

Table 1**Major Publicly Traded Companies in Tohoku**

Company	Industry	Location
Tohoku Electric Power	Electric power	Sendai
Tohoku Electric Commission	Construction	Sendai
Nippon Kasei Chemical	Chemicals	Iwaki
Kawasaki Electric	Electrical	Nanyo
Tokin	Electronics	Sendai
Tohoku Telecommunications	Electronics	Sendai
Chuo Denki Kogyo	Ferroalloys	Myokokogen
Toyo Knife	Metal products	Sendai
Kamei	Retail	Sendai
Marumitsu Department Store	Retail	Sendai
Fujisaki Department Store	Retail	Sendai
Seventy-seven Bank	Bank	Sendai
Aomori Bank	Bank	Aomori
Akita Bank	Bank	Akita
Yamagata Bank	Bank	Yamagata
Iwate Bank	Bank	Iwate
Toho Bank	Bank	Fukushima
Tokuyo Sogo Bank	Bank	Sendai
Michinoku Bank	Bank	Aomori