,330	26.64%
8	Czech Republic ↑	111,425	184,182	185,396	66.39%
9	Korea	153,871	156,345	150,116	-2.44%
10	Netherland	106,674	166,970	124,666	16.87%

Note: the "↑" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to raise. The "↓" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to go down.

Global major other cast articles of iron or steel import markets focus on South America, EU and Korea & Japan. In top ten imports markets between 2010 and 2012, the import value of USA, JAPAN and CEZH keep growth year by year. Compared with 2010, CEZH import value takes No.1 with 66.39% growth at 2012.



- 2010-2012 Global Other Cast Articles of Iron or Steel Export Market Analysis

No.	Country/Region	Export Value (Unit: a thousand dollar)			2012 Growth Rate compared with 2011
		2010	2011	2012	
1	India ↑	605,267	983,140	1,128,253	86.41%
2	Germany	593,642	837,827	778,305	31.11%
3	China	634,544	754,904	726,183	14.44%
4	Czech Republic	406,666	562,304	492,881	21.20%
5	USA ↑	325,442	388,934	461,886	41.93%
6	Poland ↑	320,963	432,881	433,173	34.96%
7	Spain	307,212	391,251	390,753	27.19%
8	Italy	319,587	397,917	354,528	10.93%
9	Belgium	251,777	307,922	295,542	17.38%
10	Korea ↓	272,037	221,607	218,746	-19.59%

Note: the "↑" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to raise. The "↓" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to go down.

Global major other cast articles of iron or steel export markets focus on India, Germany and China. In top ten export markets between 2010 and 2012, the import value of India, Poland and USA keep growth year by year, and Korea export value keep dropping. Compared with 2010, CEZH import value takes No.1 with 86.41% growth at 2012.

### 2.2. 2010-2012 Global Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products IM&EX Market Analysis

- 2010-2012 Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products Importation Market Analysis

No.	Country/Region	Import Value (Unit: a thousand USD)			2012 Growth Rate compared with 2010
		2010	2011	2012	
1	China	62,902	78,316	69,169	9.96%
2	USA↑	38,180	41,796	45,459	19.06%
3	HK	48,549	54,329	40,335	-16.92%
4	Mexico	38,271	40,145	37,269	-2.62%
5	Germany	28,271	38,323	36,345	28.56%
6	Finland↑	17,656	24,885	33,758	91.20%
7	Indonesia↑	6,691	19,589	32,168	380.77%
8	Czech Republic↓	31,043	25,794	20,120	-35.19%
9	France	14,977	19,342	14,255	-4.82%
10	Italy	14,883	18,784	12,814	-13.90%

Note: the "↑" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to raise. The "↓" means the proportion of import amount at 2010-2012 continues to go down. Global major Cast, molded, stamped or forged copper products import markets focus on China(HK), USA and Mexico. In top ten imports markets between 2010-2012, the import value of USA, Finland and Indonesia keep growth year by year. Compared with 2010, Indonesia import value takes No.1 with 380.77% growth at 2012.

- 2010-2012 Cast, Molded, Stamped or Forged Copper Products Export Market Analysis

No.	Country/Region	Export Value (Unit: a thousand USD)			2012 Growth Rate compared with 2010
		2010	2011	2012	
1	USA	72,311	87,942	72,071	-0.33%
2	Russia↑	13,556	30,010	55,275	307.75%
3	Finland↑	35,698	46,675	53,984	51.22%
4	Italy	49,267	61,419	46,333	-5.96%
5	HK	48,807	51,075	30,290	-37.94%
6	France	23,950	27,260	21,394	-10.67%
7	UK	8,144	23,823	20,050	146.19%
8	Germany	8,727	13,657	13,014	49.12%
9	Czech Republic	11,344	13,981	11,890	4.81%
10	Slovenia	13,466	16,365	10,409	-22.70%

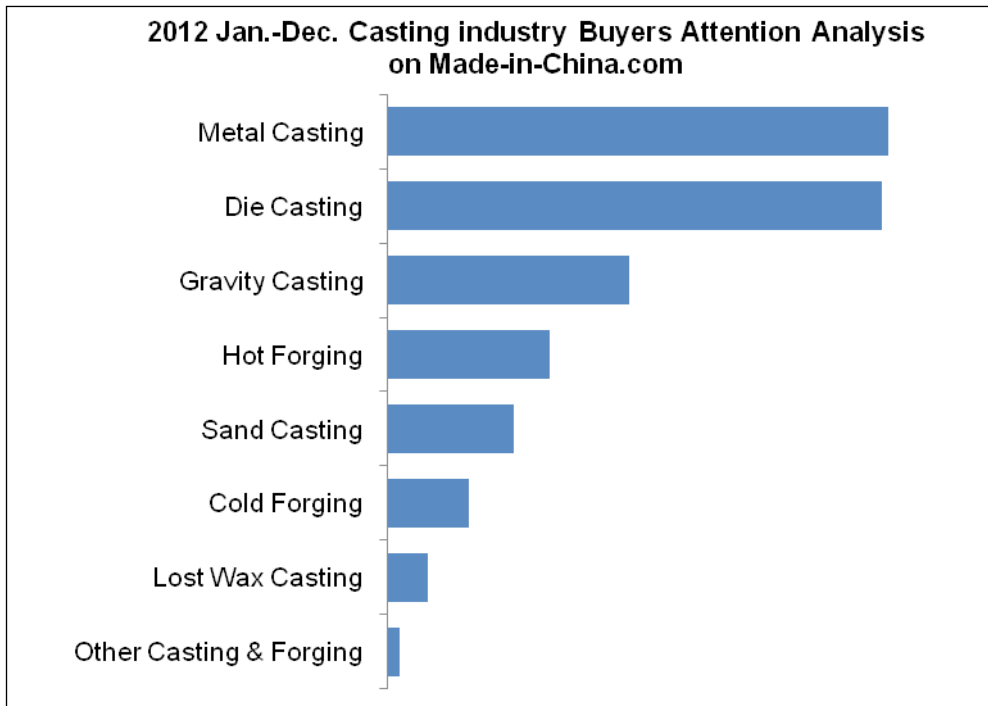
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Global major Cast, molded, stamped or forged copper products export markets focus on USA, Italy and HK. In top ten export markets between 2010 and 2012, the import value of Finland and Russia keep growth year by year, and Russia export value keep dropping rapidly. Compared with 2010, the import value takes 307.75% growth at 2012.

Data Source: UN Comtrade

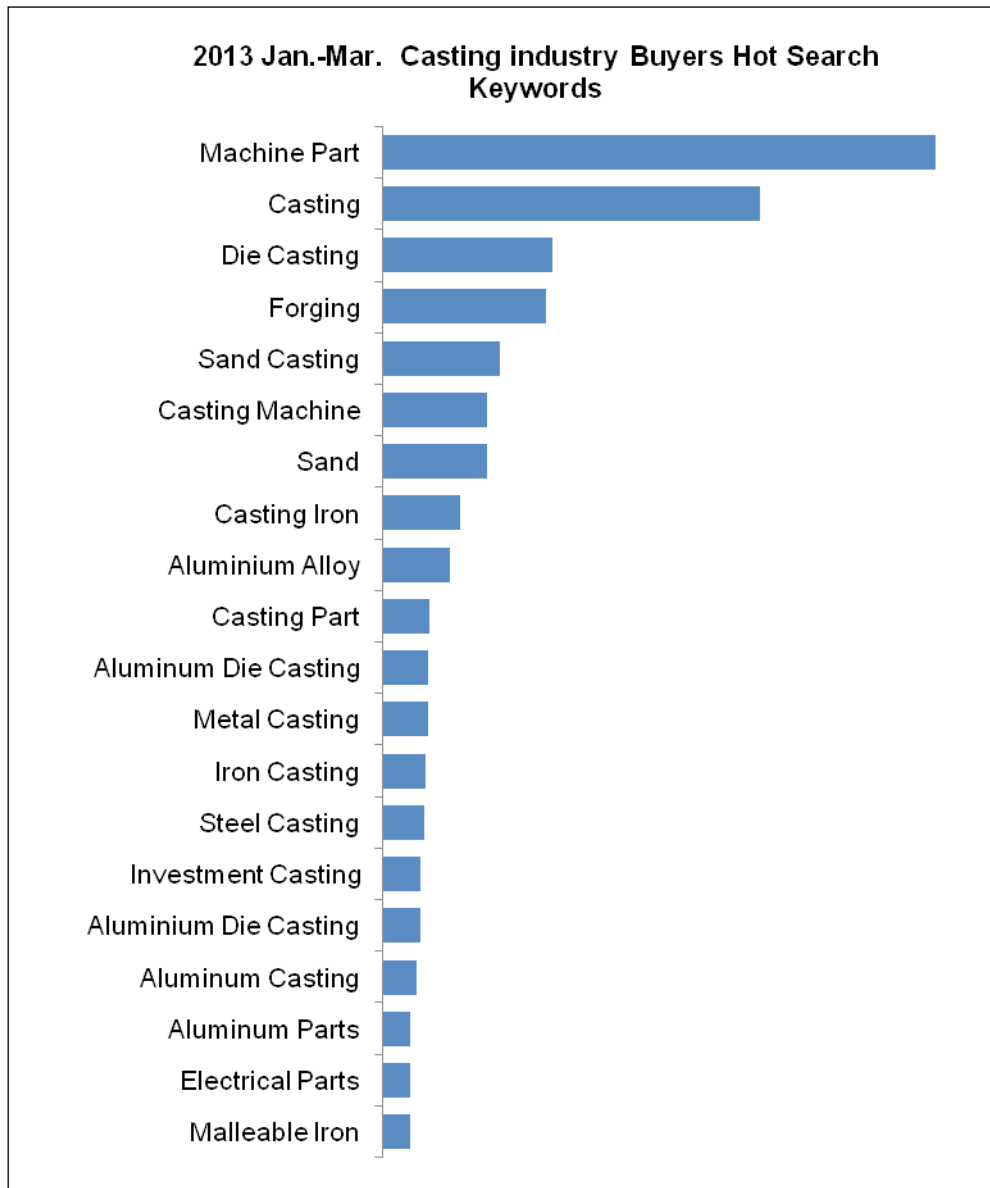
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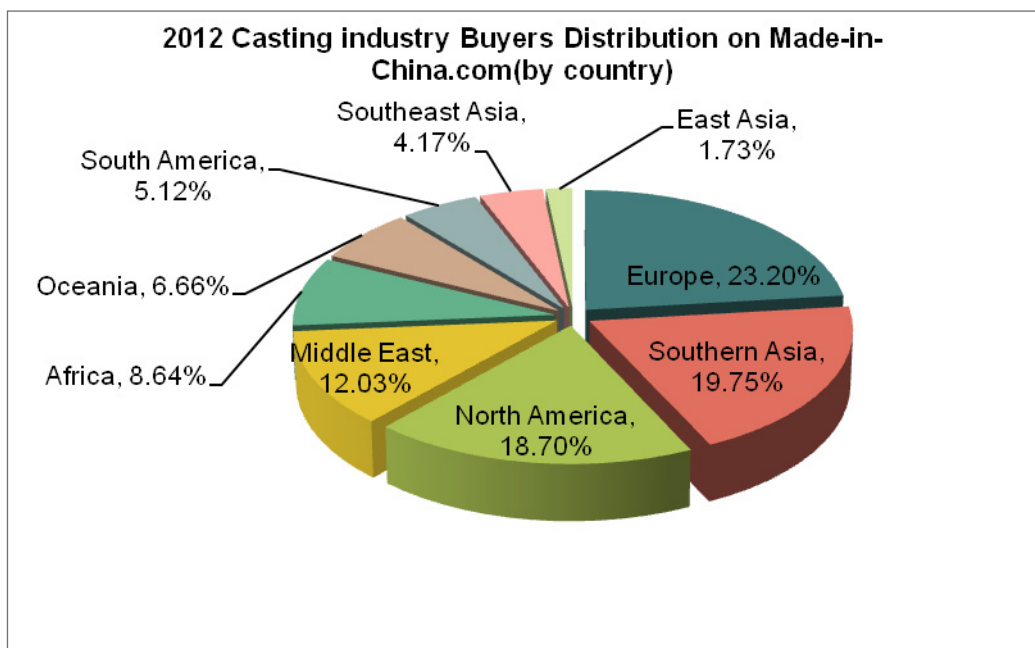
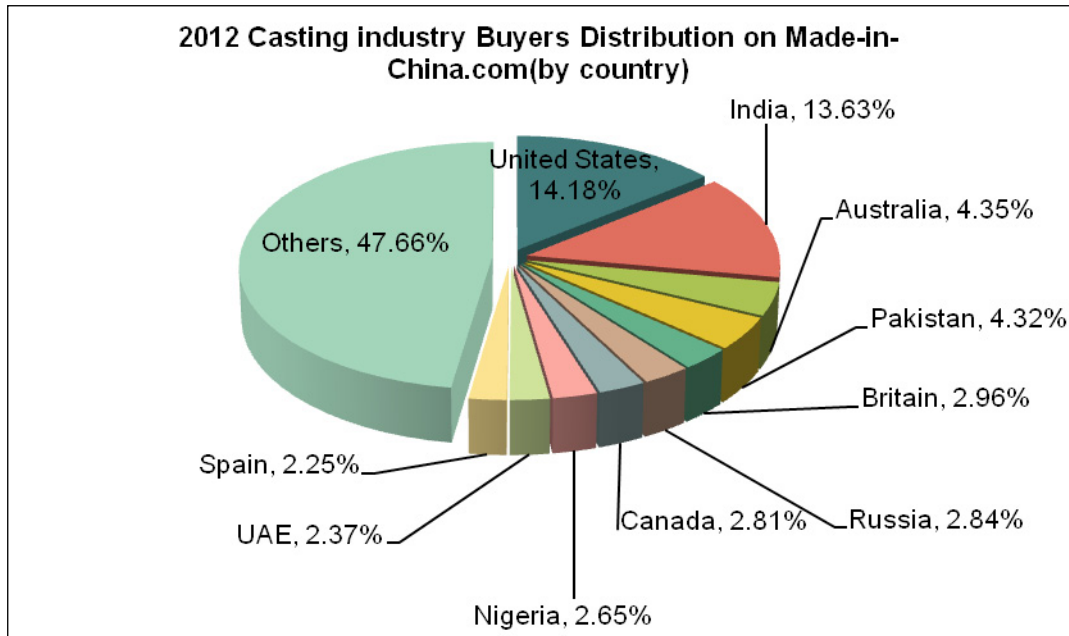
The statistics by Made-in-China.com, Metal Casting takes the highest concern at casting sub-sectors, and the next are Die Casting and Gravity Casting. Metal Casting and Die Casting get a closer attention; the gap is only about 1%.

### 3.2. The Hot Key Words of China Casting Industry



Between Jan to Mar of 2013, the most popular search keywords of casting industry's is the Machine Part, Casting ranked second, Die Casting and Forging are followed. Machine Part search volume is 1.5 times of the second Casting, and 3.3 times for Die Casting. There is significant searching difference.

## 3.3. The Buyers Distribution of Casting Industry on Made-in-China.com (by Inquiries)



Between January-December of 2012, casting industry inquiries on Made-in-China.com mainly focus on the United States, India and Australia. Among them, the inquiries from United States and India are accounted for 14.18% and 13.63% of total, higher than the amount of inquiries from Australia which takes 4.35% share. And casting industry inquiries is mainly from Europe and North America, South Asia and other regions.

Data Source: Made-in-China.com

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