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Lesson 2: Florida: A Hotspot for U.S. Manufacturing

The Evolution of Manufacturing

INSTRUCTIONS: The following questions are to be answered as a group. Discuss the question with your group members and write down the different ideas and answers that you have as a group. Be prepared to share your thoughts with the rest of the class!

Use the internet to search for an example, with pictures, of an old factory (1950 or earlier) and a modern factory (2000 or later). Using the information provided on the site, and observations from the pictures, answer the following questions as best as you can about each factory and compare/contrast the old factory with the modern one.

1. What type of factories did you research?

2. Describe what each factory produces?

3. How many workers are needed to produce the companies' product(s)?

4. Describe the work environment that you observed.

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