

**Ohio 2008 Employment and Average Weekly Wage Rankings  
by 2-Digit NAICS Industrial Sector**

Rank by Average Employment			Rank by Average Weekly Wage		
NAICS Industrial Sector	Average Annual Employment (a)	Average Weekly Wage (b)	NAICS Industrial Sector	Average Annual Employment (a)	Average Weekly Wage (b)
Manufacturing	738,817	\$998	Management of companies and enterprises	109,628	\$1,706
Health care and social assistance	704,168	\$743	Utilities	21,718	\$1,505
Retail trade	589,841	\$453	Federal Government	77,378	\$1,235
Local Government	541,952	\$773	Professional and technical services	250,485	\$1,167
Accommodation and food services	428,257	\$253	Mining	11,614	\$1,166
Administrative and waste services	307,077	\$534	Finance and insurance	217,743	\$1,124
Professional and technical services	250,485	\$1,167	Wholesale trade	236,490	\$1,098
Wholesale trade	236,490	\$1,098	Information	86,012	\$1,054
Finance and insurance	217,743	\$1,124	Manufacturing	738,817	\$998
Construction	211,455	\$887	State Government	132,017	\$936
Transportation and warehousing	180,262	\$803	Construction	211,455	\$887
Other services, except public administration	160,042	\$481	Transportation and warehousing	180,262	\$803
State Government	132,017	\$936	Local Government	541,952	\$773
Management of companies and enterprises	109,628	\$1,706	Health care and social assistance	704,168	\$743
Educational services	90,114	\$622	Real estate and rental and leasing	63,365	\$668
Information	86,012	\$1,054	Educational services	90,114	\$622
Federal Government	77,378	\$1,235	Administrative and waste services	307,077	\$534
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	63,762	\$525	Arts, entertainment, and recreation	63,762	\$525
Real estate and rental and leasing	63,365	\$668	Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	13,774	\$493
Utilities	21,718	\$1,505	Other services, except public administration	160,042	\$481
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	13,774	\$493	Retail trade	589,841	\$453
Mining	11,614	\$1,166	Accommodation and food services	428,257	\$253

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**Ohio's High Employment Industries:  
Top 45 Industries Ranked by Employment (3-Digit NAICS Codes)**

<b>NAICS Code</b>	<b>Industry Title</b>	<b>Average Annual Employment (a)</b>	<b>Average Weekly Wage (b)</b>
722	Food services and drinking places	393,309	\$244
561	Administrative and support services	293,682	\$519
541	Professional and technical services	250,485	\$1,167
621	Ambulatory health care services	229,159	\$932
622	Hospitals	226,559	\$875
623	Nursing and residential care facilities	165,950	\$471
238	Specialty trade contractors	138,446	\$829
423	Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	130,946	\$1,068
452	General merchandise stores	125,679	\$358
336	Transportation equipment manufacturing	122,353	\$1,184
332	Fabricated metal product manufacturing	115,407	\$937
551	Management of companies and enterprises	109,628	\$1,706
445	Food and beverage stores	108,519	\$371
522	Credit intermediation and related activities	100,793	\$917
524	Insurance carriers and related activities	98,491	\$1,158
611	Educational services	90,114	\$622
624	Social assistance	82,500	\$401
333	Machinery manufacturing	80,807	\$1,018
424	Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	76,651	\$1,038
441	Motor vehicle and parts dealers	72,530	\$699
484	Truck transportation	69,248	\$815
326	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	60,351	\$805
812	Personal and laundry services	57,765	\$390
311	Food manufacturing	53,881	\$841
813	Membership associations and organizations	51,346	\$443
236	Construction of buildings	50,237	\$937
444	Building material and garden supply stores	48,015	\$532
331	Primary metal manufacturing	47,809	\$1,174
448	Clothing and clothing accessories stores	46,482	\$334
325	Chemical manufacturing	45,863	\$1,241
713	Amusements, gambling, and recreation	44,803	\$302
811	Repair and maintenance	44,484	\$652
531	Real estate	41,601	\$677
493	Warehousing and storage	40,167	\$721
446	Health and personal care stores	38,767	\$587
721	Accommodation	34,948	\$345
447	Gasoline stations	34,163	\$325
453	Miscellaneous store retailers	33,964	\$384
517	Telecommunications	31,178	\$1,163
511	Publishing industries, except Internet	31,138	\$1,044
335	Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	30,851	\$1,000
492	Couriers and messengers	29,631	\$802
323	Printing and related support activities	28,931	\$773
425	Electronic markets and agents and brokers	28,893	\$1,397
327	Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	28,714	\$935

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**Ohio's High Wage Industries:  
Top 45 Industries Ranked by Average Weekly Wage (3-Digit NAICS Codes)**

<b>NAICS Code</b>	<b>Industry Title</b>	<b>Average Annual Employment (a)</b>	<b>Average Weekly Wage (b)</b>
523	Securities, commodity contracts, investments	16,307	\$2,175
551	Management of companies and enterprises	109,628	\$1,706
211	Oil and gas extraction	2,661	\$1,600
221	Utilities	21,718	\$1,505
486	Pipeline transportation	1,025	\$1,491
324	Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	4,539	\$1,430
334	Computer and electronic product manufacturing	22,325	\$1,430
425	Electronic markets and agents and brokers	28,893	\$1,397
519	Other Information Services	5,574	\$1,364
483	Water transportation	606	\$1,315
711	Performing arts and spectator sports	13,279	\$1,276
481	Air transportation	12,508	\$1,257
325	Chemical manufacturing	45,863	\$1,241
336	Transportation equipment manufacturing	122,353	\$1,184
331	Primary metal manufacturing	47,809	\$1,174
533	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	558	\$1,169
541	Professional and technical services	250,485	\$1,167
517	Telecommunications	31,178	\$1,163
524	Insurance carriers and related activities	98,491	\$1,158
237	Heavy and civil engineering construction	22,771	\$1,129
423	Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	130,946	\$1,068
212	Mining, except oil and gas	5,834	\$1,044
511	Publishing industries, except Internet	31,138	\$1,044
424	Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	76,651	\$1,038
213	Support activities for mining	3,119	\$1,021
333	Machinery manufacturing	80,807	\$1,018
312	Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	6,774	\$1,009
335	Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	30,851	\$1,000
515	Broadcasting, except Internet	7,839	\$987
518	ISPs, search portals, and data processing	4,553	\$985
322	Paper manufacturing	23,112	\$944
236	Construction of buildings	50,237	\$937
332	Fabricated metal product manufacturing	115,407	\$937
327	Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	28,714	\$935
621	Ambulatory health care services	229,159	\$932
522	Credit intermediation and related activities	100,793	\$917
313	Textile mills	2,386	\$887
622	Hospitals	226,559	\$875
562	Waste management and remediation services	13,396	\$867
311	Food manufacturing	53,881	\$841
238	Specialty trade contractors	138,446	\$829
484	Truck transportation	69,248	\$815
326	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	60,351	\$805
492	Couriers and messengers	29,631	\$802
339	Miscellaneous manufacturing	23,656	\$787

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