

Mississippi

Mississippi General Comments

- Mississippi Army Ammunition Plant has a long and storied history, and has made significant contributions to supporting the Army's missions; however the Army must now look to future requirements and develop an installation portfolio that can support and sustain its new force structure, and missions as the Army transforms to an expeditionary force.
- This closure is at the request of the local community, and should generate economic gain as the industrial capacity is turned over to civilian control.
- The Army is committed to working with local communities as Mississippi Army Ammunition Plant closes to smooth the transition process.

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BRAC 2005 Recommendation:

BRAC 05 recommends the closure of Mississippi Army Ammunition Plant which eliminates excess, reduces redundancy, and transforms munitions production and storage installations into multi-functional munitions centers of excellence. The recommendation is supported by a request of the Governor of Mississippi and the local community for closure.

Gains:

- None, close Mississippi Army Ammunition Plant

Losses:

- 155MM ICM artillery metal parts functions to Rock Island Arsenal