



**AMBA Releases New Reports:  
*Efficiencies in Machine Programming and New Employee Onboarding Checklists***

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**Indianapolis, IN** – During the third quarter of 2019, the American Mold Builders Association (AMBA), announced the release of two new reports: *New Employee Onboarding Checklists* and *Efficiencies in Machine Programming*.

Because the AMBA has never benchmarked mold builders on either of these topics, both reports provide fresh content and new insight into the 2019 mold building industry.

Gathered data featured in the *Efficiencies in Machine Programming Report* included workforce representation (including total employees vs. CNC programmers and setup operators), preferred programming software, shop floor programming vs. offline programming preferences, the efficiency of certain programming methods for repeat and new jobs and recent investments in technologies and/or machines to improve efficiency. All of this data was correlated to reported annual revenues and other demographic data. Finally, respondents also shared a total of over 90 recent investments made to improve efficiency in their facilities.

In a different vein, AMBA's *New Employee Onboarding Checklists Report* focused less on machinery, operations and software and more on human resource policy, including which staff managed most new employee onboarding, HR on-staff representation and how that data correlated to annual revenue. Of particular note is the report's addendum, which included 20 new employee onboarding checklists and documents that provided real-world examples of onboarding at their facilities.

These reports come in advance of AMBA's annual *Wage and Salary* survey. This year's survey will open to the industry the first week of October 2019.

To purchase either of these reports, participate in upcoming surveys and/or review other AMBA publications, visit [AMBA.org](http://AMBA.org).

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### **About the AMBA**

The American Mold Builders Association (AMBA) is the only organization dedicated to elevating the competitive advantage of U.S. mold builders. AMBA provides workforce development initiatives, networking, benchmarking opportunities and industry promotion. AMBA members receive a variety of additional benefits, including access to cost-reduction programs, visibility to mold buyers and problem-solving resources that give members a competitive advantage. To learn more about AMBA membership and ongoing initiatives, visit [amba.org](http://amba.org).

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