

INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY MECHANIC

WHAT WILL I BE DOING?

- Repair or replace broken or malfunctioning components of machinery or equipment
- Repair or maintain the operating condition of industrial production or processing machinery or equipment
- Disassemble machinery or equipment to remove parts and make repairs
- Observe and test the operation of machinery or equipment to diagnose malfunctions, using voltmeters or other testing devices
- Reassemble equipment after completion of inspections, testing or repairs
- Clean, lubricate or adjust parts, equipment or machinery

NATIONAL, STATE AND LOCAL WAGE INFORMATION

	Entry Level Hourly Wage	2016 Employment	Projected 2026 Employment
Capital Area	\$16.98	644	734
Texas	\$17.51	30,067	35,493
United States	\$16.54	346,900	370,100

WHAT JOB TITLES SHOULD I SEARCH FOR?

- Industrial Machinery Mechanic
- Preventative Maintenance Analyst

WHERE COULD I WORK?

- Commercial and Industrial Machinery and Equipment (except Auto and Electronic) Repair and Maintenance
- Support Activities for Mining
- Agriculture, Construction and Mining Machinery Manufacturing
- Machinery, Equipment and Supplies Merchant Wholesalers

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS NEEDED

WHAT TYPE OF EDUCATION AND/OR TRAINING WILL I NEED?

Workers in occupations at this level can develop the skills needed for average job performance after obtaining a high school diploma or equivalent and receiving on-the-job training.

WILL I NEED A SPECIAL LICENSE OR CERTIFICATION?

Many occupations prefer or require at least one certification for entry or advancement.

Primary Data Sources: Texas Workforce Commission at texaslmi.com, JobsEQ at jobseq.eqsuite.com, Bureau of Labor Statistics at bls.gov, and CareerOneStop at careerinfonet.org, 2018, nationwide data is for 2019

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CAPITAL AREA CAREER LADDER

* Also Included on Targeted Occupation List (PY 2021)

Industrial Machinery Mechanic

Hourly Wages

- Entry Level: \$16.98
- Median Level: \$24.68

90 new & replacement positions between 2016-2026

*Machinist

Typical Education & Experience

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Long-term on-the-job training



Hourly Wages

- Entry Level: \$15.80
- Median Level: \$21.83

88 new & replacement positions between 2016-2026

Maintenance Worker, Machinery

Typical Education & Experience

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Long-term on-the-job training



Hourly Wages

- Entry Level: \$14.48
- Median Level: \$19.28

122 new & replacement positions between 2016-2026

Installation, Maintenance, & Repair Worker

Typical Education & Experience

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Long-term on-the-job training



Hourly Wages

- Entry Level: \$13.93
- Median Level: \$21.06

189 new & replacement positions between 2016-2026

Typical Education & Experience

- High School Diploma or Equivalent
- Moderate-term on-the-job training



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