

# THE ARIZONA ADVANTAGE

## AEROSPACE & DEFENSE

THE A&D INDUSTRY IN THE REGION INCLUDES

**563** ESTABLISHMENTS RESPONSIBLE FOR OVER

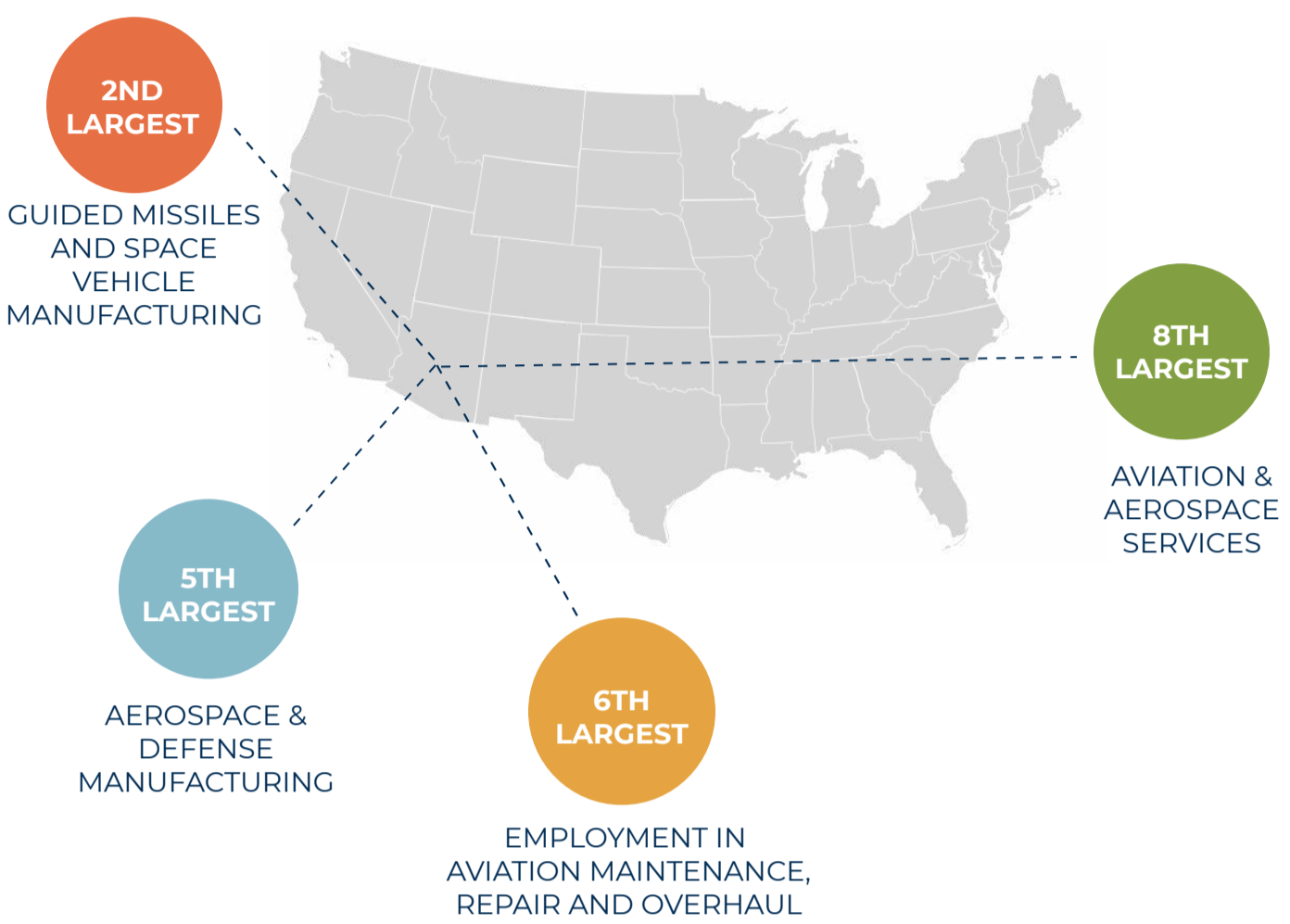
**55,084** JOBS

ARIZONA PROVIDES IDEAL CONDITIONS FOR OPERATIONAL TESTING WITH MORE THAN

**300**



SUNNY DAYS PER YEAR



## WHY OPERATE IN ARIZONA?

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### ARIZONA HAS A HIGH CONCENTRATION OF INDUSTRY LEADERS

A SKILLED, TALENTED WORKFORCE EMPLOYED IN THE INDUSTRY, NUMEROUS MILITARY OPERATIONS, AND CONTINUAL RESEARCH ENSURE ARIZONA WILL REMAIN AT THE FOREFRONT OF THE A&D INDUSTRY'S MOST CRITICAL ADVANCES.

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### ARIZONA HAS WORLD-CLASS UNIVERSITIES FEEDING THE A&D TALENT PIPELINE

ARIZONA'S POST-SECONDARY CONTINUE TO PRODUCE TOP-TIER, SKILLED TALENT WITH THE EDUCATION AND SKILLS NECESSARY TO COMPETE IN THE INDUSTRIES OF TODAY.

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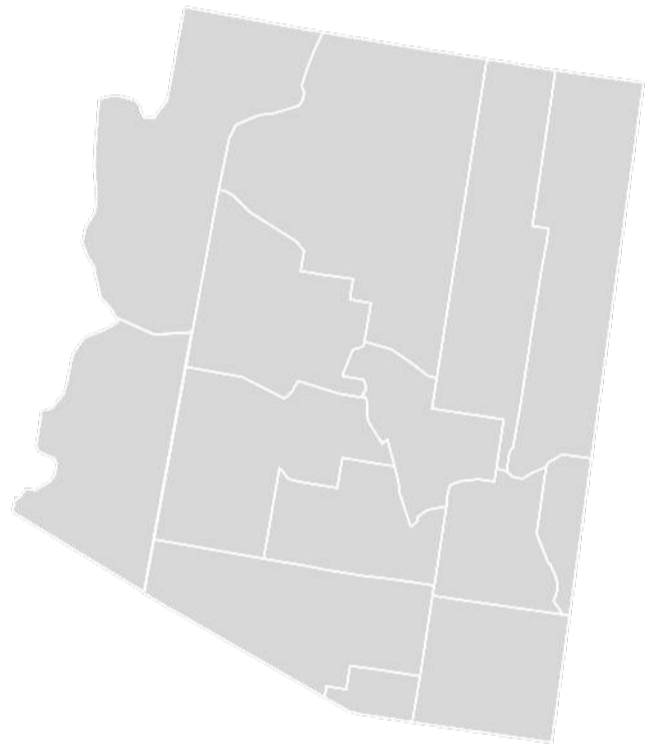
### ARIZONA IS AMONG THE TOP STATES IN THE NATION FOR THE AEROSPACE & DEFENSE INDUSTRY

ITS GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION, DRY, SUNNY CLIMATE, BUSINESS-FRIENDLY AND INNOVATIVE CULTURE, AND UNWAVERING COMMITMENT TO AMERICA'S MILITARY MAKE THE STATE AN ATTRACTIVE CHOICE FOR A&D COMPANIES.

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### ARIZONA HAS ONE OF THE LOWEST CORPORATE TAX RATES

AT 4.9%, ARIZONA'S TAX RATE IS THE FOURTH LOWEST AMONG STATES WITH SAID TAX. FACTOR IN AFFORDABLE WAGES AND THE LOW COST OF LIVING AND ARIZONA IS TOUGH TO BEAT.



IN 2017, A&D EMPLOYED OVER 55,000 ARIZONANS WITH AN ESTIMATED ANNUAL PAYROLL OF

**\$4.92 B**

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