

Savannah, GA

Advanced industries employ

14,960

full-time workers. (2015)

These direct jobs supports an additional

11,970

indirect jobs in other industries in the region.

Advanced industries produce

\$2.4

billion dollars in output in the region. (2015, 2009 Chained)

Advanced industries pay, on average

\$97,059

dollars per year (2015).

Advanced industries directly account for

8.4%

of all jobs in the region.

This employment share is

#73

among all small metros.

This accounts for

14.7%

of all output in the region (2015).

This compares to average pay of

\$46,360

for all industries (2015).

Advanced industry annual average growth, 2013-2015

OUTPUT

JOBS

5.57%

RANK:
#43

2.70%

9.99%

RANK:
#5

2.46%

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What are Advanced Industries?

The Metropolitan Policy Program at Brookings defines advanced industries as those that: 1) Spend at least \$450 per worker per year on R&D and 2) employ at least 20 percent of their workforce in STEM-intensive occupations. The definition identifies 50 4-digit NAICS industries across the manufacturing, energy, and services sectors that together constitute the advanced industries super-sector.

Why do Advanced Industries Matter?

Advanced industries encompass the nation's "tech" sector at its broadest and most consequential. They represent a sizable economic anchor for the U.S. economy and have led the post-recession employment recovery. Their competitiveness and growth are prerequisites for any future broadly shared prosperity. As such, the sector encompasses the country's best shot at supporting innovative, inclusive, and sustainable growth. Advanced industries are present in nearly every U.S. region, but the sector's geography is uneven.

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DATA NOTES

All figures reflect Brookings analysis of data from Moody's Analytics.

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Twenty-Five Largest Advanced Industries (2015)

There are 4 advanced industries in Savannah, GA with LQs over 1.5. LQs over 1.5 indicate specialization †

Industry 4-Digit NAICS Code	Industry Title	Industry Employment (2015)	Industry Location Quotient (LQ) † 2015	Industry Share of Total Advanced Industries Employment (2015)	Industry Employment Annual Growth		Industry Share of Total Advanced Industries Output (2015)	Industry Output Annual Growth	
					2010-2013	2013-2015		2010-2013	2013-2015
3364	Aircraft Products & Parts	9,630	16.26	64.4%	8.5%	10.6%	60.1%	13.9%	5.3%
5413	Engineering	1,140	0.67	7.6%	-2.5%	10.1%	6.8%	-2.3%	13.8%
5416	Management Consulting	520	0.34	3.5%	15.2%	16.2%	3.0%	14.9%	13.7%
3251	Basic Chemicals	450	2.48	3.0%	-0.9%	3.0%	4.2%	-8.9%	3.5%
2211	Power Generation & Supply	390	0.82	2.6%	-0.4%	5.8%	6.1%	-2.5%	-4.1%
5415	Computer Systems Design	360	0.16	2.4%	-8.2%	12.2%	2.4%	-6.5%	22.1%
3361	Motor Vehicles	230	0.94	1.6%	14.9%	10.7%	1.6%	26.5%	1.1%
5172	Wireless Telecom Carriers	230	1.38	1.5%	7.7%	29.1%	2.5%	13.9%	27.3%
3241	Petroleum & Coal Products	220	1.64	1.5%	-7.1%	11.0%	1.6%	-29.1%	14.6%
3362	Motor Vehicle Body & Trailers	200	1.09	1.3%	6.2%	10.5%	0.9%	15.8%	13.3%
3331	Agri., Constr., Mining Machinery	160	0.54	1.0%	0.0%	-22.4%	1.6%	5.2%	-7.1%
3369	Misc. Transportation Equipment	150	3.76	1.0%	7.0%	10.6%	0.3%	5.0%	1.7%
6215	Medical and Diagnostic Laboratories	150	0.47	1.0%	9.5%	8.7%	0.4%	11.5%	1.8%
3252	Resins & Synthetic Rubbers	90	0.83	0.6%	-2.5%	21.2%	0.5%	-11.5%	-0.9%
3339	General Purpose Machinery	80	0.26	0.6%	-7.5%	11.1%	0.3%	-10.9%	-14.1%
3332	Industrial Machinery	80	0.60	0.5%	-11.6%	9.0%	0.3%	-16.5%	-14.7%
3399	Misc. Manufacturing	80	0.24	0.5%	0.5%	6.8%	0.3%	5.4%	5.1%
5152	Cable and Other Subscription Programming	70	0.89	0.4%	4.4%	0.8%	1.2%	13.2%	0.3%
5179	Other telecommunications	70	0.68	0.4%	-2.0%	3.1%	1.1%	-6.6%	4.6%
3253	Pesticides & Fertilizers	70	1.44	0.4%	-5.4%	21.5%	0.3%	-17.2%	-4.5%
3271	Clay Product and Refractory Manufacturing	60	1.21	0.4%	0.8%	18.9%	0.2%	6.5%	9.4%
3259	Misc. Chemicals	60	0.58	0.4%	-5.5%	22.5%	0.3%	-11.8%	5.4%
3279	Stone & Mineral Products	60	0.63	0.4%	9.0%	27.6%	0.1%	-1.6%	5.5%
5182	Data Processing & Hosting	60	0.16	0.4%	-6.2%	0.0%	0.4%	-3.9%	6.7%
3391	Medical Equipment & Supplies	50	0.13	0.3%	13.6%	7.1%	0.3%	12.4%	6.0%
IFG	Advanced industries manufacturing	11,880	1.76	79.4%	5.5%	9.8%	74.3%	8.0%	4.6%
	Advanced industries energy	390	0.52	2.6%	-0.4%	5.8%	6.1%	-2.5%	-4.1%
	Advanced industries services	2,680	0.33	17.9%	0.5%	11.6%	19.6%	1.9%	13.7%
	ADVANCED INDUSTRIES TOTAL	14,960	0.96	100.0%	4.4%	10.0%	100.0%	6.0%	5.6%

† Location quotients are a measure of specialization for an industry using employment. A LQ of over 1 indicates that an industry employs more workers, as a share of total employment, than the nation as a whole.