

Thermo Fisher's largest single-use technology manufacturing site opens in US

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One of the largest manufacturing sites for the company, the \$105 million facility adds capacity to enable more lifesaving vaccines and therapies



Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. has opened its largest single-use technology manufacturing site in Greater Nashville, US. The \$105 million, 400,000-square-foot facility enables the company to help meet rapidly growing demand for the bioprocessing materials needed to produce vaccines and breakthrough therapies for cancer and other diseases. This new site is part of Thermo Fisher's \$650 million multi-year investment to expand its bioprocessing production capabilities.

Daniella Cramp, senior vice president and president, bioproduction, Thermo Fisher Scientific said, "As the largest single-use manufacturing site in Thermo Fisher's network and one of the largest in the world, the Lebanon facility near Nashville enables customers to bring medicines to patients faster than ever before."

The Lebanon facility will manufacture customizable, single-use BioProcess Containers and fluid transfer assembly systems that are in high demand by biopharma companies. The completed site will include 92,000 square-feet of clean room and will also include a dedicated line for the recently released Thermo Scientific DynaDrive Bioreactor. The site location is bringing critical materials closer to biopharma customers in the region, with Nashville among the top ten fastest-growing biotech hubs in the US.

The Lebanon site currently employs approximately 300 people, and the completed facility will create 1,400 new jobs in roles across engineering, procurement, quality, warehousing, site leadership and more.