

No. 582. Employed Civilians and Weekly Hours: 1980 to 2003

[In thousands (99,303 represents 99,303,000), except as indicated. For civilian noninstitutional population 16 years old and over. Annual averages of monthly figures. Based on Current Population Survey; see text, Section 1, and Appendix III]

Item	1980	1990 ¹	1995	1999 ¹	2000 ¹	2001	2002	2003 ¹
Total employed	99,303	118,793	124,900	133,488	136,891	136,933	136,485	137,736
Age:								
16 to 19 years old	7,710	6,581	6,419	7,172	7,189	6,740	6,332	5,919
20 to 24 years old	14,087	13,401	12,443	12,891	13,229	13,348	13,351	13,433
25 to 34 years old	27,204	33,935	32,356	30,865	31,549	30,863	30,306	30,383
35 to 44 years old	19,523	30,817	34,202	36,728	36,433	36,049	35,235	34,881
45 to 54 years old	16,234	19,525	24,378	28,635	30,310	31,036	31,281	31,914
55 to 64 years old	11,586	11,189	11,435	13,315	14,002	14,645	15,674	16,598
65 years old and over	2,960	3,346	3,666	3,882	4,179	4,253	4,306	4,608
Class of worker:								
Nonagriculture	95,938	115,570	121,460	130,207	134,427	134,635	134,174	135,461
Wage and salary worker . .	88,525	106,598	112,448	121,323	125,114	125,407	125,156	126,015
Self-employed	7,000	8,719	8,902	8,790	9,205	9,121	8,923	9,344
Unpaid family workers	413	253	110	95	108	107	95	101
Agriculture	3,364	3,223	3,440	3,281	2,464	2,299	2,311	2,275
Wage and salary worker . .	1,425	1,740	1,814	1,944	1,421	1,283	1,282	1,299
Self-employed	1,642	1,378	1,580	1,297	1,010	988	1,003	951
Unpaid family workers	297	105	45	40	33	28	26	25
Weekly hours:								
Nonagriculture:								
Wage and salary workers . .	38.1	39.2	39.2	39.5	39.6	39.2	39.1	39.0
Self-employed	41.2	40.8	39.4	40.1	39.7	39.1	38.7	38.4
Unpaid family workers	34.7	34.0	33.5	33.4	32.5	30.2	31.5	31.7
Agriculture:								
Wage and salary workers . .	41.6	41.2	41.1	41.1	43.2	42.6	42.4	42.6
Self-employed	49.3	46.8	43.5	43.3	45.3	45.6	44.9	45.1
Unpaid family workers	38.6	38.5	42.0	36.6	38.3	42.1	38.7	33.4

¹ See footnote 2, Table 569.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Employment and Earnings*, monthly, January 2004 issue; and unpublished data. See Internet site <<http://www.bls.gov/cps/home.htm>>.