

El Centro, CA

Advanced industries employ

1,219

full-time workers. (2015)

These direct jobs supports an additional

980

indirect jobs in other industries in the region.

Advanced industries produce

\$0.5

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

Advanced industries pay, on average

\$56,918

dollars per year (2015).

Advanced industries directly account for

1.9%

of all jobs in the region.

This employment share is

#277

among all small metros.

This accounts for

7.9%

of all output in the region (2015).

This compares to average pay of

\$39,416

for all industries (2015).

Advanced industry annual average growth, 2013-2015

OUTPUT

RANK:
#156

2.70%

1.33%

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JOBS

RANK:
#282

2.46%

10.09%

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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 3 advanced industries in El Centro, CA 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
2211	Power Generation & Supply	250	1.46	20.3%	-15.4%	16.4%	16.6%	-18.5%	12.0%
5416	Management Consulting	240	0.44	19.8%	13.9%	-0.6%	6.4%	11.3%	-11.4%
2111	Oil & Gas Extraction	140	1.71	11.6%	20.6%	11.6%	55.3%	4.5%	3.3%
5413	Engineering	80	0.13	6.4%	-5.9%	-22.2%	3.6%	-6.3%	-2.8%
3359	Misc. Electrical Equipment	80	1.36	6.2%	18.9%	-20.7%	0.1%	-33.0%	-43.9%
3241	Petroleum & Coal Products	70	1.51	5.8%	9.4%	-26.4%	0.2%	-39.8%	-41.7%
5415	Computer Systems Design	60	0.07	4.5%	11.6%	-7.3%	2.5%	15.9%	0.0%
3353	Electrical Equipment	40	0.70	3.5%	13.3%	-25.3%	0.0%	-25.1%	-46.3%
3351	Electrical Lighting Equipment	40	2.03	3.4%	14.2%	-20.8%	0.0%	-19.2%	-37.8%
3315	Foundries	30	0.64	2.8%	13.9%	-25.9%	0.0%	-30.0%	-57.6%
5172	Wireless Telecom Carriers	30	0.54	2.5%	-20.6%	18.7%	2.5%	4.0%	20.2%
5112	Software Products	30	0.18	2.1%	8.0%	-7.2%	4.2%	6.7%	7.0%
3313	Aluminum Products	20	0.86	1.8%	12.5%	-22.9%	0.0%	-27.0%	-51.4%
5417	R&D Services	20	0.07	1.6%	19.7%	-25.5%	1.3%	23.6%	-8.8%
3311	Iron & Steel Products	20	0.47	1.5%	20.2%	-26.1%	0.0%	21.5%	-46.5%
5179	Other telecommunications	20	0.43	1.2%	-21.8%	-32.6%	1.2%	-2.5%	-31.1%
3352	Household Appliances	10	0.42	0.9%	17.0%	-17.1%	0.0%	-27.9%	-46.4%
6215	Medical and Diagnostic Laboratories	10	0.10	0.9%	17.8%	-21.8%	0.2%	18.3%	-3.6%
3279	Stone & Mineral Products	10	0.22	0.6%	-14.7%	-37.6%	0.3%	0.5%	-10.9%
3399	Misc. Manufacturing	10	0.06	0.6%	-15.7%	-11.8%	1.1%	0.9%	40.7%
3271	Clay Product and Refractory Manufacturing	-	0.18	0.2%	-17.5%	-42.3%	0.0%	5.1%	-9.0%
3344	Semiconductors	-	0.02	0.2%	0.0%	-45.2%	1.1%	46.8%	-10.1%
3331	Agri., Constr., Mining Machinery	-	0.02	0.2%	-7.2%	-29.3%	0.3%	16.2%	-8.1%
3345	Precision Instruments	-	0.01	0.2%	26.0%	-42.3%	1.1%	52.3%	-14.8%
3364	Aircraft Products & Parts	-	0.01	0.2%	-32.5%	-29.3%	0.2%	-24.9%	-22.9%
IFG	Advanced industries manufacturing	350	0.15	28.7%	8.2%	-25.1%	5.9%	-5.2%	-9.1%
	Advanced industries energy	390	1.44	32.0%	-6.9%	14.6%	71.9%	-2.3%	5.1%
	Advanced industries services	480	0.17	39.3%	1.4%	-9.7%	22.3%	2.5%	-6.2%
	ADVANCED INDUSTRIES TOTAL	1,220	0.22	100.0%	1.9%	-10.1%	100.0%	-1.4%	1.3%

† 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.