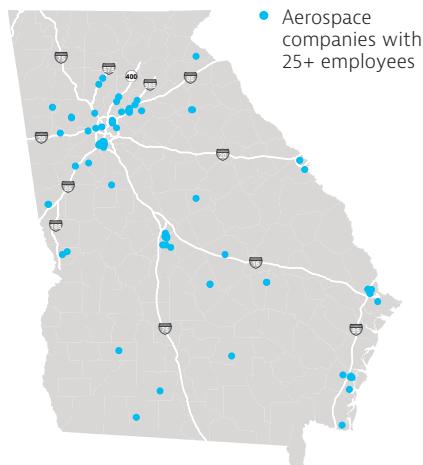


Aerospace Manufacturing

A Growth Leader in Georgia

Aerospace is defined as Aerospace Products and Parts Manufacturing as well as Other Support Activities for Air Transportation.



• Aerospace companies with 25+ employees



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State for Aerospace Attractiveness¹



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Ranking of the Georgia market for aerospace products and parts exports in the U.S., 2024²



221,300

Number of workers employed in aerospace-related occupations³

¹ PriceWaterhouseCoopers (PWS) 2024 Aerospace Attractiveness Rankings, March 2024

² United States Census Bureau: Economic Indicators Division. U.S. Import and Export Merchandise Trade Statistics, 2024

³ Lightcast 2025.4Q

Georgia is the ideal home for aerospace companies. With the world's most traveled airport, eight regional airports, prominent military bases and accessibility to the country's fastest-growing major port, Georgia's aerospace industry serves a global marketplace. Georgia is also home to a highly-skilled workforce and world-class technical expertise geared toward promoting the success of the aerospace industry. Georgia's business climate is consistently ranked as one of the best in the country, with a business-friendly tax code and incentives that encourage manufacturing growth for existing and newly arriving companies.

Leaders in the Industry

Several global and national leaders in the aerospace industry have a presence in Georgia. Lockheed Martin, a major global aerospace and defense contractor, specializes in researching, developing and manufacturing advanced military technology. Gulfstream Aerospace is a national leader in commercial aircraft manufacturing and repair. Additionally, Axillon Aerospace specializes in carbon fiber composites and fuels solutions.

New Aerospace Companies Bring Business to Georgia

Since 2015, almost 70 facilities located or expanded operations, creating more than 5,900 jobs. Georgia's latest announcements include Archer Aviation's new location in Covington in 2022, Pratt & Whitney's expansion in Columbus in 2023, and PBS Aerospace's new location in Roswell in 2025. For a detailed list of recent major locations and expansions, see page 2.

Why Georgia for Aerospace?

- Highly skilled workers
- World-class technical expertise
- Renowned workforce training program
- Increasing number of defense personnel
- Business-friendly environment
- Excellent accessibility to market

Top Aerospace Employers

Company	Employment
Gulfstream Aerospace Corp.	10,000
Lockheed Martin Corp.	6,400
Delta Air Lines	5,500
Axillon Aerospace	1,100
Archer Aviation	1,010
Pratt & Whitney Columbus Engine Center	1,000
Northrop Grumman Corp.	700
Novelis Inc.	500
Universal Alloy Corp.	492
L3Harris Technologies	400

Note: Employment numbers reflect the employment of all Georgia locations. Employment numbers listed on this table are actual industry workers, which differ from occupational workers. Occupational workers mentioned on this page and on page 6 of this study have skills that could be applied to the aerospace industry.

Source: Aerospace Database, Georgia Power Economic Development, 2025

Georgia's Growing Aerospace Industry

Major locations and expansions bring more than 2,600 aerospace jobs to Georgia.

Year	Company	City	County	Product	No. of Jobs Announced
2019	Embraer Engineering & Technology*	Macon	Bibb	Maintenance, Repair, and Overhaul	100
2021	AeroDynamic Aviation*	Springfield	Effingham	Sheet Metal Fabrication for Aircrafts	30
2021	Rolls Royce	Savannah	Chatham	Aircraft Engine Manufacturing	20
2022	Denkai America	Augusta	Richmond	Electrodeposited Copper Foil	250
2022	Anduril Industries	Atlanta	Fulton	Advanced Military Technology	180
2022	Archer Aviation	Covington	Newton	Aerospace Manufacturing	1,010
2023	Pratt and Whitney*	Columbus	Muscogee	Aircraft Engine Manufacturing	396
2024	Aventure Aviation*	Peachtree City	Fayette	Refurbished Airplane Parts	25
2024	StandardAero*	Augusta	Richmond	Hangar and Machine Shop	90
2024	Hermeus*	Chamblee	DeKalb	Supersonic Drones	260
2024	Rotorcorp, LLC*	Atlanta	Fulton	Helicopter Maintenance	25
2025	Flock Safety	Smryna	Cobb	Drone Manufacturing	216
2025	PBS Aerospace	Roswell	Fulton	Turbojet Engines	95
Total					2,697

*Expansions

Source: Press announcements; Aerospace Database, Georgia Power Economic Development, 2025

StandardAero Expands Footprint at Augusta Regional Airport

"The new facility will add over 60 percent of new space to our existing footprint. The current facility was built in the 1970s, when aircrafts were a lot smaller. The new facility will allow us to support additional super mid-size to large cabin aircraft for airframe and avionics while significantly expanding our engine shop to further support many of those aircrafts."

Chris Bodine, Vice President and General Manager of StandardAero's Augusta facility

Source: "StandardAero Expands Footprint at Augusta Regional Airport," Georgia.org, April 2024

Georgia is the Center of Major Aerospace Activity

More Than 25,000 Employed by Major Manufacturers within 400 Miles of Atlanta⁺



⁺Employment does not reflect total aerospace manufacturing employment by state. Aerospace manufacturing may be higher as locations portrayed on this map are only a sample of total aerospace manufacturing employment in each state.

Source: Press announcements; Aerospace Database, Georgia Power Economic Development, 2025

22,700
Number of civilian workers employed at Georgia's four Air Force bases

380
Number of private facilities dedicated to aerospace parts and products manufacturing, and air transportation support activities¹

¹ QCEW, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2024

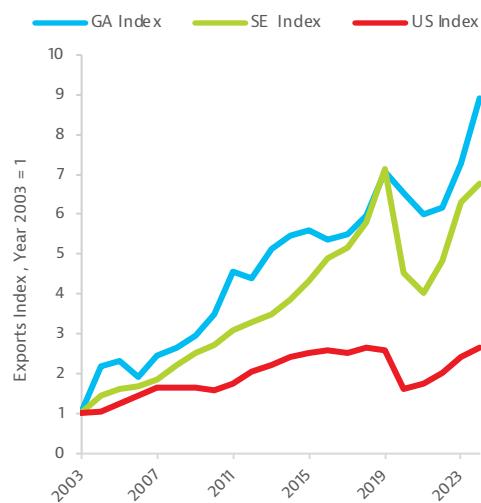
Georgia Leads as a Major Aerospace Hub

The aerospace industry is one of the largest in terms of employment and one of the fastest-growing sectors in Georgia within transportation equipment manufacturing. Among southeastern states, Georgia is the second most specialized in the production of aerospace products, generating greater export opportunities for local companies. Lockheed Martin and Gulfstream are among the largest exporters in Georgia. Georgia employs more than 20,000 workers in aerospace product and parts manufacturing. Aerospace exports increased 262 percent from 2007 to 2024, 4.2 times the growth of U.S. exports. Georgia's aerospace exports also account for 37 percent of all aerospace exports in the Southeast in 2024.

Note: Southeast region, as defined in this study includes Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee. HS Commodities codes used - 88, Aircraft, Spacecraft, and Parts Thereof, and 8411, Turboprops, Turbopropellers, and Other Gas Turbines, Parts.

Source: State exports by HS commodities, USA Trade® Online, Foreign Trade Division, U.S. Census Bureau.

Exports in Georgia: Outperforming the U.S.



Top States in Aircraft and Aircraft Engines Exports

Aircraft Engines and Parts

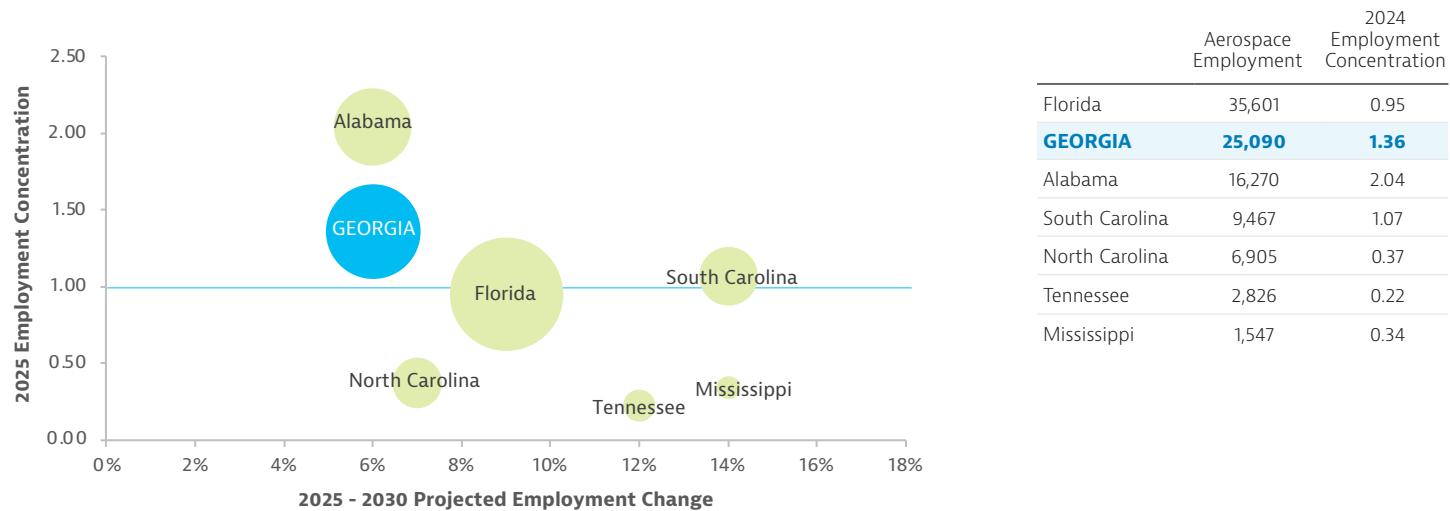
1. Kentucky
2. Washington
3. Texas
- 4. Georgia**
5. Florida
6. California

Aircraft

1. Washington
2. Maryland
3. Florida
4. Alabama
5. Pennsylvania
- 6. Georgia**

Source: State exports by HS commodities, USA Trade Online, Foreign Trade Division, U.S. Census Bureau, 2024

Georgia's Aerospace Industry: Among Southeast Leaders in Workforce and Specialization

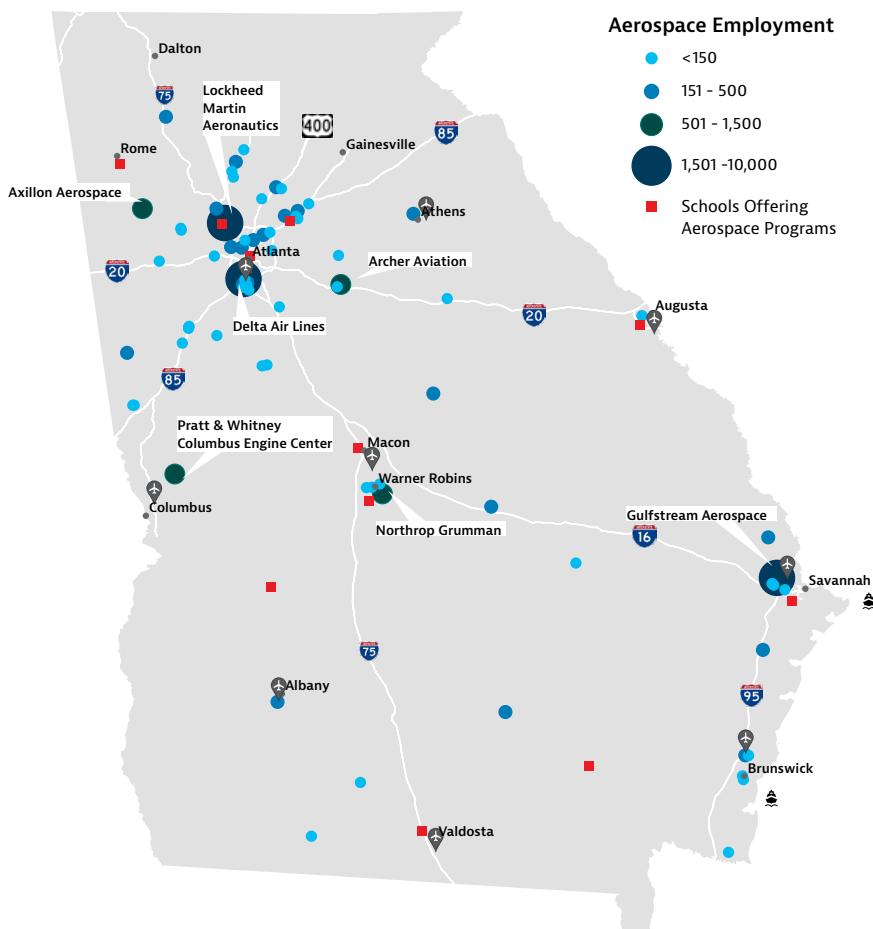


Note: Aerospace product and parts manufacturing (NAICS 33641), EC = ratio of proportion of an area's employment in an industry to that of the nation as a whole, EC < 1 = National average, EC > 1 = Area's activity is not specialized, EC > 1 = Area is more specialized. Source: Lightcast 2025.4Q

Georgia's Aerospace Ecosystem

The industry NAICS classifications used in this study are in the 336 family, Aerospace Product and Parts Manufacturing, and 488190, Other Support Activities for Air Transport. Many companies within these classifications are located close to Georgia's international and regional airports, including Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, the world's most traveled airport, averaging 286,000 passengers a day. Georgia ranks fourth for both maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) employment and in economic activity generation, according to the Aeronautical Repair Station Association's *U.S. State-by-State Overview of 2025 Employment & Economic Impact* report.

Aerospace Clusters



Source: Aerospace Database, Georgia Power Community and Economic Development, 2025

Aerospace Employment at Georgia's Air Force Bases

GA Air Force Base, City	Civilian Employment in Aerospace
Dobbins ARB, Marietta	700
Ft Stewart/Hunter AFB, Savannah	4,350
Moody AFB, Valdosta	957
Robins AFB, Warner Robins	16,466
TOTAL	22,473

Source: Military base contacts, 2016 and Economic Impact State Statements, 2023

PBS Aerospace Establishes North American HQ in Metro Atlanta

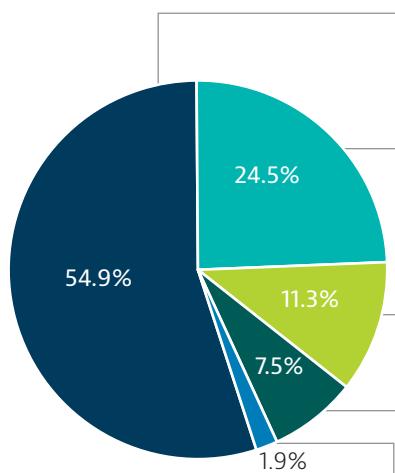
"Atlanta has proven to be an exceptional base for our operations, offering access to an excellent education system, skilled workforce, robust infrastructure, and a thriving business environment. The positive experiences and success in Atlanta have undoubtedly influenced our choice as they reflect Georgia's ability to support our continued growth."

Source: PBS Aerospace Establishes North American HQ in Metro Atlanta, Office of the Governor Press Release, 2.3.2025

Aircraft Manufacturing Drives Aerospace Employment in Georgia

Aircraft manufacturing accounts for 54.9 percent of all employment in Georgia's aerospace industry, followed by other air transportation support activities, aircraft engine and engine parts manufacturing, other aircraft parts and auxiliary equipment manufacturing, and guided missile and space vehicle manufacturing and propulsion unit and unit parts manufacturing with 24.5 percent, 11.3 percent, 7.5 percent, and 1.9 percent, respectively.

Georgia Aerospace Employment by Segment



Source: Lighthcast 2025:4Q

Aircraft Manufacturing: This segment includes the production of aircraft, aircraft conversion and complete aircraft overhaul and rebuilding.

Other Support Activities for Air Transportation: The second largest segment comprises companies providing specialized services, including aircraft testing, maintenance and repair and fueling services.

Aircraft Engine and Engine Parts Manufacturing: This segment covers a variety of products including aircraft engine overhaul and rebuilding, gasoline engine parts, jet propulsion engine parts and rocket engines

Other Aircraft Parts and Equipment: This segment includes companies engaged in manufacturing aircraft parts or auxiliary equipment (except engines and aircraft fluid power subassemblies) and companies developing and making prototypes of aircraft parts and auxiliary equipment. Auxiliary equipment includes such items as crop dusting apparatus, armament racks, in-flight refueling equipment and external fuel tanks.

Guided Missile and Space Vehicle Manufacturing and Propulsion Unit and Unit Parts Manufacturing: This segment includes manufacturing complete guided missiles and space vehicles as well as developing and making prototypes of guided missiles or space vehicles.

Top Employers in Largest Industry Subgroups

Aircraft Manufacturing

Gulfstream Aerospace Corp.	10,000
Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Co.	6,400
Thrush Aircraft Inc.	171

Other Support Activities for Air Transportation

Delta Air Lines	5,500
Archer Aviation	1,010
Pratt & Whitney/ Columbus Engine Center	700

Aircraft Engine and Engine Parts Manufacturing

Axillon Aerospace	1,100
Universal Alloy Corp.	492
Qarbon Aerospace	300

Source: Aerospace Database, Georgia Power Economic Development, 2025

Georgia's Competitive Workforce

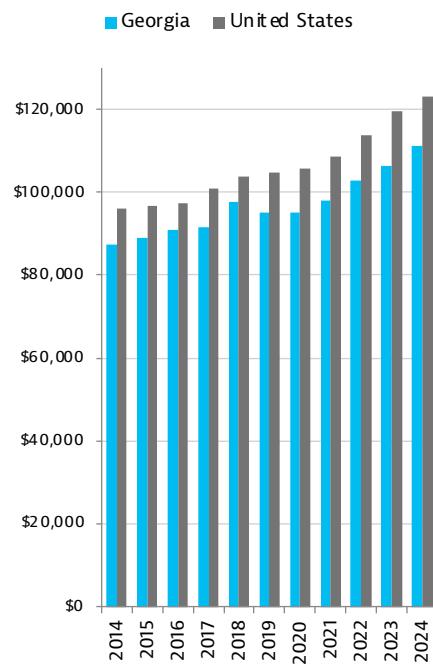
Georgia is known for its high-quality, affordable workforce. Wage rates in Georgia typically fall below the national average, particularly for manufacturing occupations. Georgia's weekly wage rate for the aerospace product and parts manufacturing industry follows this trend.

With around 221,300 aerospace-related workers, Georgia offers an ample supply of skilled employees with a variety of technical backgrounds.

SOC Code	Occupation	Number of Georgia Workers
17-2011	Aerospace Engineers	3,157
17-2071	Electrical Engineers	4,890
17-2072	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	3,180
17-2112	Industrial Engineers	7,927
17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	5,951
17-2199	Engineers, All Other	4,739
17-3021	Aerospace Engineering and Operations Technologists and Technicians	378
17-3023	Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and Technicians	2,620
17-3026	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians	2,094
17-3028	Calibration Technologists and Technicians	263
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	25,209
49-2091	Avionics Technicians	2,441
49-2094	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	3,675
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	9,720
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	27,441
51-2011	Aircraft Structure, Surfaces, Rigging, and Systems Assemblers	2,963
51-2031	Engine and Other Machine Assemblers	533
51-2041	Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters	1,127
51-2098	Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	51,653
51-4033	Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	1,443
51-4034	Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	194
51-4041	Machinists	7,467
51-4081	Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	3,533
51-4111	Tool and Die Makers	965
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	15,513
51-4199	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other	1,889
51-9022	Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	291
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	21,524
51-9124	Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	6,006
51-9161	Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Operators	2,499
Total		221,285

Source: Lightcast, 2025.4Q

Georgia's Wage Rates Fall Below National Rates in the Aerospace Industry*



*Aerospace product and parts manufacturing only
Source: Average Annual Pay, Private Industry – Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2024.2Q

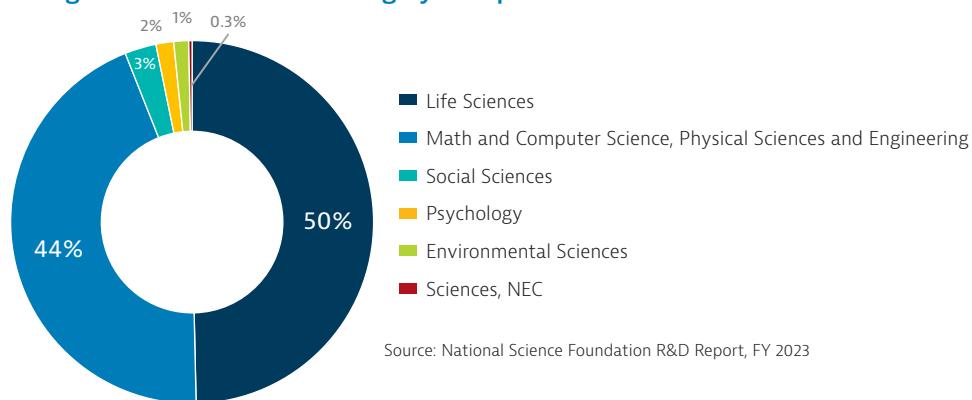
Georgia's Manufacturing Innovation

Georgia's colleges and universities are also committed to research and development. The state is home to 25 schools that received research funding in 2023. Research dollars enable work in a variety of fields from life sciences to engineering. Research centers and university-sponsored economic development organizations around the state focus on taking cutting-edge technologies from the laboratory to the factory floor. Georgia's businesses benefit greatly.

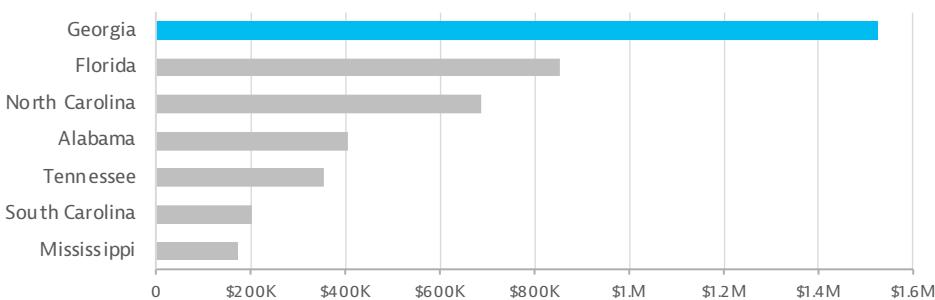
According to the National Science Foundation, spending on research at Georgia's public and private universities ranked 8th in the nation. In research of specific interest to the aerospace manufacturing industry, Georgia colleges and universities were granted more than \$1.5 billion in research dollars, earning the state a 7th-place ranking nationwide and a 1st-place ranking among Southeastern states in those combined fields.* Research funding in the fields of math and computer science, physical sciences and engineering has increased 97 percent since 2013 for Georgia schools overall. The Georgia Institute of Technology received almost \$1.1 billion in engineering research funding for 2023, bested only by Johns Hopkins University with almost \$1.5 billion.

(*Math, Computer Science, Physical Sciences and Engineering)

Georgia's 2023 Research Funding by Discipline



Georgia Ranks Top Among Southeastern States in Aerospace-Related R&D Expenditures (dollars in thousands)



(*Math, Computer Science, Physical Sciences, and Engineering)

Source: National Science Foundation R&D Report, FY 2023

Top Schools for Engineering R&D Expenditures (dollars in thousands)

1. Johns Hopkins University	\$1,493,689
2. Georgia Institute of Technology	\$1,061,402
3. Texas A&M	\$464,769
4. Pennsylvania State University	\$453,476
5. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	\$404,440
6. University of Texas at Austin	\$360,947
7. Purdue University	\$360,289
8. Wichita State University	\$336,096
9. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor	\$324,306
10. Utah State University	\$308,386

Source: National Science Foundation, R&D Expenditures in Engineering, FY 2023

Georgia's Centers of Innovation and the Aerospace Industry

The Georgia Tech Research Institute (GTRI)

GTRI works closely with the aerospace manufacturing industry in developing advanced performance and feature technology. The Institute is involved in e-safety projects as well as transportation structure research. GTRI supports approximately \$100 million in research yearly for more than 200 clients in industry and government. GTRI laboratories include the Aerospace, Transportation and Advanced Systems Laboratory (ATAS) which specializes in engineering, fabrication and testing of aerospace, transportation and advanced systems. For additional information visit www.gtri.gatech.edu.

The Georgia Center of Innovation for Aerospace (COIA)

COIA provides the technical industry expertise, collaborative research and partnerships needed to help the state's aerospace industry connect, compete and grow globally. The Center engages Georgia's expansive university research system and technology community for new product development, process improvement and bottom line solutions. Companies find answers while building valuable bridges between private industry and academia.

The Center currently has initiatives focused on emerging opportunities in unmanned aircraft systems and commercial space. To learn more about Georgia's aerospace industry, search the Aerospace Directory of more than 500* companies, and access the Center's resources and programs, visit Aerospace.GeorgiaInnovation.org.

Georgia Tech's Manufacturing Institute (GTMI)

GTMI, formerly the Manufacturing Research Center (MARC) has expanded to include researchers from all Georgia Tech colleges, the Enterprise Innovation Institute (EI²) and the Georgia Tech Research Institute. With access to academic expertise and cutting-edge equipment, GTMI offers manufacturers the help they need to excel in the marketplace. More than 70 percent of GTMI's 400,000 square feet of space and state-of-the-art core facilities are paid for by private industry working with GTMI.

The Advanced Technology Development Center (ATDC)

ATDC at Georgia Tech has produced more than 150 science and technology companies since 1986 – nearly a third of which have been represented on the public markets through IPOs or acquisitions.

ATDC has been recognized by *BusinessWeek, Inc.* and *Forbes* magazines as one of the nation's top nonprofit incubators. Since 1999, ATDC companies have attracted more than \$1 billion in venture capital funding.

Boeing Partners with Georgia Tech on New Research Center

The Boeing Manufacturing Development Center opened at Georgia Tech to address the difficult technical challenges in manufacturing today. Students work hand in hand with Boeing engineers, beginning with projects related to industrial robotics for machining and fabrication applications.

"This advanced center will let Georgia Tech students collaborate with Boeing engineers to help drive the development of innovative factory automation solutions in aerospace."

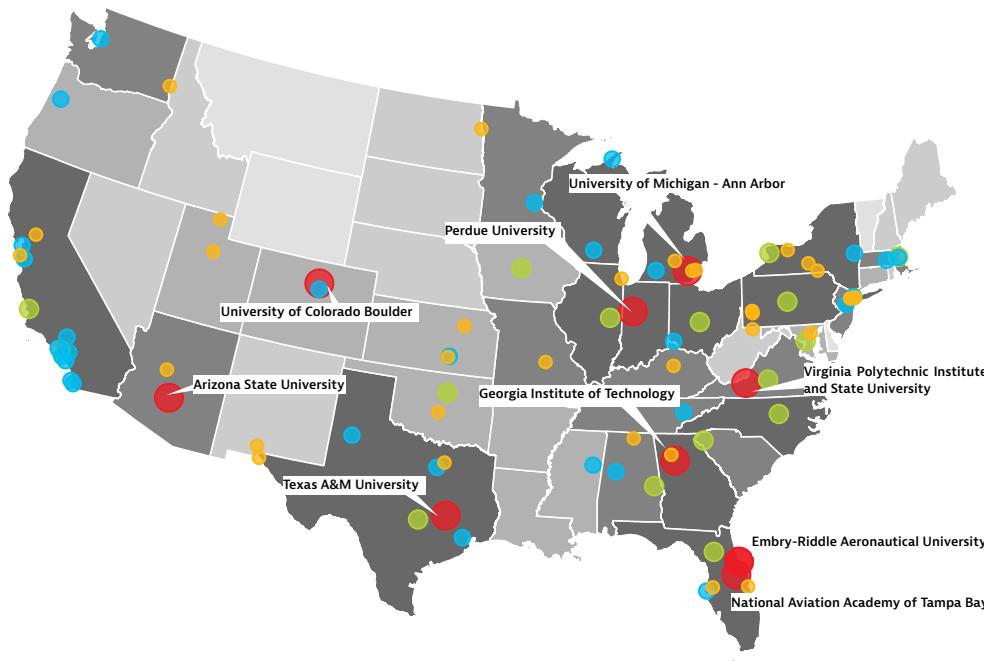
Greg Hyslop, Chief Technology Officer and Senior Vice President of Engineering, Test & Technology, Boeing

Source: "Boeing, Georgia Tech Unveil New Research Center," Georgia Tech news, 6.22.2017

Georgia Tech: A Producer of Top Aerospace Talent

With more than 1,600 aerospace-related graduates per year, Georgia Tech joins an elite group of academic institutions, including Embry-Riddle, Purdue University, Texas A&M, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, and Arizona State.

Aerospace-Related Employment and Graduates



Annual Aerospace-Related Graduates

- > 1,000
- 751 - 999
- 501 - 750
- 250 - 500

Source: Lightcast 2025.4Q

Aerospace-Related Occupational Employment

- > 65,000
- 30,001 - 65,000
- 15,001 - 30,000
- 1,220 - 15,000

Aerospace Graduate Classification Programs Used Above

CIP* Code	CIP Description
14.0201	Aerospace, Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering
14.1001	Electrical, Electronics and Communications Engineering
14.1901	Mechanical Engineering
14.3501	Industrial Engineering
15.0801	Aeronautical/Aerospace Engineering Technology/Technician
47.0607	Airframe Mechanics and Aircraft Maintenance Technology/Technician
47.0608	Aircraft Powerplant Technology/Technician
47.0609	Avionics Maintenance Technology/Technician
49.0102	Airline/Commercial/Professional Pilot and Flight Crew
49.0101	Aeronautics/Aviation/Aerospace Science and Tech/General

*Classification of Instructional Programs

Source: CIP codes definitions, "Aerospace Workforce Industry Supply and Demand in Georgia," January 2008, Georgia Tech Research Corporation.

Technical College System of Georgia creates Aviation Academy to meet workforce needs of aerospace industry

This new academy will operate at Silver Comet Field at the Paulding Northwest Atlanta Airport. Chattahoochee Technical College will oversee operations and build a new facility to house the Aviation Academy, where students will train in aviation mechanics and maintenance.

"As one of the largest employers of A&P technicians in Georgia, we know first-hand what a great career path this is and how important it is for our industry to have a strong pipeline of well-trained talent."

Jay Neely, Vice president of public affairs, Gulfstream

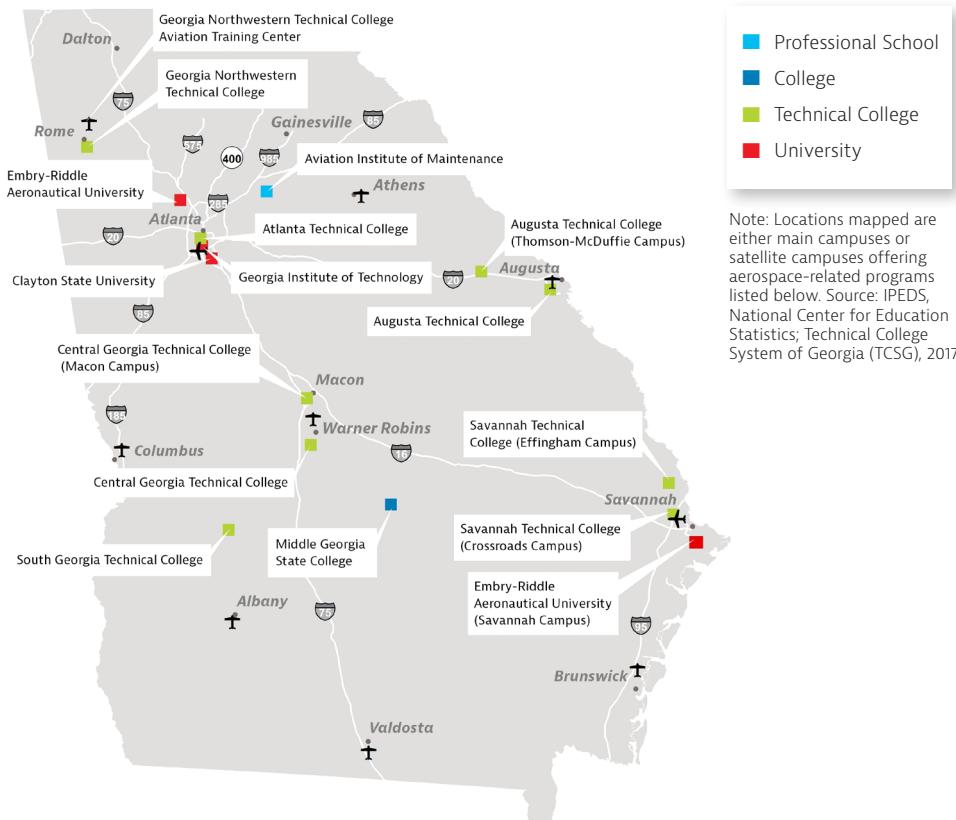
"Georgia creates Aviation Academy to meet the needs of Aerospace Industry," Governor's Office Press Release, 11.13.2018

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17-3021	Aerospace Engineering and Operations Technicians
49-2091	Avionics Technicians
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians
53-2011	Airline Pilots, Copilots, and Flight Engineers

Georgia's Technical Colleges Fuel Aerospace Industry

Georgia is home to 24 technical colleges and numerous satellite campus locations that offer a variety of aerospace-related degree and certificate programs. To serve ongoing training needs, the Technical College System of Georgia offers programs to both develop a pipeline of pre-qualified new workers and enhance the skills of existing workers. Programs include two-year degrees, one-year diplomas and fast-track certificates in many relevant fields. For more information on Georgia's technical college system, visit www.tcsd.edu.



Aerospace Degrees Offered

University

- Aeronautics (Bachelor's)
- Aeronautical Science (Master's)
- Aerospace Engineering (Bachelor's) (Master's)
- Aviation Maintenance (Bachelor's)

College

- Aircraft Structural Technology (Applied Associate)
- Aviation Maintenance Technology (Applied Technology)
- Avionics Technology (Applied Associate) (Certificate)
- Aircraft Structural Technology (Certificate)
- Aircraft Structural Worker (Certificate)
- Aviation Maintenance Technology – Airframe and Powerplant (Certificate)

Technical College*

- Aircraft Structural Technology (Diploma) (TCC)**
- Aircraft Structural Maintenance (TCC)
- Aircraft Assembly Technician (TCC)
- Aviation Maintenance Technician (Diploma)
- Avionics Maintenance Technology (Diploma) (TCC)
- Aviation Maintenance Technology (Degree)
- Aviation Maintenance Technician – Airframe (TCC)
- Avionics Bench Technician (TCC)

Career School

- Aviation Maintenance Technical Engineer (Certificate)
- Aviation Maintenance Technician (Certificate)
- Aviation Maintenance Technician Electronics (Certificate)
- Avionics Technician Program (Certificate)
- Advanced Structures Technician (Certificate)

*Other degrees offered at Georgia's technical schools but not covered in this study include air traffic management, airport management and flight technology. **Technical Certificate of Credit

Pratt & Whitney Georgia Expansion Takes Off at Paris Air Show

In 2023 while attending the Paris Air Show, Governor Brian P. Kemp announced that Pratt & Whitney, an RTX business specializing in aircraft and helicopter engines, will expand their operations in Columbus, Georgia. Their expansion will create nearly 400 new jobs and bring \$206 million in investment to Muscogee County.

"This investment will help ensure that we have the infrastructure, machinery, and equipment upgrades in place to provide the best products and services to our customers worldwide. The tremendous support we receive from the community and state have contributed to our success in Georgia."

Shane Eddy, President, Pratt & Whitney

Source: "Pratt & Whitney Georgia Expansion Takes Off at Paris Air Show," Georgia.org, June 20, 2023

Professional Support

Business outreach organizations and professional associations promote business processes and management solutions.

Enterprise Innovation Institute (EI²) innovate.gatech.edu

The Georgia Tech Enterprise Innovation Institute helps companies, entrepreneurs, economic developers and communities improve their competitiveness through the application of science, technology and innovation.

Mercer Engineering Research Center (MERC) merc-mercer.org

MERC is a non-profit center of Mercer University located in Warner Robins, Georgia, near Robins Air Force Base. MERC offers technical engineering and logistics solutions to aerospace and defense-related businesses. MERC's areas of expertise include aircraft structural analysis and design, flight test instrumentation, reverse engineering and prototyping, electronic warfare software algorithm development, laboratory structural testing and web-deployed applications with integrated database access.

Professional Groups and Trade Associations

Aerospace Components Manufacturers (ACM)	www.aerospacecomponents.org
Association for Facilities Engineering (AFE)*	www.afe.org
Aviation Suppliers Association (ASA)	www.aviationsuppliers.org
Georgia Business Aviation Association	www.gbaa.org
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)*	www.ieee.org
Professional Aviation Maintenance Association (PAMA)	www.pama.org
Society of Manufacturing Engineers (SME)*	www.sme.org

*Association has a Georgia or Southeastern chapter

Hermeus to open hypersonic airplane factory in Atlanta

In May 2021, Hermeus announced its plans to begin manufacturing hypersonic planes. The company had raised \$16 million in funding, and had struck an agreement with NASA for research and development of high-speed craft. The venture capital-backed firm will develop commercial aircraft that can fly faster than 3,000 miles per hour.

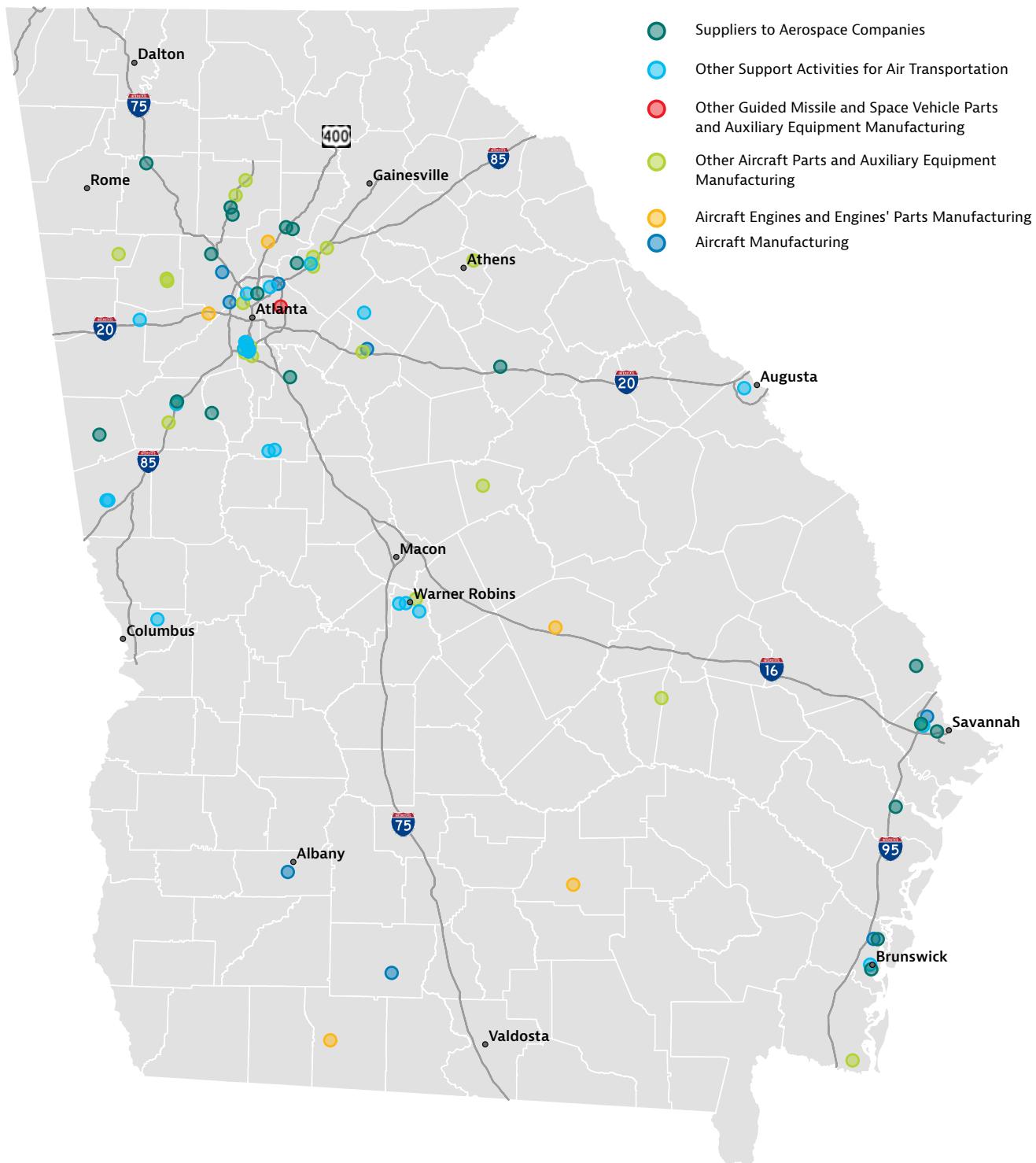
"Atlanta offers us a unique opportunity to grow into a large, affordable facility within a thriving urban environment. Georgia has a deep history in aviation, and we're committed to growing our team right here as we build the future."

AJ Piplica, CEO and Founder, Hermeus

Source: "Hypersonic plane startup plans Doraville aircraft factory," Atlanta Journal Constitution, May 6, 2021

Aerospace Companies

Georgia is home to a diverse mix of aerospace-related facilities, employing more than 35,700.*



*According to the Georgia Power Aerospace Products and Parts Manufacturing and Other Support Activities for Air Transportation Database 2025
Note: Map above shows facilities with 25 or more employees.

Aerospace Facilities in Georgia (25 or more employees)

Grouped by industry, sorted alphabetically

Company	Employment	Line of Business	City	County
NAICS 336411: Aircraft Manufacturing				
Archer Aviation	1,010	Aerospace Manufacturing	Covington	Newton
Flock Safety	216	Drone Manufacturing	Smryna	Cobb
Gulfstream Aerospace Corp.	9,700	Jet aircraft	Savannah	Chatham
Gulfstream Aerospace Corp.	300	Jet aircraft	Brunswick	Glynn
Hermeus	80	Hypersonic aircraft	Doraville	DeKalb
Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Co./Marietta	6,400	Military fixed-wing aircraft, civilian and commercial rotary wing aircraft	Marietta	Cobb
Maule Air Inc.	28	Single engine, 4 place short take-off and landing (STOL) aircraft	Moultrie	Colquitt
Thrush Aircraft LLC	171	Aircraft used to fertilize crops, fight wild fires, control insects and plant seeds from the air	Albany	Dougherty
Total	17,905			
NAICS 336412: Aircraft Engines and Engines Parts Manufacturing				
Chromalloy Georgia	125	Engine coating, casting, and forging for aerospace and automotive industries	Newnan	Coweta
Parker Aerospace/Military Flight Control	300	Electrohydraulic servovalves, electromechanical actuators	Dublin	Laurens
Parker Hannifin Corp.	50	Industrial hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders	Lithia Springs	Douglas
PBS Aerospace	95	Advanced propulsion systems	Roswell	Fulton
PCC Airfoils LLC	357	Aircraft and land-based gas turbine engine rotating blades, stationary vanes and engine nozzles for OEMs	Douglas	Coffee
Pursuit Aerospace	140	Aircraft Engines & Engine Parts	Thomasville	Thomas
Total	1,067			
NAICS 336413: Other Aircraft Parts and Auxiliary Equipment Manufacturing				
Accurus Aerospace Athens LLC	160	Aircraft Parts & Auxiliary Equipment	Athens	Clarke
AeroNet	30	Cargo Restraints	Newnan	Coweta
Aerospace Fabrications of Georgia Inc.	40	Aircraft power and emergency systems, fuel tanks, doors	Dallas	Paulding
Anduril Industries	230	Advanced military technology	Atlanta	Fulton
Axillon Aerospace	1,100	Defense-grade aerospace components	Rockmart	Polk
BAE Systems Inc.	35	Wiring devices for aerospace systems	Saint Marys	Camden
Barco Inc.	210	Rugged display monitors for aircraft and helicopters	Duluth	Gwinnett
Collins Aerospace	140	Electronic Components, Other	College Park	Fulton
Falcon Manufacturing Corp.	25	Other Aircraft Parts and Auxiliary Equipment	Covington	Newton
FELLFAB Corp.	160	Aircraft interiors including fabric and leather seat covers, cushions and carpet kits, ground support equipment	Forest Park	Clayton
Professional Aviation Associates Inc.	30	Transportation Equipment & Supplies	Forest Park	Clayton
Qarbon Aerospace	300	Composite components and assemblies	Milledgeville	Baldwin
RBC Aero Components	52	Precision machined parts, custom fabrication for the aerospace industry	Ball Ground	Cherokee
RCF Technologies Inc.	32	Seals gaskets, ducting, insulation, metal couplings for the aerospace industry	Vidalia	Toombs
Top Flight Aerostructures Inc.	40	Machined fittings, composite and bonded panels, tooling	Dallas	Paulding
Tyonek Manufacturing Group	40	Mechanical and electrical assemblies	Warner Robins	Houston
Universal Alloy Corp.	492	Aluminum aerospace extrusions	Canton	Cherokee
Universal Avionics/Instrument Div.	85	Flight management systems, navigation sensors, flat integrated displays	Duluth	Gwinnett
Web Industries Inc.	110	Composite fibers for commercial and military aircraft	Suwanee	Gwinnett
Total	3,081			

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NAICS 336419: Other Guided Missile and Space Vehicle Parts and Auxiliary Equipment Manufacturing				
Ceradyne Inc.	75	Ceramic radomes or nose cones for missile systems, aerospace castable tooling	Clarkston	DeKalb
Total	75			
NAICS 488190: Other Support Activities for Air Transportation				
AccuFleet International Inc.	50	Exterior wash, upholstery exchange	Hapeville	Fulton
Aero Center Atlanta	155	Aircraft maintenance and service	Chamblee	DeKalb
Arrow Repair Corp. LLC	36	Aircraft wheel and brakes repair and overhaul	Griffin	Spalding
Atlanta Aerospace	35	Airports, flying fields, & airport terminals	Griffin	Spalding
Augusta Aviation Inc.	35	Aircraft maintenance and service	Augusta	Richmond
Barfield Precision Electronics	85	Maintenance, repair and overhaul	College Park	Clayton
Chromalloy Georgia	35	Protective coating services to flight and ground power components	LaGrange	Troup
DataPath Corp.	128	Avionics equipment repair and maintenance	Duluth	Gwinnett
Delta Air Lines	5,000	Air Transportation, Scheduled	Atlanta	Clayton
Delta Cargo	500	Other Support Activities for Air Transportation	Atlanta	Clayton
Fokker Services Americas	110	Aircraft components repair and maintenance	LaGrange	Troup
G-Force Manufacturing	60	Manufactures thermal and acoustic insulation for G400 and G500 series aircraft	Pooler	Chatham
International Component Repair LLC	30	Repair and overhaul of aircraft components	Villa Rica	Carroll
Mallaghan Newnan	30	Ground Support Equipment	Newnan	Coweta
Northrop Grumman	700	Satellite and broadcast network equipment manufacturing	Warner Robins	Houston
Pratt & Whitney/Columbus Engine Center	700	Military and commercial engine overhaul and repair	Midland	Muscogee
Precision Aviation Group Inc.	90	Aircraft repair and overhaul	College Park	Clayton
Precision Heliparts Inc.	60	Maintenance, repair and overhaul of helicopters	College Park	Clayton
RG Grabber Inc.	25	Steel fabrication and collision repair systems	Brunswick	Glynn
S&K Aerospace LLC	65	Logistics, Procurement, Maintenance	Warner Robins	Houston
Stambaugh Aviation Inc.	96	Aircraft repair and maintenance	Brunswick	Glynn
StandardAero	200	Aircraft repair and maintenance	Augusta	Richmond
TBI Airport Management Inc.	200	Provides airport management services	Atlanta	Clayton
Textron GSE	165	Manufactures aircraft ground support equipment and vehicles	Cartersville	Bartow
Unifi	150	Ground support equipment maintenance and fueling	Atlanta	Fulton
Valence Surface Technologies	68	Aerospace product finishing	Eastman	Dodge
Vertex Aerospace TCS	75	Testing support for military industry	Warner Robins	Houston
Worldwide Flight Services	200	Cargo handling	Atlanta	Fulton
Total	9,083			

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Suppliers to Aerospace Companies				
Aventure International Aviation Services	26	Transportation Equipment & Supplies	Peachtree City	Fayette
Barco Inc.	210	Computer Peripheral Equipment, Other	Duluth	Gwinnett
Collins Aerospace	60	Systems	Savannah	Chatham
Edwards Interiors Inc.	300	Provides sheet metal fabrication, lathe machining, aircraft cabinetry fabrication, welding services for the aerospace industry	Rincon	Effingham
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co./Aviation Division	61	Aircraft tire retreading	Stockbridge	Henry
Howmet Aerospace Inc.	190	Engineered metal products for the aerospace industry	Midway	Liberty
JAC Products Inc.	300	Aluminum extrusions	Franklin	Heard
Jered LLC	140	Aircraft carrier elevators	Brunswick	Glynn
L3Harris Technologies	400	Command and control systems and products	Alpharetta	Forsyth
Mercury Mission Systems	85	Glass Products, Made Of Purchased Glass	Alpharetta	Forsyth
Nor-Ral Inc.	60	Plastic composites for the aerospace industry	Holly Springs	Cherokee
Novelis Inc.	500	Primary production of aluminum	Atlanta	Fulton
Novelis Inc.	200	Primary production of aluminum	Kennesaw	Cobb
Novelis Inc.	128	Primary production of aluminum	Greensboro	Greene
NYCO America LLC	40	Lubricating Oils & Greases	Newnan	Coweta
Precision Machine of Savannah Inc.	80	Stamped or pressed metal machine parts, aircraft parts and equipment	Savannah	Chatham
Ryerson Inc.	300	Aluminum and precision processing for the aerospace industry	Norcross	Gwinnett
Schoen Insulation Services Inc.	130	Non-metallic machined parts	Canton	Cherokee
Toby Sexton Tire Co. Inc.	28	Tires & Tubes	Loganville	Walton
Vista Metals Corp.	300	Standard and custom aluminum-lithium products for aerospace, defense, automotive and commercial customers	Adairsville	Bartow
Total	3,242			

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