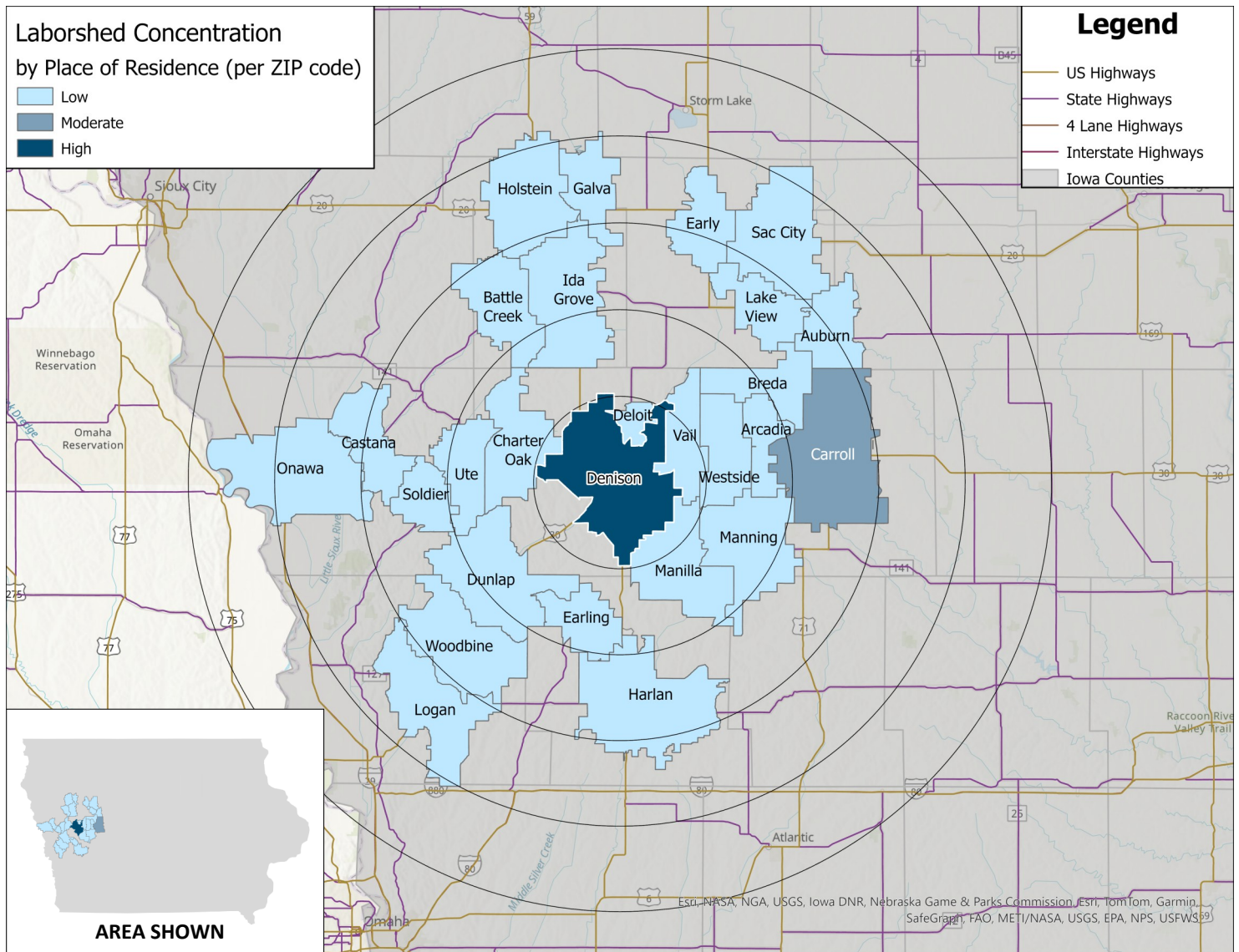


LABOR CHARACTERISTICS

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

DENISON, IA LABORSHED AREA

CONCENTRATION OF RESPONDENTS WITHIN THE LABORSHED AREA
WITH TRANSFERABLE EXPERIENCE/SKILLS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE



Workers who have transferable experience/skills in the industry are currently commuting an average of 13 miles one way for work. Those who are likely to change/accept employment are willing to commute an average of 32 miles one way for the right employment opportunity.

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ESTIMATED AVAILABLE LABOR PER OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY:

- Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other - 102
- Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists - 101
- Chemical Plant and System Operators - 107
- Electricians - 206
- Engineering Technicians, Except Drafters, All Other - 100
- Engineers, All Other - 99
- First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers - 414
- First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers - 415
- Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers - 1,659
- Industrial Machinery Mechanics - 207
- Industrial Production Managers - 98
- Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other - 933
- Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand - 829
- Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers - 109
- Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders - 108
- Multiple Machine Tool Operators, & Tenders, Metal & Plastic - 311
- Packers and Packagers, Hand - 110
- Production Workers, All Other - 828
- Team Assemblers - 208
- Tool and Die Makers - 103
- Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators - 106
- Welding, Soldering, & Brazing Machine Operators, & Tenders - 105

AN ESTIMATED TOTAL OF **7,258** PEOPLE IN THE LABORSHED AREA

UNDEREMPLOYMENT (ESTIMATED):

- Low hours - 1.4% (24)
- Low income - 0.0%
- Mismatch of skills - 7.1% (122)
- Total - 8.6% (147)

(Individuals counted only once when estimating Total Underemployment.)

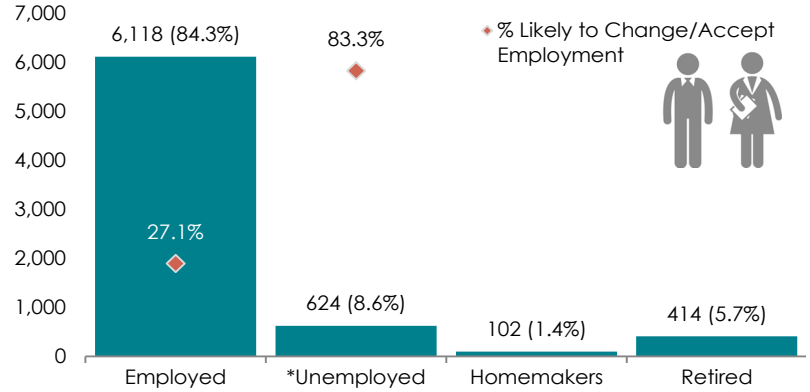
CURRENT BENEFITS:



DESIRED BENEFITS:



ESTIMATED TOTAL BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS (PERCENTAGE):



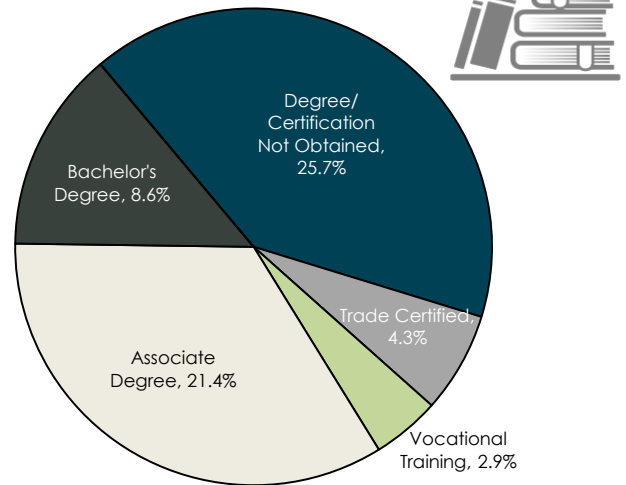
*Employment status is self-identified by the survey respondent. The unemployment percentage does not reflect the unemployment rate published by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, which applies a stricter definition.

EMPLOYMENT STATS:

- 77.1% paid an hourly wage
- 95.7% are/were employed full-time
- 4.3% are/were employed part-time
- 11.9% are/were self-employed
- 11.9% hold two or more jobs
- Currently working an average of 47 hours/week

EDUCATIONAL LEVEL:

(62.9% HAVE AN EDUCATION BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL)



TOP JOB SEARCH RESOURCES:

(For those seeking employment opportunities, by use.)

- Internet - 77.3%
 - www.indeed.com
 - www.linkedin.com
 - www.facebook.com
- Networking through friends, family or acquaintances - 40.9%
- IowaWORKS Centers - 31.8%
- Newspapers - 10.6%

LABOR CHARACTERISTICS

ADVANCED MANUFACTURING

OCCUPATION	OCCUPATIONAL CODE	MEAN WAGE	ENTRY WAGE	EXPERIENCED WAGE	MEDIAN WAGE	MEAN ANNUAL SALARY
Architectural and Engineering Managers	11-9041	\$59.93	\$50.68	\$64.55	\$54.74	\$124,651
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	49-3031	\$26.19	\$19.63	\$29.48	\$24.35	\$54,480
Crane and Tower Operators	53-7021	\$22.67	\$20.27	\$23.87	\$21.08	\$47,155
Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	51-4031	\$24.18	\$20.79	\$25.88	\$24.52	\$50,294
Electricians	47-2111	\$29.00	\$19.91	\$33.54	\$28.67	\$60,312
First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	49-1011	\$38.65	\$25.74	\$45.11	\$36.08	\$80,401
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	51-1011	\$32.23	\$23.27	\$36.71	\$33.82	\$67,032
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	53-3032	\$25.51	\$18.75	\$28.89	\$24.61	\$53,064
Industrial Engineers	17-2112	\$40.22	\$31.19	\$44.74	\$36.44	\$83,660
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	49-9041	\$30.71	\$24.95	\$33.60	\$31.21	\$63,887
Industrial Production Managers	11-3051	\$48.81	\$35.97	\$55.22	\$48.21	\$101,514
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	53-7051	\$23.44	\$20.77	\$24.78	\$23.38	\$48,754
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	51-9061	\$24.21	\$18.97	\$26.83	\$23.38	\$50,356
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	53-7062	\$21.04	\$16.42	\$23.36	\$22.14	\$43,771
Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	53-3033	\$23.28	\$13.47	\$28.18	\$19.30	\$48,417
Machinists	51-4041	\$26.30	\$20.93	\$28.98	\$27.00	\$54,698
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	49-9071	\$25.29	\$18.85	\$28.50	\$26.73	\$52,593
Maintenance Workers, Machinery	49-9043	\$29.80	\$24.38	\$32.51	\$29.55	\$61,983
Mechanical Drafters	17-3013	\$30.23	\$24.82	\$32.94	\$31.23	\$62,881
Mechanical Engineering Technicians	17-3027	\$29.16	\$21.42	\$33.03	\$28.54	\$60,646
Mechanical Engineers	17-2141	\$41.49	\$32.79	\$45.84	\$39.16	\$86,305
Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	51-9023	\$20.76	\$16.82	\$22.73	\$21.04	\$43,173
Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	51-4072	\$20.29	\$17.04	\$21.91	\$18.36	\$42,205
Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	51-4081	\$21.26	\$17.39	\$23.19	\$21.31	\$44,219
Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	51-9111	\$20.69	\$17.72	\$22.17	\$19.72	\$43,026
Packers and Packagers, Hand	53-7064	\$17.90	\$15.42	\$19.15	\$17.85	\$37,242
Production Workers, All Other	51-9199	\$21.76	\$17.01	\$24.13	\$23.23	\$45,254
Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	51-8031	\$25.16	\$19.78	\$27.85	\$23.58	\$52,335
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	51-4121	\$25.00	\$20.04	\$27.49	\$23.61	\$52,007

The 2024 Iowa Wage data for the Denison Laborshed area was produced by the Labor Force & Occupational Analysis Bureau to provide communities local information on wages by occupation. Additional occupational wage and employment data for the Denison Laborshed area can be found at workforce.iowa.gov/laborshed/data.

Balance of data compiled by Iowa Workforce Development using Laborshed data released in 2026.