WELDING EQUIPMENT - PRODUCTION

The U.S. market for welding equipment – production (OEM & MRO) represents about \$7.3 billion, according to estimates from MDM Analytics, Niwot, Colorado. The following charts show the top 10 industries, by Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code, consuming these

products in the manufacturing, construction and mining/utilities industries, plus annual end-user consumption by geographic region. *Industrial Supply* magazine reports on a separate product segment each issue to help distributors determine market opportunities.

TOP 10 MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

SIC code		Market Value	Companies
3443	Fabricated Plate Work (Boiler Shops)	\$317,924,668	2,960
3721	Aircraft	\$299,229,600	2,429
3714	Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories	\$269,908,127	7,204
3711	Motor Vehicles and Passenger Car Bodies	\$249,529,233	2,314
3448	Prefabricated Metal Buildings and Components	\$205,476,956	1,999
3559	Special Industry Machinery, Not Elsewhere Classified	\$189,997,264	2,678
3444	Sheet Metal Work	\$164,238,195	5,923
2834	Pharmaceutical Preparations	\$142,580,966	10,250
2621	Paper Mills	\$123,977,459	2,138
3531	Construction Machinery and Equipment	\$117,239,467	4,150

TOP 10 CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRIES

SIC code		Market Value	Companies
1711	Plumbing, Heating and Air-Conditioning	\$792,968,501	196,608
1791	Structural Steel Erection	\$190,897,806	4,881
1623	Water, Sewer, Pipeline, and Communications and Power Line Construction	\$86,858,550	13,636
1542	General Contractors-Nonresidential Buildings	\$84,999,285	44,339
1731	Electrical Work	\$77,114,115	116,377
1629	Heavy Construction, Not Elsewhere Classified	\$73,216,633	13,224
1795	Wrecking and Demolition Work	\$50,854,635	3,962
1771	Concrete Work	\$47,548,534	44,838
1611	Highway and Street Construction, Except Elevated Highways	\$45,315,986	27,957
1541	General Contractors-Industrial Buildings and Warehouses	\$44,768,457	13,219

TOP 10 MINING/UTILITIES INDUSTRIES

SICco	ode	Market Value	Companies
1381	Drilling Oil and Gas Wells	\$91,652,123	2,183
4011	Railroads, Line-Haul Operating	\$64,163,930	2,562
4911	Electric Services	\$51,452,936	27,050
1311	Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas	\$43,016,791	5,080
1389	Oil and Gas Field Services, Not Elsewhere Classified	\$25,962,706	15,473
4941	Water Supply	\$25,442,071	11,907
4111	Local and Suburban Transit	\$15,176,258	9,015
1321	Natural Gas Liquids	\$14,541,545	428
4612	Crude Petroleum Pipelines	\$14,476,896	893
4922	Natural Gas Transmission	\$10.338.025	1.792

END-USER CONSUMPTION BY REGION

Construction \$73,783,737 Manufacturing \$217,073,743 Mining/Utilities \$12,950,601 Region total \$303.808.082 Construction \$176,582,321 MID-ATLANTIC Manufacturing \$568,077,809 Mining/Utilities \$29,560,032 Region total \$774.220.162 Construction \$338,562,682 \$793,081,223 Manufacturing Mining/Utilities \$50,227,256 Region total \$1,181,871,161 Construction \$85,534,766 SOUTHEAST CENTRAL Manufacturing \$354,846,085 Mining/Utilities \$19,421,410 Region total \$459,802,261 Construction \$201,063,939 NORTHEAST CENTRAL \$1,331,730,933 Manufacturing Mining/Utilities \$43,455,961 Region total \$1,576,250,833 Construction \$117,338,984 Manufacturing \$456,044,512 Mining/Utilities \$30,515,731 Region total \$603,899,227 Construction \$228,919,652 \$671,255,679 Manufacturing Mining/Utilities \$158,662,262 Region total \$1,058,837,593 Construction \$148,420,271 Manufacturing \$246,975,506 Mining/Utilities \$36,580,037 Region total \$431,975,815 Construction \$243,462,877 Manufacturing \$594,922,159 Mining/Utilities \$33,565,751 Region total \$871,950,787 Construction \$1,613,669,229 U.S. TOTAL \$5,234,007,650 Manufacturing \$414,939,041 Mining/Utilities U.S. total \$7,262,615,920

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