Table 1. Employment by major occupational group, 2006 and projected 2016

[Numbers in thousands]

2006 National Employment Matrix code and title		Employment number		Percent distribution		Change, 2006-16	
		2006	2016	2006	2016	Number	Percent
00-0000	Total, all occupations	150,620	166,220	100.0	100.0	15,600	10.4
11–1300	Management, business, and financial occupations ¹	15,397	16,993	10.2	10.2	1,596	10.4
15–2900	Professional and related occupations ²	29,819	34,790	19.8	20.9	4,970	16.7
31–3900	Service occupations ³	28,950	33,780	19.2	20.3	4,830	16.7
41-0000	Sales and related occupations	15,985	17,203	10.6	10.3	1,218	7.6
43-0000	Office and administrative support occupations	24,344	26,089	16.2	15.7	1,745	7.2
45-0000	Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,039	1,010	.7	.6	-29	-2.8
47-0000	Construction and extraction occupations	8,295	9,079	5.5	5.5	785	9.5
49–0000	Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	5,883	6,433	3.9	3.9	550	9.3
51-0000	Production occupations	10,675	10,147	7.1	6.1	-528	-4.9
53-0000	Transportation and material moving occupations	10,233	10,695	6.8	6.4	462	4.5

¹ Major occupational groups 11–0000 through 13–0000 in the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (soc).

Major occupational groups 15–0000 through 29–0000 in the 2000

Standard Occupational Classification (soc)

³ Major occupational groups 31–0000 through 39–0000 in the 2000 *Standard Occupational Classification* (soc).