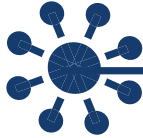




CONNECTICUT

AEROSPACE KEY FACTS AND FIGURES



Home to the nation's third-highest concentration of aerospace engineers

The Aerospace Components Manufacturers is a nonprofit network of independent Connecticut and southwestern Massachusetts based aerospace companies whose mission is to attract the global aerospace industry to "Aerospace Alley."



MAJOR INDUSTRY EMPLOYERS

- > Collins Aerospace
- > Pratt & Whitney
- > Sikorsky Aerospace

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State for aerospace and defense worker productivity

134,509



Jobs supported by the aerospace and defense industry in 2019 (47,032 direct)

\$6.7 billion



Aerospace and defense exports, which is **45.5%** of state's total exports

1,000+

Aerospace manufacturers and component firms

24.2%



Of state's manufacturing is aerospace and defense



MAJOR AIRPORT

Bradley International Airport



AEROSPACE ENGINEERING PROGRAM

University of Connecticut

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