AEROSPACE BY THE NUMBERS



More than 200 companies have ties to the state's aerospace sector. More than 24,000 people are employed in Wisconsin by companies that support the aerospace manufacturing sector.

200+
COMPANIES



24,000+ †††
INDUSTRY JOBS

Source: Companies identified through proprietary and public database sources and OEM qualified supplier lists; Infogroup 2016

WISCONSIN ranks at the top for employment concentration in four key fields for aerospace manufacturing:

#1

- fabricated metal product manufacturing
- appliance and component manufacturing
- electrical equipment

#**2**

- machinery manufacturing
- plastic and rubber product manufacturing

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, Annual 2016 Employment

Aircraft, spacecraft and parts are the #7 largest category of Wisconsin exports. Wisconsin's exports in this category totaled \$500 million in 2016, a 49% increase over the prior year.



\$500 MILLION

Source: U.S. Census Bureau data as reported by WISERTrade

EAA AirVenture, an annual event held in Oshkosh, Wisconsin, draws more than **500,000** aviation enthusiasts from more than **80 COUNTRIES**.

500,000 AVIATION ENTHUSIASTS



Astronautics is excited about the possibility of creating and hosting a center of excellence that will leverage Wisconsin's position as a leader in innovative technology, especially within the global aviation and aerospace industry. The unique competitive advantage of this center will be the blending of aerospace and cybersecurity solutions that will benefit both industry and higher education.

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