



HEADLINES since October 2006

- 1** 3M Company \$120M expansion creating 50 additional jobs.
- 2** Aerospace Integration Corp. will "missionize" helicopters in 300 emp. facility.
- 3** Advanced Heat Treating Corp. will bring 30 jobs and \$7.5M investment.
- 4** Alabama Cullman Yutaka Tech. announces 200 employee \$50M facility.
- 5** The Children's Place opens their \$55M 260 employee Distribution Center.
- 6** Hudson-Alpha Institute for Biotechnology will soon employ up to 900 people.
- 7** Independence Tube is making an \$11.5M expansion creating 29 jobs.
- 8** Indorama Polymers announces \$160M 100 job facility to produce PET resins.
- 9** International Diesel is constructing a second engine plant bringing 175 jobs.
- 10** Johns Manville announces \$30M 100 job facility to produce roofing products.
- 11** KTNA, attracted by a spec building, will construct their own to create 25 jobs.
- 12** Lockheed Martin is adding 200 jobs and investing \$30M in Huntsville.
- 13** Lockheed Martin expanding to manufacture targets & countermeasures—\$27M.
- 14** National Alabama Corp. to manufacture rail cars at \$350M 1,800 job facility.
- 15** North American Lighting constructs \$22M facility creating 320 jobs.

North Alabama represents 16% of the geographic area of the state.

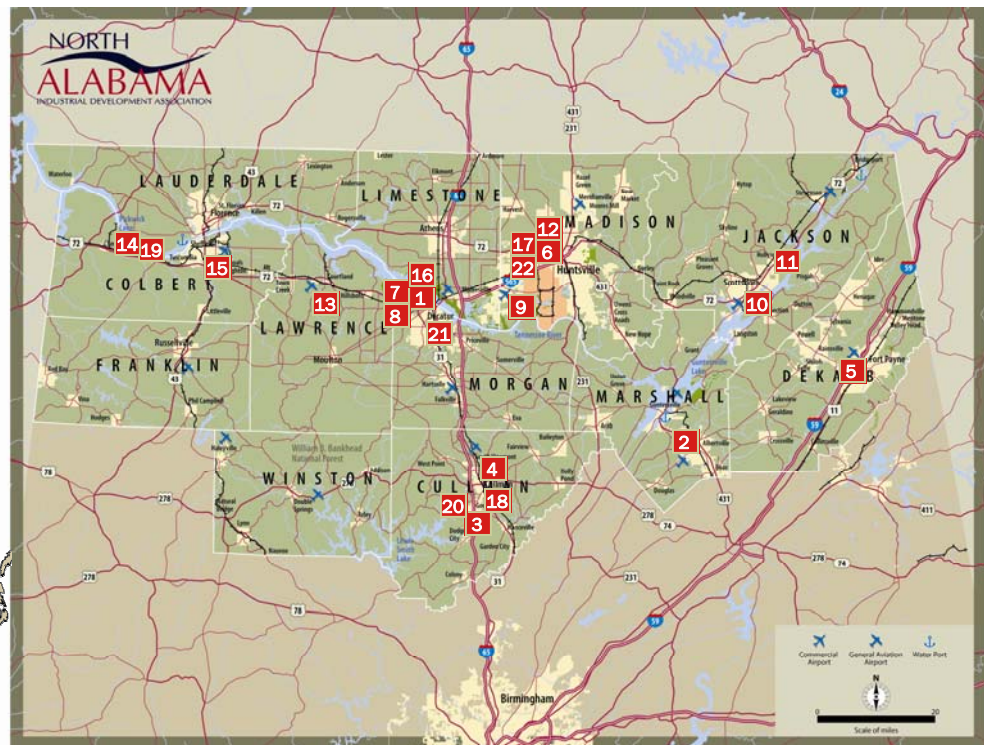
For the past 25 years an average of 39% of the state's new manufacturing jobs were created in North Alabama.

Additional Construction Projects:

\$33 million Phase I of the Von Braun Complex located on Redstone Arsenal to house the U.S. Army Space & Rocket Defense Command.

10-acre Bridgestreet Town Centre Development & Westin Hotel at Cummings Research Park.

Davidson Center for Space Exploration at the Huntsville Space and Rocket Center housing a 350-seat auditorium and a refurbished Saturn V rocket.



- 16** Nucor Steel is adding a \$150M galvanizing line creating 100 new jobs.
- 17** Raytheon consolidates in \$40M facility and will create 100 additional jobs.
- 18** Rehau expands again and creates an additional 100 jobs with \$40M inv't.
- 19** SCA Tissue \$150M expansion creating 30 additional jobs.
- 20** Topre America expands to supply Toyota's MS facility—\$34M 150 jobs.
- 21** Toray Carbon Fibers expands to supply Boeing 7E7 parts adding 60 jobs.
- 22** Verizon Wireless is constructing a \$44 million 1,300 employee call center.



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