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## A Career in Automotive

The automotive industry includes all those companies and activities involved in the manufacture of motor vehicles, including most components, such as engines and bodies, but excluding tires, batteries, and fuel.

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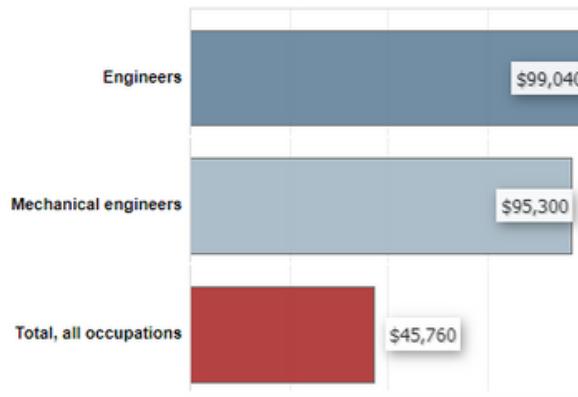
## MECHINAL ENGINEER

Mechanical engineers research, design, develop, build, and test mechanical and thermal sensors and devices, including tools, engines, and machines.

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### Mechanical Engineers

Median annual wages, May 2021



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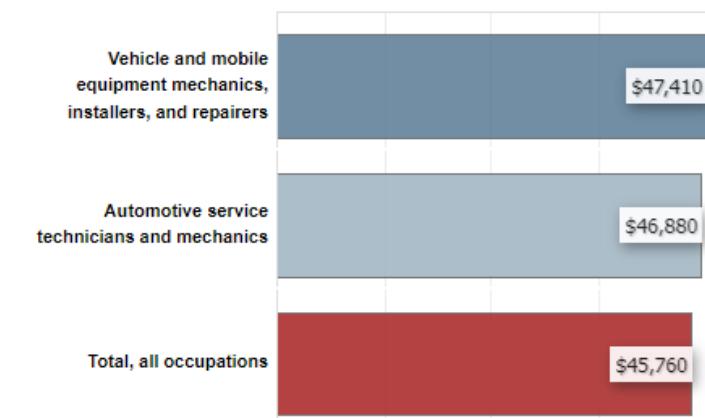
## AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN

Automotive service technicians and mechanics, often called service technicians or service techs, inspect, maintain, and repair cars and light trucks.

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### Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics

Median annual wages, May 2021



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