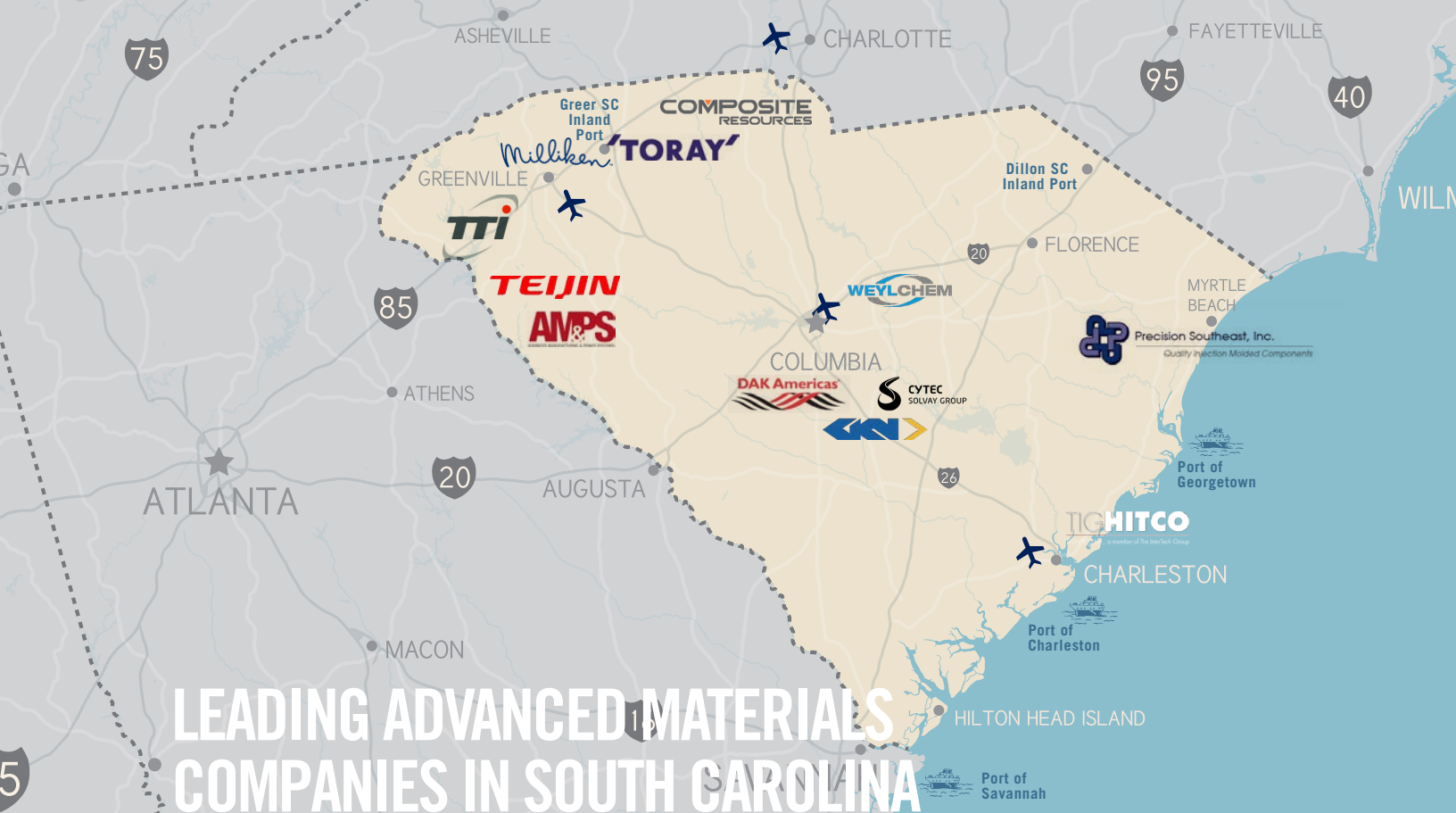




ADVANCED MATERIALS Chemicals | Plastics and Rubber

SOUTH CAROLINA AT THE FOREFRONT OF THE ADVANCED MATERIALS SECTOR

From South Carolina's recent shift from a textile manufacturing state to an advanced manufacturing state, South Carolina remains at the forefront of the productions of advanced materials. With significant research facilities focusing on polymer and advanced composites technology, a thriving technical college system producing a growing supply of engineers as well as an innovative workforce, the Palmetto State is an ideal location for your advanced materials facility.



LEADING ADVANCED MATERIALS COMPANIES IN SOUTH CAROLINA

RECENT ANNOUNCEMENTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

COMPANY	JOBS	CAPITAL INVESTMENT
Nan-Ya Plastics	1,000	\$1 Billion
Toray	500	\$1 Billion
Teijin Ltd.	220	\$600 Million
Cytec Greenville	225	\$150 Million
Techtronic Industries (TTI)*	250	\$75 Million
DAK Americas	50	\$45 Million
GKN Aerospace (expansion)	75	\$20 Million
Precision Southeast*	140	\$16.6 Million
Sigmatex*	50	\$12 Million
WeylChem U.S. Inc.*	49	\$10.8 Million
Advanced Manufacturing & Power Systems (AMPS)*	48	\$2.3 Million

*Served by the Electric Cooperatives of South Carolina

“South Carolina offers Toray Industries an ideal location for our next North American manufacturing facility. Here, we will have proximity to major customers, both in the US and in Latin American markets.”

— Akihiro Nikkaku
President, Toray Industries



SOUTH CAROLINA ADVANCED MATERIALS ADVANTAGES

7,900

NEW JOBS ANNOUNCED
IN SC BY ADVANCED MATERIALS
FIRMS FROM 2011-2016

30,000+

SOUTH CAROLINIANS WORKING IN
THE ADVANCED MATERIALS AND
COMPOSITES INDUSTRY

\$2 BILLION

CAPITAL INVESTMENT ANNOUNCED
BY ADVANCED MATERIALS FIRMS
FROM 2011-2016

\$1.1 BILLION

IN THE EXPORT SALES OF
PLASTICS IN 2016

800

ADVANCED MATERIALS AND
COMPOSITES FIRMS ACROSS SC

1,000+

ENGINEERS GRADUATING ANNUALLY
FROM SC UNIVERSITIES

TOP 5 REASONS MANUFACTURERS COME TO SOUTH CAROLINA



RELIABLE AND AFFORDABLE ENERGY

South Carolina's industrial power rate is 15% lower than the national average. Plus, SC Power Team's new **Industrial Incentive Rate** offers deep discounts for large load projects, making our rate among the lowest in the Southeast.



PORT PRODUCTIVITY AND ACCESSIBILITY

South Carolina is strategically located halfway between New York and Miami. The Port of Charleston has been at the center of global commerce and trade for three centuries. The state offers two strategically located inland ports, Inland Port Dillon and Inland Port Greer, making commerce move even better.



INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT

Foreign direct investment continues to create jobs and opportunity with more than 1,200 international operations in our state.



SKILLED WORKFORCE

A right-to-work state, SC has the lowest unionization rate in the US at 1.6%. The state also offers an innovative program that provides recruiting and training assistance to companies that are locating or expanding in SC.



QUALITY OF LIFE

South Carolina offers a low cost of living and unparalleled access to the US and travel abroad. Tourism brings in over \$19 billion per year, as people from around the world have recognized what South Carolinians enjoy year-round.



SCPOWERTEAM

South Carolina Power Team is the economic development organization representing the state's 20 electric cooperatives that power more than two million South Carolinians.

CONTACT US

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