

# MISSISSIPPI

## OCCUPATIONAL EMPLOYMENT PROJECTIONS

Year 2016 Projected to Year 2026

GULFPORT-BILOXI-PASCAGOULA  
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MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

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Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)		2016 Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Projected Employment Growth 2016-2026		Total Projected Avg. Annual Job Openings
Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
00-0000	<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	145,490	154,310	8,820	6.1%	17,575
11-0000	<b>Management Occupations</b>	7,380	8,130	750	10.2%	690
11-1000	<b>Top Executives</b>	3,320	3,630	310	9.3%	310
11-1011	Chief Executives	60	50	(10)	(16.7%)	5
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	3,240	3,550	310	9.6%	305
11-1031	Legislators	30	40	10	33.3%	5
11-2000	<b>Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers</b>	290	310	20	6.9%	30
11-2011	Advertising and Promotions Managers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
11-2021	Marketing Managers	70	80	10	14.3%	10
11-2022	Sales Managers	140	160	20	14.3%	15
11-2031	Public Relations and Fundraising Managers	50	60	10	20.0%	5
11-3000	<b>Operations Specialties Managers</b>	1,630	1,830	200	12.3%	150
11-3011	Administrative Services Managers	300	320	20	6.7%	30
11-3021	Computer and Information Systems Managers	130	150	20	15.4%	15
11-3031	Financial Managers	410	490	80	19.5%	45
11-3051	Industrial Production Managers	310	340	30	9.7%	25
11-3061	Purchasing Managers	110	120	10	9.1%	10
11-3071	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	110	120	10	9.1%	10
11-3111	Compensation and Benefits Managers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
11-3121	Human Resources Managers	230	260	30	13.0%	25
11-3131	Training and Development Managers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
11-9000	<b>Other Management Occupations</b>	2,160	2,370	210	9.7%	205
11-9013	Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
11-9021	Construction Managers	210	230	20	9.5%	20
11-9031	Education Administrators, Preschool and Childcare Center/Program	60	60	0	0.0%	5
11-9032	Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary School	250	280	30	12.0%	25
11-9033	Education Administrators, Postsecondary	50	60	10	20.0%	5
11-9039	Education Administrators, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5

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11-9041	Architectural and Engineering Managers	220	240	20	9.1%	20
11-9051	Food Service Managers	250	260	10	4.0%	30
11-9061	Funeral Service Managers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
11-9071	Gaming Managers	110	110	0	0.0%	15
11-9081	Lodging Managers	140	140	0	0.0%	15
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	300	370	70	23.3%	35
11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
11-9131	Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	30	30	0	0.0%	5
11-9141	Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers	220	250	30	13.6%	25
11-9151	Social and Community Service Managers	90	100	10	11.1%	10
11-9161	Emergency Management Directors	40	50	10	25.0%	5
11-9199	Managers, All Other	190	200	10	5.3%	15
<b>13-0000</b>	<b>Business and Financial Operations Occupations</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>5,480</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>510</b>
<b>13-1000</b>	<b>Business Operations Specialists</b>	<b>3,560</b>	<b>3,810</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>365</b>
13-1022	Wholesale and Retail Buyers, Except Farm Products	20	20	0	0.0%	5
13-1023	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	180	180	0	0.0%	15
13-1031	Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators	100	100	0	0.0%	10
13-1041	Compliance Officers	330	350	20	6.1%	30
13-1051	Cost Estimators	260	280	20	7.7%	30
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	490	510	20	4.1%	50
13-1075	Labor Relations Specialists	160	150	(10)	(6.3%)	15
13-1081	Logisticians	290	310	20	6.9%	35
13-1111	Management Analysts	270	290	20	7.4%	30
13-1121	Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	120	130	10	8.3%	20
13-1131	Fundraisers	50	60	10	20.0%	10
13-1141	Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
13-1151	Training and Development Specialists	240	250	10	4.2%	25
13-1161	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	360	430	70	19.4%	45

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13-1199	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	720	760	40	5.6%	70
<b>13-2000</b>	<b>Financial Specialists</b>	<b>1,550</b>	<b>1,670</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>145</b>
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	740	810	70	9.5%	75
13-2021	Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate	50	50	0	0.0%	5
13-2031	Budget Analysts	110	120	10	9.1%	10
13-2041	Credit Analysts	20	20	0	0.0%	5
13-2051	Financial Analysts	100	100	0	0.0%	10
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	120	120	0	0.0%	10
13-2053	Insurance Underwriters	20	20	0	0.0%	5
13-2061	Financial Examiners	20	30	10	50.0%	5
13-2071	Credit Counselors	40	50	10	25.0%	5
13-2072	Loan Officers	160	170	10	6.3%	15
13-2081	Tax Examiners and Collectors, and Revenue Agents	80	80	0	0.0%	10
13-2082	Tax Preparers	40	50	10	25.0%	5
13-2099	Financial Specialists, All Other	100	110	10	10.0%	10
<b>15-0000</b>	<b>Computer and Mathematical Occupations</b>	<b>2,290</b>	<b>2,530</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>185</b>
<b>15-1100</b>	<b>Computer Occupations</b>	<b>2,250</b>	<b>2,480</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>10.2%</b>	<b>180</b>
15-1111	Computer and Information Research Scientists	110	120	10	9.1%	10
15-1121	Computer Systems Analysts	260	290	30	11.5%	20
15-1122	Information Security Analysts	30	40	10	33.3%	5
15-1131	Computer Programmers	120	120	0	0.0%	10
15-1132	Software Developers, Applications	120	150	30	25.0%	15
15-1133	Software Developers, Systems Software	140	160	20	14.3%	15
15-1134	Web Developers	80	80	0	0.0%	10
15-1141	Database Administrators	60	70	10	16.7%	5
15-1142	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	250	280	30	12.0%	20
15-1143	Computer Network Architects	430	450	20	4.7%	35
15-1151	Computer User Support Specialists	260	290	30	11.5%	25

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15-1152	Computer Network Support Specialists	170	200	30	17.7%	20
15-1199	Computer Occupations, All Other	270	280	10	3.7%	20
<b>15-2000</b>	<b>Mathematical Science Occupations</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>5</b>
15-2021	Mathematicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
15-2031	Operations Research Analysts	30	40	10	33.3%	5
15-2041	Statisticians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
15-2099	Mathematical Science Occupations, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>17-0000</b>	<b>Architecture and Engineering Occupations</b>	<b>3,220</b>	<b>3,490</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>265</b>
<b>17-1000</b>	<b>Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>10</b>
17-1011	Architects, Except Landscape and Naval	40	40	0	0.0%	5
17-1021	Cartographers and Photogrammetrists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-1022	Surveyors	90	90	0	0.0%	10
<b>17-2000</b>	<b>Engineers</b>	<b>2,210</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>165</b>
17-2011	Aerospace Engineers	90	90	0	0.0%	10
17-2031	Biomedical Engineers	20	30	10	50.0%	5
17-2041	Chemical Engineers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
17-2051	Civil Engineers	220	250	30	13.6%	20
17-2061	Computer Hardware Engineers	120	140	20	16.7%	10
17-2071	Electrical Engineers	290	310	20	6.9%	25
17-2072	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	230	240	10	4.4%	20
17-2081	Environmental Engineers	40	50	10	25.0%	5
17-2111	Health and Safety Engineers, Except Mining Safety Engineers and Inspectors	20	30	10	50.0%	5
17-2112	Industrial Engineers	290	340	50	17.2%	25
17-2121	Marine Engineers and Naval Architects	180	200	20	11.1%	15
17-2131	Materials Engineers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	160	180	20	12.5%	15
17-2151	Mining and Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-2171	Petroleum Engineers	340	340	0	0.0%	25

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17-2199	Engineers, All Other	180	190	10	5.6%	15
<b>17-3000</b>	<b>Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians</b>	<b>890</b>	<b>960</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>90</b>
17-3011	Architectural and Civil Drafters	60	60	0	0.0%	10
17-3012	Electrical and Electronics Drafters	20	20	0	0.0%	5
17-3013	Mechanical Drafters	20	30	10	50.0%	5
17-3019	Drafters, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
17-3022	Civil Engineering Technicians	140	160	20	14.3%	15
17-3023	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians	400	420	20	5.0%	40
17-3025	Environmental Engineering Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
17-3026	Industrial Engineering Technicians	60	70	10	16.7%	10
17-3027	Mechanical Engineering Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-3029	Engineering Technicians, Except Drafters, All Other	130	140	10	7.7%	15
17-3031	Surveying and Mapping Technicians	50	60	10	20.0%	10
<b>19-0000</b>	<b>Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations</b>	<b>1,270</b>	<b>1,380</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>19-1000</b>	<b>Life Scientists</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9.1%</b>	<b>15</b>
19-1012	Food Scientists and Technologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1013	Soil and Plant Scientists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1022	Microbiologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1023	Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
19-1029	Biological Scientists, All Other	40	40	0	0.0%	5
19-1031	Conservation Scientists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-1032	Foresters	20	30	10	50.0%	5
19-1041	Epidemiologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>19-2000</b>	<b>Physical Scientists</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>65</b>
19-2012	Physicists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-2021	Atmospheric and Space Scientists	60	60	0	0.0%	5
19-2031	Chemists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-2041	Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health	160	170	10	6.3%	20

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19-2042	Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists and Geographers	230	250	20	8.7%	25
19-2043	Hydrologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-2099	Physical Scientists, All Other	210	220	10	4.8%	20
<b>19-3000</b>	<b>Social Scientists and Related Workers</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>20</b>
19-3011	Economists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3031	Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists	60	70	10	16.7%	5
19-3039	Psychologists, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
19-3051	Urban and Regional Planners	50	60	10	20.0%	5
19-3091	Anthropologists and Archeologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3092	Geographers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3093	Historians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3099	Social Scientists and Related Workers, All Other	60	60	0	0.0%	10
<b>19-4000</b>	<b>Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13.8%</b>	<b>40</b>
19-4021	Biological Technicians	30	30	0	0.0%	5
19-4031	Chemical Technicians	60	60	0	0.0%	10
19-4041	Geological and Petroleum Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-4061	Social Science Research Assistants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-4091	Environmental Science and Protection Technicians, Including Health	110	130	20	18.2%	20
19-4092	Forensic Science Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-4093	Forest and Conservation Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-4099	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, All Other	80	90	10	12.5%	10
<b>21-0000</b>	<b>Community and Social Service Occupations</b>	<b>1,490</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>12.8%</b>	<b>185</b>
<b>21-1000</b>	<b>Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists</b>	<b>1,450</b>	<b>1,630</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>180</b>
21-1011	Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	100	110	10	10.0%	15
21-1012	Educational, Guidance, School, and Vocational Counselors	170	190	20	11.8%	25
21-1013	Marriage and Family Therapists	20	30	10	50.0%	5
21-1014	Mental Health Counselors	70	80	10	14.3%	10
21-1015	Rehabilitation Counselors	70	70	0	0.0%	10

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21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	360	410	50	13.9%	45
21-1022	Healthcare Social Workers	90	100	10	11.1%	15
21-1023	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers	80	80	0	0.0%	10
21-1029	Social Workers, All Other	70	80	10	14.3%	10
21-1091	Health Educators	60	70	10	16.7%	10
21-1092	Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists	70	70	0	0.0%	10
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	180	200	20	11.1%	25
21-1094	Community Health Workers	80	90	10	12.5%	15
21-1099	Community and Social Service Specialists, All Other	90	100	10	11.1%	15
<b>21-2000</b>	<b>Religious Workers</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25.0%</b>	<b>10</b>
21-2011	Clergy	30	40	10	33.3%	5
21-2021	Directors, Religious Activities and Education	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>23-0000</b>	<b>Legal Occupations</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>23-1000</b>	<b>Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>20</b>
23-1011	Lawyers	320	350	30	9.4%	20
23-1012	Judicial Law Clerks	30	30	0	0.0%	5
23-1023	Judges, Magistrate Judges, and Magistrates	30	30	0	0.0%	5
<b>23-2000</b>	<b>Legal Support Workers</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>40</b>
23-2011	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	190	220	30	15.8%	25
23-2091	Court Reporters	10	10	0	0.0%	5
23-2093	Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers	150	150	0	0.0%	15
23-2099	Legal Support Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>25-0000</b>	<b>Education, Training, and Library Occupations</b>	<b>8,480</b>	<b>9,520</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>12.3%</b>	<b>885</b>
<b>25-1000</b>	<b>Postsecondary Teachers</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>65</b>
25-1011	Business Teachers, Postsecondary	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-1021	Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1022	Mathematical Science Teachers, Postsecondary	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-1041	Agricultural Sciences Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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25-1042	Biological Science Teachers, Postsecondary	20	30	10	50.0%	5
25-1052	Chemistry Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1054	Physics Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	0
25-1064	Geography Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1066	Psychology Teachers, Postsecondary	60	70	10	16.7%	10
25-1067	Sociology Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	0
25-1071	Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	70	90	20	28.6%	10
25-1072	Nursing Instructors and Teachers, Postsecondary	60	80	20	33.3%	10
25-1081	Education Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1082	Library Science Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1111	Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1113	Social Work Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1121	Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary	80	100	20	25.0%	10
25-1123	English Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-1124	Foreign Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1125	History Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1126	Philosophy and Religion Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1191	Graduate Teaching Assistants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1192	Home Economics Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1193	Recreation and Fitness Studies Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1194	Vocational Education Teachers, Postsecondary	170	180	10	5.9%	15
25-1199	Postsecondary Teachers, All Other	40	50	10	25.0%	5
<b>25-2000</b>	<b>Preschool, Primary, Secondary, and Special Education School Teachers</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>4,470</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>355</b>
25-2011	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	310	340	30	9.7%	35
25-2012	Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	160	180	20	12.5%	20
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	1,390	1,560	170	12.2%	120
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	580	650	70	12.1%	50
25-2023	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Middle School	110	130	20	18.2%	10

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25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	920	1,020	100	10.9%	80
25-2032	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School	90	100	10	11.1%	10
25-2052	Special Education Teachers, Kindergarten and Elementary School	230	250	20	8.7%	20
25-2053	Special Education Teachers, Middle School	100	110	10	10.0%	10
25-2054	Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	140	160	20	14.3%	15
25-2059	Special Education Teachers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>25-3000</b>	<b>Other Teachers and Instructors</b>	<b>2,040</b>	<b>2,290</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>12.3%</b>	<b>260</b>
25-3011	Adult Basic and Secondary Education and Literacy Teachers and Instructors	100	100	0	0.0%	15
25-3021	Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	370	430	60	16.2%	50
25-3097	Teachers and Instructors, All Other, Except Substitute Teachers	390	430	40	10.3%	50
25-3098	Substitute Teachers	1,190	1,340	150	12.6%	155
<b>25-4000</b>	<b>Librarians, Curators, and Archivists</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>15.0%</b>	<b>25</b>
25-4013	Museum Technicians and Conservators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-4021	Librarians	150	170	20	13.3%	20
25-4031	Library Technicians	50	60	10	20.0%	10
<b>25-9000</b>	<b>Other Education, Training, and Library Occupations</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>1,810</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>190</b>
25-9011	Audio-Visual and Multimedia Collections Specialists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-9021	Farm and Home Management Advisors	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-9031	Instructional Coordinators	210	230	20	9.5%	25
25-9041	Teacher Assistants	1,350	1,510	160	11.9%	160
25-9099	Education, Training, and Library Workers, All Other	50	50	0	0.0%	5
<b>27-0000</b>	<b>Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>1,110</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>110</b>
<b>27-1000</b>	<b>Art and Design Workers</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>40</b>
27-1011	Art Directors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1013	Fine Artists, Including Painters, Sculptors, and Illustrators	70	80	10	14.3%	10
27-1014	Multimedia Artists and Animators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1019	Artists and Related Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1021	Commercial and Industrial Designers	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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27-1023	Floral Designers	120	100	(20)	(16.7%)	10
27-1024	Graphic Designers	160	160	0	0.0%	15
27-1025	Interior Designers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-1026	Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	50	50	0	0.0%	5
27-1029	Designers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>27-2000</b>	<b>Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>30</b>
27-2012	Producers and Directors	80	90	10	12.5%	10
27-2021	Athletes and Sports Competitors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-2022	Coaches and Scouts	110	130	20	18.2%	20
27-2041	Music Directors and Composers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-2042	Musicians and Singers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>27-3000</b>	<b>Media and Communication Workers</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>6.1%</b>	<b>35</b>
27-3011	Radio and Television Announcers	50	40	(10)	(20.0%)	5
27-3012	Public Address System and Other Announcers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-3022	Reporters and Correspondents	40	40	0	0.0%	5
27-3031	Public Relations Specialists	130	150	20	15.4%	15
27-3041	Editors	20	30	10	50.0%	5
27-3042	Technical Writers	60	70	10	16.7%	10
27-3043	Writers and Authors	40	40	0	0.0%	5
27-3091	Interpreters and Translators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-3099	Media and Communication Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>27-4000</b>	<b>Media and Communication Equipment Workers</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>(10)</b>	<b>(7.7%)</b>	<b>10</b>
27-4011	Audio and Video Equipment Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4012	Broadcast Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4014	Sound Engineering Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4021	Photographers	70	50	(20)	(28.6%)	5
27-4031	Camera Operators, Television, Video, and Motion Picture	40	40	0	0.0%	5
27-4099	Media and Communication Equipment Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	9,570	10,650	1,080	11.3%	655
29-1000	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners	5,880	6,670	790	13.4%	370
29-1011	Chiropractors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1021	Dentists, General	100	110	10	10.0%	5
29-1029	Dentists, All Other Specialists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1031	Dietitians and Nutritionists	70	80	10	14.3%	5
29-1041	Optometrists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
29-1051	Pharmacists	890	950	60	6.7%	45
29-1061	Anesthesiologists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-1062	Family and General Practitioners	90	90	0	0.0%	5
29-1063	Internists, General	30	40	10	33.3%	5
29-1065	Pediatricians, General	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-1066	Psychiatrists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-1067	Surgeons	40	50	10	25.0%	5
29-1069	Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	200	220	20	10.0%	10
29-1071	Physician Assistants	60	80	20	33.3%	5
29-1081	Podiatrists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1122	Occupational Therapists	80	100	20	25.0%	10
29-1123	Physical Therapists	170	200	30	17.7%	15
29-1124	Radiation Therapists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-1125	Recreational Therapists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists	160	200	40	25.0%	15
29-1127	Speech-Language Pathologists	150	170	20	13.3%	10
29-1128	Exercise Physiologists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-1129	Therapists, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	0
29-1131	Veterinarians	60	70	10	16.7%	5
29-1141	Registered Nurses	3,320	3,790	470	14.2%	230
29-1151	Nurse Anesthetists	70	80	10	14.3%	5

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29-1171	Nurse Practitioners	240	310	70	29.2%	20
29-1181	Audiologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1199	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners, All Other	50	50	0	0.0%	5
<b>29-2000</b>	<b>Health Technologists and Technicians</b>	<b>3,510</b>	<b>3,780</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>275</b>
29-2011	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists	150	160	10	6.7%	15
29-2012	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians	180	200	20	11.1%	15
29-2021	Dental Hygienists	140	150	10	7.1%	10
29-2031	Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians	60	60	0	0.0%	5
29-2032	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	70	90	20	28.6%	10
29-2033	Nuclear Medicine Technologists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-2034	Radiologic Technologists	240	260	20	8.3%	15
29-2035	Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-2041	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	250	270	20	8.0%	20
29-2051	Dietetic Technicians	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	870	940	70	8.1%	80
29-2053	Psychiatric Technicians	100	100	0	0.0%	10
29-2054	Respiratory Therapy Technicians	40	20	(20)	(50.0%)	0
29-2055	Surgical Technologists	160	180	20	12.5%	15
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	50	60	10	20.0%	10
29-2057	Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	70	80	10	14.3%	10
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	690	730	40	5.8%	55
29-2071	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	220	240	20	9.1%	20
29-2081	Opticians, Dispensing	90	100	10	11.1%	10
29-2091	Orthotists and Prosthetists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-2099	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	100	110	10	10.0%	10
<b>29-9000</b>	<b>Other Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>15</b>
29-9011	Occupational Health and Safety Specialists	110	120	10	9.1%	10
29-9012	Occupational Health and Safety Technicians	60	70	10	16.7%	5

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
29-9091	Athletic Trainers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-9099	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>31-0000</b>	<b>Healthcare Support Occupations</b>	<b>2,740</b>	<b>3,120</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>13.9%</b>	<b>370</b>
<b>31-1000</b>	<b>Nursing, Psychiatric, and Home Health Aides</b>	<b>1,460</b>	<b>1,640</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>12.3%</b>	<b>190</b>
31-1011	Home Health Aides	240	300	60	25.0%	40
31-1013	Psychiatric Aides	170	180	10	5.9%	25
31-1014	Nursing Assistants	1,000	1,100	100	10.0%	130
31-1015	Orderlies	60	70	10	16.7%	10
<b>31-2000</b>	<b>Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>26.7%</b>	<b>25</b>
31-2011	Occupational Therapy Assistants	10	20	10	100.0%	5
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	80	100	20	25.0%	15
31-2022	Physical Therapist Aides	70	80	10	14.3%	10
<b>31-9000</b>	<b>Other Healthcare Support Occupations</b>	<b>1,140</b>	<b>1,310</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>155</b>
31-9011	Massage Therapists	60	60	0	0.0%	10
31-9091	Dental Assistants	210	220	10	4.8%	25
31-9092	Medical Assistants	520	620	100	19.2%	70
31-9093	Medical Equipment Preparers	30	40	10	33.3%	5
31-9094	Medical Transcriptionists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
31-9095	Pharmacy Aides	10	10	0	0.0%	5
31-9096	Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	120	140	20	16.7%	25
31-9097	Phlebotomists	120	140	20	16.7%	15
31-9099	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	80	80	0	0.0%	10
<b>33-0000</b>	<b>Protective Service Occupations</b>	<b>5,230</b>	<b>5,580</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>570</b>
<b>33-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Protective Service Workers</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>40</b>
33-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
33-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Police and Detectives	110	120	10	9.1%	10
33-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers	200	220	20	10.0%	20
33-1099	First-Line Supervisors of Protective Service Workers, All Other	150	150	0	0.0%	15

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
<b>33-2000</b>	<b>Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>8.8%</b>	<b>50</b>
33-2011	Firefighters	520	570	50	9.6%	45
33-2021	Fire Inspectors and Investigators	40	40	0	0.0%	5
33-2022	Forest Fire Inspectors and Prevention Specialists	10	20	10	100.0%	5
<b>33-3000</b>	<b>Law Enforcement Workers</b>	<b>1,800</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>135</b>
33-3011	Bailliffs	30	30	0	0.0%	5
33-3012	Correctional Officers and Jailers	690	660	(30)	(4.4%)	55
33-3021	Detectives and Criminal Investigators	160	180	20	12.5%	15
33-3031	Fish and Game Wardens	30	30	0	0.0%	5
33-3041	Parking Enforcement Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	900	980	80	8.9%	70
<b>33-9000</b>	<b>Other Protective Service Workers</b>	<b>2,410</b>	<b>2,600</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>350</b>
33-9011	Animal Control Workers	460	550	90	19.6%	65
33-9021	Private Detectives and Investigators	110	120	10	9.1%	15
33-9031	Gaming Surveillance Officers and Gaming Investigators	130	130	0	0.0%	20
33-9032	Security Guards	1,460	1,540	80	5.5%	205
33-9091	Crossing Guards	50	50	0	0.0%	10
33-9092	Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	130	130	0	0.0%	35
33-9093	Transportation Security Screeners	50	50	0	0.0%	5
33-9099	Protective Service Workers, All Other	60	60	0	0.0%	15
<b>35-0000</b>	<b>Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations</b>	<b>16,340</b>	<b>17,090</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>2,865</b>
<b>35-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers</b>	<b>1,290</b>	<b>1,370</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>6.2%</b>	<b>195</b>
35-1011	Chefs and Head Cooks	160	170	10	6.3%	25
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	1,130	1,210	80	7.1%	175
<b>35-2000</b>	<b>Cooks and Food Preparation Workers</b>	<b>5,320</b>	<b>5,450</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>2.4%</b>	<b>785</b>
35-2011	Cooks, Fast Food	1,050	960	(90)	(8.6%)	130
35-2012	Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	880	930	50	5.7%	130
35-2013	Cooks, Private Household	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	2,140	2,300	160	7.5%	325
35-2015	Cooks, Short Order	510	490	(20)	(3.9%)	70
35-2019	Cooks, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
35-2021	Food Preparation Workers	740	770	30	4.1%	130
<b>35-3000</b>	<b>Food and Beverage Serving Workers</b>	<b>8,130</b>	<b>8,610</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>1,590</b>
35-3011	Bartenders	820	840	20	2.4%	140
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	2,000	2,280	280	14.0%	415
35-3022	Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop	660	670	10	1.5%	145
35-3031	Waiters and Waitresses	4,380	4,530	150	3.4%	850
35-3041	Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	290	300	10	3.5%	45
<b>35-9000</b>	<b>Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>1,670</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>310</b>
35-9011	Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	510	530	20	3.9%	90
35-9021	Dishwashers	430	430	0	0.0%	70
35-9031	Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	540	560	20	3.7%	125
35-9099	Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers, All Other	150	150	0	0.0%	30
<b>37-0000</b>	<b>Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations</b>	<b>5,780</b>	<b>6,330</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>815</b>
<b>37-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Workers</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>9.1%</b>	<b>55</b>
37-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Workers	300	320	20	6.7%	40
37-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service, and Groundskeeping Workers	140	160	20	14.3%	20
<b>37-2000</b>	<b>Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers</b>	<b>4,400</b>	<b>4,810</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>635</b>
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	2,330	2,570	240	10.3%	340
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	1,940	2,080	140	7.2%	275
37-2021	Pest Control Workers	150	170	20	13.3%	25
<b>37-3000</b>	<b>Grounds Maintenance Workers</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>1,060</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>130</b>
37-3011	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	940	1,040	100	10.6%	130
37-3012	Pesticide Handlers, Sprayers, and Applicators, Vegetation	10	10	0	0.0%	5
37-3019	Grounds Maintenance Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>39-0000</b>	<b>Personal Care and Service Occupations</b>	<b>5,340</b>	<b>5,550</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>850</b>

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<b>39-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Personal Care and Service Workers</b>	740	730	(10)	(1.4%)	100
39-1011	Gaming Supervisors	390	370	(20)	(5.1%)	60
39-1012	Slot Supervisors	160	150	(10)	(6.3%)	25
39-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	200	210	10	5.0%	25
<b>39-2000</b>	<b>Animal Care and Service Workers</b>	130	170	40	30.8%	30
39-2021	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	130	170	40	30.8%	30
<b>39-3000</b>	<b>Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers</b>	2,440	2,400	(40)	(1.6%)	390
39-3011	Gaming Dealers	1,730	1,670	(60)	(3.5%)	245
39-3012	Gaming and Sports Book Writers and Runners	200	210	10	5.0%	35
39-3019	Gaming Service Workers, All Other	60	60	0	0.0%	10
39-3031	Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	70	70	0	0.0%	20
39-3091	Amusement and Recreation Attendants	330	340	10	3.0%	75
39-3092	Costume Attendants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-3093	Locker Room, Coatroom, and Dressing Room Attendants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-3099	Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers, All Other	70	70	0	0.0%	15
<b>39-4000</b>	<b>Funeral Service Workers</b>	70	70	0	0.0%	10
39-4011	Embalmers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-4021	Funeral Attendants	30	30	0	0.0%	5
39-4031	Morticians, Undertakers, and Funeral Directors	40	40	0	0.0%	5
<b>39-5000</b>	<b>Personal Appearance Workers</b>	260	290	30	11.5%	35
39-5012	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	210	230	20	9.5%	30
39-5092	Manicurists and Pedicurists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
39-5094	Skincare Specialists	40	50	10	25.0%	5
<b>39-6000</b>	<b>Baggage Porters, Bellhops, and Concierges</b>	210	220	10	4.8%	35
39-6011	Baggage Porters and Bellhops	180	190	10	5.6%	30
39-6012	Concierges	40	40	0	0.0%	5
<b>39-7000</b>	<b>Tour and Travel Guides</b>	70	80	10	14.3%	15
39-7011	Tour Guides and Escorts	70	70	0	0.0%	15

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39-7012	Travel Guides	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>39-9000</b>	<b>Other Personal Care and Service Workers</b>	<b>1,440</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>12.5%</b>	<b>245</b>
39-9011	Childcare Workers	500	530	30	6.0%	80
39-9021	Personal Care Aides	500	640	140	28.0%	95
39-9031	Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	200	200	0	0.0%	35
39-9032	Recreation Workers	200	210	10	5.0%	35
39-9041	Residential Advisors	40	40	0	0.0%	10
39-9099	Personal Care and Service Workers, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
<b>41-0000</b>	<b>Sales and Related Occupations</b>	<b>15,630</b>	<b>16,280</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>2,425</b>
<b>41-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Sales Workers</b>	<b>1,540</b>	<b>1,660</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>7.8%</b>	<b>180</b>
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,420	1,530	110	7.8%	165
41-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	130	140	10	7.7%	15
<b>41-2000</b>	<b>Retail Sales Workers</b>	<b>12,340</b>	<b>12,750</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>2,045</b>
41-2011	Cashiers	5,160	5,170	10	0.2%	960
41-2012	Gaming Change Persons and Booth Cashiers	190	170	(20)	(10.5%)	35
41-2021	Counter and Rental Clerks	620	650	30	4.8%	85
41-2022	Parts Salespersons	170	170	0	0.0%	25
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	6,210	6,610	400	6.4%	955
<b>41-3000</b>	<b>Sales Representatives, Services</b>	<b>1,090</b>	<b>1,140</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>125</b>
41-3011	Advertising Sales Agents	190	190	0	0.0%	25
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	450	480	30	6.7%	50
41-3031	Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents	80	80	0	0.0%	10
41-3041	Travel Agents	20	20	0	0.0%	5
41-3099	Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	370	390	20	5.4%	50
<b>41-4000</b>	<b>Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>12.5%</b>	<b>60</b>
41-4011	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	40	50	10	25.0%	5
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	450	500	50	11.1%	55
<b>41-9000</b>	<b>Other Sales and Related Workers</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>25</b>

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41-9011	Demonstrators and Product Promoters	10	10	0	0.0%	5
41-9021	Real Estate Brokers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
41-9022	Real Estate Sales Agents	80	80	0	0.0%	10
41-9031	Sales Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
41-9041	Telemarketers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
41-9099	Sales and Related Workers, All Other	70	80	10	14.3%	15
<b>43-0000</b>	<b>Office and Administrative Support Occupations</b>	<b>20,690</b>	<b>20,720</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>2,270</b>
<b>43-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers</b>	<b>1,540</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>155</b>
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	1,540	1,570	30	2.0%	155
<b>43-2000</b>	<b>Communications Equipment Operators</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>(20)</b>	<b>(18.2%)</b>	<b>10</b>
43-2011	Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	100	80	(20)	(20.0%)	10
43-2021	Telephone Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-2099	Communications Equipment Operators, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>43-3000</b>	<b>Financial Clerks</b>	<b>3,090</b>	<b>3,120</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>345</b>
43-3011	Bill and Account Collectors	390	380	(10)	(2.6%)	40
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	590	650	60	10.2%	70
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	1,420	1,420	0	0.0%	155
43-3041	Gaming Cage Workers	260	250	(10)	(3.9%)	40
43-3051	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	130	130	0	0.0%	15
43-3061	Procurement Clerks	220	220	0	0.0%	25
43-3071	Tellers	90	90	0	0.0%	10
43-3099	Financial Clerks, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>43-4000</b>	<b>Information and Record Clerks</b>	<b>4,670</b>	<b>4,910</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>5.1%</b>	<b>615</b>
43-4011	Brokerage Clerks	30	30	0	0.0%	5
43-4021	Correspondence Clerks	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-4031	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	330	360	30	9.1%	35
43-4041	Credit Authorizers, Checkers, and Clerks	270	270	0	0.0%	30
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	1,720	1,820	100	5.8%	235

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43-4061	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs	90	100	10	11.1%	10
43-4071	File Clerks	60	50	(10)	(16.7%)	10
43-4081	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	680	720	40	5.9%	115
43-4111	Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	170	170	0	0.0%	20
43-4121	Library Assistants, Clerical	90	100	10	11.1%	15
43-4131	Loan Interviewers and Clerks	150	170	20	13.3%	20
43-4151	Order Clerks	40	40	0	0.0%	5
43-4161	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	170	170	0	0.0%	20
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	650	690	40	6.2%	90
43-4181	Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents and Travel Clerks	70	70	0	0.0%	10
43-4199	Information and Record Clerks, All Other	200	210	10	5.0%	25
<b>43-5000</b>	<b>Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers</b>	<b>5,270</b>	<b>5,310</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>535</b>
43-5011	Cargo and Freight Agents	30	30	0	0.0%	5
43-5021	Couriers and Messengers	80	80	0	0.0%	10
43-5031	Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	130	150	20	15.4%	15
43-5032	Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	90	90	0	0.0%	10
43-5041	Meter Readers, Utilities	30	30	0	0.0%	5
43-5051	Postal Service Clerks	140	140	0	0.0%	10
43-5052	Postal Service Mail Carriers	620	590	(30)	(4.8%)	40
43-5053	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	15
43-5061	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	480	510	30	6.3%	55
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	2,060	2,010	(50)	(2.4%)	200
43-5081	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	1,360	1,450	90	6.6%	190
43-5111	Weighers, Measurers, Checkers, and Samplers, Recordkeeping	130	130	0	0.0%	15
<b>43-6000</b>	<b>Secretaries and Administrative Assistants</b>	<b>3,660</b>	<b>3,430</b>	<b>(230)</b>	<b>(6.3%)</b>	<b>355</b>
43-6011	Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	290	240	(50)	(17.2%)	25
43-6012	Legal Secretaries	90	80	(10)	(11.1%)	10
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	200	230	30	15.0%	30

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43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	3,090	2,900	(190)	(6.2%)	300
<b>43-9000</b>	<b>Other Office and Administrative Support Workers</b>	<b>2,370</b>	<b>2,310</b>	<b>(60)</b>	<b>(2.5%)</b>	<b>265</b>
43-9011	Computer Operators	40	30	(10)	(25.0%)	5
43-9021	Data Entry Keyers	110	80	(30)	(27.3%)	10
43-9022	Word Processors and Typists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
43-9031	Desktop Publishers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-9041	Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	30	30	0	0.0%	5
43-9051	Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Postal Service	60	60	0	0.0%	10
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	2,000	1,980	(20)	(1.0%)	230
43-9071	Office Machine Operators, Except Computer	20	20	0	0.0%	5
43-9111	Statistical Assistants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-9199	Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other	110	120	10	9.1%	15
<b>45-0000</b>	<b>Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8.3%</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>45-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>5</b>
45-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>45-2000</b>	<b>Agricultural Workers</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>15</b>
45-2011	Agricultural Inspectors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-2041	Graders and Sorters, Agricultural Products	50	50	0	0.0%	10
45-2091	Agricultural Equipment Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-2092	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	40	50	10	25.0%	10
45-2093	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Animals	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-2099	Agricultural Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>45-3000</b>	<b>Fishing and Hunting Workers</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>5</b>
45-3011	Fishers and Related Fishing Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-4000	Forest, Conservation, and Logging Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
45-4011	Forest and Conservation Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-4021	Fallers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-4022	Logging Equipment Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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45-4029	Logging Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>47-0000</b>	<b>Construction and Extraction Occupations</b>	<b>9,650</b>	<b>10,360</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>1,105</b>
<b>47-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>1,140</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>8.6%</b>	<b>115</b>
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	1,050	1,140	90	8.6%	115
<b>47-2000</b>	<b>Construction Trades Workers</b>	<b>7,760</b>	<b>8,310</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>875</b>
47-2011	Boilermakers	110	110	0	0.0%	10
47-2021	Brickmasons and Blockmasons	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-2031	Carpenters	1,120	1,180	60	5.4%	110
47-2041	Carpet Installers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2044	Tile and Marble Setters	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2051	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	170	180	10	5.9%	20
47-2061	Construction Laborers	910	1,010	100	11.0%	110
47-2071	Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators	80	90	10	12.5%	10
47-2072	Pile-Driver Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	260	290	30	11.5%	35
47-2081	Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-2082	Tapers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2111	Electricians	2,300	2,470	170	7.4%	280
47-2121	Glaziers	170	180	10	5.9%	25
47-2132	Insulation Workers, Mechanical	320	330	10	3.1%	35
47-2141	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	360	370	10	2.8%	35
47-2151	Pipelayers	60	70	10	16.7%	10
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	1,190	1,280	90	7.6%	140
47-2161	Plasterers and Stucco Masons	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-2171	Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers	90	100	10	11.1%	15
47-2181	Roofers	90	100	10	11.1%	10
47-2211	Sheet Metal Workers	430	450	20	4.7%	50
47-2221	Structural Iron and Steel Workers	50	60	10	20.0%	10

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<b>47-3000</b>	<b>Helpers, Construction Trades</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>60</b>
47-3011	Helpers--Brickmasons, Blockmasons, Stonemasons, and Tile and Marble Setters	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-3012	Helpers--Carpenters	120	130	10	8.3%	20
47-3013	Helpers--Electricians	90	100	10	11.1%	15
47-3014	Helpers--Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers, and Stucco Masons	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-3015	Helpers--Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	60	70	10	16.7%	10
47-3016	Helpers--Roofers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-3019	Helpers, Construction Trades, All Other	60	70	10	16.7%	10
<b>47-4000</b>	<b>Other Construction and Related Workers</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>40</b>
47-4011	Construction and Building Inspectors	70	80	10	14.3%	10
47-4041	Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-4051	Highway Maintenance Workers	230	250	20	8.7%	30
47-4061	Rail-Track Laying and Maintenance Equipment Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-4071	Septic Tank Servicers and Sewer Pipe Cleaners	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-4099	Construction and Related Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>47-5000</b>	<b>Extraction Workers</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>20</b>
47-5012	Rotary Drill Operators, Oil and Gas	100	100	0	0.0%	15
47-5013	Service Unit Operators, Oil, Gas, and Mining	20	30	10	50.0%	5
47-5021	Earth Drillers, Except Oil and Gas	10	20	10	100.0%	5
47-5071	Roustabouts, Oil and Gas	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-5081	Helpers--Extraction Workers	10	20	10	100.0%	5
<b>49-0000</b>	<b>Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations</b>	<b>6,890</b>	<b>7,390</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>7.3%</b>	<b>720</b>
<b>49-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>60</b>
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	610	650	40	6.6%	60
<b>49-2000</b>	<b>Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>60</b>
49-2011	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers	70	70	0	0.0%	10
49-2021	Radio, Cellular, and Tower Equipment Installers and Repairers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
49-2022	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	230	220	(10)	(4.4%)	25

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49-2091	Avionics Technicians	20	30	10	50.0%	5
49-2092	Electric Motor, Power Tool, and Related Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-2093	Electrical and Electronics Installers and Repairers, Transportation Equipment	40	40	0	0.0%	5
49-2094	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	110	120	10	9.1%	15
49-2095	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Powerhouse, Substation, and Relay	50	60	10	20.0%	5
49-2096	Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers, Motor Vehicles	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-2098	Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
<b>49-3000</b>	<b>Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers</b>	<b>1,790</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>180</b>
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	290	300	10	3.5%	25
49-3021	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	100	100	0	0.0%	10
49-3022	Automotive Glass Installers and Repairers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	670	670	0	0.0%	65
49-3031	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	170	190	20	11.8%	20
49-3041	Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-3042	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	280	310	30	10.7%	35
49-3043	Rail Car Repairers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
49-3051	Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-3052	Motorcycle Mechanics	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-3053	Outdoor Power Equipment and Other Small Engine Mechanics	40	50	10	25.0%	5
49-3091	Bicycle Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-3092	Recreational Vehicle Service Technicians	20	10	(10)	(50.0%)	5
49-3093	Tire Repairers and Changers	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	20
<b>49-9000</b>	<b>Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations</b>	<b>3,930</b>	<b>4,280</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>8.9%</b>	<b>425</b>
49-9011	Mechanical Door Repairers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-9012	Control and Valve Installers and Repairers, Except Mechanical Door	30	40	10	33.3%	5
49-9021	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	460	520	60	13.0%	55
49-9031	Home Appliance Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	730	810	80	11.0%	75

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49-9043	Maintenance Workers, Machinery	60	70	10	16.7%	10
49-9044	Millwrights	280	330	50	17.9%	35
49-9051	Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	190	190	0	0.0%	15
49-9052	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	190	200	10	5.3%	25
49-9062	Medical Equipment Repairers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
49-9063	Musical Instrument Repairers and Tuners	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9069	Precision Instrument and Equipment Repairers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	1,320	1,440	120	9.1%	145
49-9091	Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers and Repairers	160	120	(40)	(25.0%)	15
49-9092	Commercial Divers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-9094	Locksmiths and Safe Repairers	60	50	(10)	(16.7%)	5
49-9096	Riggers	30	40	10	33.3%	5
49-9097	Signal and Track Switch Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9098	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	290	330	40	13.8%	45
49-9099	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other	90	100	10	11.1%	10
<b>51-0000</b>	<b>Production Occupations</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>10,190</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>1,110</b>
<b>51-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Production Workers</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>5.6%</b>	<b>75</b>
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	710	750	40	5.6%	75
<b>51-2000</b>	<b>Assemblers and Fabricators</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>(50)</b>	<b>(7.9%)</b>	<b>65</b>
51-2022	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	70	60	(10)	(14.3%)	10
51-2023	Electromechanical Equipment Assemblers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-2041	Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters	240	220	(20)	(8.3%)	25
51-2092	Team Assemblers	180	170	(10)	(5.6%)	20
51-2099	Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	140	130	(10)	(7.1%)	15
<b>51-3000</b>	<b>Food Processing Workers</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>75</b>
51-3011	Bakers	290	310	20	6.9%	45
51-3021	Butchers and Meat Cutters	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-3022	Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	40	50	10	25.0%	10

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51-3091	Food and Tobacco Roasting, Baking, and Drying Machine Operators and Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-3092	Food Batchmakers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-3099	Food Processing Workers, All Other	150	170	20	13.3%	20
<b>51-4000</b>	<b>Metal Workers and Plastic Workers</b>	<b>4,970</b>	<b>5,030</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>530</b>
51-4011	Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4012	Computer Numerically Controlled Machine Tool Programmers, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4021	Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-4022	Forging Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4023	Rolling Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	20	10	100.0%	5
51-4031	Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-4033	Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	220	210	(10)	(4.6%)	25
51-4034	Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4041	Machinists	410	450	40	9.8%	50
51-4052	Pourers and Casters, Metal	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4061	Model Makers, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4062	Patternmakers, Metal and Plastic	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-4072	Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-4081	Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	70	80	10	14.3%	10
51-4111	Tool and Die Makers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	2,240	2,390	150	6.7%	260
51-4122	Welding, Soldering, and Brazing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	320	300	(20)	(6.3%)	30
51-4191	Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	50	50	0	0.0%	5
51-4192	Layout Workers, Metal and Plastic	1,130	1,050	(80)	(7.1%)	110
51-4193	Plating and Coating Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	390	360	(30)	(7.7%)	35
51-4194	Tool Grinders, Filers, and Sharpeners	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4199	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other	50	50	0	0.0%	5
<b>51-5100</b>	<b>Printing Workers</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>(10)</b>	<b>(5.6%)</b>	<b>20</b>
51-5111	Prepress Technicians and Workers	40	40	0	0.0%	5

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51-5112	Printing Press Operators	100	100	0	0.0%	10
51-5113	Print Binding and Finishing Workers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
<b>51-6000</b>	<b>Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>70</b>
51-6011	Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers	290	280	(10)	(3.5%)	40
51-6021	Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-6031	Sewing Machine Operators	50	50	0	0.0%	5
51-6041	Shoe and Leather Workers and Repairers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-6052	Tailors, Dressmakers, and Custom Sewers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-6093	Upholsterers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-6099	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers, All Other	120	140	20	16.7%	20
<b>51-7000</b>	<b>Woodworkers</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>15</b>
51-7011	Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-7021	Furniture Finishers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-7041	Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Wood	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-7042	Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing	80	80	0	0.0%	10
51-7099	Woodworkers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>51-8000</b>	<b>Plant and System Operators</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>80</b>
51-8011	Nuclear Power Reactor Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-8012	Power Distributors and Dispatchers	140	140	0	0.0%	15
51-8013	Power Plant Operators	90	90	0	0.0%	10
51-8021	Stationary Engineers and Boiler Operators	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-8031	Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	140	140	0	0.0%	15
51-8093	Petroleum Pump System Operators, Refinery Operators, and Gaugers	450	450	0	0.0%	45
51-8099	Plant and System Operators, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>51-9000</b>	<b>Other Production Occupations</b>	<b>1,580</b>	<b>1,670</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>205</b>
51-9011	Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9012	Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and Still Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9021	Crushing, Grinding, and Polishing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	30	40	10	33.3%	5

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51-9022	Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	90	70	(20)	(22.2%)	10
51-9023	Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	70	70	0	0.0%	10
51-9031	Cutters and Trimmers, Hand	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9051	Furnace, Kiln, Oven, Drier, and Kettle Operators and Tenders	110	120	10	9.1%	15
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	240	220	(20)	(8.3%)	25
51-9071	Jewelers and Precious Stone and Metal Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9081	Dental Laboratory Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9082	Medical Appliance Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9083	Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians	140	150	10	7.1%	20
51-9111	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	110	120	10	9.1%	15
51-9121	Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-9122	Painters, Transportation Equipment	120	130	10	8.3%	15
51-9123	Painting, Coating, and Decorating Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9151	Photographic Process Workers and Processing Machine Operators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9192	Cleaning, Washing, and Metal Pickling Equipment Operators and Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9194	Etchers and Engravers	140	160	20	14.3%	25
51-9195	Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Plastic	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-9198	Helpers--Production Workers	300	340	40	13.3%	55
51-9199	Production Workers, All Other	140	160	20	14.3%	20
<b>53-0000</b>	<b>Transportation and Material Moving Occupations</b>	<b>6,580</b>	<b>6,930</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>5.3%</b>	<b>840</b>
<b>53-1000</b>	<b>Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>20</b>
53-1011	Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Helpers, Laborers, and Material Movers, Hand	80	90	10	12.5%	10
53-1031	First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material-Moving Machine and Vehicle Operators	80	80	0	0.0%	10
<b>53-2000</b>	<b>Air Transportation Workers</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>15</b>
53-2011	Airline Pilots, Copilots, and Flight Engineers	50	50	0	0.0%	5
53-2012	Commercial Pilots	30	30	0	0.0%	5
53-2021	Air Traffic Controllers	30	40	10	33.3%	5

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53-2022	Airfield Operations Specialists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-2031	Flight Attendants	40	50	10	25.0%	5
<b>53-3000</b>	<b>Motor Vehicle Operators</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>3,240</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>360</b>
53-3021	Bus Drivers, Transit and Intercity	130	140	10	7.7%	20
53-3022	Bus Drivers, School or Special Client	600	630	30	5.0%	80
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	480	430	(50)	(10.4%)	45
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,220	1,340	120	9.8%	150
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	600	640	40	6.7%	70
53-3041	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	90	80	(10)	(11.1%)	10
53-3099	Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>53-4000</b>	<b>Rail Transportation Workers</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>10</b>
53-4011	Locomotive Engineers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
53-4012	Locomotive Firers	10	0	(10)	(100.0%)	0
53-4013	Rail Yard Engineers, Dinkey Operators, and Hostlers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-4021	Railroad Brake, Signal, and Switch Operators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
53-4031	Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters	30	30	0	0.0%	5
53-4099	Rail Transportation Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
<b>53-5000</b>	<b>Water Transportation Workers</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>(10)</b>	<b>(3.7%)</b>	<b>30</b>
53-5011	Sailors and Marine Oilers	100	100	0	0.0%	15
53-5021	Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels	110	110	0	0.0%	15
53-5022	Motorboat Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-5031	Ship Engineers	60	60	0	0.0%	10
<b>53-6000</b>	<b>Other Transportation Workers</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>60</b>
53-6011	Bridge and Lock Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
53-6021	Parking Lot Attendants	180	180	0	0.0%	30
53-6031	Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants	140	160	20	14.3%	30
53-6041	Traffic Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-6051	Transportation Inspectors	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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53-6061	Transportation Attendants, Except Flight Attendants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-6099	Transportation Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
<b>53-7000</b>	<b>Material Moving Workers</b>	<b>2,490</b>	<b>2,680</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>7.6%</b>	<b>360</b>
53-7021	Crane and Tower Operators	190	200	10	5.3%	25
53-7031	Dredge Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7032	Excavating and Loading Machine and Dragline Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	120	130	10	8.3%	15
53-7061	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	340	370	30	8.8%	55
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	1,460	1,580	120	8.2%	220
53-7064	Packers and Packagers, Hand	170	180	10	5.9%	30
53-7072	Pump Operators, Except Wellhead Pumpers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7073	Wellhead Pumpers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7081	Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors	170	190	20	11.8%	25
53-7199	Material Moving Workers, All Other	50	50	0	0.0%	10