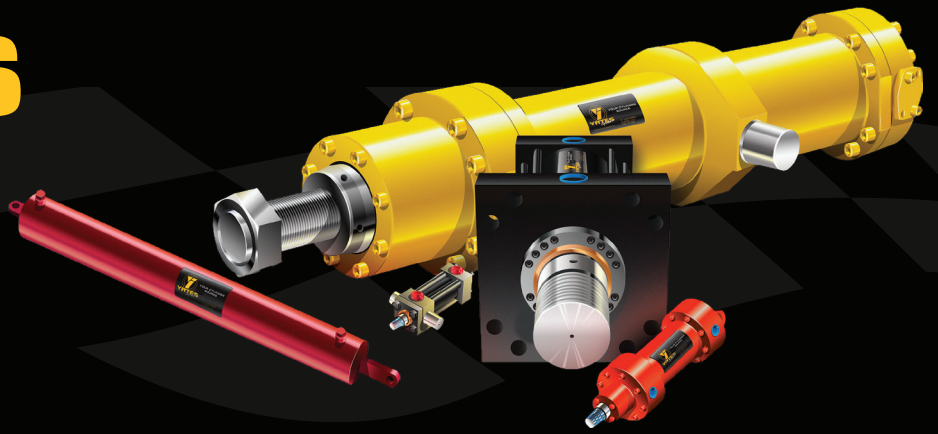


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Yates Industries Continues Growth, Expands Presence in Southeast

Yates Industries has expanded its operations to Atlanta, Georgia. Yates is poised to further expand their industry-leading hydraulic manufacturing and service capabilities throughout the Southern U.S., nationally and internationally.

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Yates Industries, the leading industrial cylinder manufacturer in the Midwest United States, announced they have expanded to include Atlanta, Georgia.

"This is a very exciting time for us here," said Steve Cavera, Yates Industries National Sales Manager. "With this strategic acquisition we will be able to effectively increase our manufacturing and repair servicing capabilities."

Yates Industries main plant is headquartered in Saint Clair Shores, Michigan with a second facility, Yates Cylinders, Alabama Division, located in Decatur. With these two locations, Yates is able to do high-speed turnarounds on cylinder repairs and customized cylinder manufacturing faster than most of its competitors.

Expanding to Atlanta will broaden Yates' welded cylinder line capabilities.

"We are definitely poised for future expansion, but what is most important to us is the addition of a comprehensive welded cylinder line providing our customers with more options and better service," Cavera added.



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About Yates Industries

Yates Industries is a third generation, family-owned Cylinder Manufacturing company improving and providing high performance hydraulic cylinder products and services to the steel, aerospace, defense, shipping, automotive and manufacturing industries. With 42 years of experience, Yates' team of dedicated professionals, have become the benchmark of the industry. For more information about Yates Industries call 586.778.7680 or visit them online at <http://www.yatesind.com>.



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