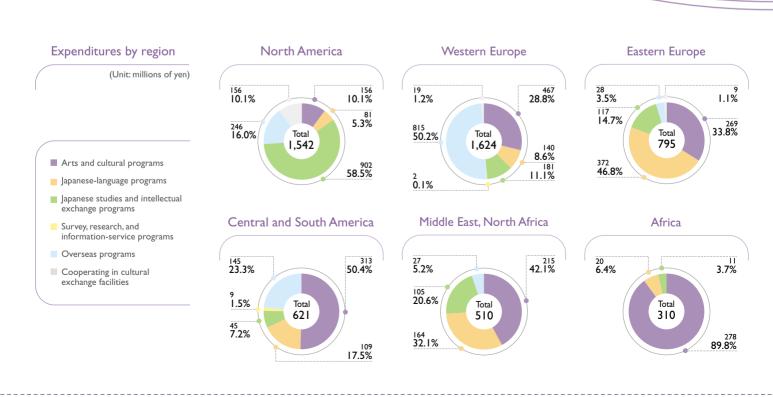
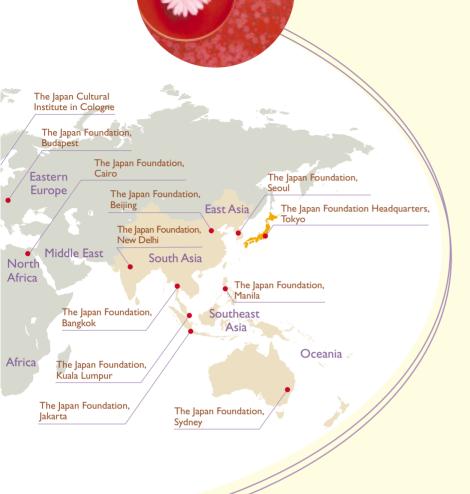
## ••• Global Network

Nineteen overseas offices across the world shoulder an important role as the bases and frontline of the Japan Foundation's international exchange activities. They seek to strengthen relationships with local cultural communities, maintain direct dialogue, and organize cultural events.







## Expenditures by nation in 2005 (top 20)

	Millions of you	%*
	Millions of yen	
U.S.A.	1,365	10.5
South Korea	803	6.2
France	596	4.6
China	521	4.0
Australia	373	2.9
Germany	306	2.4
Indonesia	305	2.3
Brazil	280	2.2
India	251	1.9
U.K.	237	1.8
Malaysia	224	1.7
Italy	223	1.7
Thailand	192	1.5
Russia	176	1.4
Canada	170	1.3
Philippines	131	1.0
Mexico	125	1.0
Vietnam	121	0.9
Hungary	105	0.8
Egypt	101	0.8

\*Share of the total expenditures in 2005.

