

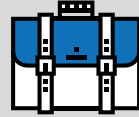
UK MANUFACTURING: THE FACTS 2024

Make UK's annual analysis of the sector shines a light on the latest manufacturing facts and statistics.



£217BN

of output from the UK manufacturing sector



2.6M

jobs provided by UK manufacturing



10%

higher wages than the whole economy



45%

of the UK's total exports is goods



47%

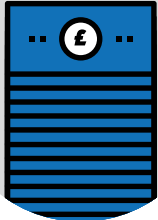
of all UK business research & development



14%

of total UK business investment

Manufacturing remains better paid:



£38,769

manufacturing

Compared to the UK average of £35,404 for the whole economy (all industries and services)

The United Kingdom has moved from 8th to the:

12TH LARGEST

manufacturing country in the world, and manufacturers are investing:

£38.8 BILLION

into the UK economy each year

The UK exports globally, with the top countries being the United States (£61.8bn), Germany (£33.9bn), the Netherlands (£31.0bn) and the Republic of Ireland (£28.2bn).

How the UK compares with other countries:



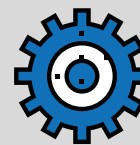
15TH

for export of goods



6TH

for import of goods



2ND

for service trade

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