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WESTERN MANUFACTURING
TECHNOLOGY SHOW

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Edmonton EXPO Centre • Edmonton, AB

POST SHOW REPORT

Western Canada's Manufacturing Marketplace

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Strategic Event Partners:



BY THE NUMBERS

Total Event Attendees

(includes all attendees, exhibitors, speakers, students, media)

1077

Net Attendees

942

Total Exhibits

31

Total Exhibiting Companies Represented

73

JOB FUNCTION

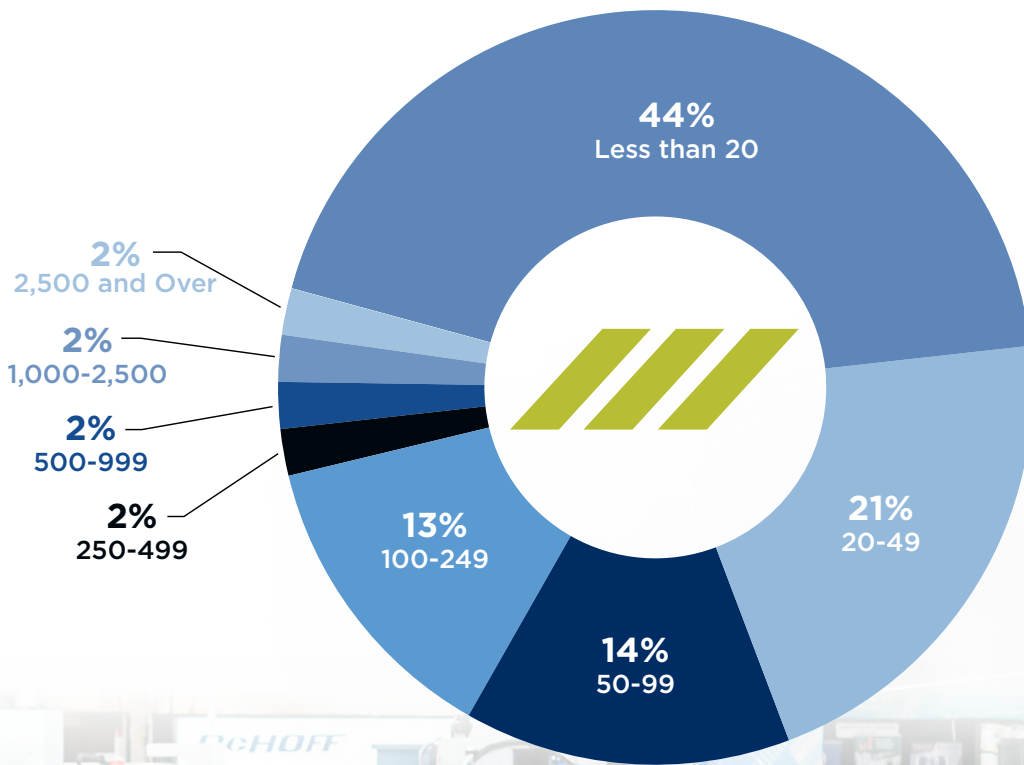
Nearly **75%** are directly involved with the manufacturing process. Over **28%** are Owners/Company Management/Corporate Executives and Purchasing.

Owner/Company Management/Corporate Executive	29%
Manufacturing Production Management	18%
Manufacturing Production Department (non-management)	9%
Product Design/R&D	6%
Design Engineer	5%
Manufacturing Engineering Management	3%
Manufacturing Engineering Department (non-management)	3%
Quality Assurance & Control	2%
Purchasing	2%
Control Engineering/Automation	1%
Other	24%



COMPANY SIZE

WMTS connects you with the most dynamic job shops, companies and OEMs that are essential to Western Canada and the Canadian manufacturing industry.



TOP INDUSTRIES REPRESENTED

The majority of WMTS attendees hail from one of the following business sectors:

- Oil & Gas
- Job Shop/Contract Manufacturing
- Industrial and Commercial Machinery
- Agriculture & Agriculture Equipment
- Fabricated Metal/Stampings

Other industries represented include:

- Aircraft/Aerospace
- Appliances
- Automotive
- Communications
- Consulting/Engineering
- Defense
- Education/Academic
- Electronics/Computers
- Food & Beverage
- Forestry
- Furniture
- Government/Military
- Hardware
- Materials Suppliers/Distributors
- Measuring Analyzing Controlling Instruments
- Medical Instruments Appliances Supplies
- Medical/Surgical
- Mining
- Motorsports
- Other Transportation
- Petroleum
- Plastic Products
- Pulp and Paper
- Renewable Energy
- Research & Development
- Services (Financial and Other)
- Sporting & Recreation Goods
- Utilities



ROLE IN BUYING

80% of attendees influence equipment purchase decisions in their companies. This means you're having quality conversations with evaluators, recommenders, specifiers, and final decision makers.

COMPANY BUDGET

71% of the WMTS audience has equipment budgets that exceed \$20,000 and **more than 33%** have budgets that exceed \$200,000. WMTS is an excellent way to connect with companies looking to invest in capital equipment.



AUDIENCE TECHNOLOGIES OF INTEREST

3D Printing

Additive Manufacturing

Automated Manufacturing & Assembly

Automation & Controls

Bar Code Equipment & Sales

CNC Programming Software

Composite Manufacturing

Controls CAD/CAM Software

Cutting Tools & Accessories

Data Acquisition

Drilling & Tapping Machines

EDM

Engineering Materials

Fastening & Joining

Financial & Leasing Services

Flexible Manufacturing Systems

Gases & Gas Equipment

Grinding Machines

Industry 4.0 / IIoT (Industrial Internet of Things)

Lasers & Laser Systems

Lean Manufacturing

Machine Vision Systems

Machining Centres Milling & Boring Machines

Machining Plastics

Maintenance & Repair

Material Handling

Measurement Inspection & Test

Metal Forming & Fabricating Equipment

Metal Suppliers

Micromanufacturing

Motion Control

NDT

Part Identification/Marking Systems (RFID)

Plant Engineering & Maintenance

Plasma Cutting

Plastics Molding & Manufacturing

Purchasing & Inventory Control Software

Rapid Prototyping

Resistance Welding

Robotics

Sawing & Cut Off Machines

Screw Machining

Turning Machines Lathes & Turning Centres

Waterjet Cutting

Welding

Workholding Systems & Fixtures

SAMPLE OF ATTENDING COMPANIES

Agropur

Akhurst Machinery

Alberta Government

Athabasca University

XYZ Automation Group

Beckhoff Automation

Boeing

Bosch Rexroth

Canon

Carl Zeiss IQS

City of Edmonton

Dassault Systemes

Department of National Defence

DGI SUPPLY

DMG MORI Canada Inc.

Drader Manufacturing

FANUC

Guhring Corp

InnoTech Alberta

Innovation, Science and Economic
Development Canad

Iscar Canada

Kennametal

Linde Canada

Masteel America

MC Machinery Systems Canada, Inc.

Messer Cutting Systems

Mitutoyo Canada Inc.

MSC Industrial Supply

Northern Alberta Institute of Technology
(NAIT)

Prism Integrated Solutions

Quickmill Milling Machines

RCMP

Red Deer Polytechnic

Sandvik Coromant Canada

Schneider Electric

Shell

Shelley Automation

Source Atlantic Limited

SSAB Swedish Steel

Triumph Industrial Process

Turck Canada

University of Alberta

Walter Tool Management Solutions

THANK YOU TO OUR EXHIBITORS!



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Secure your participation in WMTS 2025 and let SME work with you to create a dynamic event experience that meets your business objectives.

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