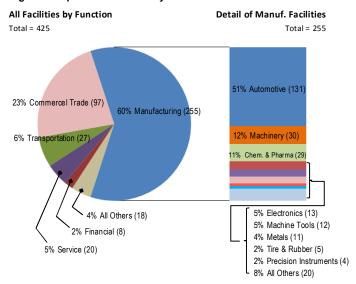
# 2013 Japanese Direct Investment Survey: Summary of Ohio Results (as of October 1, 2013)

The Consulate General of Japan in Detroit annually surveys Japanese-owned facilities and Japanese nationals in Ohio. As the 2013 data indicate, Japanese investment contributes significantly to the state economy.

### **FACILITIES**

Japan ranks among the top foreign investors in Ohio with 425 facilities. The majority of Japanese facilities (255) are manufacturers; 51% of manufacturing facilities are automotive-related. There are 97 commercial trade businesses, accounting for 23% of all facilities.

Figure 1: Japanese Facilities by Sector



## **EMPLOYMENT**

Japanese facilities provide 69,138 jobs in Ohio, 98% of which are held by Ohioans.

Figure 2: Long-term Japanese Investment Trends

		Total	Employee Breakdown		Manufacturing	
Year	Facilities	Employees	Local	Japanese	Employees	
2013	425	69,138	67,646	1,492	40,320	
2012	426	66,286	64,788	1,498	37,623	
2008	440	64,098	62,483	1,615	37,253	
2003	418	65,995	64,347	1,648	38,911	
Percent Change						
1 Year	-0.2%	4.3%	4.4%	-0.4%	7.2%	
5 Year	-3.4%	7.9%	8.3%	-7.6%	8.2%	
10 Year	1.7%	4.8%	5.1%	-9.5%	3.6%	

NOTE: Japanese facilities are defined as non-franchised operations with at least a 10% share of Japanese ownership. Past years' data are periodically revised.

### **GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION**

The central region's 117 facilities, which provide 21,725 (31% of total) jobs, are mostly automotive production related. Other areas of the state, such as the southwest and northeast, are home to Japanese businesses in a diverse range of sectors including chemicals, pharmaceuticals and rubber.

Figure 3: Japanese Investment by Region (Top Counties)

		Total	Manufacturing
Region	Facilities	Employees	Employees
Central	117	21,725	12,027
• Franklin County	79	5,136	2,338
<ul> <li>Union County</li> </ul>	13	9,488	4,458
Southwest	136	16,900	9,988
<ul> <li>Hamilton County</li> </ul>	42	2,459	767
Northeast	93	6,682	2,715
<ul> <li>Cuyahoga County</li> </ul>	43	1,830	426
Northwest	69	23,110	15,137
Southeast	10	721	453

# **JAPANESE POPULATION**

As of January 2014, there are 12,320 Japanese nationals in Ohio, most of whom reside in the central region of the state.

Figure 3: Japanese Population (Top 5 Cities)

