

**ACCESS TO RESOURCES:** Missouri is the leading producer of lead for batteries in the U.S. and is home to what is likely the largest cobalt reserve in North America.

**ACCESS TO GROWTH:** Missouri's tax policy and training programs provide tools and resources to ensure Missourimade products are profitable for companies.

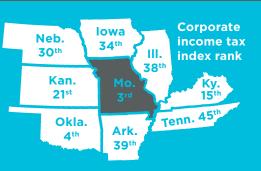
ACCESS TO SAVINGS: Missouri's low cost of energy, combined with low cost of living and doing business, positions Missouri as a prime location for manufacturers in the energy sector.

ACCESS TO INNOVATION: In Missouri, energy innovation is taking place at institutions such as the Energy Research and Development Center at Missouri University of Science & Technology, the Missouri Center for Advanced Power Systems, the Center for Physical and Power Electronics at the University Missouri, the Lithium Ion Center for Excellence and the Missouri Alternative and Renewable Energy Technology Center.

**ACCESS TO EVERYWHERE:** Missouri's location and extensive logistics infrastructure make it simple and efficient to ship energy-related products around the world.



Missouri batteries power the space program







THRIVING INDUSTRY: Missouri is home to leading developers and producers of batteries for the defense, space, automotive, and consumer industries:























The Missouri Partnership is a public-private economic development organization focused on attracting new jobs and investment to the state and promoting Missouri's business strengths. We work in partnership with the Hawthorn Foundation, the Missouri Department of Economic Development, the State of Missouri, and economic development agencies across the state.

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