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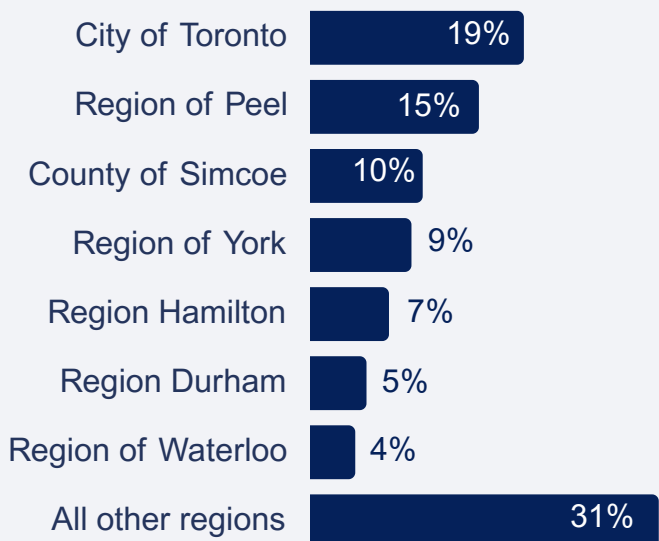
Sheet Metal Workers fabricate, assemble, install and repair sheet metal products. Sheet Metal Workers also operate light metalworking machines such as shears, brakes, punches, and drill presses, including computer numerical control (CNC) equipment to cut, bend, punch, drill, shape or straighten sheet metal.

Experienced workers who have not completed an Ontario apprenticeship but have equivalent qualifications or experience in their trade can use the [Trade Equivalency Assessment Process](#).

Academic entry grade	Grade 10
On-the-job training	8,280 hours (approximately five years)
Technical training	720 hours (six months across three levels)
Required skills	Numeracy, Collaboration, Critical thinking, Problem solving

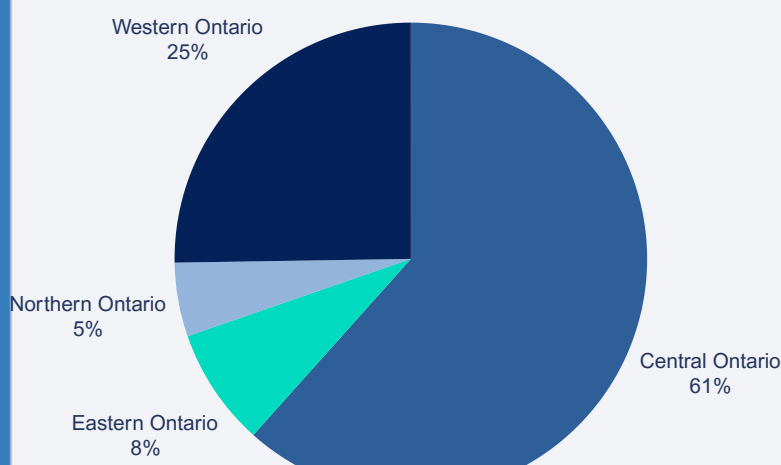
WORKFORCE PROFILE

Highest Job Postings by Region



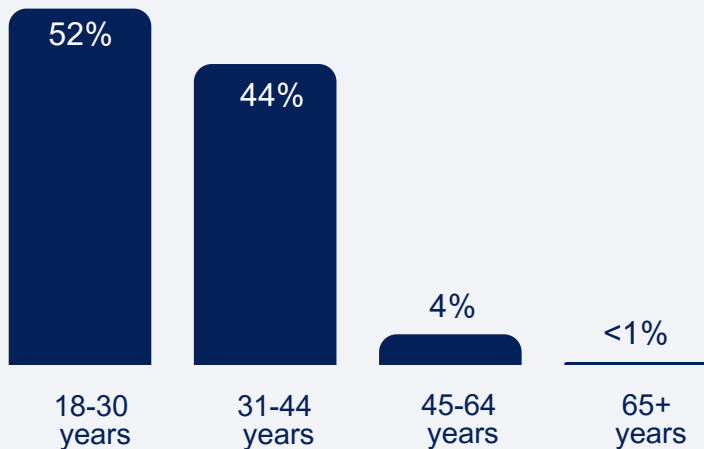
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Job Postings by Area in Ontario



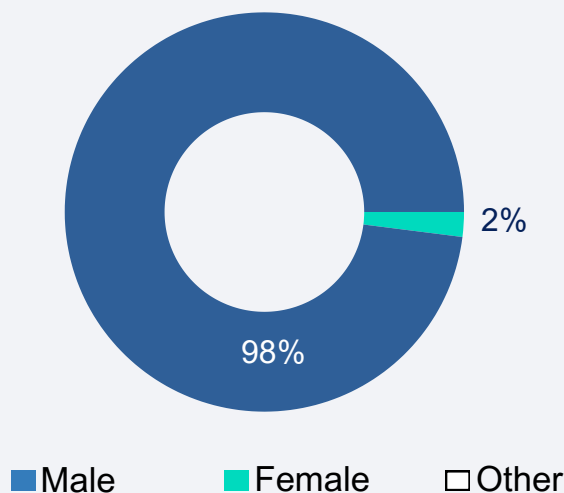
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Certificates of Qualification Issued by Age Group



Source: Skilled Trades Ontario 2023

Certificates of Qualification Issued by Gender



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INCOME PROFILE

Annual Salary Range

\$57,000 - \$97,000

Source: Workforce Planning Ontario, Labour Market Insights Report 2023

Hourly Salary Range

\$29 - \$50

Source: Workforce Planning Ontario, Labour Market Insights Report 2023

The information in this report applies to trades/occupations with the National Occupational Code 72102, which includes the Residential (Low Rise) Sheet Metal Installer (308R) trade.

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