

Study evaluates fab investment

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Semico Research Corp. of Arizona just presented a study at The Desmond Hotel in Colonie showing that a computer chip factory built in upstate New York will generate 5,500 new jobs.

The company looked at what type of return on investment the state would make if it invested \$650 million in such a project.

That's the cash New York has offered to Advanced Micro Devices Inc. as part of a \$1.2 billion incentive package to build a \$3.2 billion computer chip factory in Saratoga County. But the folks at Semico were quick to point out that their analysis is not of AMD's specific project, although it closely mirrors it.

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