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AUTHORITY

WHEN IT COMES TO SUCCESS

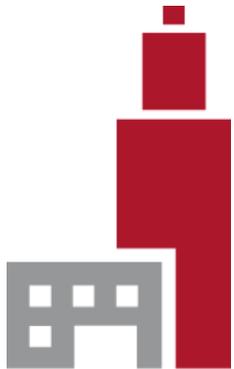
ARIZONA
IS ALL BUSINESS.

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21 projects: attraction, expansion, creation

3,390 jobs announced; 11,019 jobs YTD



\$1.9 billion capital investment; \$2.7 billion YTD

Average salary \$56,791

FY2014 Q2 Client Activity



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#1 Ranked first in the Nation
for Entrepreneurial Activity

THAT'S ARIZONA KNOW HOW

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* Rankings provided by: Fast Company

MOVE

YOUR BUSINESS TO AZ >

Experience our low cost of doing business.

13 CONSECUTIVE
YEARS OF TAX
REDUCTION 

GROW

YOUR AZ BUSINESS >

Meet Arizona's highly skilled talent.

#2 QUALITY AND
AVAILABILITY
OF WORKFORCE

START

YOUR AZ BUSINESS >

Launch your new business venture.

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THE BEST
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RESOURCES: ECONOMY



Gross domestic product (GDP) is the market value of all officially recognized final goods and services produced within an area in a given period of time. GDP per capita is often considered an indicator of the standard of living.



The unemployment rate is a measure of the prevalence of unemployment and it is calculated as a percentage by dividing the number of unemployed individuals by all individuals currently in the labor force.

Related Data:

- Labor Force

RESOURCES

[Economy](#)

[Skilled Workforce](#)

[Infrastructure](#)

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Arizona offers one of the lowest costs of doing business in the United States. Coupled with fewer burdensome government regulations, a highly skilled and available workforce and an exceptional quality of life, and ours is the best state for your corporate relocation.

Locating your business in Arizona begins with contacting the ACA for an Arizona location project manager. As your single point of contact, we will make it easy to access partners around the state as well as access to information, incentives and a host of services including:

- Confidential site-selection assistance including existing buildings, build-to-suit opportunities and buildings that may not yet be listed
- Customized research and analysis of tax, real estate, utility & transportation costs
- Coordination and transportation for local visits including arranging meetings with officials, economic development professionals, workforce and educational leaders
- Employment data, wage information and programs to help with hiring and training
- Access to regulatory authorities; clarification of governmental regulations
- Arizona location regional and community partner information

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BUSINESS CLIMATE: INCENTIVES



Job Training

Job Training grants reimburse up to 75% of eligible training expenses for employers creating new jobs.

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Quality Jobs

The Quality Jobs tax credit offers up to \$9,000 of Arizona income or premium tax credits spread over a three-year period for each net new quality job.

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Qualified Facility

The Qualified Facility program offers a refundable income tax credit equal eligible companies making a Capital Investment to establish or expand a Qualified Facilities.

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INTERESTED IN MOVING?

Get help locating your business in Arizona.

First Name

Last Name

Company Name

Industry

Contact Phone

Email Address

Tell Us About Your Project

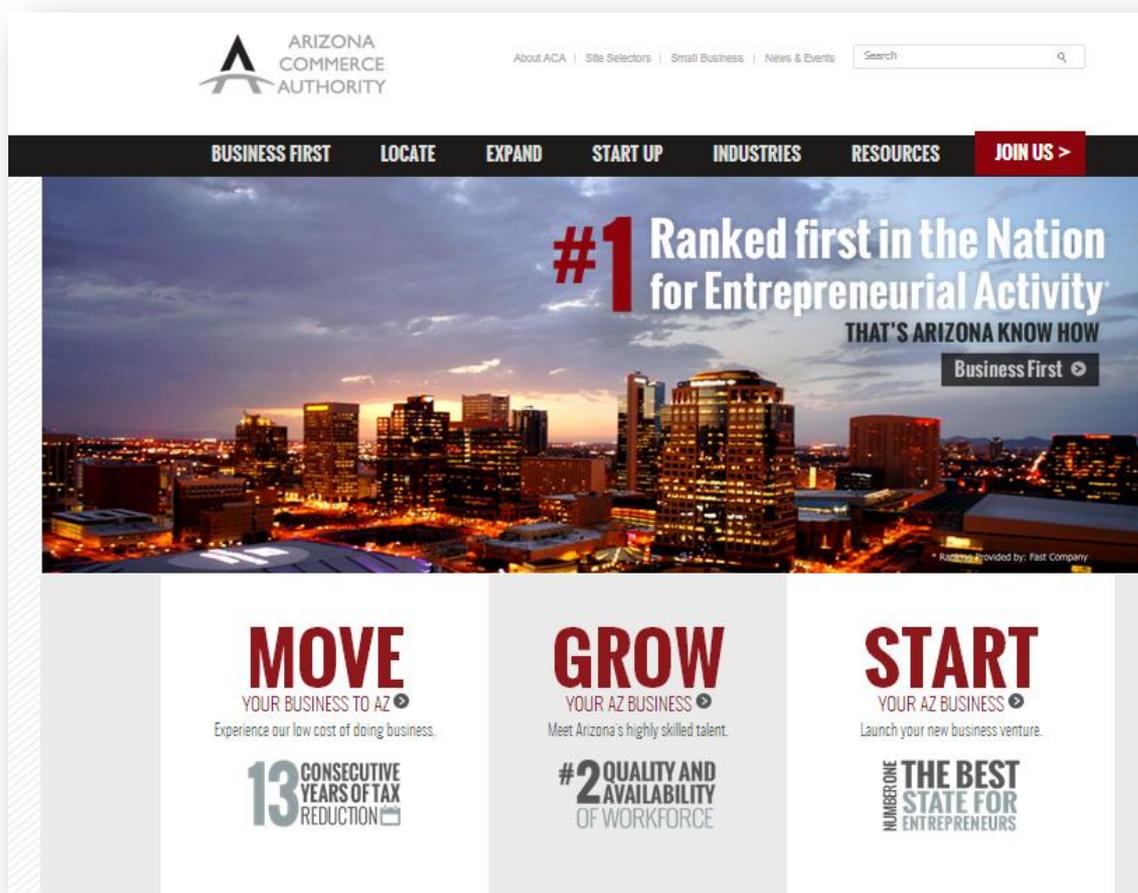
Do you sell to any foreign markets?

Yes No

Do you need financing (debt or equity)?

Yes No

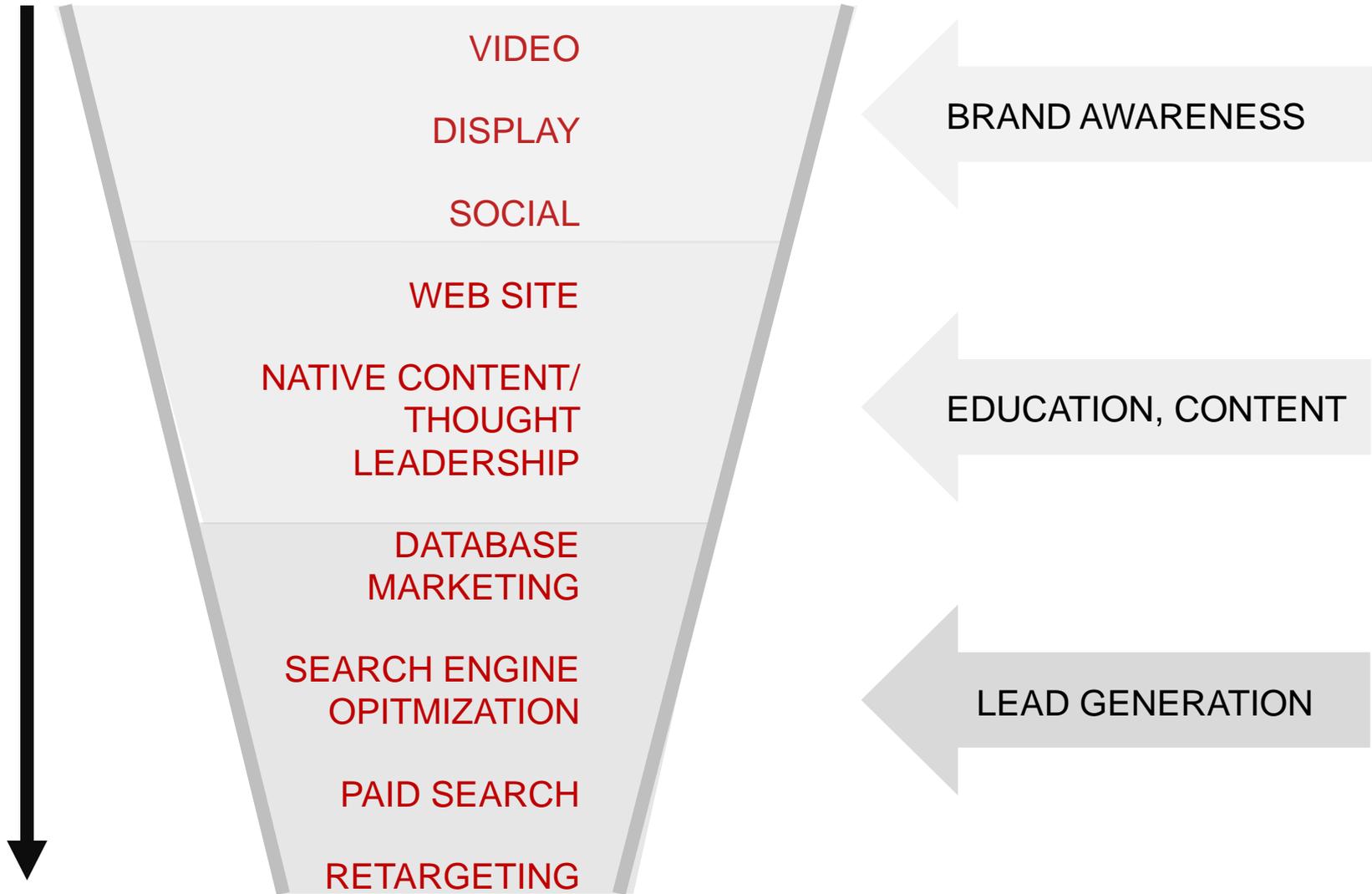
Responsive Technology



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Digital Execution





Advertising Placement

Forbes[®]

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.
WSJ

**Bloomberg
Businessweek**[®]

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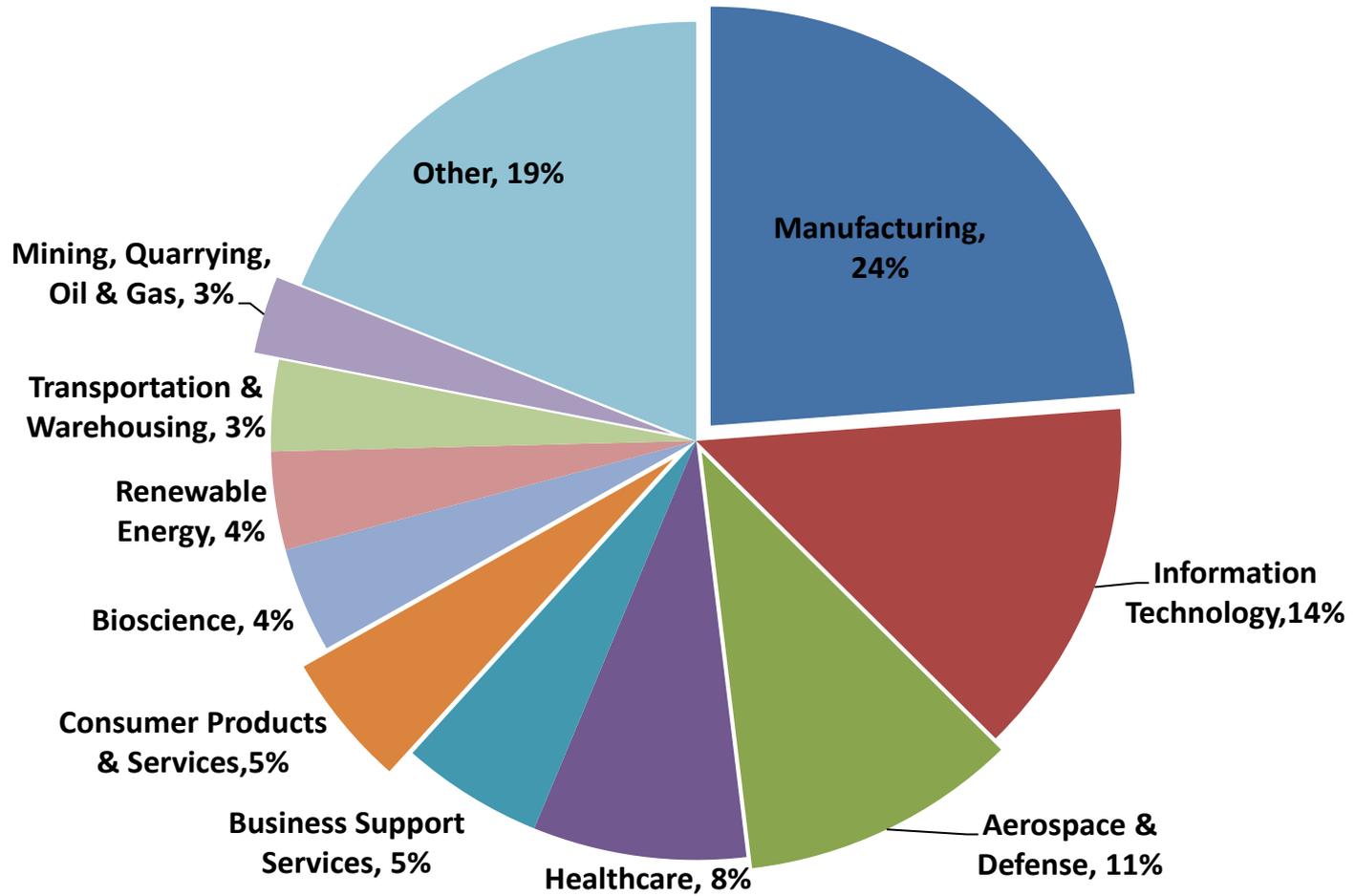
Advancing Job Creation in Arizona:

- Pipeline Projects
- Business Attraction
- Business Expansion

All ACA Pipeline, Industry

Pipeline Projects (All ACA)
Business Attraction and Expansion Pipeline by Industry Segment, YTD Q2-2014

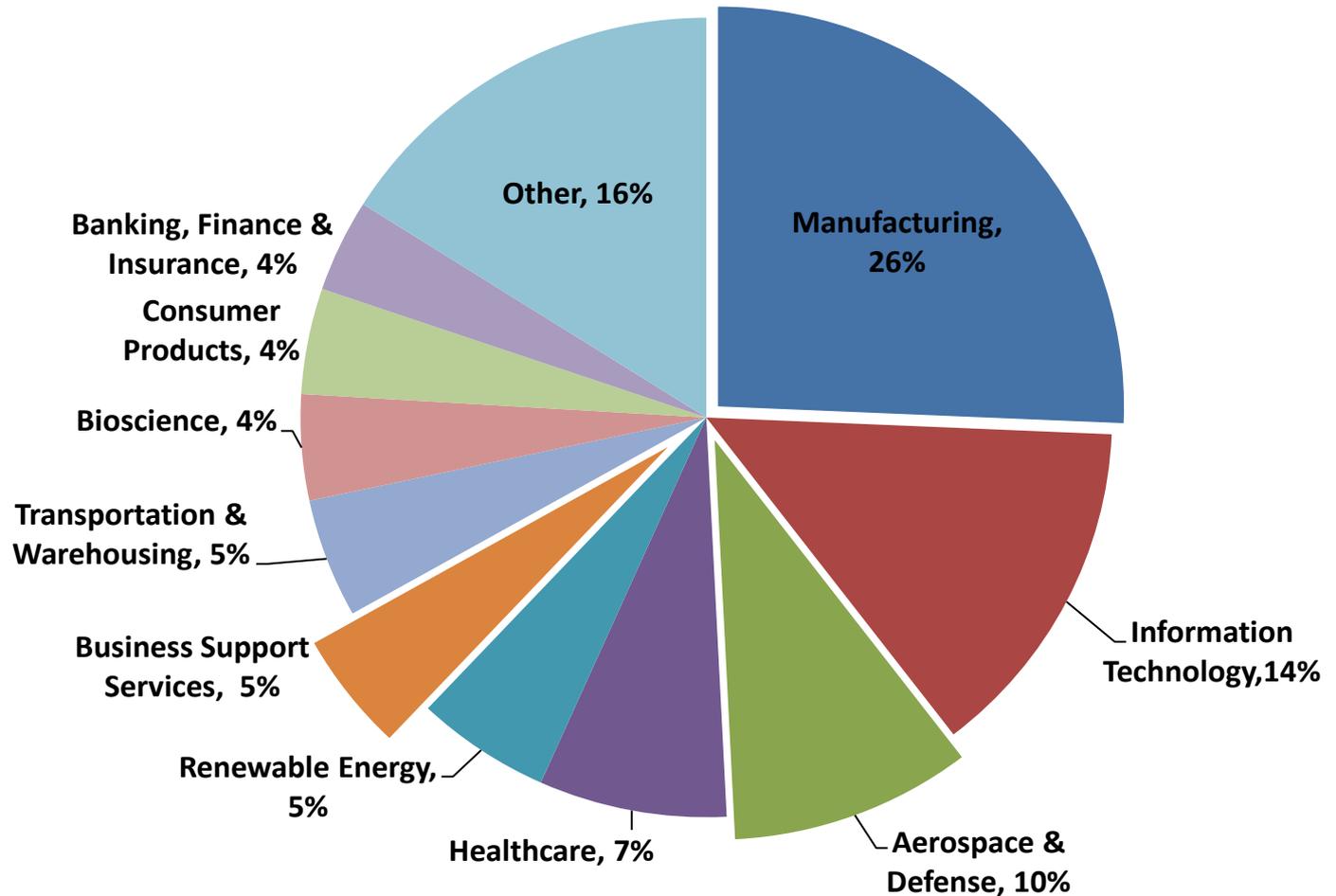
370 Projects
60,069 Jobs
\$28.7 B CapEx
\$48,049 Average Wages



Business Attraction Pipeline, Industry

Pipeline Projects (BA)
Business Attraction Pipeline by Industry Segment, YTD Q2-2014

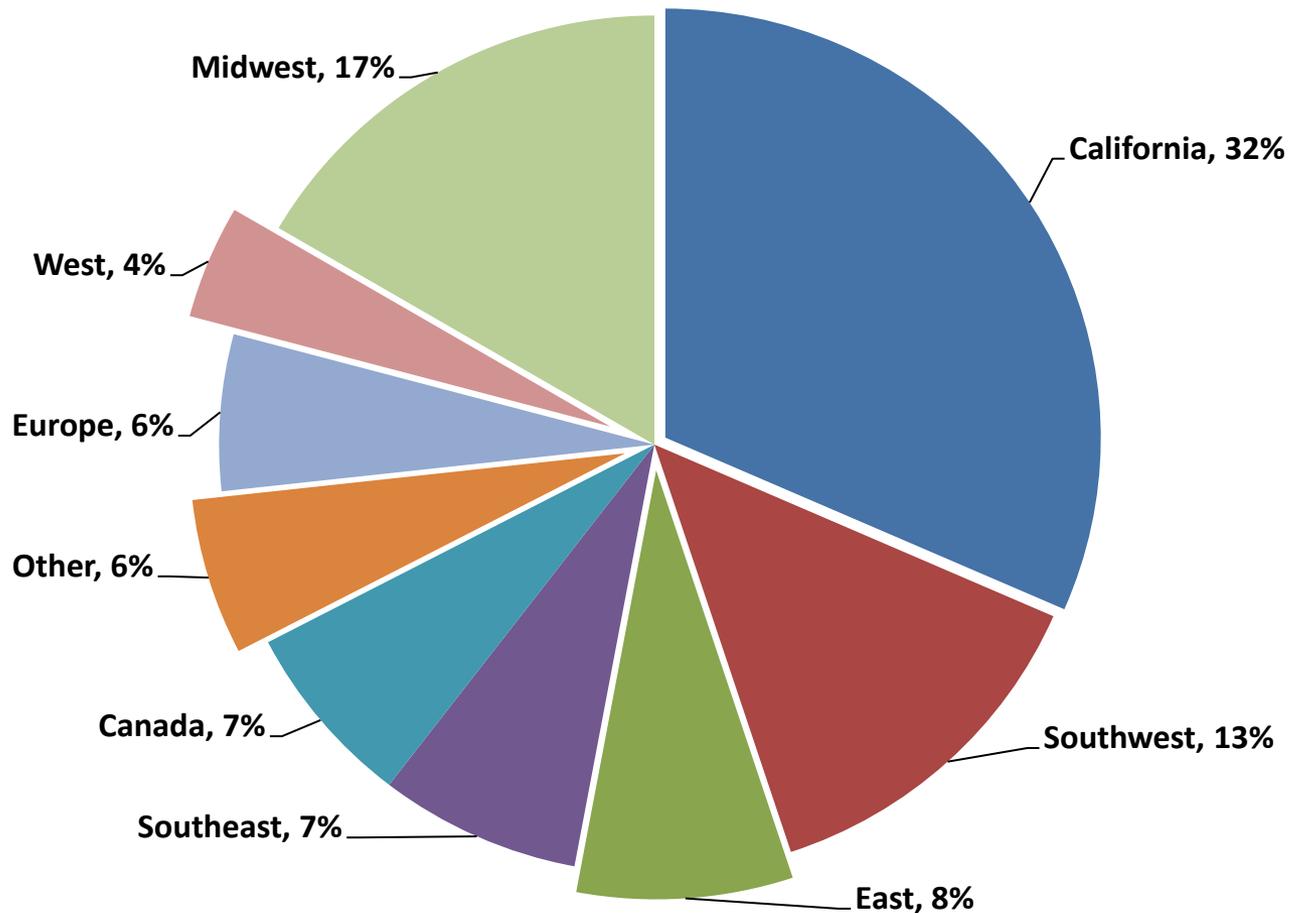
187 Projects
45,284 Jobs
\$24.9 B CapEx
\$48,452 Average Wages



Business Attraction Pipeline, Origin

Pipeline Projects (BA)
Business Attraction Pipeline by Geographic Segment, YTD Q2-2014

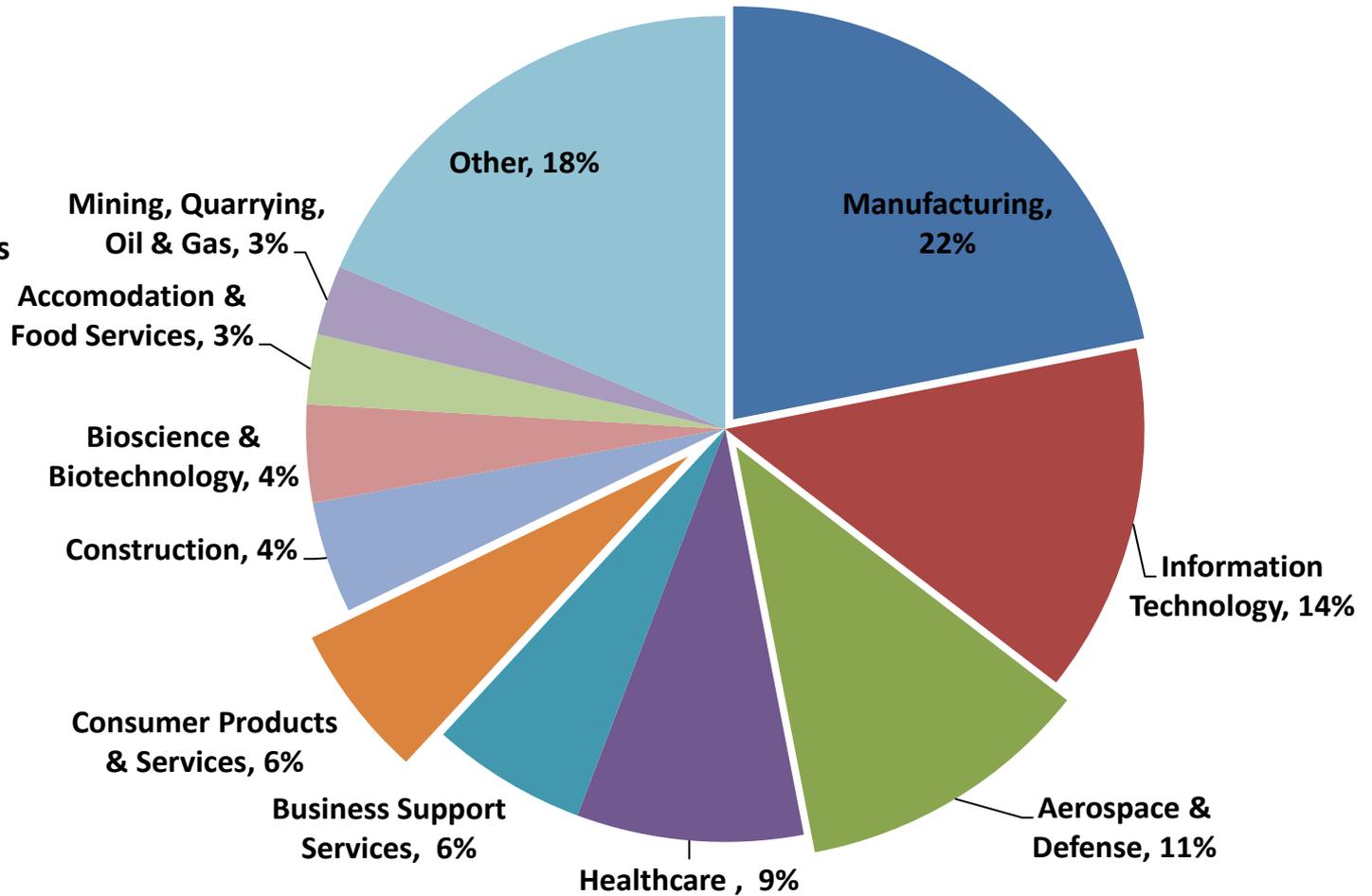
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Business Expansion Pipeline, Industry

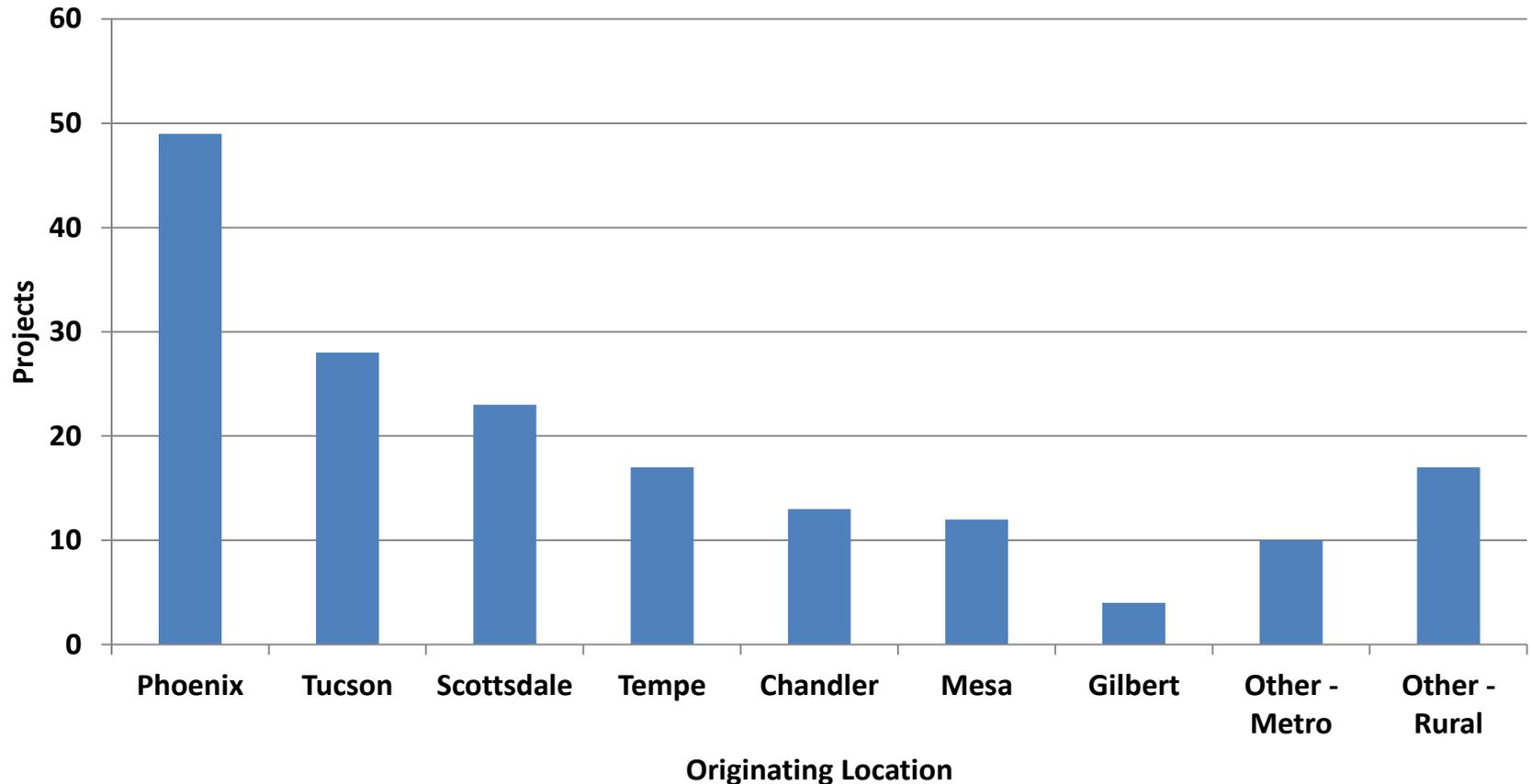
Pipeline Projects (BE)
Business Expansion Pipeline by Industry Segment, YTD Q2-2014

183 Projects
14,785 Jobs
\$3.8 B CapEx
\$46,816 Average Wages



Business Expansion Pipeline, Origin

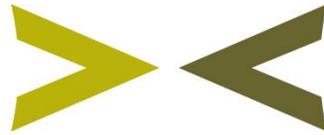
All Projects (BE)
Business Expansion Pipeline by City/Town, YTD Q2-2014





Arizona Innovation Challenge

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INNOVATION CHALLENGE

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Recoleta Digital Media

Introducing The Personal Grocery Circular



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Advancing Arizona's Innovation Ecosystem:

- Arizona Innovation Challenge
- Venture Ready
- Invest Southwest/Venture Madness





ARIZONA SCITECH festival

- A series of statewide science related events held February-March
- Hundreds of venues and collaborators, thousands of attendees!
- Focused on STEM, education and innovation in AZ
- Leverage and Re-Align Existing Assets For STEM
- Brand Arizona as a worldwide leader in STEM



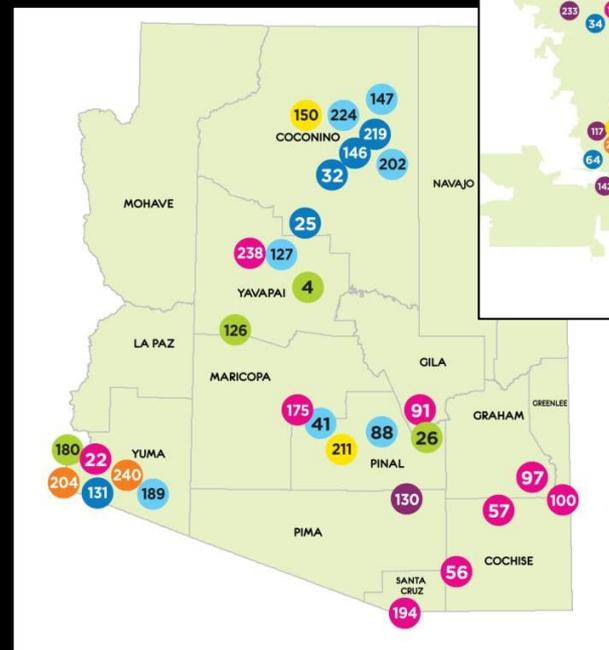
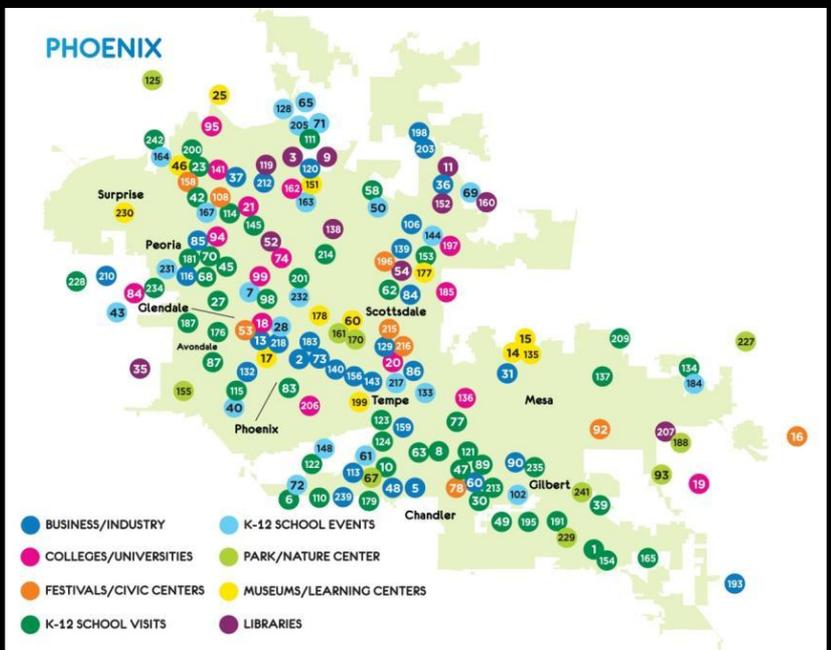
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ARIZONA SCITECH festival

Numbers at a Glance

- 450+ collaborators
- 40 Arizona Cities & Towns
- 500+ events statewide
- 325K estimated attendance
- 240 venues
- 98% visitor satisfaction (2013)

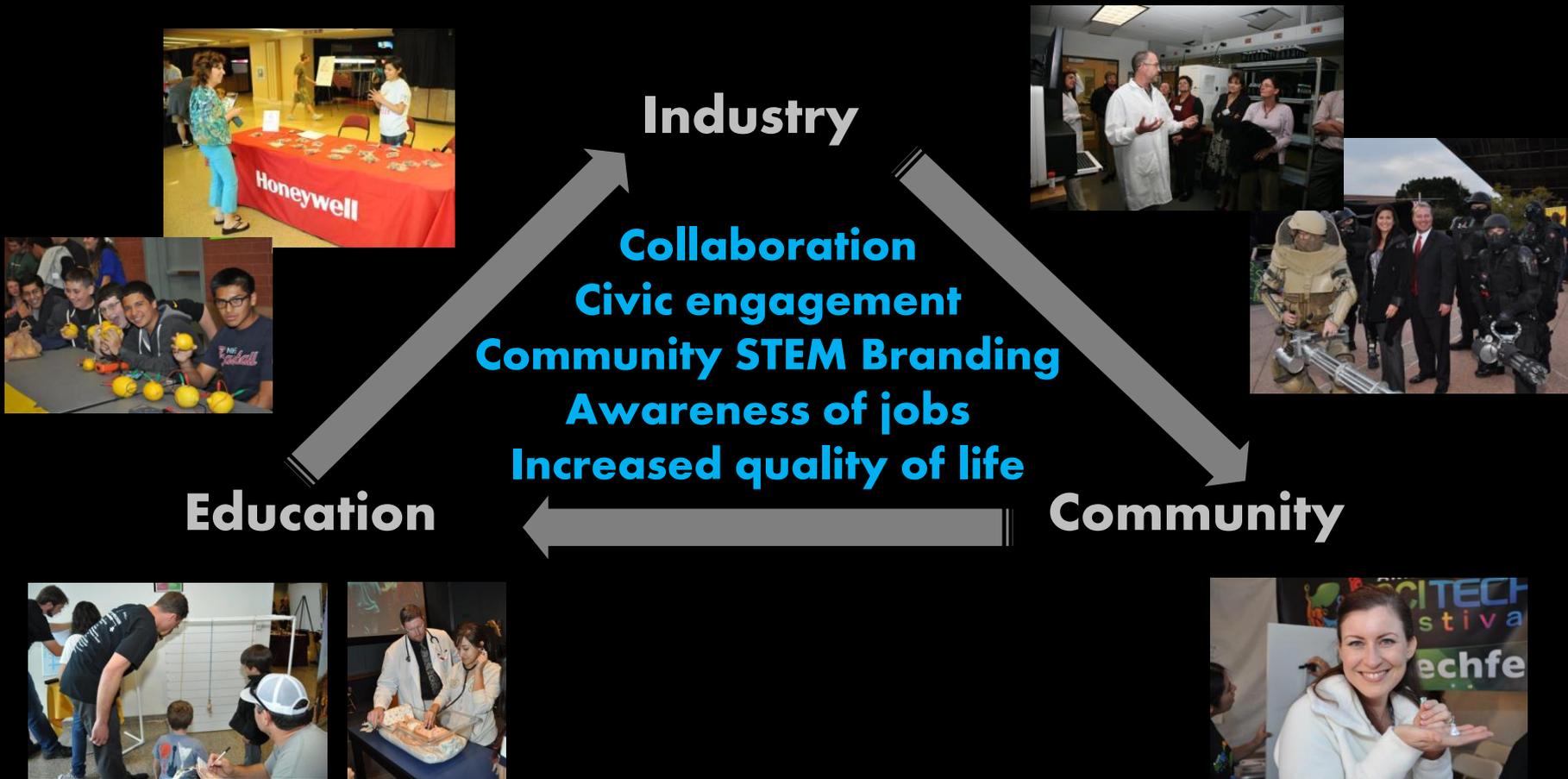


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SciTech Collaborative leads to economic development



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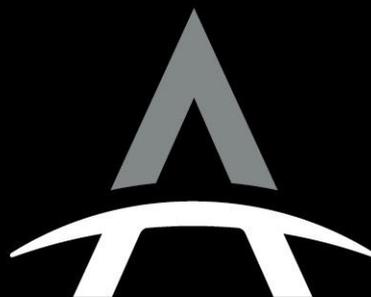
ARIZONA
SCITECH
festival

Festival Growth

- **125%** increase in regional community initiatives
- **100%** increase in attendance at kickoff STEM conference in Sept.
- **20%+** increase of collaborators engaged
- **20%+** increase in number of events
- **20%+** anticipated increase in total attendance
- **Event maturation** for example...
 - Chandler anticipates 20K+ this year (1,500 in year 1)
 - ASU Key event will likely see 20K+ (5,000K in year 1)
 - Tempe anticipates 6K+ this year (1,500 in year 1)



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