

## Industrial Machinery Mechanics (49-9041)

**Occupation description:** Repair, install, adjust, or maintain industrial production and processing machinery or refinery and pipeline distribution systems. Excludes Millwrights (49-9044), Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines (49-3042), and Maintenance Workers, Machinery (49-9043).

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	391	397	1.5	13	20	34
United States	346,900	370,100	6.7	12,100	18,500	32,920

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** Alaska's employment growth is low with moderate employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

### 2019 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	26.60	16.54	20.51	25.77	31.34	38.30
Alaska	29.03	17.26	21.21	27.37	35.14	39.51
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	29.69	20.41	25.31	29.50	34.93	37.63
Fairbanks North Star Borough	30.54	16.98	21.80	32.86	39.14	41.17
Balance of State	28.34	16.23	20.06	23.79	34.49	42.12

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
470	184	39.1	57.3	44.6

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	111
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	63
UI claimants previously working in occupation	76

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	187
Number of job position postings	19
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	9.8

## Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

**Education:** High school diploma or equivalent

**Work experience:** None

**On-the-job training:** Long-term on-the-job training

## Training Resources

**Degree**

**Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)**

Energy Isolation (NSTC and OSHA Offered)

**Degree**

**University of Alaska Anchorage, Prince William Sound (Valdez)**

Millwright

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