

# CONNEX™ TENNESSEE

## CONNECTING THE TENNESSEE MANUFACTURING SUPPLY CHAIN

**CONNEX™ TENNESSEE** is the exciting new manufacturer-supplier database designed to connect Tennessee manufacturers and suppliers. This powerful online tool is provided at no cost and allows manufacturers and suppliers to quickly assess supply chain risk, scout for qualified suppliers, and discover new business opportunities.

The platform combines Tennessee manufacturer and supplier data into a single, accurate searchable scouting database to better connect manufacturers, provide supply chain visualizations, and display workforce and R&D efforts within a region.

Sponsored by the National Association of Manufacturers (NAM) and designed to be the premier system for domestic supply chain sourcing and networking, this resource aims to promote domestic sourcing whenever possible.

### ACCESS YOUR COMPLEMENTARY PROFILE.

Your detailed profile helps buyers quickly match your capabilities with their needs. Access gives you search capability to identify and locate local and domestic suppliers with highly specific capabilities, services, and products. Tie into the nation's premier online networking tool for manufacturers to find each other and strengthen the domestic supply chain.

Contact your local Solutions Consultant to learn more: [https://bit.ly/Solutions\\_Consultant](https://bit.ly/Solutions_Consultant)

### BENEFITS:



Network with over 4,000 local manufacturers and increase your exposure.



Quickly find and connect with industry buyers, manufacturers and suppliers based on exact needs.



Post & respond to RFI's and RFQ's.



Utilize CONNEX™ Tennessee's powerful search capability with hundreds of searchable classification fields to locate local and domestic suppliers with highly specific capabilities, services and products.



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## FAST FACTS:

CONNEX™ Tennessee is a supply chain database tool provided, at no cost, to Tennessee manufacturers by The University of Tennessee Center for Industrial Services in partnership with the Tennessee Chamber of Commerce & Industry.

The platform allows manufacturers to view a company's assets, certifications, capabilities, and other relevant industry information; it also provides the ability to publish and respond to RFPs, RFQs, RFIs and surplus material lists or equipment.

CONNEX™ Tennessee was designed to help Tennessee manufacturers better connect, increase business opportunities, reduce supply chain costs, improve productivity, and increase collaboration within regional supply chains.

The CONNEX™ Tennessee platform is designed to incorporate the Manufacturing Marketplace provided by the National Association of Manufacturers and supports the national goals of fostering a substantial U.S. industrial base. CONNEX™ Tennessee account holders will have an option to upgrade to the National Marketplace.

For Tennessee manufacturers wanting to grow or diversify their business—including looking for new capabilities, services, partners, or new product development—CONNEX™ Tennessee allows you to search for and connect to relevant companies that meet your requirements.

Basic search and contact information for Tennessee manufacturers will be available to anyone via the search bar or navigation tabs; however, the ability to list detailed information, perform in-depth searches, and exchange information is only available to registered Tennessee manufacturing businesses. Registration is free.

Visit the CONNEX™ Tennessee Web Page at

<https://tmep.cis.tennessee.edu/connex-tn>



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