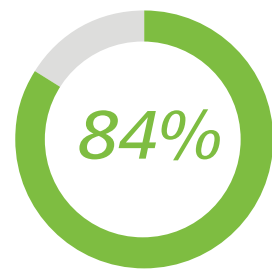


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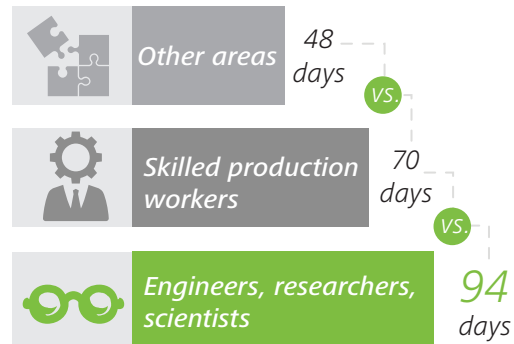
CEOs and manufacturing executives around the world identify talent-driven innovation as the number one determinant of competitiveness.¹ Yet, manufacturing executives report a significant gap in their ability to find talent with required skills. More troubling...the skills gap is expected to grow substantially over the next decade. What impact could the gap have on company performance and how large is the gap likely to grow? The Manufacturing Institute and Deloitte conducted a study² to understand the impact and extent of the skills gap, and the study results are as follows:

Filling jobs is no easy task



of executives agree there is a talent shortage in U.S. manufacturing

It takes **90+ days** to recruit highly skilled workers



80% of manufacturing companies are willing to pay more than the market rates in workforce areas reeling under talent crisis

SIX out of **TEN**

open skilled production positions are unfilled due to talent shortage



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Sources include: Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) and Deloitte analysis

¹Deloitte LLP and U.S. Council on Competitiveness, 2013 Global Manufacturing Competitiveness Index
²A nationally representative sample of 450 executives from companies of varying sizes and industries responded to the Skills Gap Survey.
³Milken Institute and Economic Planning Institute.
⁴The U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

The skills gap is widening

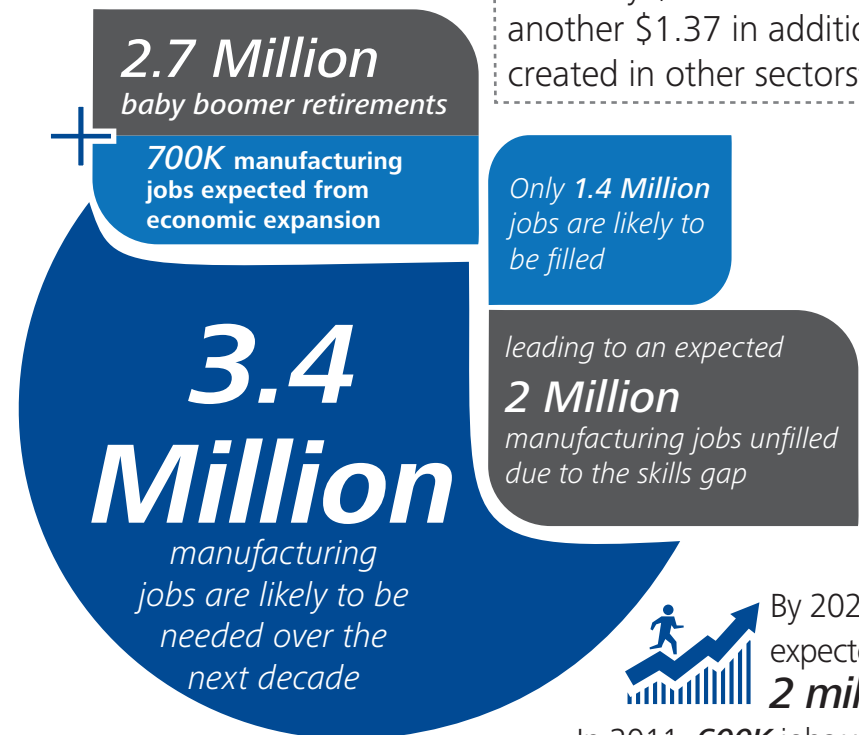
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The implications are significant

Every job in manufacturing creates another 2.5 new jobs in local goods and services³

For every \$1 invested in manufacturing, another \$1.37 in additional value is created in other sectors⁴



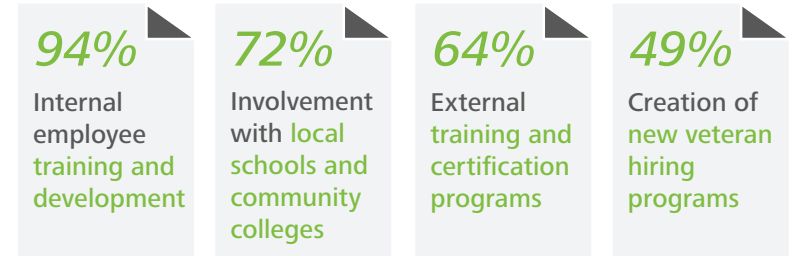
By 2025 the skills gap is expected to grow to **2 million**
In 2011, **600K** jobs were unfilled due to the skills gap

The **retirement** of baby boomers, strength of the economy and **attractiveness of the industry** are ranked among leading factors impacting the talent shortage.

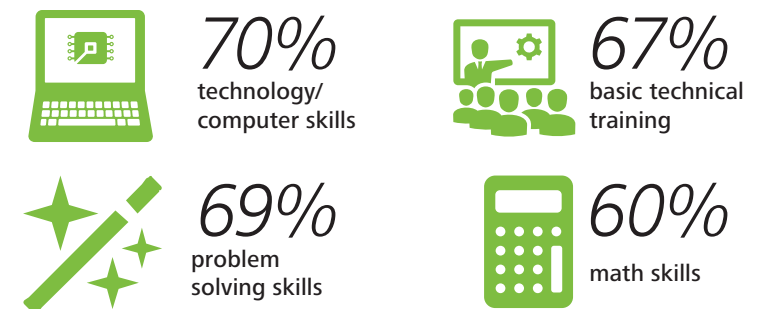
Developing talent is essential

Adding to the complexity is finding workers with the skills required to meet today's advanced manufacturing requirements

The most effective skilled production workforce development strategies cited by executives



Percentage of executives that indicate current employees are not sufficient in key skills



Talent shortage impact to the business

82% of executives believe the skills gap will impact their ability to meet customer demand

executives also feel it will impact their ability to...

- 78% implement new technologies and increase productivity
- 69% provide effective customer service
- 62% innovate and develop new products
- 48% expand internationally