



# ARIZONA

## AEROSPACE KEY FACTS AND FIGURES

 **11,000** employees  
at Raytheon's Tucson headquarters —  
Southern Arizona's largest employer

### MAJOR INDUSTRY EMPLOYERS



- › Ascent Aviation Services
- › BAE Systems Aerospace and Defense
- › The Boeing Company
- › Bombardier Aerospace
- › General Dynamics
- › Honeywell Aerospace
- › MD Helicopters
- › Northrop Grumman Technical Services
- › Raytheon Missile Systems
- › Sargent Aerospace & Defense
- › UTC Aerospace Systems
- › Paragon Space Development Corporation
- › Rincon Research Corporation
- › Schafer Corporation
- › Sierra Lobo



### MAJOR MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

- › Davis-Monthan Air Force Base
- › Luke Air Force Base
- › Yuma Marine Corps Air Station
- › Yuma Proving Grounds
- › Barry M. Goldwater Air Force Range

**#1**

Nationwide in aerospace manufacturing attractiveness

**#4**

Nationwide in aerospace industry payroll and in aerospace revenue at **\$14.99 billion**

**141,610**



Jobs supported by the aerospace and defense industry in 2017  
(46,510 direct)

**1,200+**



Arizona-based companies make the state America's third-largest supply chain contributor for aerospace and defense

**15.5%**



Of Arizona's total exports are from aerospace and defense products

**\$2.6 billion**



Raytheon's annual economic impact to the state



**3** Major Airports



**4** \*Aerospace Engineering Programs

### REFERENCES

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