

Regional Information: Industrial Cluster Information

ICT

Sapporo city

The major industrial complex where over 80% of Hokkaido's IT companies are located, with an industrial park to foster the development of IT-related industries.

Hokkaido

Because of its snowy cold weather in winter, Hokkaido is garnering domestic and international attention as a location for establishment of data centers.

(5)Akita

Manufacturers with international competitive edge establish facilities; industry-university-government cooperation is vigorously implemented.

Kyoto city

A diversity of industries, from traditional industries to state-of-the-art technology industries, has converged in the city.

2Shimane

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

1Ishikawa

One of the largest information services industry concentrations in Japan; has a number of globally renowned companies, such as I-O Data and PFU.

wate

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.

With the development of research on realizing advanced ICT, study on application including regeneration medicine is also expanding. There is strong support through industry-academia-government collaboration.

Miyagi

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

Sendai city

Sendai City is home to many higher education institutions, including Tohoku University, which has some of the best research achievements in the world and which actively promotes joint research with enterprises.

From the perspective of the ease of securing human resources and business costs, many call centers and back office function bases are clustered.

IT and service companies in the health and welfare field based at Sendai-Finland Wellbeing Center have accumulated.

Fukuoka city

Hiroshima city

A creative industry is thriving with video/fashion as well as video-game-related industry.

A number of world class suppliers with

advanced technology, centred on Mazda

The center of system LSI design and development, thanks to the concentration of semiconductor related industries in Kyushu.

Koriyama city

Fukushima Medical Device Development Support Centre, comprehensively supporting medical device businesses from development to commercialization, was opened.

③Tokushima

One of the best broadband environments with high-speed internet in hilly and mountainous areas is available.

Nara

Possible to locate information and communications businesses with lower cost despite being close to major cities

Saitama city

The total value of optical equipment/lens manufactured goods shipped from Saitama City represents a 10% national share in Japan and the city is pursuing an industrial agglomeration suitable to serve as an R&D hub of related industries.

Okinawa

Formulating one of Asia's largest international information and telecommunications base, "Smart Hub"

Aichi

Aichi Prefecture is working on the development of the robot industry as the third pillar following the automobile industry and aerospace industry.

Kanagawa

Support for company activities utilizing the accumulation of robot-related industry at the top level in Japan and the special zone

Many globally-famous companies are clustered here and the creation of innovation in the industry is being promoted under public-private collaboration.

4 Nagasaki

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

Suggestion by the prefecture has been made for companies to establish offices in Nagasaki which provides abundant competent human resources and advantages.

Kitanagoya city

The region is adjacent to Nagoya City, which is the center of all industries in Aichi Prefecture.

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.

Yokohama city

Many global electronic equipment, semiconductor material, optical device and other IT-related companies are located here.

Kawasaki city

Aiming to make an international contribution through the relocation of advanced and diverse environmental technologies and know-how

