

## Northern Virginia versus Greater Boston: Closed versus Open Business Systems in High-tech Clusters

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This paper has two parts. The first is a review of Paul Cerruzzi's study of the postwar emergence and development of the high-tech cluster of Northern Virginia to a roughly comparable size to Greater Boston.<sup>1</sup> The second is constituted by a set of self-explanatory tables that apply vTHREAD to draw implications for industrial innovation of two different regional business models and business/government institutional systems.

Until World War Two, Washington DC was a town without industry. The *Washington Post* was the national capitol's largest private employer. Dairy farming was the major sector in the adjacent counties of northern Virginia. Fast forward to the year 2000 and northern Virginia had become the third largest high tech region in the United States. Washington's 426,000 high tech jobs trumped every region in the United States except Silicon Valley's 629,000 and Boston's 526,000 and dwarfed Seattle's 234,000 (Ceruzzi: 15). Two-thirds of Washington's total were in the Virginia suburbs, more precisely along a corridor stretching from the Pentagon via Tysons Corner west to Dulles International Airport.

The growth in employment numbers are not in doubt. But how did it come about? What are the industries and companies that have come to populate the regional economy? Why did the particular industries emerge when they did and grow to employ nearly half a million high tech professionals? In contrast to Silicon Valley and Boston's Route 128, the industrial transformation and growth is an untold story. No longer. Paul Ceruzzi's *Internet Alley: High Technology in Tysons Corner, 1945-2005* fills the void.

Read as a contribution to the comparative research on regional high tech systems the book is highly informative. It offers an account of the wartime origins of America's unique national research management system that profoundly changed the relationship between business and science in postwar America and which is all too often obscured in the regional innovation system literature. A study of high tech in Northern Virginia cannot ignore the 'management' role of the federal government in the nation's research system and in the creation of America's high tech industries.

However, the book is frustrating. The author's stated claim, as suggested by the title, is to offer an account of the internet industry and how it came to be concentrated in Northern Virginia and in the process transformed the region's business system into an innovative regional system like that of Silicon Valley and Boston's Route 128. This claim is not convincing. This is unfortunate as it takes away from the important contributions the book makes both to the unique aspects of

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<sup>1</sup> Paul Ceruzzi (2008), *Internet Alley: High Technology in Tysons Corner, 1945-2005*, Cambridge: MIT Press. A version without the tables was published in *Business History*, Vol. 53, No. 6, October 2011.

Northern Virginia' business system and, indirectly, to the creation of a national science and technology infrastructure that has been central to American leadership in high tech industries and their development in America's innovative high tech industrial districts. I start with the contributions.

Ceruzzi traces the origins of the northern Virginia's high tech industrialization to World War Two and the creation of a technologically advanced weapons industry. Its success inspired the 'golden age of science' in America including the transformation of the nation's research system.

Ceruzzi's key input is an historical account of the creation of an internationally unique three-way, inter-organizational relationships among government, science and business during World War Two that, in turn, established the operational capacity and institutional foundations of America's postwar science and technology infrastructure. Here Ceruzzi is particularly interesting. The story of the embrace of science for strategic military purposes leads straight to Vannevar Bush hailed by *Time* magazine as the 'man who won the war'. Dubbed the 'Engineer of the American Century', Bush's biographer provides an account of how Bush used his position as a leader of the scientific community and his connection with a relative of President Roosevelt's in investment banking to meet with and gain the confidence of the President (Zachary 1999).<sup>2</sup> Bush saw the President as a means of doing an end-run around the military establishment to put himself in charge of science-based weapon systems research and development. The President was easy to convince.

In May 1941, President Roosevelt approved the creation of the Office of Scientific Research and Development (OSRD), composed of scientists, with Bush as chairman. This gave Bush the governmental authority to fund research to design, develop and produce weapons outside the military command structure (Zachary 1999: 129).

Bush's organizational vision was uniquely decentralized. Whereas the German concept was to employ scientists within the military and to make industry subservient to state directives, Bush's concept was to establish a mission-driven agency within the government to administer a three-way partnership amongst the scientific community, industry, and the government subject to the necessary condition that the terms of the partnership respected and leveraged the autonomy and distinctive roles of each.

The revolutionary character of the government's relations with the scientific community were captured in the words of James Conant, President of Harvard University and a member of the OSRD Committee: "I shall never forget my surprise at hearing about this revolutionary scheme...Scientists were to be mobilized for the defense effort in their own laboratories. A man who we of the committee thought could do a job was going to be asked to be the chief investigator; he would assemble a staff in his own laboratory if possible; he would make progress reports to our committee through a small organization of part-time advisers and full-time staff" (Conant 1970: 236, quoted in Zachary 1999: 115). See also Etzkowitz (2002: ch. 4).

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<sup>2</sup>Vannevar Bush, for Ceruzzi, was "...the engineer of Tysons Corner as well" (p21). In this Bush is to northern Virginia what Frederick Termin, Bush's student at MIT, was to Silicon Valley.

Put directly and perhaps crudely, the nation's federal research system (its science and technology infrastructure) is managed from northern Virginia: "The region is... home to institutions serving the management of research, engineering, and military activities...these entities dealing with management are heavily concentrated in Virginia, where their presence gives Tysons Corner its unique character" (p16). Consequently, the origins of Northern Virginia's high-tech economy and the driver of its growth are found in the region's *research management* capability.

Strikingly, the region's enterprises do not engage in production. They specialize in research management and paper. In Ceruzzi's words: "The military's weapons are built and tested elsewhere; the Pentagon's principal product is paper (or its modern equivalent PowerPoint slides)" (p17).

It is this public management on the nation's research capability that is the basis for Ceruzzi's claim that "...a dynamic, technology-driven local economy" can be based on "contracts from government bureaucrats". Ceruzzi would be right if he were describing Greater Boston or Silicon Valley. This infrastructure was and remains an integral element in the American System of High Tech as exemplified by open-system business models of Silicon Valley and Route 128. But it does not describe the closed business system of Northern Virginia.

Greater Boston and SV's advantage was the earlier transition to an "open-systems" business model which could drive the creation and growth of new companies and spawn new sectors. These were the beginnings of a new business system and a bottom-up, sectoral transition model of industrial innovation. A large population of high tech companies established the scale needed to interact with the emerging "third-mission" science-led university such as MIT and Stanford. The national system of innovation was largely funded by the Pentagon and the federally funded but independently managed research labs.

An entirely different business system and institutional complex was built in Washington. The region lacked an MIT or Stanford type of research intensive university that could become a partner with both industry in fostering industrial change and industry could become a partner with government in the design, development, and production of advanced weapon systems. Lacking both production engineering capabilities and a research intensive university, the economic structure of Washington's high tech industry lacked the industrial innovation capabilities of the other regions. What emerged, instead of an open-system business model, was a contractor or government business form of business organization with little commercial involvement.

While the companies that populate northern Virginia many are high-tech in terms of systems engineering and operations research, the companies in both major industries (defense and IT) in Greater Washington could not be more different in another way. They operate within a 'top-secret' environment that is not conducive to openness. They are organized for a single purpose: acquisition of government contracts. Many have only one customer and are notoriously weak in marketing. Most have government officers, usually retired, on their Boards.<sup>3</sup> While this is doubly

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<sup>3</sup> In a 2008 report titled "Post-Government Employment of Former DoD Officials Needs Greater Transparency," the Government Accounting Office found that thousands of senior Pentagon officials take refuge in the corporate world.

true of the military technology companies doing classified, weapon-systems design and development, it is also a characteristic of the IT service providers, which remain the second largest industrial concentration in the region.

Ceruzzi describes many of these companies and what they do. He does not disguise the “iron triangle” of military, industry, and politics in which the region’s firms operate. He references the intimate relations not only between companies and government departments, particularly the Pentagon, but the behind the scenes complex of company and industry lobbyists, lawyers, politicians, civil servants, and government contracts. He leaves the murky details to others.

The problem with the book is this: Ceruzzi’s major claim is that Northern Virginia’s business system has undergone not one but two transformations both of which are traced to the military’s institutionalized embrace of scientific research which began during World War Two. The second transformation, captured by the title to the book, was the emergence and rapid growth of “Internet Alley” triggered by the government’s act of allowing commercial access to the Internet in 1992 after which Northern Virginia became the ‘world center for the management and operation of the Internet” (p3). His major claim is that the Pentagon-inspired invention of ARPANET, the predecessor to the Internet, fostered a new business system in northern Virginia much like mission-driven innovations in computer-related technologies had done in Boston and semiconductor-related technologies in Silicon Valley. With this, Ceruzzi claims the region took on the “kind of dynamism” of the high-tech regions of Silicon Valley, Boston’s Route 128, and the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex.

Tysons Corner is mid-point in the 30 mile corridor between the Pentagon and Dulles Airport. The eastern section is populated by government contractors. The western section from Tysons Corner to Dulles Airport is where commercially-oriented companies, venture capital and Wall Street funding came into play to create a new, post military-industrial complex business system. “If this region is less dynamic and prosperous than Silicon Valley, it cannot be far behind” (Ceruzzi: 15). The term Techtopia was coined by real estate agents to encompass both sections (p3).

Ceruzzi was not alone in making this claim. The pace at which the values of area companies skyrocketed following the IPO of Netscape in 1995 and the Telecommunications Act of 1996 gave the appearance of the emergence of population of entrepreneurial, technology developing, commercially-oriented companies. It was short-lived. Suddenly and without warning the dotcom bubble burst for Internet Alley. Perhaps no regional sector has generated so much Wall Street funding and media buzz so fast and crashed as rapidly. In 2001, companies that had been worth billions the year before were bust. NASDAQ crashed from its 2000 high of over 5000 to less than 1500 in 2003. The decision by AOL, the homegrown company that exemplified Internet

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In fact, of the almost 2,500 former Pentagon officials analyzed, almost two thirds of them went on to senior positions at just seven companies – SAIC, Northrop Grumman, Booz Allen Hamilton, L-3 Communications, Lockheed Martin, General Dynamics and Raytheon. Except for the consulting firm Booz Allen, all seven are on the Pentagon’s list of top ten contractors. Together, they received more than \$87 billion in contracts from the DoD in 2007 (GAO, May 2008).

Alley, to move its headquarters to New York City was described as the ‘AOL exodus effect’. Remarkably, Ceruzzi tells this story as well.

But, as noted, the book’s content and the title do not match. By Ceruzzi’s own facts, organized differently, Internet Alley was a brief interlude between the end of the Cold War and September 11, 2001. The boundary between the two sub-regions on either side of Tysons Corner no longer separated the private-commercial from the government-contractor business systems. The commercial telecommunications business units were either gone or no-longer headquartered in the region.

Strikingly, the region’s high tech employment and economic fortunes were largely immune to the dotcom bubble burst of 2000 and the rash of area bankruptcies that decimated “Internet Alley”. The terrorist attack on September 11, 2001, altered the region’s business environment profoundly. The crash of the venture-capital driven economy was more than compensated by a dramatic increase in federal spending. The wars in Iraq and Afghanistan combined with homeland security programs and the outsourcing of the Pentagon’s workforce reinvigorated and expanded the government-business sector.<sup>4</sup> The old government-contractor economy was reinvigorated.

The book offers less as a study of the Internet industry than of the regional specialization impacts on business organization of the establishment of a federally funded but privately administered science and technology infrastructure. Here the book makes a valuable contribution to a neglected area of research: the interplay between the postwar science and technology infrastructure and business organization.

The book makes a second major contribution: Many of the tenants in the endless and anonymous office blocks along Dulles Corridor in Northern Virginia are filled with “...tenants [that] did not want anyone to know who they were or where they were located” (p74). The author does an extraordinary job of casting light on this dark corner of American business where public scrutiny is shielded by ‘classified research’, the companies that inhabit it, how they came to do what they do and where they do it. Perhaps this explains the strange title.

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<sup>4</sup> Following the 2001 terrorist attacks the proportion of private contractors grew to 39% of the Pentagon’s workforce. In addition 291,000 metropolitan Washington jobs were estimated to be tied to Pentagon contracting in 2009 (see Dana Hedgpeth, *Washington Post*, April 7, 2009).

Table 1. High-tech Business Units in Virginia and Massachusetts 2000: Enterprise Location Quotients by Sector

High tech business units in Virginia and Massachusetts 2000: enterprise location quotients by sector												
	Virginia		MA		VA			MA				
	Units	Units	ELQ	ELQ	ELQ ratio		ELQ	ELQ	ELQ ratio			
AUT	70	343		0.5	2.9	6	0.53	2.94	5.5			
BIO	29	157		0.7	4.3	6	0.7	4.29	6.1			
CHE	23	95		0.5	2.4	5	0.51	2.37	4.6			
COM	280	470		1.7	3.2	2	1.71	3.24	1.9			
DEF	101	58		4.8	3.1	one-half	4.83	3.12	0.6			
ENR	45	103		0.8	2.1	3	0.83	2.14	2.6			
ENV	80	210		1	3.1	3	1.04	3.09	3			
MAN	124	443		0.9	3.5	4	0.87	3.5	4			
MAT	47	159		0.6	2.5	4	0.65	2.5	3.8			
MED	25	253		0.4	4.2	12	0.36	4.19	11.6			
PHA	19	95		0.6	3.8	6	0.64	3.75	5.9			
PHO	39	239		0.7	4.8	7	0.69	4.82	7			
SOF	444	1080		1.5	4	3	1.46	4	2.7			
SUB	84	505		0.4	3	7	0.45	3.05	6.8			
TAM	81	376		0.7	3.5	5	0.66	3.47	5.3			
TEL	554	944		1.8	3.4	2	1.75	3.35	1.9			
TRN	52	88		1.3	2.6	2	1.34	2.57	1.9			
	2097	5618										
Companies	1188	3576		0.9	3.1	3	0.94	3.18	3.4			
Population 2002	7187734	6379304										
Companies in US 2000							50162					
vTHREAD for year 2000, based on CorpTech historical series												

Table 2. Innovation Indicators

Innovation Indicators												
	Boston		Washington		Silicon Valley							
High Tech Employment	526,000	Second	426,000	Third	629,000	First						
	MA		VA		CA						US	
Per capita Fed R&D (2004)	\$827	Second	\$829	First	\$503						\$337	
Gross R&D GSP (2003)	5.26	First	2.49		4.15	Second					2.68	
Corp. R&D per \$1000 sales (2005)	\$82	First	\$3		\$78	Second						
Venture Capital (2004)	\$2,847M	Second	\$265M		\$10,270M	First						
Patents per capita 2003-2005	59	First	15		59	First=					31	
Ave. growth of Manu. Xs 2001-2005	6	First	1.2		2.3	Second					5	
SBIR awards per 100,000 people (2005)	12	First	5	Second	3							

Source: Index of the Massachusetts Economy, Massachusetts Technology Collaborative, John Adams Innovation Institute, 2006 and 2007.

**Table 3. Deloitte Fast Growing High Tech Companies by Sector and Region, 2002-2006**

			Virginia	Maryland	MA	SV	LA	San Diego
Biotech/Pharmaceutical				4	10	8	1	4
Communications/Networking			3	5	6	12	3	4
Computers/Peripherals						1	3	2
Internet			1	1	4	12	9	
Media/Entertainment					1	2	2	
Medical Equipment					5	7	5	2
Sci/Tech Instrumentation			1		4	5	3	2
Semiconductor					1	14	3	
Software			19	8	11	8	7	3
Total companies			24	18	42	69	36	17
Total sales (\$billion)			1.2	0.8	6.4	47.9	4.6	1.9
Source: Compiled from 2007 Deloitte Technology Fast 500 covering the 2002-2006 period.								

**Table 4. Illustration of CorpTech company data for 2005 in vTHREAD database for Virginia used to derive comparative ELQs with Massachusetts for Table 1 above**

Company Name	Employee	Year	Form	Govern	Sales - Industry	Primary SI Products - Major Codes	Products - City	Description 1-255	De Parent Name	Zip	Type of O	Source of
Agent Logic, Inc.	12	1999	S		1.9 SOF	7372 SOF-UT	7372 Arlington	Developer of Enterprise Agent Server(tm) (EAS) sof real-time alerts, info	22209-212	PR	P	V
AgilQuest Corporation	25	1994	P S		5 SOF	7372 SOF-OA SOF-SR TEL-IF	7372 7375 Richmond	Developer and provider of software that allows m organizations the ab	23236-142	PR	V	C
Amazing Media, Inc.	13	1998			2.8 SOF	7375 SOF-SM TEL-IF TEL-IZ	7372 7375 Herndon	Developer and provider of Advarian(tm), proprietary advertisers, publishi	20171-340	PR	V	V
American Systems Corp. / App	850	1999	S		105.7 TEL	8742 MAN-SV TEL-SV	8711 8742 Chantilly	Provider of T-3 consulting services, systems engineerin American Syste	20151-227	PR	U	V
Anystream, Inc.	50	2000			8.2 SOF	7372 SOF-ME SOF-UT	7372 Sterling	Developer of software for automating the producti a scalable platform t	20164-556	PR	V	V
Approva Corporation	95	2002			5 SOF	7372 SOF-AI	7372 Vienna	Developer and provider of enterprise controls man financial executives	22182-398	PR	V	V
Arc Second, Inc.	15	1990	P		2.6 AUT	3829 AUT-ME SOF-TS TAM-ME	3545 7372 Dulles	Manufacturer of laser-based position measurement industrial measurem	20166-954	PR	P	V
Astron Wireless Technologies	22	1979	P S		5 TEL	3663 DEF-CC DEF-SV TEL-SV TEL-TR	3812 8700 Sterling	Manufacturer of wireless and cellular phone anten antennae. Company	20164-444	PR	P	V
BearingPoint, Inc.	15,500	1997			1554 SOF	7375 SOF-SV TEL-IZ TEL-SV ZZZ-HC	7379 7371 Mc Lean	Provider of business consulting and systems integra value-added compu	22102-483	PU	V	V
BenefitNation, Inc.	149	1998			1 TEL	7375 TEL-IF	7375 Sterling	Provider of online software and business solutions. Prc Bertelsmann AG	20166-850	FOU	V	V
Biotech, Inc.	135	1989			17.4 BIO	3826 BIO-EQ TAM-SC	3826 Charlotte	Manufacturer of chromatography equipment, including Pyrosequencing	22911-584	FOU	P	V
Biotraces, Inc.	14	1990			1 TAM	3820 TAM-DE	3820 Herndon	Researcher and developer of multiphoton instrume capitalized by privat	20171-329	PR	P	V
Biovista, Inc.	7	1996			1 TEL	7375 COM-SV TEL-IF TEL-IF	7374 7375 Charlotte	Provider of online biotechnology industry informati are sold to the biote	22902-822	PR	P	V
BIZNET Internet Services, Inc.		1995			1 TEL	7375 SOF-OA TEL-IF TEL-IV	7372 7375 Richmond	Provider of web page design and graphic developm industries. This com	23228-203	PR	V	V
BNX Systems Corp.	66	1997			6.7 SOF	7372 SOF-UT	7372 Vienna	Developer of identity management solutions for ce platform. Products a	22182-400	PR	V	V
BuyerFactory	18	2000			2.5 TEL	4813 TEL-IM TEL-IZ	4813 8742 Arlington	Provider of e-mail services including list creation, camp Pantheon Softwa	22101-251	PR	U	V
Cgi-Ams	5,117	1970	P S		961.6 SOF	7372 COM-SV SOF-AC SOF-BA SOF-E	7373 7372 Fairfax	Developer and provider of web-based software app cor CGI Group, Inc.	22033-286	PU	V	C
comScore Networks, Inc.	200	1999			25 TEL	7375 SOF-UT TEL-IF TEL-IZ TEL-SV	7372 7375 Reston	Developer and provider of a web-based Internet us global Internet user	20190-523	PR	V	V
Context News Network, Inc.	20	1981			9.3 COM	7375 COM-SV	7375 Alexandri	Provider of real-time news and content services use capitalized by privat	22314-193	PU	P	V
Convera Corp.	214	1980			29.3 SOF	7372 SOF-UT	7372 Vienna	Developer of search and categorization software cal venture capital.	22182-390	PU	P	V
Current Analysis, Inc.	65	1997			15 TEL	7375 SOF-AI TEL-IA TEL-IZ ZZZ-HC	7372 7375 Sterling	Developer and provider of Internet-based competit tactical competitive	20164-556	PR	V	V
Cvent, Inc.		1999			1 TEL	7375 TEL-IF TEL-IZ	7375 8742 Arlington	Developer and provider of an online campaign/eve customized online ii	22203-375	PR	V	V
Cyveillance, Inc.	50	1997			11.4 TEL	7375 SOF-CS TEL-IW TEL-IZ	7372 7375 Arlington	Provider of online risk monitoring and managements proprietary techn	22209-240	PR	V	V
DanChem Technologies, Inc.	135	1942			15 CHE	8711 CHE-SV MAN-SV MAT-TX	8711 8999 Danville	Provider of custom chemical manufacturing services. The company spec	24543-040	PR	V	V
DiamondBack Vision, Inc.	40	1998			5 SOF	7372 SOF-UT	7372 Reston	Developer of video card software for streaming video applications. Softw	20191-141	PR	V	V
Digital Sandbox, Inc.		1998			5 SOF	7372 SOF-AI SOF-WD	7372 Herndon	Developer of enterprise risk management strategie enterprise risk man	20170-439	PR	V	C
e-Numerate Solutions, Inc.	23	1998			4.3 SOF	7372 SOF-ME SOF-UT TEL-IW	7372 7375 Mc Lean	Developer and provider of online data publishing aj Internet. The compa	22102-331	PR	P	V
e-Security, Inc.		1999	S		1 SOF	7372 COM-SV SOF-UT	7373 7372 Vienna	Developer and provider of Open e-Security(tm), sec provider of eSMID(tr	22182-399	PR	V	V
Engenia Software, Inc.	25	1998			4.6 SOF	7372 SOF-OA SOF-UT TEL-IF	7372 7375 Reston	Developer and provider of enterprise applications telecommunication	20191-438	PR	V	V
eNIC Corporation		1997			1 TEL	7375 TEL-IW	7375 Dulles	Provider of domain name registration services for the p VeriSign, Inc.	20166-650	PU	V	V
epipeline inc.	10	1999			1 TEL	7375 TEL-IF TEL-IW	7375 Herndon	Provider of software solutions to federal governme response. The comp	20170-547	PR	V	C
Expression Networks, LLC	55	1996	P		7.5 TEL	7375 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IF TEL-IW	7373 7371 Charlotte	Provider of Internet hosting, applications hosting, w services. Products a	22902-537	PR	P	V
FOUOfn, Inc.	65	1998			14.3 TEL	7372 SOF-BA TEL-IF TEL-IZ ZZZ-HC	7373 7375 Vienna	Developer and provider of online financial investm Products and servic	22182-621	PR	P	V
Free Scale, Inc.	50	1998			7.9 SUB	3674 SUB-SE	3674 Vienna	Developer of wireless system semiconductor soluti settop boxes, etc.)	22182-273	PR	V	C
Genesant Technologies, Inc.		1999			1 SOF	7375 SOF-HL SOF-SV SOF-ZA TEL-IF	7372 7371 Dunn Lori	Provider of online health and fitness information also as Internet-b	22027-103	PR	V	V
gomers, Inc.	65	1983	S		1 SOF	7372 SOF-AC SOF-CS SOF-ED SOF-MI	7372 Herndon	Developer of membership management and fund-r asset management,	20170-548	PR	P	V
Headstrong Corp.	900	1981	P S		170.5 TEL	8742 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IZ TEL-SV	7373 7379 Fairfax	Provider of business and technology consulting serv and manufacturing i	22030-740	PR	V	V
Howmet Corp. / Hampton Cast	700	1957	S		100 TRN	3724 TRN-MA TRN-PR	3812 3724 Herndon	Manufacturer of structural components for marine, inv Alcoa Inc.	23661-138	PU	P	V
Icode Inc.	325	1991			51.9 SOF	7372 SOF-AI SOF-CS SOF-SM SOF-SV	7372 7379 Sterling	Developer of Everest Enterprise(R), a software suite paperless informati	20166-661	PR	V	V
Identix Public Sector, Inc.	150	1980	P S		25.6 SOF	7371 DEF-SV SOF-SV TRN-SV	8700 7371 Fairfax	Provider of naval engineering, systems engineering sol Identix incorp	22033-291	PU	V	C
Ikimbo, Inc.	45	1999			5 SOF	7375 SOF-ME SOF-OA SOF-UT TEL-IW	7372 7375 Herndon	Provider of an Internet community platform that ca archiving and file r	20170-514	PR	V	V
iLumin Software Services, Inc.	75	1996	P S		14.7 TEL	7372 COM-SV SOF-CS SOF-UT TEL-IF	7373 7372 Reston	Developer and provider of online enterprise messa mailbox managem	20191-152	PR	V	V
iMPAQ Corp.	30	1992			5 TEL	7375 COM-SV TEL-IW TEL-IZ TEL-SV	7373 7375 Virginia B	Provider of network and Internet systems consultan management hardw	23452-783	PR	V	V
Induslogic Inc. / SynapseSoft	331	2000			6.7 SOF	7372 SOF-DM ZZZ-HC	7372 6719 Vienna	Developer of business process integration software are sold to multiple	22182-240	PR	V	V
Induslogic, Inc. / SynapseSoft	10	2000			1 SOF	7372 SOF-AI SOF-SV TEL-IF	7373 7379 Vienna	Developer and provider of high-impact, hosted turn wit Induslogic In	22182-240	PR	V	V
Infotech Software, Inc.		1991			1 SOF	7372 COM-SV SOF-AC SOF-SV TEL-IF	7373 7372 Sterling	Developer and provider of web-based applications i cus individual user	20164-851	FOU	P	V
INSMED Inc.	45	2000			6.7 PHA	2834 BIO-IM PHA-HO	2836 2834 Glen Allen	Research and development organization specializing in products inter	23060-923	PU	V	V
Intellitactics, Inc.	80	1996			13.1 SOF	7372 SOF-UT	7372 Reston	Developer of information security management sof these incidents with	20191-547	PR	V	V
Invertix Corporation	20	1999			4.9 TEL	3661 TEL-CI TEL-SV TEL-TD	3661 8742 Annandall	Developer of stand-alone platforms for wireless car The IAm-Anywhere(t	22003-324	PR	P	V
Javien Digital Payment Solutio	5	1999	S		1 TEL	7375 TEL-IZ	7375 Arlington	Provider of online buying and selling transactions inclu Javien, Inc.	22209-319	PR	V	V
JP Morgan Chase Vastera	700	1992			86.1 SOF	7372 SOF-ZA	7372 Dulles	Developer of international trade logistics software. Sof J.P. Morgan Cha	20166-751	PU	V	V
Kaeson Compressors, Inc.	331	1982			SUB	3563 MAT-OL SUB-EM SUB-ME TAM-	2992 3564 Frederick	Manufacturer of vacuum pumps, portable compressors, Kaeser Compres	22408-731	FOU	V	V
KSB, Inc. / Energy Division	12	1983			1.8 SUB	3561 SUB-ME	3561 Richmond	Manufacturer of boiler feed pumps designed for nucle KSB AG	22321-442	FOU	V	V
LinkSpot Networks, Inc.	10	2002			1 TEL	4813 TEL-II	4813 Reston	Provider of wireless Internet access services. Services are provided to	RV 20191-153	PR	P	V
Lumenos, Inc.	4	1999			0.8 SOF	7375 SOF-FN SOF-OA TEL-IF TEL-IW	7372 7375 Alexandri	Provider of online web site that offers health and financial services. Sen	22311-170	PR	V	V
Luna Innovations Incorporated	148	1990	P S		15 PHO	3661 BIO-SV CHE-SV MAN-SV MAT-S	8731 8711 Blacksburg	Manufacturer and custom developer of fiber optic fiber optic sensing i	24060-605	PR	P	V
Luna Technologies	13	2001			1.5 TAM	3825 TAM-AN	3825 Blacksbur	Designer, developer and manufacturer of instrumentat Luna Innovations	24060-656	PR	P	V
MarketSwitch Corporation / E	50	1996			15 SOF	7372 SOF-AI SOF-UT TEL-IF	7372 7375 Herndon	Developer and provider of marketing, credit risk ma bui GUS plc	20171-485	PU	V	V
mindSHIFT Technologies, Inc.	80	1995			10 TEL	7375 TEL-IS TEL-SV	7375 8742 Fairfax	Provider of comprehensive managed IT services, from desktop to netwo	22033-292	PR	P	V
Mobile Computing Corp. USA	34	1977			5 SOF	7372 COM-SV SOF-AC SOF-CS SOF-S	7374 7372 Charlotte	Developer of mobile computing solutions including arc Mobile Computi	22903-580	PR	V	V
Monitoring Technology Corp.	25	1984	S		8 AUT	3826 AUT-AT TAM-AN	3829 3825 Fairfax	Manufacturer of 20/20 Hindsight high speed video c food and beverage,	22031-433	PR	P	V
NetASpx, Inc.	148	1999			1 TEL	7375 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IF TEL-IZ	7373 7371 Herndon	Provider of online hosted integrated business servi Products and servic	20171-467	PR	P	V
NetCom Solutions Internation	75	1995			15.2 SOF	7375 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IZ TEL-SV	7373 7379 Leesburg	Provider of network consulting, integration, networ education markets.	20176-181	PR	P	V
NetSec, Inc.	115	1998	P		2.5 TEL	7375 TEL-IF TEL-SV	7375 8742 Herndon	Provider of online security services which include fi was capitalized by v	20171-341	PR	P	V
Network Storage Solutions, In	10	2004	S		1 COM	7372 COM-CM SOF-UT	3572 7372 Herndon	Developer and marketer of network storage software device that attach	20170-523	PR	P	V
New World Apps, Inc.	18	1999	P S		4.2 TEL	7375 COM-SV TEL-IF TEL-IW TEL-IZ	8742 7374 Leesburg	Provider of digital transaction-based Internet service services. Services	20175-291	PR	P	V
Nextel Communications, Inc.	15,000	1987			10820 TEL	4813 TEL-II TEL-IZ TEL-IZ TEL-SV ZZZ	4813 7375 Reston	Provider of digital wireless voice, data mobile cellu paging, Internet pr	20191-342	PR	V	V
Nil Holdings, Inc.	2,570	1996			1 TEL	4832 TEL-SV	4832 4812 Reston	Provider of wireless services to Latin America and Aare Nextel Commun	20191-542	PU	V	V
Optimos, Inc.	300	1993	P S		62.3 SOF	7379 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IW TEL-IZ	7373 7379 Chantilly	Provider of software consulting and custom applicat consulting services i	20151-167	PR	P	V
OROS, Inc.	69	1995	P S		10 TAM	3829 ENV-CP TAM-ME TEL-SI	3829 3669 Dulles	Manufacturer of noise and vibration analyzers. Appl ca; OROS SA	20166-943	FOU	V	C
Outtask, Inc.	65	1999			5 SOF	7372 SOF-TR TEL-IF	7372 7375 Alexandri	Developer and provider of web-based travel manag involved in corporat	22314-176	PR	V	V
Packexpo.com	17	1999			3.9 TEL	7375 TEL-IS TEL-IZ	7375 8742 Falls Chur	Provider of B-to-B marketplace for e-commerce, pa capital.	22042-453	PR	V	V
Pantheon Software, Inc.	18	1994			2 TEL	7375 COM-SV SOF-SV TEL-IW TEL-IZ	7374 7379 Arlington	Provider of software consulting and programming, e-mail services. Pro	22201-251	PR	P	V
Payerpath, Inc.	60	1998			5 SOF	7372 SOF-HL SOF-IN TEL-IF TEL-IZ	7372 7375 Richmond	Developer of claims processing software, and medi provided to the heal	23235-194	PR	V	V
Phonom, LLC		2003			1 TEL	4813 TEL-IM	4813 Richmond	Provider of VoIP telephone services. Products and services are sold to	23227-434	PR	V	V
PromiseMark, Inc.	10	1997			2.1 TEL	7375 TEL-IF	7375 Fairfax	Provider of a suite of Internet and data related servic cor GUS plc	22033-290	PU	V	V
QED Solutions, Inc.	11	1998			1 SOF	7372 BIO-SV MED-SV PHA-SV SOF-AI	8731 8071 Reston	Developer and provider of web-based lifecycle drug cross-reference exis	20191-153	PR	P	V
QuadraMed Corp.	850	1993			130.5 SOF	7371 SOF-AI SOF-CS SOF-HL ZZZ-HC	7372 6719 Reston	Developer of health information management softw optimum efficiency,	20190-322	PU	V	V
ScholarOne, Inc.	58	1999	P		10.1 SOF	7372 SOF-AC SOF-DM SOF-ME TEL-IF	7372 7375 Charlotte	Developer and provider of Internet-based content rj and ventures to downloa	22901-160	PR	V	V
ServiceBench, Inc.		1995			1 SOF	7375 SOF-UT TEL-IF	7372 7375 Fairfax	Developer and provider of online documentation aj and venture capital.	22030-742	PR	P	V
Sonic Telecom, Inc.	43	1995			10.7 TEL	3663 TEL-SM	3663 Sterling	Developer of global satellite location systems that p venture capital.	20164-444	PR	V	V
Sonic Telecom, Ltd	69	1996			5 TEL	4813 TEL-II TEL-IZ TEL-NW TEL-SV	4813 7375 Chantilly	Developer of videoconferencing systems and route ca; General Motors	20151-168	PU	P	V
StarBand Communications Inc	148	2000			1 TEL	4813 TEL-II	4813 Mc Lean	Provider of leasing services of satellite capacity for broadband Internet	22102-432	PR	P	V
TechLaw, Inc.	148	1983	P S		15 COM	7389 COM-SV ENV-SV	7374 8742 Chantilly	Provider of litigation support, environmental consu venture capital.	20151-111	PR	P	V
TECEC, Inc.	30	1990	S		3.3 SOF	7372 SOF-OA SOF-UT	7372 Vienna	Developer of standards-based, cryptographic access This product was c	22182-400	PR	V	V
telezo.com Corporation		1997			1 TEL	7375 TEL-IZ	7375 8742 Arlington	Provider of a global B-to-B telecommunications marketplace for product	22209-250	PR	V	V
UHR Technologies, LP	9	1995			1 ENR	8742 ENR-SV ENV-S						