

## JAPAN

### Advanced Composite Materials Corp (1977)

1525 S Buncombe Rd  
Greer, SC 29651-9235  
County: Spartanburg  
James F. Rhodes, Chmn Bd & CEO  
Phone: (864) 877-0123  
Fax: (864) 879-6615  
MANUF Reinforced ceramics  
Employment: 28  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Tateho Chemical Industries Co  
Ako-Shi, JAPAN

### AVX Corp (1948)

17th Ave S  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577  
County: Horry  
John Gilbertson, Pres  
Phone: (843) 448-9411  
Fax: (843) 448-7139  
Web Site: www.avxcorp.com  
MANUF Electronic components  
Employment: 2,121  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Joint Venture: Kyocera Corp  
Kyoto, JAPAN

### Coates Inks Inc (1980)

1511 S Batesville Rd  
Greer, SC 29650  
County: Greenville  
Martin R. Darby, Man Dir  
Phone: (864) 288-4931  
Fax: (864) 234-4973  
E-Mail: coates@coatesink.com  
MANUF Water based printing ink  
Employment: 42  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Dainippon Ink and Chemicals Inc  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Alcoa Fujikura Ltd-Telco Div (1985)

150 Ridgeview Cir  
Duncan, SC 29334-9635  
County: Spartanburg  
Gary L. McCullough, VP, Op  
Phone: (864) 433-0333  
Fax: (864) 433-5560  
MANUF Fiber Optic Cable Systems  
Employment: 436  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Alcoa Fujikura Ltd  
Brentwood, TN  
Joint Venture: Fujikura Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN  
Alcoa  
Pittsburgh, PA

### AVX Corp

801 17th Ave S  
Conway, SC 29526  
County: Horry  
John Gilbertson, Pres  
Phone: (843) 946-0466  
Fax: (843) 946-0466  
Web Site: www.avxcorp.com  
E-Mail: finance@avxcorp.com  
MANUF Electronic components  
Employment: 186  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Joint Venture: Kyocera Corp  
Kyoto, JAPAN

### DuPont Teijin Films (1961)

6901 DuPont Dr, Hwy 301N  
Florence, SC 29506  
County: Florence  
John S. Murashige, P M  
Phone: (843) 667-7000  
Fax: (843) 667-7561  
MANUF Polyester film  
Employment: 385  
Parent: El Du Pont de Nemours and Co  
Wilmington, DE  
Joint Venture: Teijin Ltd  
Chiyoda-ku, JAPAN

### Ami Candle Inc (1990)

298 Commercial Rd  
Spartanburg, SC 29303-6303  
County: Spartanburg  
Michael Graybill, GM  
Phone: (864) 578-7819  
Fax: (864) 578-7829  
E-Mail: mikeg@amicandles.com  
MANUF Candles  
Employment: 35  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Kameyama Co Ltd  
Kameyama, JAPAN

### Beloit Manhattan Product Center (1979)

25 Beloit St  
Aiken, SC 29801  
County: Aiken  
Jim Morris, GM  
Phone: (803) 649-1541  
Fax: (803) 649-1036  
Web Site: www.beloit.com  
MANUF Coverings-papermill rolls  
Employment: 145  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Beloit Corporation  
Deerfield, IL  
Joint Venture: Mitsubishi Chemical Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Ebara International Corp (1995)

1651 Cedarline Dr  
Waterford Business Park  
Rock Hill, SC 29730  
County: York  
Martin Perlmutter, VP & GM  
Phone: (803) 327-5005  
Fax: (803) 327-5097  
Web Site: www.pumpseara.com  
E-Mail: info@pumpseara.com  
BUS SERV Centrifugal pumps  
Employment: 25  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Ebara Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Associated Fuel Pump Systems Corp (AFCO) (1990)

1100 Scotts Bridge Rd  
Anderson, SC 29621  
County: Anderson  
Masayuki Iyoda, Pres  
Phone: (864) 224-0012  
Fax: (864) 224-2927  
MANUF Automotive fuel pumps  
Employment: 300  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Robert Bosch GmbH  
Stuttgart, GERMANY  
Joint Venture: Nippon Denso Co Ltd  
Kariya, JAPAN

### Bridgestone Firestone South Carolina (1997)

#1 Bridgestone Pkwy  
Graniteville, SC 29829  
County: Aiken  
Nabuo Kawakami, Pres  
Phone: (803) 232-2000  
MANUF Passenger and light truck  
tires  
Employment: 682  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Bridgestone/Firestone Inc  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Exide Corp (1961)

1 Freedom Ct  
Greer, SC 29650  
County: Greenville  
Dave Johnson, Mgr  
Phone: (864) 848-9088  
Fax: (864) 848-0190  
DISTR Battery distribution and  
wholesale  
Employment: 14  
Parent: Yuasa Corporation  
Tokyo, JAPAN

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### Firestone Building Products (1994)

Old Lake City Hwy 186  
Kingstree, SC 29556  
County: Williamsburg  
Larry W. Crabtree, P M  
Phone: (843) 382-5040  
Fax: (843) 382-5048  
Web Site: www.firestonebpCocom  
MANUF Rubber sheeting  
Employment: 279  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Bridgestone/Firestone Inc  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Fuji Copian Corporation (1989)

1214 State Hwy 34 E  
Winnsboro, SC 29180  
County: Fairfield  
Hiroshi Hanada, Pres  
Phone: (803) 635-9799  
Fax: (803) 635-9805  
MANUF OEM typewriter cassettes  
Employment: 209  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Fujicopian Co Ltd  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Fuji Photo Film Inc (1988)

211 Pucketts Ferry Rd  
Greenwood, SC 29649-7915  
County: Greenwood  
Hirokuni Watanabe, Pres  
Phone: (864) 223-2888  
Fax: (864) 388-1905  
MANUF Graphic arts products  
Employment: 1,350  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Fuji Photo Film Co Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Fuji Photo Film Inc- Distribution

921 State Rd, 246 South  
Greenwood, SC 29648  
County: Greenwood  
Hirokuni Watanabe, Pres  
Phone: (864) 223-2888  
Fax: (864) 388-1905  
DISTR Photographic film  
Employment: 1,350  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Fuji Photo Film Co Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### GDS Seating Inc (1995)

10 Jack Casey Ct  
Fountain Inn, SC 29644  
County: Greenville  
Mike Minoru Amemiya, Pres  
Phone: (864) 862-9580  
Fax: (864) 862-9588  
Web Site: www.gdsseating.com  
E-Mail: hthomas@mindspring.com  
MANUF Plastic and Upholstered  
stadium and platform chairs  
Employment: 63  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Kotobuki Corp  
Chiyoda-Ku, JAPAN

### Highland Industries Inc (1988)

650 Chesterfield Hwy  
Cheraw, SC 29520  
County: Chesterfield  
David Johnson, Dir of Mfg  
Phone: (843) 537-2121  
Fax: (843) 537-8274  
Web Site: www.highlandindustries.com  
E-Mail: david-johnson@takata.com  
MANUF Industrial synthetic material  
Employment: 400  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Takata Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Hitachi Electronic Devices (USA) Inc (1989)

575 Mauldin Rd  
Greenville, SC 29607  
County: Greenville  
Kenichi Fukuzawa, Pres  
Phone: (864) 299-2600  
Fax: (864) 299-2700  
Web Site: www.hedus.com  
E-Mail: bill.davis@hedus.com  
MANUF Television picture tubes  
Employment: 1,150  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Hitachi Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Honda of South Carolina Mfg Inc (1997)

111 Honda Way  
Timmonsville, SC 29161  
County: Florence  
Yoshiki Ishida, Pres  
Phone: (843) 346-8000  
Fax: (843) 346-8069  
E-Mail: bill\_kalp@hsc.honda.com  
MANUF All terrain vehicles  
Employment: 447  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Honda Motor Company Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### ISE Newberry Inc (1982)

2063 Alexander St  
Newberry, SC 29108  
County: Newberry  
Douglas C. Wicker, V P  
Phone: (803) 276-5803  
Fax: (803) 276-4468  
MANUF Egg processing & egg  
products  
Employment: 130  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: ISE Nankai H Co  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Kawai Finishing Inc (1995)

1704 Poplar Dr  
Greer, SC 29651  
County: Greenville  
Masayuki Nishio, Exec VP  
Phone: (864) 848-9995  
Fax: (864) 848-9975  
MANUF Hi-end wood finishing  
Employment: 16  
Trade Activity: Import  
Parent: Kawai Musical Instruments Mfg  
Co Ltd  
Hamamatsu, JAPAN

### Kosi Office Systems Inc (1995)

820 Gracern Rd  
Columbia, SC 29210-7629  
County: Richland  
R. L. Moore, Pres & Owner  
Phone: (803) 798-8081  
Fax: (803) 731-0231  
DISTR Copiers-Fax-Printers  
Employment: 15  
Trade Activity: Import  
Parent: Konica Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Koyo Corp Of USA (1975)

Hwy 601 N  
Orangeburg, SC 29115  
County: Orangeburg  
Gary W. Coonrad, VP & GM  
Phone: (803) 536-6200  
Fax: (803) 534-0599  
MANUF Ball & roller bearings  
Employment: 850  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Koyo Seiko Co Ltd  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Koyo Corp Of USA-Manufacturing Div (1995)

1006 N Point Blvd  
Blythewood, SC 29016  
County: Richland  
Robert Sullivan, PM  
Phone: (803) 691-4624  
Fax: (803) 691-4655  
MANUF Bearing hub assemblies  
Employment: 175  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Koyo Seiko Co Ltd  
Osaka, JAPAN

### KSSC Inc (1988)

147 Pendleton St NW  
Aiken, SC 29801-3859  
County: Aiken  
Samuel M. Brock, Mgr  
Phone: (803) 642-6864  
BUS SERV Customer service center  
Employment: 6  
Parent: Sekisui Chemical Co Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

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### Kyocera Mita South Carolina Inc (1990)

1 Mita Blvd  
Fountain Inn, SC 29644-0789  
County: Greenville  
Mitsuzo Takeshita, Pres  
Phone: (864) 967-2150  
Fax: (864) 967-9332  
E-Mail: mitasc@innova.net  
MANUF Copy machine toner & supplies  
Employment: 141  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Kyocera Corp  
Kyoto, JAPAN

### Lube USA Inc (1987)

781 Congaree Rd  
Greenville, SC 29607  
County: Greenville  
Brenda Rivard, CFO  
Phone: (864) 297-3950  
Fax: (864) 242-1652  
Web Site: www.lubeusa.com  
MANUF Centralized Lubrication Systems  
Employment: 14  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Lube Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Maxcess Technologies Inc (1995)

235 Deming Way  
Summerville, SC 29483  
County: Dorchester  
Andy Miarka, Exec VP  
Phone: (843) 821-1200  
Fax: (843) 821-0405  
Web Site: www.accessfloor.com  
E-Mail: inform@dycon.com  
MANUF Raised flooring systems  
Employment: 145  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Hitachi Metals Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN  
Joint Venture: Hitachi Maxco Ltd  
Atlanta, GA  
ASP Access Floors Inc  
Toronto, CANADA

### Mitsubishi Polyester Film Co (1963)

2001 Hood Rd  
Greer, SC 29650  
County: Greenville  
Steve Yurich, Pres & COO  
Phone: (864) 879-5000  
Fax: (864) 879-5006  
MANUF Polyester film  
Employment: 772  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Mitsubishi Chemical Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Mitsui OSK Lines America Inc

385 Meeting St, Ste 100  
Charleston, SC 29403  
County: Charleston  
Barbara Chinnors  
Phone: (843) 965-4900  
BUS SERV Steamship line  
Employment: 7  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Mitsui OSK Lines Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### NICCA USA Inc (1988)

1044 S Nelson Rd  
Fountain Inn, SC 29644-8873  
County: Laurens  
Fumio Takeuchi, Pres  
Phone: (864) 862-1426  
Fax: (864) 862-1427  
Web Site: www.nicca.usa.com  
MANUF Industrial organic chemicals  
Employment: 45  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: NICCA Chemical Co Ltd  
Fukui, Fukui JAPAN

### Nippon Carbide Industries (SC) Inc (1999)

1250 Perimeter Rd  
Greenville, SC 29605  
County: Greenville  
Kakusaburo Nakanishi, Pres  
Phone: (864) 277-7717  
Fax: (864) 277-8151  
MANUF Chemical manufacturing  
Employment: 18  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Nippon Carbide Industries Co Inc  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### NTB Greenville Inc (1975)

1403 Piedmont Hwy (Hwy 20 S)  
Greenville, SC 29605  
County: Greenville  
Takaomi Yanase, G M  
Phone: (864) 277-0980  
Fax: (864) 277-4133  
MANUF Paulownia logs, exporting  
Employment: 16  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Nankai Travel International Co  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Oak-Mitsui (1991)

29 Battleship Rd Ext  
Camden, SC 29020  
County: Kershaw  
John Fatcheric, PM  
Phone: (803) 425-7900  
Fax: (803) 425-7925  
MANUF Copper foil  
Employment: 93  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Oak-Mitsui Inc  
Hoosick Falls, NY  
Joint Venture: Honeywell International  
Morristown, NJ  
Mitsui Mining and Smelting  
Ageo, JAPAN

### Ryobi Motor Products Corp (1952)

1424 Pearman Dairy Rd  
Anderson, SC 29625  
County: Anderson  
Carl Klebe, VP Op  
Phone: (864) 226-7641  
Fax: (864) 964-6910  
BUS SERV Corporate offices for manufacturer  
Employment: 929  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Ryobi Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Ryobi Motor Products Corp (1939)

225 Pumpkintown Hwy  
Pickens, SC 29671  
County: Pickens  
E. Carl Klebe, G M  
Phone: (864) 878-6331  
Fax: (864) 878-7504  
MANUF Power driven hand tools  
Employment: 900  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Ryobi Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Sekido Technology Corp (1995)

780 Hampton Rd  
Williamston, SC 29697-9225  
County: Anderson  
Koji Sekido, Pres  
Phone: (864) 225-7707  
Fax: (864) 260-9207  
MANUF Metal forgings  
Employment: 9  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Sekido Kiko Manufacturing Co  
Nagoya, JAPAN

### Showa Denko Carbon Inc (1988)

478 Ridge Rd  
Ridgeville, SC 29472  
County: Dorchester  
Stephen L. Ulmer, Pres  
Phone: (843) 875-3200  
Fax: (843) 875-2640  
Web Site: www.sdkc.com  
MANUF Graphite electrodes/granular graphite  
Employment: 208  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Showa Denko KK  
Tokyo, JAPAN

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### South Carolina Yutaka Technologies (SCYT) (1999)

2 Business Pkwy  
Heritage Point Industrial Park  
Lugoff, SC 29078  
County: Kershaw  
Minoru Okamoto, Pres  
Phone: (803) 408-9770  
Fax: (803) 408-9703  
E-Mail: scyt@camden.net  
MANUF ATV steering and suspension parts  
Employment: 84  
Trade Activity: Import  
Parent: Yutaka Giken Co Ltd  
Hamamatsu-shi, JAPAN

### Sumter Metal Products (1996)

1990 Corporate Way  
Sumter, SC 29154  
County: Sumter  
John Macloskie, P M  
Phone: (803) 481-4786  
Fax: (803) 481-4816  
E-Mail: macloskie@cpis.net  
MANUF Battery trays  
Employment: 143  
Parent: Yuasa Corporation  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Takata Restraint Systems Inc (1988)

650 Chesterfield Rd  
Cheraw, SC 29520  
County: Chesterfield  
Harold Lomas, VP, Op  
Phone: (843) 537-2121  
Fax: (843) 537-8296  
Web Site: www.takata.com  
MANUF Automotive restraints  
Employment: 480  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Takata Corp  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### TCM Manufacturing USA Inc (1988)

107 McQueen St  
West Columbia, SC 29172  
County: Lexington  
Kazuyoshi Manabe, Pres  
Phone: (803) 791-5205  
Fax: (803) 796-8975  
MANUF Forklifts  
Employment: 90  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: TCM Corp  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Textube Corp (1957)

1628 Poplar Dr Ext  
Greer, SC 29651  
County: Greenville  
Masuhiko Yazaki, Pres  
Phone: (864) 877-7405  
Fax: (864) 877-6272  
Web Site: www.textube.com  
E-Mail: info@textube.com  
MANUF Modular material handling systems  
Employment: 90  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Yazaki Industrial Chemical Co Ltd  
Shizuoka, JAPAN

### TMC Inc (1999)

5199 Frontage Rd  
Greenville, SC 29611  
County: Greenville  
Brad Baker, PM  
Phone: (864) 269-6990  
MANUF Steel service center  
Employment: NR  
Parent: Sumitomo Corp  
JAPAN

### TNS Advanced Technologies (1994)

681 De Young Rd  
Greer, SC 29651  
County: Spartanburg  
Brady Griffin, P M  
Phone: (864) 968-0592  
Fax: (864) 879-4639  
MANUF Geotextiles  
Employment: 55  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### TNS Food Service Management Inc (1990)

856 S Pleasantburg Rd  
Greenville, SC 29607  
County: Greenville  
Kiyohiro Tsuzuki, Pres  
Phone: (864) 288-8471  
Fax: (864) 298-0235  
BUS SERV Food service management  
Employment: 118  
Trade Activity: Import  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### TNS Mills Inc (1967)

856 S Pleasantburg Dr  
Greenville, SC 29607-2455  
County: Greenville  
Kiyohiro Tsuzuki, Chm Bd  
Phone: (864) 242-1293  
Fax: (864) 233-6581  
Web Site: www.tnsmillslnccom  
E-Mail: bob@tns.com  
BUS SERV Textiles  
Employment: 36  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### TNS Mills Inc (1982)

400 TNS Rd  
Spartanburg, SC 29303  
County: Spartanburg  
Ron Hoover, PIP Mgr  
Phone: (864) 585-4051  
Fax: (864) 582-8555  
MANUF Cotton yarn  
Employment: 300  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### TNS Mills Inc-Blacksburg Div (1967)

210 Henson Rd  
Blacksburg, SC 29702-1223  
County: Cherokee  
Sean Moore, P M  
Phone: (864) 839-6255  
Fax: (864) 839-5868  
MANUF Cotton yarn  
Employment: 300  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### TNS Mills Inc-Gaffney Division (1989)

325 Wilcox Ave  
Gaffney, SC 29341  
County: Cherokee  
Don Church, P M  
Phone: (864) 487-5272  
Fax: (864) 582-3264  
MANUF Yarn  
Employment: 293  
Parent: Tsuzuki Spinning Company Ltd  
Nagoya City, JAPAN

### US Alumoweld Co Inc (1989)

115 USAC Dr  
Duncan, SC 29334  
County: Spartanburg  
J. J. Underwood, CEO  
Phone: (864) 848-1901  
Fax: (864) 848-1909  
Web Site: www.alumoweld.com  
E-Mail: sales@alumoweld.com  
MANUF Wire & strand products (bi-metallic)  
Employment: 83  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Japan Alumoweld Co Inc  
Numazu, JAPAN

### US Engine Valve Company (1988)

7039 S Hwy 11  
Westminster, SC 29693  
County: Oconee  
Scott Krueger, PM  
Phone: (864) 647-2061  
Fax: (864) 647-2649  
MANUF Engine valves  
Employment: 270  
Trade Activity: Export  
Parent: Nittan Valve Co Ltd  
Tokyo, JAPAN  
Joint Venture: Eaton Corp  
Cleveland, OH

### Ward Tire (1990)

425 N Hwy 52  
Moncks Corner, SC 29461  
County: Berkeley  
Charlie Baker, Mgr  
Phone: (843) 761-6700  
Fax: (843) 899-6328  
DISTR Tires & tubes  
Employment: 13  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Bridgestone/Firestone Inc  
Tokyo, JAPAN

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### Wateree Textile Corp (1974)

412 Groves St  
Lugoff, SC 29078  
County: Kershaw  
Kazumasa Tazoe, Pres  
Phone: (803) 438-3416  
Fax: (803) 438-9469  
MANUF Synthetic lining fabric  
Employment: 151  
Trade Activity: Import  
Parent: Marubeni Corporation  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Yamato USA Inc (1991)

3465 Lakemont Blvd  
Fort Mill, SC 29708  
County: York  
Ken Yagami, Pres  
Phone: (803) 548-0334  
Fax: (803) 548-0405  
DISTR Sewing machines  
Employment: 23  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Yamato Sewing Machine Mfg Co Ltd  
Osaka, JAPAN

### Yanagawa of South Carolina (YSC) (1999)

Rt 5 Box 469 B  
Clarendon County Industrial Park  
Manning, SC 29102  
County: Clarendon  
Noboru Furishi, Pres  
Phone: (803) 505-9100  
Fax: (803) 505-9102  
MANUF Critical components for  
ATVs  
Employment: 26  
Parent: Kyushu Yanagawa Seiki  
Tokyo, JAPAN

### Yuasa-Exide Inc (1965)

Hwy 15 S (Cain's Mill Rd)  
Sumter County Indus Complex  
Sumter, SC 29150  
County: Sumter  
Doyle Thresher, P M  
Phone: (803) 481-5941  
Fax: (803) 481-6222  
MANUF Electric storage batteries  
Employment: 460  
Trade Activity: Import & Export  
Parent: Yuasa Corporation  
Tokyo, JAPAN

JAPAN SUMMARY	
FACILITIES:	58
EMPLOYMENT:	17,151