



Regional Information:
Industrial Cluster Information
Automobile and Transport Equipment

③ Yamagata
Development of eastern Japan's leading manufacturing technology base possessing a broad cluster of high quality, high precision technologies that entails large surrounding industry.

① Aomori
Aomori is perfectly suited as a base for the development and production of next-generation automobiles.

⑤ Tottori
Boasts western Japan's largest cluster of electronic devices and ICT equipment firms.

④ Fukui
High-level carbon-fiber- and titanium-processing technologies are applied to automobile and medical equipment manufacturing. The oceanfront region has a cluster of chemical industries and pharmaceutical companies.

② Akita
Support through collaboration with the electronic device industry, and opportunities provided by Akita Port, Japan's gateway to Far East Asia

⑮ Iwate
Iwate Plant of Toyota Motor Corporation is a mother plant of Toyota's compact car. Increase of accumulation of automobile-related industries is expected.
IT industries focused on embedded software technologies hold the key to enhancing the added value and the sophistication of the automotive-related industries.

⑥ Shimane
As a result of collaboration with a prefectural project, companies are increasing in the fields of special steel and ICT etc.

Hokkaido
The region is gaining attention as a manufacturing industry cluster.

⑦ Okayama
The clustering of the ultra precise manufacturing technology companies such as automobile, agricultural machinery and shipbuilding industries.
Ultraprecise manufacturing technology utilizing the knowledge accumulated in the fields of automobile manufacturing, agricultural machinery manufacturing and shipbuilding.

Niigata city
<Niigata Port aiming to become a hub port along the Sea of Japan>
•Promoting use of Niigata Port as an international hub port
•Accumulating industries to the areas around the port
Development of high value-added products utilizing the technologies of machinery and meal-related industries
Supporting the aircraft industry as a next-generation industry

⑯ Miyagi
As the nation's third largest manufacturing base of Toyota Motor Corporation, significant growth is expected.

Niigata
Industry clusters exist for metallic product fabrication, electronics and mechanical manufacturing, general machinery manufacturing and other areas.

⑧ Gumma
Industries related to transportation equipment having a high level of fundamental technology capability in terms of mold designing/manufacturing or metal working are clustered.
Aggregation of "environment and energy related industries" creating environmental technologies and products related to energy saving, new energy and the like.

Nagahama city
The center of automobile related industries, including seatbelts, mufflers, interior trim, and diesel engines.

Toyama
Toyama is home to a number of technologically advanced manufacturers.

Koriyama city
Fukushima Renewable Energy Institute, AIST was established and there are collaborations with many companies on renewable energy.

Kitakyushu city
Kitakyushu City and its surrounding areas have become the center of the automobile industry.

Shiga
A major industrial complex of the manufacturers of solar cell and lithium-ion batteries

⑨ Tochigi
Leading companies and small and medium-sized companies with excellent technology are accumulated and they have promoted interactions with universities.

⑫ Ibaraki
A total of 29 research institutes are gathered in Tsukuba. Collaborative R&D of industry-academia-government collaboration and cutting edge science and technology in Tsukuba, Ibaraki.

Fukuoka
The clustering of automobile-affiliated companies is advancing in the area, which has emerged as a major hub of production with a production capacity exceeding 1.5 million vehicles annually.
The growing presence of a brain trust base in "Silicon Island Kyushu," an area that produces some 5% of the world's semiconductors.

Kanagawa
A growing car industry accumulation, with the R&D base of Mercedes-Benz and the transfer of Nissan's Global Headquarters

Sagamihara city
A succession of major companies excelling in the fuel cell and aerospace sectors have moved into Sagamihara city.

Nagasaki
Nagasaki is actively organizing and promoting programs to attract automobile-related industries to the prefecture.

Saijo city
It is easy to ensure the industrial water in the city, and the logistics network is well developed. There are highly-skilled enterprises near the city.

Shizuoka
With optical technologies as the core technology, enterprises in Shizuoka Prefecture are pushing ahead with the development and practical application of basic technologies to support next-generation industries.

Hamamatsu city
A center for transport equipment companies (automobiles, shipbuilding, aerospace, manufacturing/processing/breakthrough technology, etc.)

Kumamoto
Companies are clustering here that function to support the Kyushu auto industry.

⑪ Gifu
Gifu Prefecture has a cluster of aerospace-related manufacturing companies such as Kawasaki Heavy Industries.

Aichi
Aichi Prefecture's total shipment amount for transportation equipment and machinery makes up about 40% of the national total (putting it at the top) and puts it in the position of Japan's automotive industry leader.

Shizuoka city
Promotion of the marine industry capitalizing on resources peculiar to Shizuoka City
"Shizuoka City, right in the middle of logistics" is suggested as the strategic base in the new era of logistics.

Kumamoto city
A cluster of automobile/two wheeled automobile production industries are a major reason Kyushu is called "Car Island".

Hiroshima
Many of the companies concentrated here possess the state-of-the-art technology and fundamental technology utilized in machinery, metal processing and resin molding compound, mainly in the automotive-related industries.

Kitanagoya city
It is suitable for the establishment of enterprises such as the aerospace industry.
The region is adjacent to Nagoya City, which is the center of all industries in Aichi Prefecture.

⑩ Nagano
Nagano Prefecture boasts one of Japan's largest clusters of companies engaged in basic manufacturing technology, such as parts with advanced functions and advanced processing.

⑭ Kagoshima
Make rapid progress towards the world and future

Nagoya city
Nagoya city is Japan's largest manufacturing center with clusters of industries in automobiles and aircrafts. Other various companies that support these industries are also accumulated in this city.
It is suitable for the establishment of enterprises such as the aerospace industry, as Komaki-Minami factory of Mitsubishi Heavy Industry, the Mitsubishi Regional Jet's (MRJ) final assembly factory, and the aviation experiment base of JAXA locates in neighboring areas.

Toyota city
Toyota city defines the next generation automobiles as the key industry and provides a preferential system with doubled amount of incentives.

Tsushiam city
Because Tsushima City is located at the center of an aircraft industry hub including Kagamihara, Komaki and Nagoya City, it ensures great accessibility and is suitable for locating a company.

Toyohashi city
Toyohashi City has the large share in the world in car carriers.

Tahara city
automotive-related industries clusters

