



MANUFACTURING



The Dayton, Ohio region's manufacturing industry is one of the largest, most highly developed centers in the United States.

According to research from the Dayton Region Manufacturers Association, the industry employs 114,411 workers or 15.26% of the area's workforce. That workforce is supported by the region's 40 colleges and universities that provide education and job training. Between 2009 and 2013, the manufacturing industry invested \$2.3 billion in the area by expanding or constructing 200 facilities and creating more than 12,000 jobs. The industry's growth – especially in aerospace and electronics – is supported by a unique combination of factors: abundant water resources, efficient transportation networks, and a historic knack for innovation. Manufacturing has been and will continue to be critical for the economic and national security of the United States, which makes the Dayton region a vital investment in the country's future.

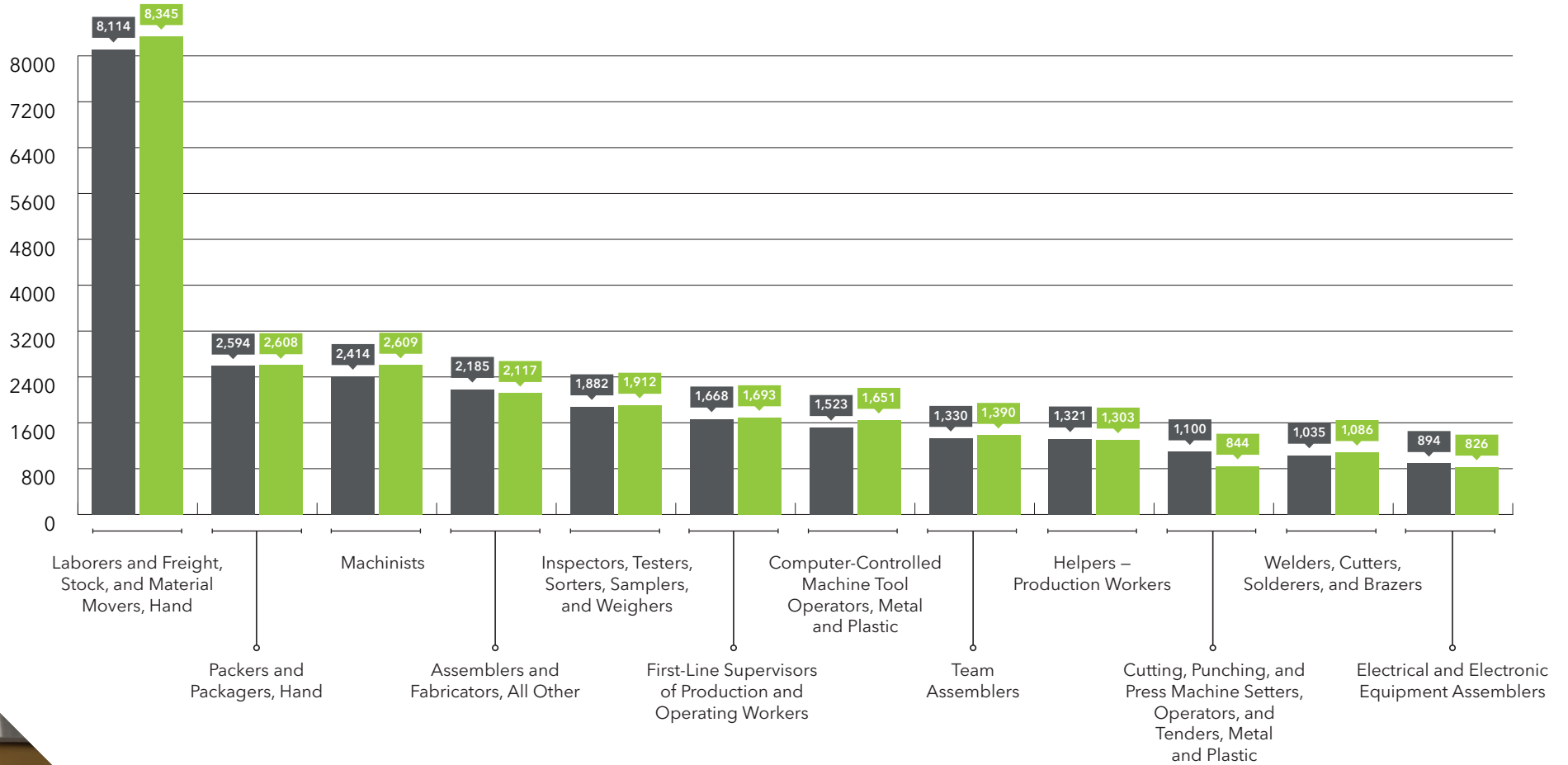
TOP OCCUPATIONS

Description	Median Hourly Earnings	Annual Openings
Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	\$13.98	250
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	\$19.91	168
Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	\$16.87	107
Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	\$13.92	100
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	\$27.35	167
Helpers – Production Workers	\$11.24	198
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	\$17.73	230
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	\$12.47	1,138
Machinists	\$21.18	270
Packers and Packagers, Hand	\$9.28	394
Team Assemblers	\$11.55	163
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	\$18.59	118
	\$16.17	3,304



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EMPLOYMENT GROWTH BY OCCUPATION ■ 2017 Jobs ■ 2028 Jobs



MAJOR EMPLOYERS IN THE DAYTON REGION

Company	Employees	Company	Employees
Honda America Manufacturing Co.	3,300	MAHLE Behr Dayton LLC	1,200
Fuyao Glass America Inc.	2,000	Whirlpool Corp.	1,200
Emerson	1,700	Cargill	957
Navistar International Corp.	1,500	Neaton Auto Products Manufacturing Inc.	923
Clopay Building Products	1,200	F&P America Manufacturing	920