



**Company Name:** Lapp Insulators, LLC  
**Headquarters:** 130 Gilbert Street  
LeRoy, N.Y. 14482  
**Year Founded:** 1916  
**Total Number of Employees:** 1,400 (160 in LeRoy)  
**CEO:** John Hurshman  
**Web site:** [www.lappinsulator.com](http://www.lappinsulator.com)

#### **Rochester-based activities and accomplishments:**

Headquartered in LeRoy, NY, Lapp Insulators is a leading manufacturer of high-voltage ceramic and composite insulators for the global electric utility industry, ensuring the integrity of electric transmission and distribution systems around the world.

Lapp Insulators has progressive manufacturing facilities in LeRoy; Wunsiedel and Redwitz, Germany; Jedlina Zdroj, Poland; Turda, Romania, and the People's Republic of China. Lapp's core businesses include ceramic and composite insulators for applications ranging from 7.5 kilovolts (kV) to 765 kV.

Every product is constructed by highly skilled craftsmen using superior raw materials and the most advanced technological resources. As the only insulator maker who tests its products twice – using standards well beyond what the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) requires – Lapp Insulators is both nationally and internationally acclaimed for its higher standards.

A work cell production flow and state-of-the art pug mills and kilns are a part of Lapp's higher standards, and they have extended the limits of manufacturing high voltage insulators through quality, innovation, customer focus and a commitment to performance.



## Why Rochester?

Named one of Rochester's Top 100 Fastest Growing Companies for the last three consecutive years by the Rochester Business Alliance, Lapp Insulators sees the value in growing its business in the Rochester area. In July of 2009, Lapp moved production of its composite insulators from the state of Georgia to LeRoy, NY, creating eight additional local jobs in the process. Lapp has invested \$2.5 million in LeRoy over the past three years.



CEO John Hurshman attributes the company's success and hometown recognition to its local growth strategy, including allocating a portion of the \$2.5 million investment in LeRoy to its LeRoy plant – leading to significant increases in productivity and efficiency and ultimately an increase in product supply.

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