Distribution
Mississippi

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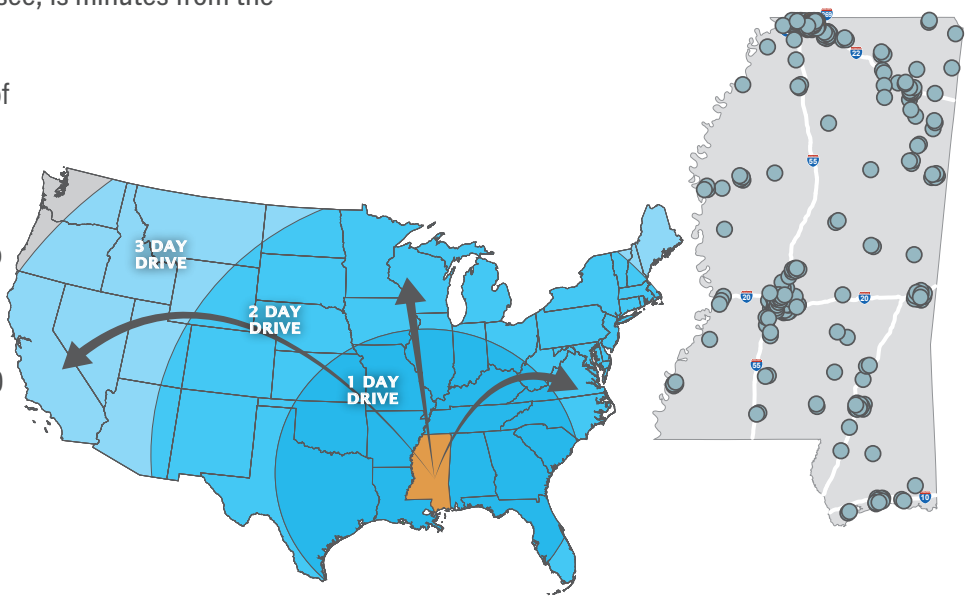
Advantages

- U.S. distribution hub of Memphis, Tennessee, is minutes from the northern state line
- Three navigable waterways (Mississippi River, the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway, and Gulf of Mexico)
- Four foreign-trade zones
- Pro-Business climate with leadership working to keep taxes low, strengthen infrastructure, and bolster workforce training programs
- 32% of manufacturers in the U.S. are within 600 miles of Mississippi
- Highway network often recognized for performance and cost-effectiveness



Companies

	City	Product/Service
ABB	Byhalia	Electrical products
Amazon	Byhalia	Consumer goods
AmerisourceBergen	Olive Branch	Pharmaceuticals
ASICS	Byhalia	Footwear
Belk	Byram	Clothing
Cardinal Health	Olive Branch	Healthcare
Channel Control Merchants	Hattiesburg	Retail
Coca-Cola	Multiple locations	Soft drinks
Cooper Tires	Byhalia	Tires
Dollar General	Indianola	Retail
Dollar Tree	Olive Branch	Retail
Kinder Morgan	Amory	Energy
LEVI'S	Canton	Clothing
McCormick	Byhalia	Spices
Milwaukee Tool	Olive Branch	Power tools
Nike	Byhalia	Retail
Post	Byhalia	Food
Sephora	Olive Branch	Cosmetics
Williams-Sonoma	Olive Branch	Retail
Walmart	New Albany	Retail

Workforce

The Transportation and Warehousing industry employs over 50,000 people in Mississippi and is expected to increase 5% over the next five years. Below are just a few of the occupations commonly found in the Distribution and Warehousing industry.

SOC	Description	Employed in Mississippi (2020)	Median Hrly Earnings (2020)
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	24,960	$28.71
11-3071	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	1,094	$37.99
13-1081	Logisticians	1,763	$34.49
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	12,802	$20.50
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	13,669	$17.23
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	18,192	$11.70
43-5011	Cargo and Freight Agents	277	$18.62
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	7,612	$13.66
43-5081	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	18,195	$11.17
43-5111	Weighers, Measurers, Checkers, and Samplers, Recordkeeping	551	$14.12
49-3031	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	2,874	$17.85
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	14,207	$14.78
51-2098	Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other, Including Team Assemblers	20,826	$13.96
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	5,244	$15.67
51-9111	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	3,861	$14.05
51-9198	Helpers--Production Workers	4,487	$13.45
53-1048	First-line Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers, Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	3,908	$24.47
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	26,867	$18.82
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	8,988	$13.33
53-6099	Transportation Workers, All Other	96	$15.83
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	8,602	$14.83
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	32,405	$11.40
53-7063	Machine Feeders and Offbearers	878	$13.89
53-7064	Packers and Packagers, Hand	3,656	$10.20
53-7199	Material Moving Workers, All Other	138	$19.01

Quick Facts

100 MILLION PEOPLE WITHIN A DAY'S DRIVE OF MISSISSIPPI

FOUR MILLION COMPANIES WITHIN 500 MILES

FIVE MILES TO MEMPHIS INTL AIRPORT

(SECOND-BUSIEST CARGO AIRPORT IN THE WORLD)

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