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## Visit Us

The Purdue Research Park Aerospace District is strategically located between Chicago and Indianapolis, just off U.S. 231.

For directions from Chicago (approx. travel time 2 hours) or Indianapolis (approx. travel time 1 hour 15 minutes), visit our website:

<http://purdueresearchpark.com/directions>



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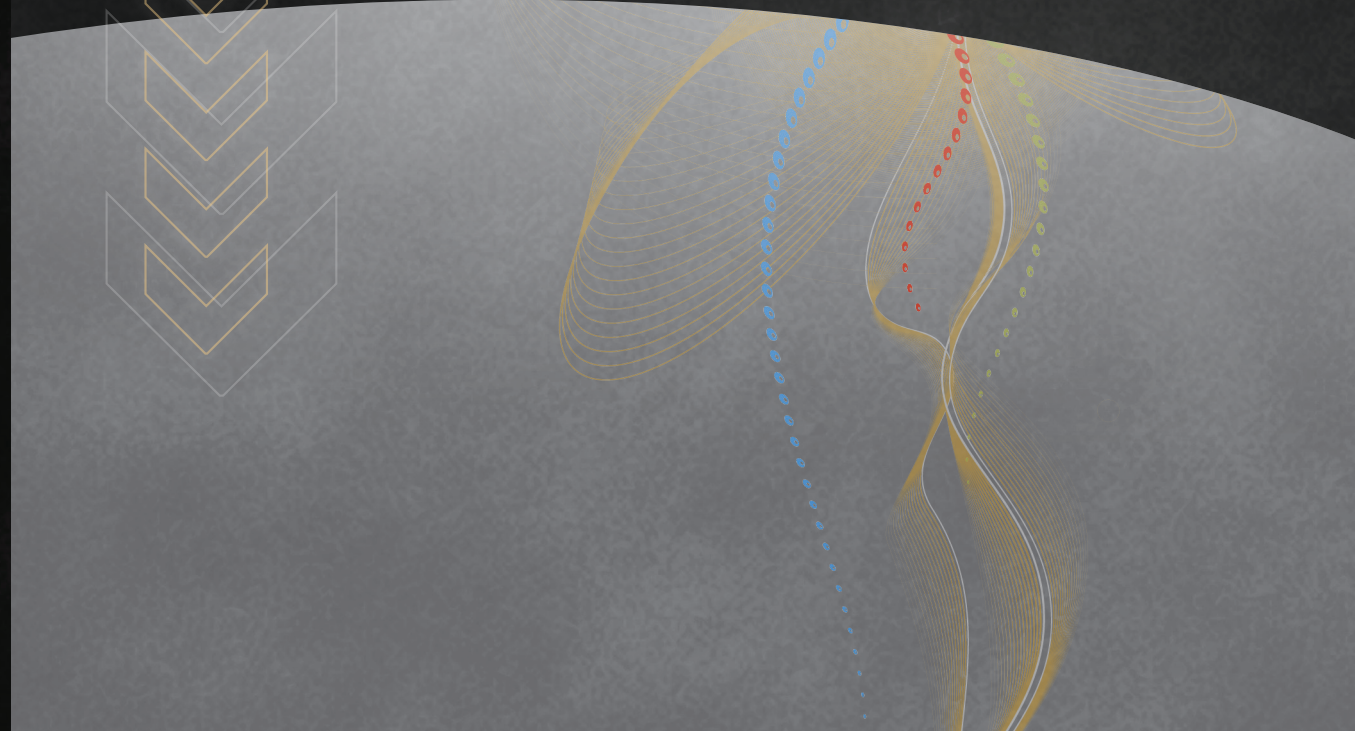
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# Purdue Research Park Aerospace District

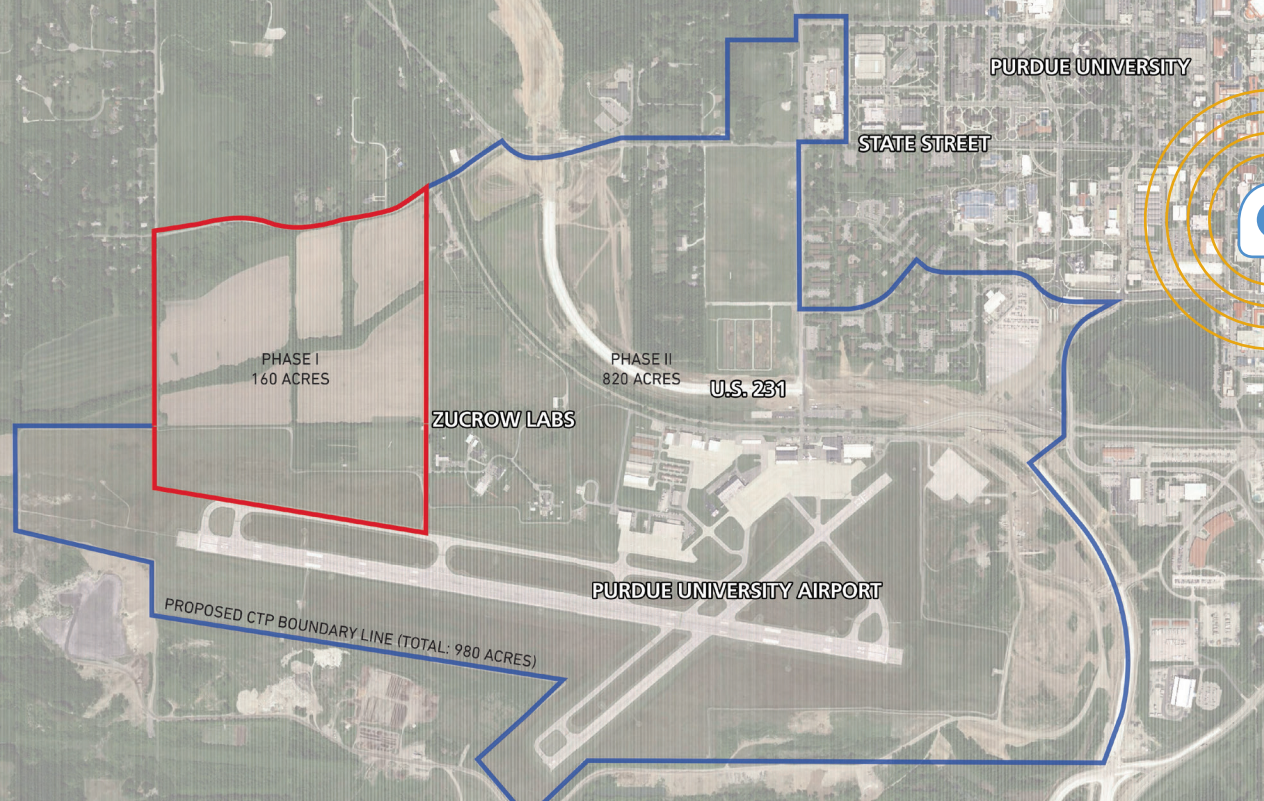
The 980-acre Purdue Research Park Aerospace District of West Lafayette is ideally situated for high-tech aerospace companies to grow their businesses and collaborate on research and commerce opportunities with Purdue University.

The site is one of the few in the country that houses an active airport adjoining property that can support public and private aerospace research facilities and resides next to a world-class research institution. The district has already been named an Indiana Certified Technology Park by the Indiana Economic Development Corporation.

The district houses the Purdue University Airport, Purdue Aviation, Niswonger Aviation Technology Building and the Maurice J. Zucrow Laboratories with additional land available for firms to build R&D facilities to advance aerospace technology and innovation.

Under development by Purdue Research Foundation, a \$3 billion private, nonprofit foundation that serves the mission of Purdue University, the Purdue Research Park Aerospace District is the fifth Purdue Research Park based in Indiana.

Other Purdue Research Park sites are located in Indianapolis, Merrillville, New Albany and a second location in West Lafayette. The award-winning park network has more than 260 companies that employ about 4,500 people. An independent study reports that the park network provides an annual economic impact of \$1.3 billion to the State of Indiana.



## Amenities and Land Development

*Purdue Research Park Aerospace District is one of the largest university-affiliated aerospace land developments aligned with an operational airport. Highlights include:*

- Land of multiple or single lots available to purchase and/or lease
- Esteemed property development leadership team to assist with land improvement and building construction
- Direct proximity to Purdue University Airport
- Close to the Maurice J. Zucrow Laboratories for rocket and jet propulsion research
- Access to the world-class Purdue Polytechnic Institute Department of Aviation Technology
- Strong talent base for employee recruitment
- Loan and incentive programs



## Collaboration Opportunities

*Opportunities and research centers for companies to attain aerospace advancement goals include:*

- Purdue researchers' patented technologies to improve engines, sensors, propulsion systems, blade designs and composite materials
- Indiana Manufacturing Institute to support advanced composite materials
- Advanced Aviation Analytics Institute for Research
- Air Transport Institute for Environmental Sustainability
- Center of Excellence for General Aviation: PEGASAS
- Rig testing for NextGen alternative fuels for general aviation
- Purdue Center for Materials Processing and Metal Casting Research
- Maurice J. Zucrow Laboratories
- Center of Excellence on Aircraft Noise and Aviation Emissions Mitigation
- Purdue Center for Materials Processing Research
- Airliner Cabin Environment Research (ACER)
- Institute of Thermal-Hydraulics



## Industry Partners

*Purdue University has a rich history of partnering on research and commerce endeavors. Some of Purdue's collaborating companies are:*

- 3M Company
- Altair Engineering Inc.
- The Boeing Company
- Celanese Corporation
- Convergent Manufacturing Technologies Inc.
- Cytec Industries Inc.
- Dassault Systèmes
- General Electric
- Huntsman Corporation
- MIT-RCF, LLC
- Momentive Performance Materials Inc.
- Oshkosh Corporation
- PPG Industries Inc.
- Rolls Royce PLC
- xperion Aerospace GmbH



## Resources

Companies in the Purdue Research Park Aerospace District will have strategic resources available that include:

- Purdue Research Park
- Discovery Park
- Purdue Foundry
- Purdue Research Foundation Office of Technology Commercialization
- Purdue University Technical Assistance Program
- Purdue University Internship, co-op, senior project programs and part-time employment
- Community business and economic development partners
- Industry partners