

US Manufacturers



Article Overview

The United States has over 260,000 manufacturing companies employing more than 13 million people, spanning industries from aerospace to automotive and electronics.

Industry Size and Distribution

The U.S. manufacturing sector comprises 262,931 companies employing 13,390,170 workers. About 30% of these firms export products internationally, highlighting the global reach of American manufacturing. Ownership diversity is limited, with 2% women-owned and 1% minority-owned companies. Geographically, the South leads with 32% of manufacturers, followed closely by the Midwest at 31% (IndustrySelect) .

Major Manufacturing Companies

Some of the largest and most influential U.S. manufacturers include:

- Boeing: A leader in aerospace, Boeing's Everett, WA facility employs 30,000 people and produces wide-body jets like the 747, 767, 777, and 787 Dreamliner for global distribution .
- General Electric (GE): Operating in power, renewable energy, aviation, and healthcare, GE manufactures aircraft engines, medical imaging equipment, and wind turbines .
- Ford Motor Company: Headquartered in Dearborn, Michigan, Ford produces passenger cars, SUVs, crossovers, and electric vehicles, employing 88,000 people .
- Caterpillar: Known for heavy machinery and construction equipment, Caterpillar is a key player in industrial manufacturing

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