

# GSP MATTERS FOR IDAHO

The Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) program allows U.S. companies to import certain products duty free from developing countries. In 2012, GSP **eliminated tariffs on nearly \$20 billion worth of imports** and **saved American companies \$750 million**, including those in Idaho.

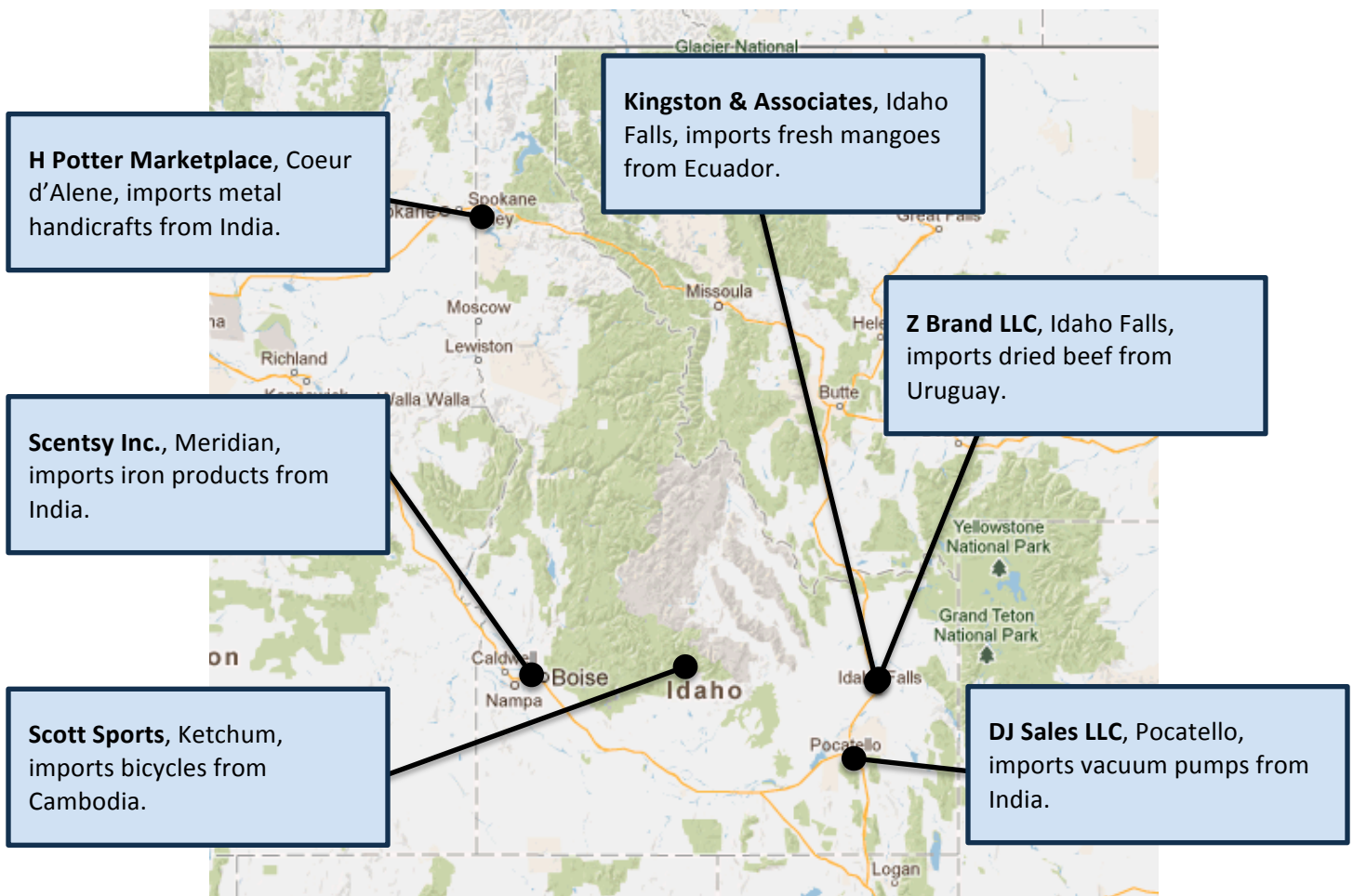
**Yet GSP expires on July 31, 2013 and Congress must pass legislation to renew GSP for Idaho companies to continue receiving these benefits.**

**Idaho's 2012 GSP Imports**  
***\$4.7 million***

**Idaho's 2012 GSP Savings**  
***\$167,000***

**Average Tariff Without GSP**  
***3.5%***

## IDAHO COMPANIES IMPORTING GSP-ELIGIBLE GOODS

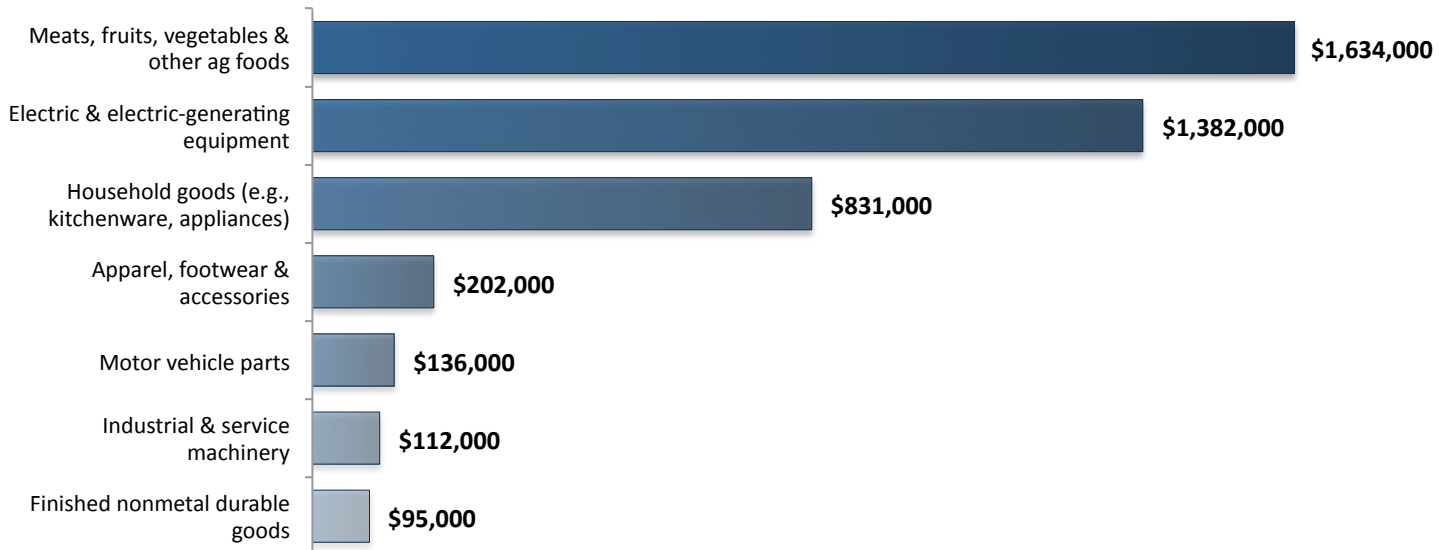


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## IDAHO'S GSP IMPORTS BY PRODUCT TYPE

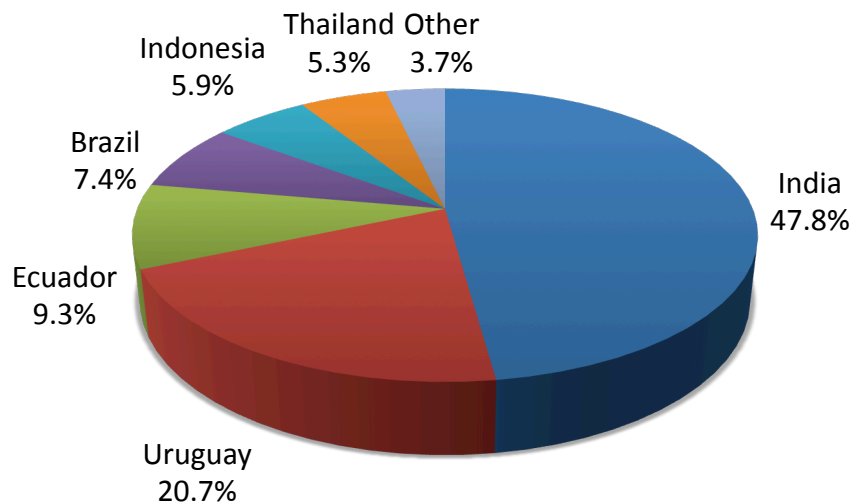
Most Idaho imports under GSP are raw materials and industrial goods whose duty-free treatment helps Idaho companies remain competitive.

Idaho's GSP Imports, 2012



## IDAHO'S GSP IMPORTS BY SOURCE COUNTRY

GSP eliminates tariffs on certain products from more than 130 countries, but the vast majority of Idaho imports under GSP come from a handful of countries, led by **India**, **Uruguay**, and **Ecuador**.



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