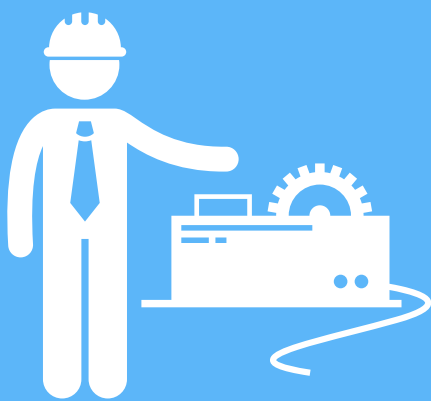


Careers in Manufacturing

People who work in manufacturing help make products, prepare the items for shipping, and transport them to different places. Jobs in this field include:

- Assemblers
- Laborers
- Machine operators
- Inspectors and sorters
- Welders
- Maintenance and repair workers
- Managers

What skills are needed?



- Ability to lift
- Computer competency
- Knowledge of mechanics



The average annual wage is \$59,408 per year

WHAT KINDS OF EMPLOYERS ARE HIRING?

- plastics companies
- paper suppliers
- metals manufacturers
- ecommerce businesses
- machine shops

2,706

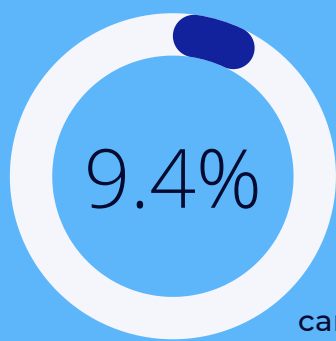
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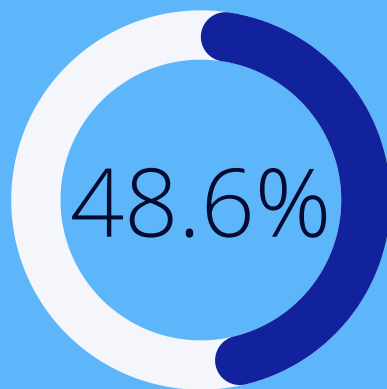
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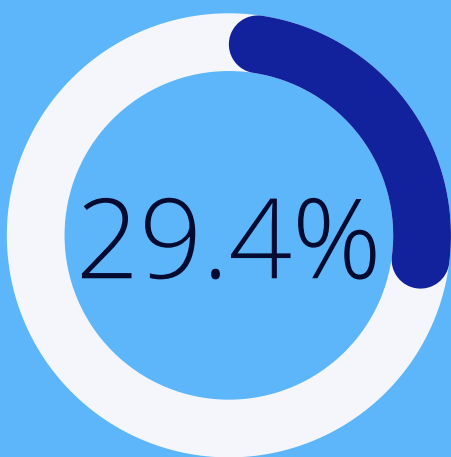
Skills and Education



People in these careers with less than a high school education



People in these careers with high school education



People in these careers with certificates, some college, or associate's degrees

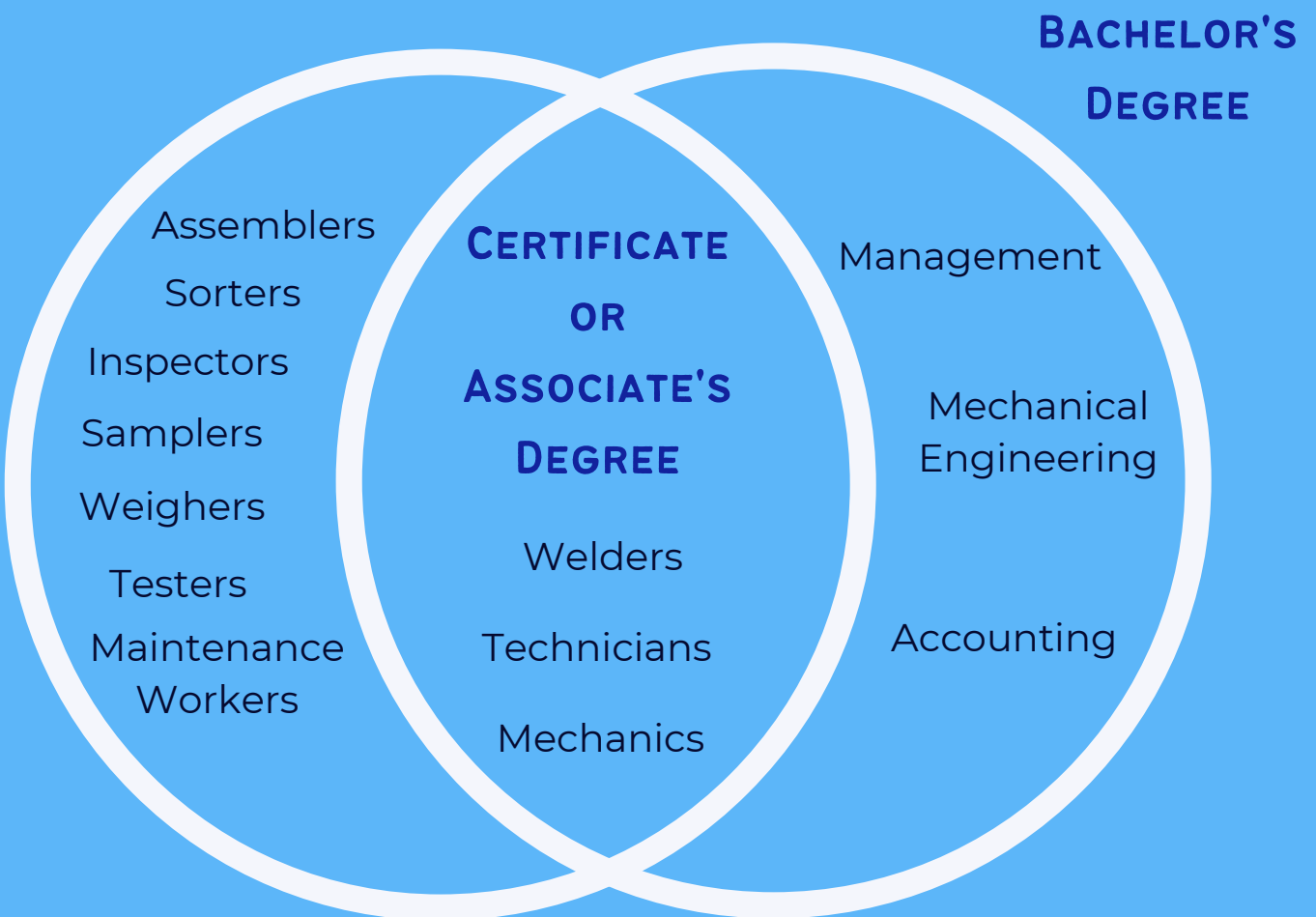


People in these careers with bachelor's degrees or higher



Students enter programs for drafting and design technologies, welding, engineering and industrial management, and accounting

LEVEL OF EDUCATION NEEDED



HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR EQUIVALENT (WITH ON-THE-JOB TRAINING)

