

Mohave and La Paz Workforce Area Industry Rankings

Industry	Overall	Employment Level (2018)		Historical Employment Annual Percent Change (2015-2018)		Projected Employment Numeric Change (2018-2020)		Projected Employment Annual Percent Change (2018-2020)		Average Annual Wage (2018)		Historical Wage Annual Percent Change (2015-2018)		Employment and Wage LQ ¹
		Rank	Estimate	Rank	Estimate	Rank	Estimate	Rank	Estimate	Rank	Estimate	Rank	Estimate	Rank
Construction	1	3,438	3	14.6%	4	523	2	7.8%	2	\$67,548	5	12.6%	2	4
Health care and social assistance	2	8,363	2	0.9%	11	576	1	3.2%	7	\$56,628	7	2.2%	14	2
Wholesale trade	3	1,229	8	17.8%	3	281	4	10.4%	1	\$47,736	8	4.7%	9	13
Retail trade	4	10,371	1	1.7%	9	362	3	1.7%	11	\$29,380	18	5.1%	7	2
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	5	162	17	19.5%	2	10	14	3.8%	5	\$72,488	1	10.6%	3	9
Other services, except public administration	6	1,799	6	5.0%	6	85	7	2.0%	10	\$32,708	16	5.9%	6	5
Administrative and waste services	7	2,461	5	6.1%	5	149	5	2.8%	8	\$31,590	17	2.4%	13	8
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	8	736	11	28.0%	1	44	11	0.9%	14	\$39,052	13	-0.3%	17	1
Management of companies and enterprises	9	72	18	-6.8%	17	9	15	6.7%	3	\$69,888	3	14.3%	1	15
Manufacturing	10	3,323	4	2.4%	8	78	9	1.2%	13	\$41,210	12	1.1%	16	11
Finance and insurance	11	1,022	10	-0.2%	12	64	10	2.7%	9	\$46,670	10	3.5%	10	16
Professional and technical services	12	1,191	9	-2.7%	15	132	6	5.0%	4	\$47,528	9	-11.0%	19	16
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	13	629	14	1.7%	10	83	8	3.2%	6	\$21,840	19	3.3%	11	13
Utilities	14	397	16	-4.0%	16	15	13	1.3%	12	\$69,524	4	1.3%	15	5
Transportation and warehousing	15	1,439	7	-0.4%	13	23	12	0.6%	16	\$44,356	11	-6.4%	18	7
Real estate and rental and leasing	16	652	12	-1.5%	14	9	15	0.6%	15	\$32,838	15	8.6%	5	11
Information technology ²	18	4	19	-41.5%	19	0	18	0.0%	18	\$71,656	2	9.7%	4	18
Accommodation and food services	*	7,251	*	4.9%	*	770	*	4.6%	*	\$20,592	*	2.0%	*	*

NOTE: Industry sectors with an asterisk (*) were excluded from the rankings because of low wages

¹ Employment Location Quotient and Wage Location Quotient were combined into one variable.

² The Information Technology industry combines the following NAICS industry codes: 51121 Software publishers; 51741 Satellite telecommunications; 51791 Other telecommunications; 51821 Data processing, hosting, and related services; and 51913 Internet publishing and broadcasting and web search portals.

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