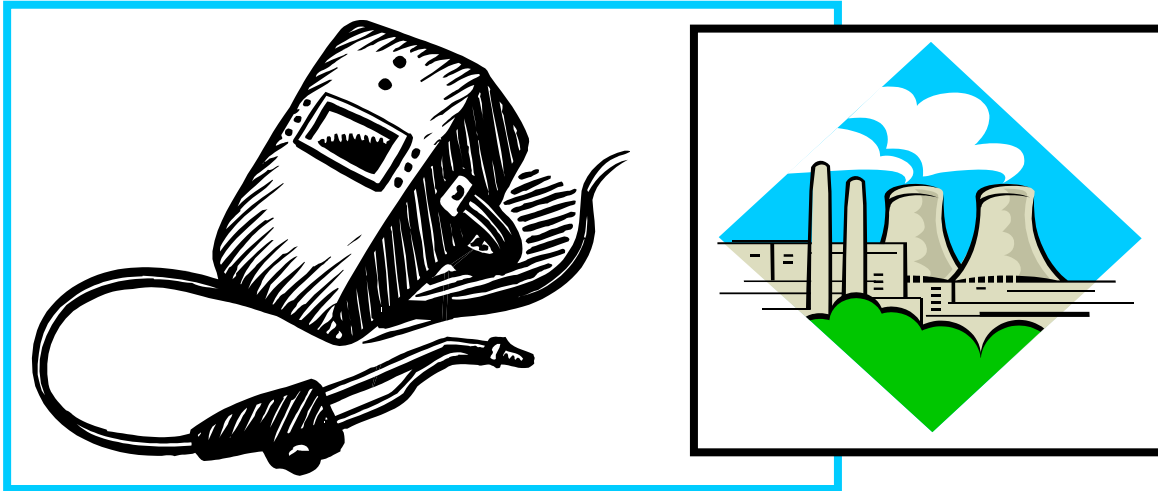


Industrial Mechanics



Career Opportunities

Millwright Welder

Millwright

Millwrights install, dismantle, repair, reassemble, and move machinery in factories, power plants, and construction sites

Welders

Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers weld or join metal parts. They also fill holes, indentions, or seams of metal products, using hand-held welding equipment.

Schooling / License

Millwright

Millwrights typically go through a formal apprenticeship program that lasts about 4 years. Programs are usually a combination of technical instruction and on-the-job training. Others learn their trade through a 2-year associate's degree program in industrial maintenance. A high school diploma or equivalent is the typical education needed to become a millwright.

Welders

Training ranges from a few weeks of school or on-the-job training for low-skilled positions to several years of combined school and on-the-job training for highly skilled jobs.

Job Outlook

Millwrights

Employment of millwrights is expected to decline 5 percent from 2010 to 2020. Despite declining employment, job opportunities should be good for those with a broad set of skills in machine maintenance.

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Millwright
\$48,360

Welder
\$35,450

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Job Outlook

Welder

Employment of welders is expected to grow 15 percent from 2010 to 2020, about as fast as the average for all occupations.