

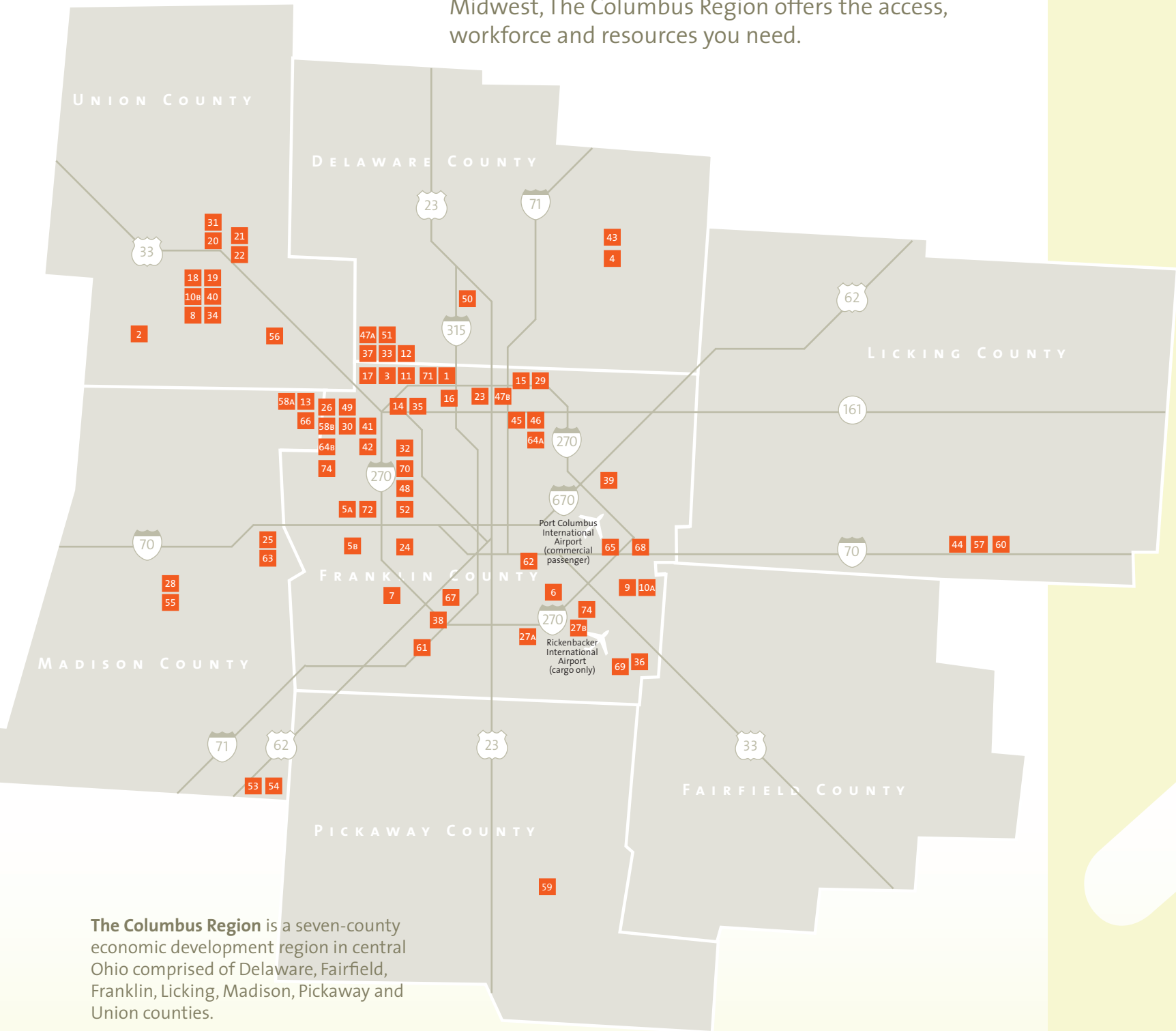
# Japan: A strong relationship that continues to grow.

Companies with a Japanese heritage are finding it easy to do business in the United States and specifically Columbus, Ohio. Centrally located in the country's Midwest, The Columbus Region offers the access, workforce and resources you need.

Comparing size of Ohio and Japan



Major Japanese-owned manufacturing plants within a one-day truck drive (750 km) of the Columbus Region.

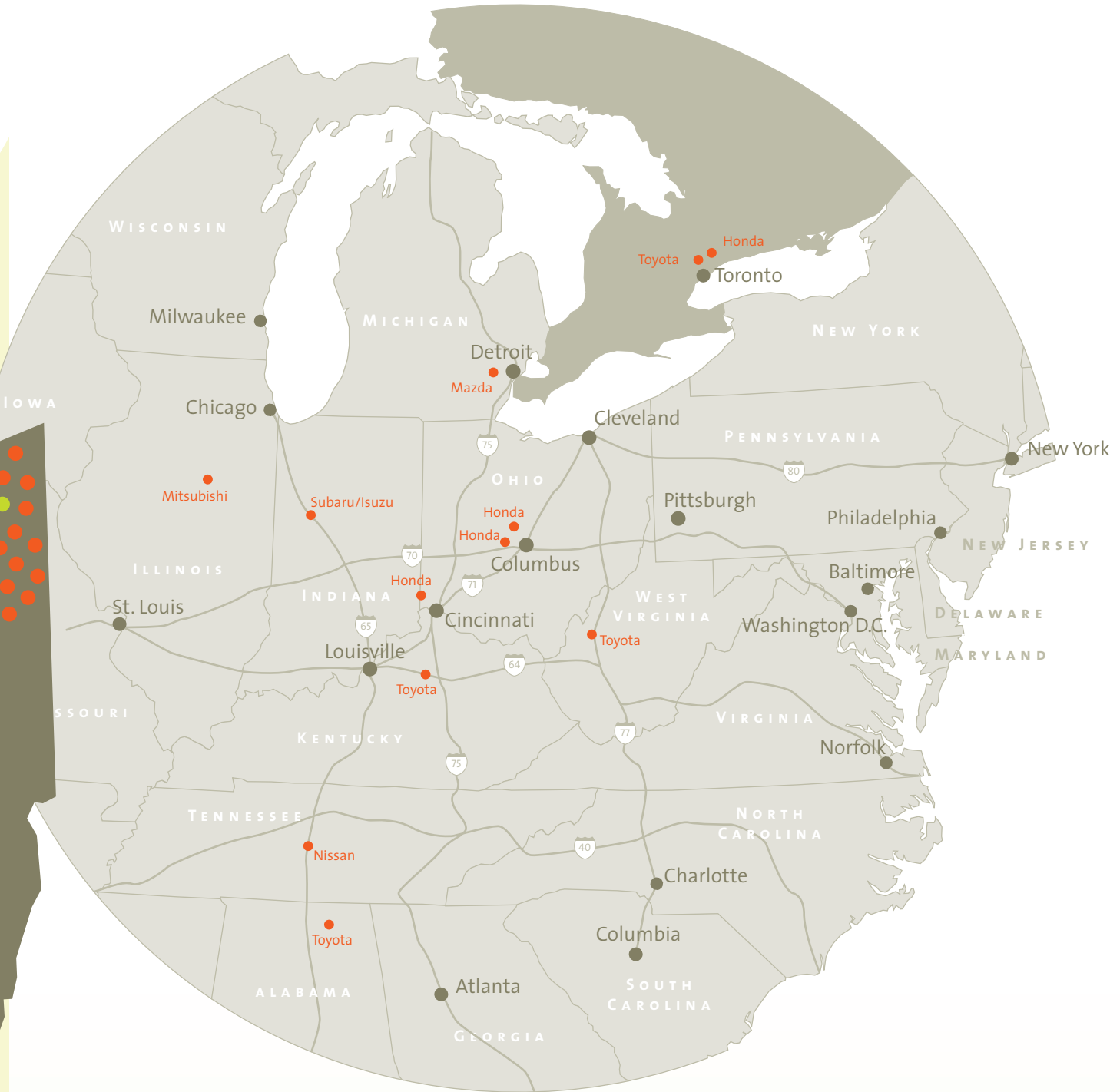
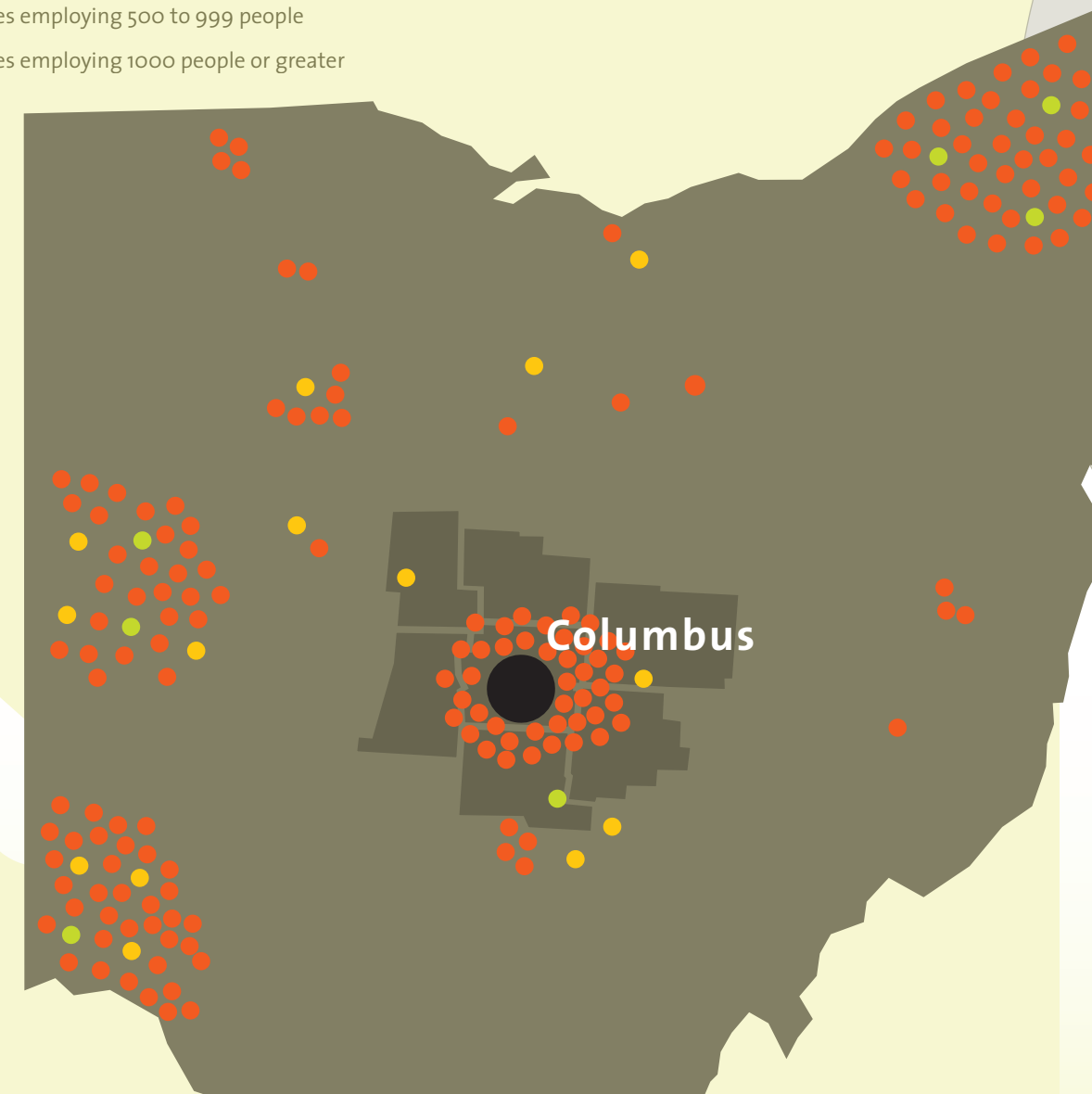


The Columbus Region is a seven-county economic development region in central Ohio comprised of Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Licking, Madison, Pickaway and Union counties.

## Major Japanese-owned manufacturing plants in Ohio.

### Legend

- Companies employing up to 500 people
- Companies employing 500 to 999 people
- Companies employing 1000 people or greater



Industry classification (in parentheses):  
North American Industry Classification System/Japan Standard Industrial Classification

- AGC Automotive America Co.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Sales Office – automotive glass (423120/5322)
- Advance Technology Products, Inc.**  
Milford Center, Ohio  
Manufacturing – polyurethane tubing (326122/1912)
- Alpine Electric, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Sales office – automotive electronics (423620/5332)
- American Showa, Inc.**  
Sunbury, Ohio  
Manufacturing – shock absorbers, power steering gear boxes (336330/3013)
- American Yazaki Corp.**  
a. Columbus, Ohio  
b. Galloway, Ohio  
Distribution – automotive wiring harnesses (423120/5322)
- Appian Manufacturing Corp.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – tube bending, fabricating and assembly (332111/2393)
- AY Manufacturing**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto sunroofs; auto parts coating (336399/3013)
- Bellemar Parts Industries, Inc.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – automotive wheel assemblies (336399/3013)
- Berwick Steel Company**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – steel sheet processing (332111/2355)
- Daifuku America Corp.**  
a. Reynoldsburg, Ohio  
b. Marysville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – factory automation equipment (333922/2674)
- Daishin Industrial USA Co., Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – brazing equipment (423830/5313)
- Denso Automotive**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Denyo North America**  
Plain City, Ohio  
Distribution – welding equipment (423830/5313)
- Fuji Seki USA, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Fujitec America**  
Westerville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – elevators, escalators (333921/2674)
- Hazama Corporation**  
Worthington, Ohio  
General contractor; architectural and engineering services (236210/0611)
- Hidaka USA, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Manufacturing – sheet metal (331513/2332)
- Honda Engineering**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Engineering services (541330/8059)
- Honda of America Manufacturing, Inc.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – motorcycles (336991/3011)
- Honda of America Manufacturing**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – automobiles (336111/3011)
- Honda R&D Americas**  
Marysville, Ohio  
R&D – automotive (541330/8059)
- Honda Trading America Corp.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Logistics – parts and materials (488510/4831)
- Hoshizaki North Central Distribution Center, Inc.**  
Worthington, Ohio  
Distribution – commercial appliances (423620/5332)
- IIP USA, Inc.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – plastics (326199/1914)
- Jefferson Industries, Corp.**  
West Jefferson, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto body components (336211/3012)
- KNB Tools of America, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Manufacturing – machine tools (333510/2641)
- Kubota Tractor Corp.**  
a. Columbus, Ohio  
b. Groveport, Ohio  
Distribution – tractors and construction equipment (421830/5391)
- London Industries, Inc.**  
London, Ohio  
Manufacturing – plastics, auto and industry (326199/1914)
- Medallion Club**  
Westerville, Ohio  
Development – real estate and golf course (713910/8443)
- Meiji Corporation**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – mechanical parts (423830/5319)
- Midwest Express**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Freight transportation and logistics (484120/4411)
- Motoman, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – factory automation (423830/5319)
- MTD USA**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution and service – equipment (423830/5319)
- NEX Transport, Inc.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Freight transportation and logistics (484120/4411)
- Nicrotech America**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Manufacturing – heat-treating trays (332999/2599)
- Nifco America Corp.**  
Canal Winchester, Ohio  
Manufacturing – plastic stampings and assembled components (326199/1914)
- Nippon USA**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Contractor – paving (237310/0631)
- Nippon Express USA, Inc. II**  
Grove City, Ohio  
Freight distribution center (493110/4711)
- Nissei America Inc., Ohio Technical Center**  
Gahanna, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Nissin International Transport USA, Inc.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Freight forwarding (488510/4822)
- Nissan Travel Service USA, Inc.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Travel agency (561510/8311)
- Nissin USA**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution and service – equipment (811310/8711)
- Ohashi Technica USA Manufacturing, Inc.**  
Sunbury, Ohio  
Manufacturing – industrial hardware (332510/2529)
- Ohio Metal Technologies Company**  
Hebron, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336330/3013)
- Ohio Takamatsu Electric Company**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- OTEC, Inc. (Ohio Takamatsu Electric Co.)**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing and distribution – automation systems (333922/2674)
- Panasonic**  
a. Dublin, Ohio, Automotive Systems  
Distribution – automotive electronics (423620/5332)
- Pioneer Electronics, Inc.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Service center – consumer electronics (812111/8721)
- Rikenkaki America Corp.**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- S.P. Carbide Die**  
Lewis Center, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336330/3013)
- Sakurai USA**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Service – printing equipment (811310/8711)
- Sekisui America Corp.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Shotic America Corp.**  
Mount Sterling, Ohio  
Aluminum forging (332212/2453)
- Showa Aluminum Corporation of America**  
Mount Sterling, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts (331310-2432)
- Stanley Electric US**  
London, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336320/3013)
- Sumitomo Electric Wiring Systems, Inc.**  
Marysville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – automotive wiring systems (336322/3013)
- Sunfield Co., Ltd.**  
Hebron, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts stamping (336370/3013)
- Taiyo America**  
a. Plain City, Ohio  
b. Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – hydraulic/pneumatic cylinders (423710/5319)
- Teijin-DuPont Film**  
Circleville, Ohio  
Manufacturing – polyester audio and videotape film (326113/1921)
- THK Manufacturing**  
Hebron, Ohio  
Manufacturing – linear motion products (333922/2674)
- Tigerpoly Manufacturing, Inc.**  
Grove City, Ohio  
Manufacturing – plastic and rubber auto parts (326199/1914)
- TKS Industrial Company**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – automotive painting systems (333298/2669)
- Toagosei America DBA Crazy Glue**  
West Jefferson, Ohio  
Manufacturing – adhesives (325520/1794)
- Tokiwa Sangyo Co., Ltd.**  
a. Columbus, Ohio  
b. Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution – industrial machinery and equipment (423830/5319)
- Tomasco Mulciber, Inc.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts stamping (336370/3013)
- Tomita USA, Inc.**  
Plain City, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts and equipment (423120/5322)
- Tosoh SMD, Inc.**  
Grove City, Ohio  
Manufacturing – semiconductors and electronics (334419/2799)
- TS Tech NA, Inc./TS Tech USA, Inc.**  
Reynoldsburg, Ohio  
Manufacturing and distribution – R&D (55114/3013) (336360/3013)
- TS Trim Industries**  
Canal Winchester, Ohio  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336360/3013)
- Yamato Transport USA, Inc.**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Freight forwarding (488510/4822)
- Yaskawa Engineered Systems Group**  
Dublin, Ohio  
Distribution and service – factory automation equipment (423830/5319)
- Yazaki North America**  
Columbus, Ohio  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Yokohama Tire Corporation**  
Groveport, Ohio  
Distribution – tires (423130/5322)
- Yokowo Manufacturing of America LLC**  
Hilliard, Ohio  
Manufacturing – vehicle antennas and wire harnesses (336322/3013)

### Adjacent Counties

- AGC Automotive**  
Bellefontaine, Ohio (Logan County)  
Manufacturing – automotive glass (327215/2212)
- Belletech Corp.**  
Bellefontaine, Ohio (Logan County)  
Manufacturing – automotive glass and subassemblies (327215/2212)
- Cardington Yutaka Technologies**  
Cardington, Ohio (Morrow County)  
Manufacturing – automotive torque and catalytic converters (336350/3013)
- Dana Glacier Daido America LLC**  
Bellefontaine, Ohio (Logan County)  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336312/3013)
- Han-Yei, Inc.**  
Zanesville, Ohio (Muskingum County)  
Distribution – adhesive products (424690/5229)
- HL-A Co., Inc.**  
East Liberty, Ohio (Logan County)  
Distribution – auto parts (423120/5322)
- Honda of America Manufacturing**  
East Liberty, Ohio (Logan County)  
Manufacturing – automotive engines (336312/3013)
- Meiko America, Inc.**  
East Liberty, Ohio (Logan County)  
Warehousing and distribution (493110/4711)
- Midwest Express**  
East Liberty, Ohio (Logan County)  
Freight transportation and logistics (484120/4411)
- NEX Transport, Inc.**  
East Liberty, Ohio (Logan County)  
Freight transportation and logistics (484120/4411)
- Overhead Door/Todco**  
Marion, Ohio (Marion County)  
Manufacturing – overhead truck doors and tailgates (336399/3013)
- Sakamura USA, Inc.**  
Marion, Ohio (Marion County)  
Distribution – cold forging machinery (423830/5319)
- TFO Tech Co., Ltd.**  
Jeffersonville, Ohio (Fayette County)  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336312/3013)
- US Yachiyo, Inc.**  
Marion, Ohio (Marion County)  
Manufacturing – automotive fuel tanks (336399/3013)
- Yachiyo of America**  
Marion, Ohio (Marion County)  
Holding company (55114/3013)
- YSK Corp.**  
Chillicothe, Ohio (Ross County)  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336350/3013)
- YUSA Corp.**  
Washington Court House, Ohio (Fayette County)  
Manufacturing – auto parts (336399/3013)
- ZeroOne USA Corporation**  
Bellefontaine, Ohio (Logan County)  
Engineering services (541330/8059)

**Business Support Services**  
Business support services are offered through the Columbus Chamber, the Central Ohio Japanese Association of Commerce (COJAC) and the Japan-America Society of Central Ohio (JASCO).

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