Economic Influences (Sample Responses)

| Factor Influencing Location | Definition | Examples | Braum’s |
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| Infrastructure | *the physical structures (like roads & schools) and systems (like laws) that support a country and its economy* | * Bridges * Electricity * Schools | * *Highways for delivery trucks* |
| Manufacturing | *the process of creating new products from raw materials* | * Special equipment * Access to materials * Skilled laborers | * *Processing plant* * *Makes ice cream & butter* * *Bottling milk* * *Plant is near the farm* |
| Markets | *a system that determines the price someone will pay in exchange for a product or service, which is influenced by a variety of factors* | * Labor costs * Material costs * Supply & demand | * *Cost of cows* * *Costs to run the farm / Costs of land* * *Increase list of products (butter, milk, cheese, fast food, etc.)* |