



Regardless of the means of transport, meat products cannot be brought into Japan.



Even items sent by mail from family members are not allowed.



If you accidentally bring meat products:
Dispose of them in the Amnesty Bin or take them to the Animal Quarantine Counter.

Amnesty Bin



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動物検疫

Animal Quarantine

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Contact list ▶

<https://www.maff.go.jp/aqs/english/contactus.html>



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Animal Quarantine Service

Traveling to Japan?

Bringing meat products will result in fines or arrest.



Please inform your friends as well.

A request for visitors to Japan



For details, see here. ▶

<https://www.maff.go.jp/pps/j/guidance/pqaqinfo/index.html>





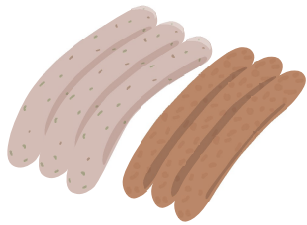
Bringing Meat Products into Japan is Prohibited

Examples of prohibited items:

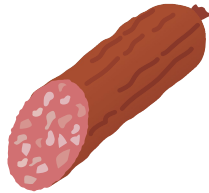
Meat and processed meat products (e.g., jerky, sausages, ham)



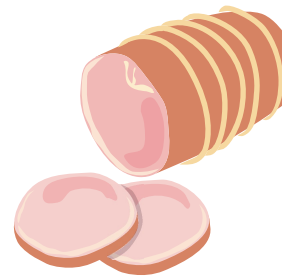
Beef jerky



Sausage



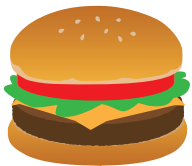
Salami



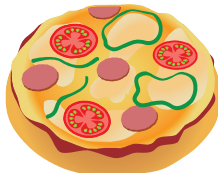
Ham

Snacks or ready-to-eat food containing meat

(including in-flight meals and items bought at airports or duty-free shops)



Hamburger



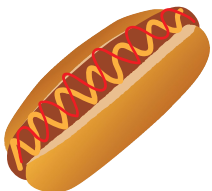
Pizza



Chinese steamed bun with meat



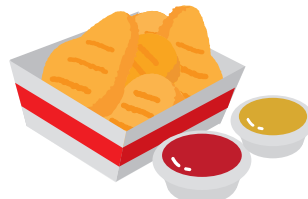
Sandwich



Hot dog



In-flight meal



Chicken nuggets



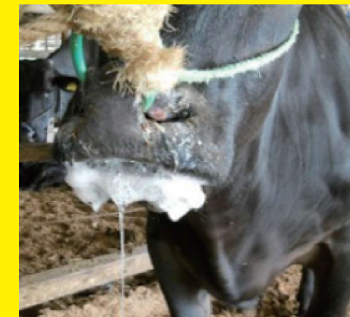
Fried chicken

Why?

Meat products brought by travelers have been found to carry viruses that cause livestock diseases. Therefore, bringing in meat and meat products is strictly prohibited.

Livestock Diseases and Symptoms:

Foot-and-Mouth Disease



Cow with foamy saliva

Photo credit: Miyazaki Prefecture

African Swine Fever



Pig with hemorrhagic lesions

Source: Veterinary school of Barcelona, Spain
Centro de Vigilancia Sanitaria Veterinaria, Spain