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ECONOMIC PROFILE OF NORTH GEORGIA

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ATLANTA, GA....Georgia Tech researchers have prepared an economic profile of North Georgia, describing the region's resources as well as its needs for future growth.

"Economic Development Analysis of Appalachian Georgia" was prepared for the Appalachian Regional Commission by Tech's Economic Development Laboratory. The study focuses on Georgia's 35 northernmost counties.

The study analyzes the location requirements of 448 types of industry and matches these needs to the resources of North Georgia communities. It also presents recommendations for future growth in the region and identifies non-manufacturing activities which should be developed to broaden the area's economic base.

Further information on the study is available from Mary Edna Anders, Georgia Institute of Technology, Economic Development Laboratory, Engineering Experiment Station, Atlanta, Ga. 30332.

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