



# ALASKA

## AEROSPACE KEY FACTS AND FIGURES



**FUN FACT:** Alaska Aerospace Corporation developed, owns, and operates the Pacific Spaceport Complex on Kodiak Island with two launch pads providing launch access for commercial and government entities.

### MAJOR INDUSTRY EMPLOYERS



- > Alaska Aerospace Corporation
- > B/E Aerospace
- > Bennett Aerospace Inc.
- > Creaform
- > General Electric
- > Genova Technologies
- > Rockwell Collins
- > TT Electronics

# 6,800



Employed in air transportation

# \$100,290



Average salary for an aerospace engineering in Alaska



**FUN FACT:** Uncrewed aerial vehicles are being used in many capacities, such as counting the state's caribou population and tracking ice flows in the Arctic.



**FUN FACT:** **6X** as many pilots, and **16X** as many aircraft per capita when compared to the rest of the United States

# 3



Major Airports

# 1



University Aerospace Engineering Program\*

### MAJOR MILITARY INSTALLATIONS



- > Clear Air Force Station
- > Eielson Air Force Base
- > Elmendorf Air Force Base



# 6

AIAA Members



# 18

Student Members

### REFERENCES

- <https://akaerospace.com/about-us/>
- <https://live.laborstats.alaska.gov/labforce/000000/01/43481000/ces/index.html>

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