

Table 1 – Plant Numbers – Owens-Illinois Glass Co.

No.	Location 1	Dates	Location 2	Dates
1	Toledo, OH	1930-1940		
2	Huntington, WV	1930-1990		
3	Fairmont, WV	1930-1980	Muskogee, OK	1988-present
4	Clarksburg, WV	1930-1944 (idle)	Brockport, NY	1961-1984
5	Cincinnati, OH	1930-1933 (idle)	Charlotte, MI	1963-2010
6	Charleston, WV	1930-1962	Winston-Salem, NC	1980-present
7	Alton, IL	1930-1983		
8	Glassboro, NJ	1930-1940 ††††	New Orleans Lapel, IN	1961-1984 1988-present
9	Streator, IL	1930-present		
10	Newark, OH	1930-1938*	Atlanta, GA	1957-present**
11	Evansville, IN	1930-1939 (idle)	North Bergen, NJ Freehold, NJ	1963-1982 1988-1991
12	Gas City, IN	1930-1982	Zanesville, OH	1988-present
13	Chicago Heights, IL	1930-1939 ††††	Montgomery, AL	1988-1991
14	Bridgeton, NJ	1930-1984		
15	Okmulgee, OK	1930-1939***	Waco, TX	1944-present
16	Minotola, NJ	1930-1933	Lakeland, FL	1965-2001
17	Clarion, PA	1930-2010		
18	Columbus, OH	1930-1948	Brockway, PA	1988-present
19	Hazelhurst, PA	1930-1931 (idle)	Crenshaw, PA	1988-present
20	Brackinridge, PA	1930-1940 (idle)†††	Oakland, CA	1936-present
21	San Francisco, CA	1932-1937	Portland, OR	1956-present
22	San Francisco, CA	1932-1937	Tracy CA	1962-present
23	Los Angeles, CA	1932-present [1932-?]	[LA 3]	[1949-present]

24	Los Angeles, CA	1932-1937	Mansfield, MA Ada, OK	1975-1981 1988-1991
25	Terre Haute, IN	1934-1950†	Volney, NY	1985-2001
26	Muncie, IN	1933-1939**** [19??-1945]	Toano, VA	1990-present
27	Toledo††	1960-1970s	Oakland South, CA	1988-1989
28	Pomona, CA	1988-1994	Windsor, CO	2005-present
29	Danville, VA	1988-present		
30	Toronto, Ont.††	1997-2009		
31	Brampton ††	1997-present		
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33	Chicago Heights, IL ‡	1949-1999	Milton	1997-2003
34	Montreal ††	1997-present		
35	Auburn, NY	1994-present		
36	Scoudouc ††	1997-2009		
37	Lavington ††	1997-2009		
51	Antiock, CA	1997-1997		
52	Hayward, CA	1997-2001		
55	R.M.B.C. CO ‡‡	1988-present		

* Newark closed July 1, 1930; idle until 1934; then produced fiberglass

** Atlanta – plans for plant May 13, 1944; a 1949 *Life Magazine* photo and caption show smoke coming from the stack at the Atlanta plant.

*** Idle after 1932

† Idle after 1936

†† A Libby Glass Co. plant temporarily made liquor containers (possibly only a few) at Toledo in the 1960 and possibly 1970s. It was assigned Plant #27.

††† These Canadian plants (formerly Consumer's Glass Co.) were not given Owens-Illinois numbers until 2001.

‡ The Chicago Heights plant was sold to Gersheimer as they were the only distributor for the plants total output.(ie Borosilicate glass). It was originally plant #13 until it was sold to Kimble. When it was later repurchased, it had to be given a different number (ie 33) as the old #13 had been reassigned to another factory. (note: this is all only a guess on my part - I like this as an answer but I bet it is wrong) [Per Phil]

‡‡ Joint venture – was Coors Beer and Anchor Glass; now Coors Beer and Owens-Illinois

**** Early study shows Muncie idle in 1940; thus, 1945 closing date is likely correct.

‡‡‡ The plant was idled 8-31 and never restated until WWII when it made land mine top covers.
‡‡‡‡ Glassboro plant was altered to make closures in 1936 so it could not produce glass containers after that.
†††† The Kimble Glass Co. purchased the Chicago Heights plant in 1939. When Owens-Illinois acquired the Kimble factories in 1949, Chicago Heights returned as Plant No. 33.