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Copper Alliance

# Copper is Critical

THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF THE COPPER INDUSTRY

**OH-9 REP. KAPTUR**

**DISTRICT**

2,110	Jobs Created
\$182.9M	Wages Paid
\$1.9B	Economic Impact

**NATIONAL**

395,588	Jobs Created
\$31.6B	Wages Paid
\$160.6B	Economic Impact
\$13.0B	Taxes Paid

**AMERICA'S FUTURE  
DEPENDS ON COPPER**

Several major industries, from construction to defense, rely on copper's high conductivity, malleability, corrosion resistance, and antimicrobial nature.



**INFRASTRUCTURE**

electrical grid  
building & structures  
water service lines  
pipes



**CLEAN ENERGY**

wind farms  
solar panels  
energy storage



**TRANSPORTATION**

electric cars  
airplanes  
high-speed trains  
electric school buses



**DEFENSE**

naval vessels  
military gear  
military vehicles



**OTHER**

consumer electronics  
healthcare  
currency

Global demand for copper is expected to double by 2035, but there is more than enough copper to meet demand. At least 100 years' worth of proven copper reserves and resources are yet to be tapped.

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