How does manufacturing compare to other industries?

Average Annual Payroll Per Employee by Industry

- Information: $122,930
- Utilities: $115,547
- Management of Companies and Enterprises: $114,822
- Finance and Insurance: $112,758
- Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services: $93,547
- Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction: $85,326
- Wholesale Trade: $75,594
- Construction: $63,900
- Manufacturing: $61,520
- Real Estate and Rental and Leasing: $57,728
- Health Care and Social Assistance: $52,624
- Transportation and Warehousing: $51,187
- Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting: $47,864
- Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services: $44,898
- Educational Services: $41,549
- Other Services (Except Public Administration): $34,043
- Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation: $31,384
- Retail Trade: $30,673
- Accommodation and Food Services: $17,357

Note: Rankings may vary slightly due to nonsampling error and disclosure avoidance methods used to protect the confidentiality of the data. Number of employees is for the pay period including March 12. Average for all sectors includes data for establishments where industry classification is unknown.