



AMEREN MISSOURI INDUSTRY SPOTLIGHT

AGRICULTURE TECHNOLOGY

Ameren Missouri is dedicated to serving ag-based businesses with resources needed to feed the world, one crop at a time.





POWERING GROWTH

The following companies had recent location or expansion announcements in Missouri and are powered by Ameren Missouri.

- Since 2018, Missouri landed **41 projects** totaling more than **\$724 million** of investment and **3,000 jobs**.
- Companies include Bunge, Bayer AG, Benson Hill Biosystems, Cosmos Corporation, Beyond Meat, Nestle, Plumrose USA, TNT Crust, CTC, Zea BioSciences and Bioheuris.

MISSOURI AG TECH/FOOD ADVANTAGES



OVER 380,000 MISSOURIANS WORK IN AGRICULTURAL-RELATED INDUSTRIES

(Source: U.S. Census CBP)



Ag tech giant **BUNGE** moved its global headquarters to St. Louis in 2019, while **BAYER CROP SCIENCE** moved its North America headquarters to St. Louis from Raleigh, N.C. In central Missouri, **AURORA ORGANIC DAIRY** and **PLUMROSE USA** both announced new food manufacturing operations.



Missouri is home to an abundant, high-quality water supply and unparalleled access to more than **95,000 FARMS**.

Ameren Missouri offers low-cost, highly reliable energy.

OUR ELECTRIC RATES ARE 27% LOWER THAN NATIONAL AVERAGE.

To discover readily available sites powered by Ameren Missouri's affordable system, search our sites database at AmerenMissouri.com/economicdevelopment.

(Source: Edison Electric Institute, "Typical Bills and Average Rates Report" for the 12 months ended June 30, 2020)



**WE HAVE YOUR SUPPLIER NETWORK:
NEARLY 2,000 AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES CALL MISSOURI HOME.**

(SOURCE: U.S. CENSUS CBP)

MISSOURI HAS THE PIPELINE TO GROW TALENT



**OVER 338,496 STUDENTS ARE CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN
FOUR YEAR AND TWO YEAR HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS.**

(Source: MO DHEWD)



**MISSOURI HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS PRODUCE NEARLY
1,000 AGRICULTURE GRADUATES ANNUALLY**

(includes all undergraduate and post graduate degrees.) (Source: IPEDS, Alliance STL)

**INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH ASSETS
IN MISSOURI INCLUDE:**



DONALD DANFORTH PLANT SCIENCE CENTER



MISSOURI BOTANICAL GARDEN



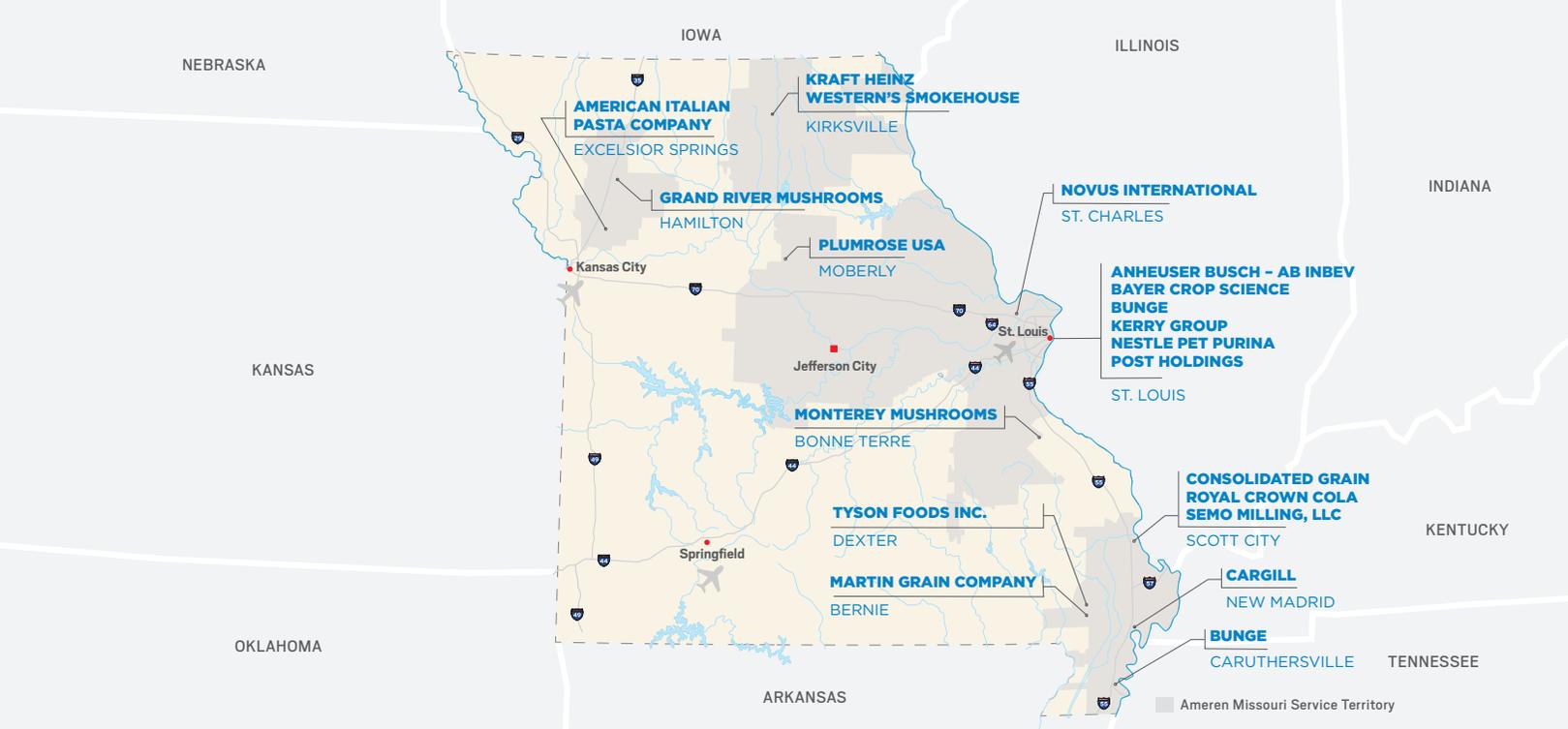
**WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOUIS
- TYSON RESEARCH CENTER**



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INNOVATIONS CENTER**

Missouri's new acclaimed training program, One Start, will help your company achieve its goals.

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LEADING AGRICULTURAL COMPANIES LOCATED IN MISSOURI:

- AMERICAN ITALIAN PASTA COMPANY
- ANHEUSER BUSCH - AB INBEV
- BAYER CROP SCIENCE
- BUNGE

- CARGILL
- CATERPILLAR INC.
- CONSOLIDATED GRAIN
- GRAND RIVER MUSHROOMS
- KERRY GROUP

- KRAFT HEINZ
- MARTIN GRAIN COMPANY
- MONTEREY MUSHROOMS
- NESTLE PET PURINA
- NOVUS INTERNATIONAL
- PLUMROSE USA

- POST HOLDINGS
- ROYAL CROWN COLA
- SEMO MILLING, LLC
- TYSON FOODS INC.
- WESTERN'S SMOKEHOUSE

INCENTIVES TO POWER YOUR GROWTH

Missouri has attractive tax incentives and programs to provide fuel for growth including:



AMEREN MISSOURI ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE RIDER – We offer one of the best economic development incentive rates in the country, qualifying businesses can receive up to 40% off base electric rates. To learn more, visit: AmerenMissouri.com/EconomicDevelopment



STATE OF MISSOURI TAX INCENTIVES – The Missouri Partnership is a one stop shop for tax incentives related to jobs and investment.

To learn more, visit: missouripartnership.com/regions-sites-incentives/incentive-programs/



STATE OF MISSOURI WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT – The Department of Education and Workforce Development offers training assistance in a variety of ways.

To learn more, visit: jobs.mo.gov/employer/incentives

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