

# **National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States, June 2005 Supplementary Tables**

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
All .....	\$18.62	1.0	\$7.50	\$10.00	\$14.96	\$23.08	\$33.66
All, excluding sales .....	18.95	1.1	7.75	10.35	15.25	23.66	34.02
White collar .....	22.96	.9	9.00	12.31	18.55	28.86	41.77
White collar, excluding sales .....	24.59	1.0	10.48	13.91	20.35	30.63	43.33
Professional specialty and technical .....	30.24	1.2	14.67	20.00	27.14	36.53	48.08
Professional specialty .....	32.50	1.2	16.90	22.57	29.71	39.21	50.42
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	36.38	1.2	23.61	28.38	34.40	42.47	51.63
Architects .....	30.23	7.0	19.79	23.08	27.90	34.62	44.08
Aerospace engineers .....	42.33	8.0	23.34	30.95	42.98	52.36	59.55
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	33.20	5.9	25.00	27.59	29.85	34.89	50.65
Petroleum engineers .....	43.16	16.1	26.14	32.25	36.06	55.94	65.19
Chemical engineers .....	35.76	8.7	26.44	29.10	29.47	44.85	47.79
Nuclear engineers .....	39.93	5.7	31.73	34.23	38.65	44.07	50.30
Civil engineers .....	32.49	3.0	20.91	25.96	30.53	36.91	45.29
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	39.04	2.6	25.28	30.87	37.33	44.57	55.56
Industrial engineers .....	33.16	2.5	22.94	27.19	32.21	36.69	44.67
Mechanical engineers .....	31.88	2.0	23.08	26.42	30.79	36.43	42.20
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	29.46	10.9	20.19	24.04	26.75	33.17	41.88
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	39.36	2.2	25.57	31.15	38.41	46.33	56.73
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	35.72	11.5	20.51	26.44	40.80	40.80	49.50
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	35.30	2.4	20.51	26.44	34.20	42.44	51.44
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	35.28	2.6	20.45	26.44	34.12	42.31	51.44
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	35.68	5.5	21.15	25.47	36.84	43.75	50.62
Actuaries .....	37.23	9.4	23.86	26.51	36.00	46.88	50.58
Statisticians .....	28.43	8.6	14.72	25.28	28.81	31.25	39.80
Natural scientists .....	29.80	5.1	17.00	20.98	26.46	35.48	45.96
Physicists and astronomers .....	35.12	9.2	22.93	26.44	30.48	43.75	46.70
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.18	8.2	20.67	23.65	31.14	36.89	48.38
Geologists and geodesists .....	34.15	7.8	17.42	25.24	32.36	43.59	49.67
Physical scientists, n.e.c. .....	29.53	7.0	19.00	23.16	27.44	33.03	43.78
Agricultural and food scientists .....	28.89	7.2	15.04	19.47	30.94	36.19	40.37
Biological and life scientists .....	28.60	15.9	16.35	18.15	24.04	35.01	49.02
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	21.27	10.0	14.17	17.07	19.44	25.82	30.31
Medical scientists .....	28.18	10.5	15.14	18.94	24.06	32.32	44.63
Health related .....	32.18	3.0	19.10	22.48	27.56	35.39	47.74
Physicians .....	62.52	10.6	19.50	23.38	64.90	96.15	104.17
Dentists .....	46.46	10.7	15.18	42.82	49.52	49.52	61.18
Optometrists .....	60.76	13.7	42.60	45.67	61.67	75.00	93.75
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. ....	33.45	8.8	28.63	31.25	31.25	31.25	45.58
Registered nurses .....	28.15	1.0	19.69	22.53	26.75	32.00	38.43
Pharmacists .....	44.23	1.6	36.38	42.39	45.50	47.74	51.00
Dietitians .....	21.40	3.9	15.70	17.85	20.71	24.26	30.66
Respiratory therapists .....	22.78	1.7	18.18	19.64	22.03	25.80	27.97
Occupational therapists .....	27.26	3.8	17.64	23.04	27.46	31.17	35.88
Physical therapists .....	29.99	3.3	22.11	25.38	30.00	33.00	38.50
Speech therapists .....	29.56	5.6	17.25	23.77	30.11	33.53	39.35
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	17.84	3.8	12.95	13.94	15.84	20.45	25.09
Physicians' assistants .....	36.49	7.0	15.00	31.25	37.50	46.64	48.08
Teachers, college and university .....	42.98	2.7	22.98	29.77	38.46	51.28	67.46
Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers .....	53.35	12.6	32.01	40.96	51.08	68.35	80.20
Biological science teachers .....	44.07	10.2	26.19	33.23	38.99	46.76	58.47
Chemistry teachers .....	38.50	9.2	28.94	31.00	32.98	41.30	53.44
Physics teachers .....	53.20	8.5	39.39	44.52	48.22	61.14	73.46
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. .....	37.58	11.5	18.43	30.53	40.71	44.02	48.16
Psychology teachers .....	38.46	7.8	26.10	26.98	34.90	45.70	59.09
Economics teachers .....	66.18	19.2	37.30	42.89	66.45	85.45	102.05
History teachers .....	41.74	9.2	26.44	30.15	38.05	50.31	63.53
Political science teachers .....	36.27	7.2	26.20	29.26	37.86	39.15	52.90
Sociology teachers .....	49.47	15.6	27.61	32.27	41.71	63.49	78.15
Social science teachers, n.e.c. .....	44.96	5.7	30.56	36.92	42.41	56.61	59.80
Engineering teachers .....	60.03	10.4	35.20	42.31	54.68	77.62	92.65
Mathematical science teachers .....	40.44	12.7	25.25	30.74	40.76	48.56	55.13

See footnotes at end of table.

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Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty</b> —Continued							
Teachers, college and university —Continued							
Computer science teachers .....	\$39.61	17.3	\$22.84	\$29.13	\$40.00	\$55.31	\$58.47
Medical science teachers .....	51.65	10.0	22.66	31.25	46.51	66.07	90.97
Health specialties teachers .....	43.99	9.9	25.05	27.33	33.26	47.27	76.92
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	45.73	12.6	28.16	33.87	38.44	52.79	76.19
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	55.12	23.5	20.80	25.94	55.74	75.22	84.15
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	36.11	8.8	22.49	27.11	35.31	40.29	51.94
Physical education teachers .....	27.32	16.6	7.00	15.91	28.11	40.00	48.39
Education teachers .....	39.16	10.8	19.23	30.68	37.32	44.54	48.88
English teachers .....	45.27	11.1	26.77	31.72	40.39	63.18	63.59
Foreign language teachers .....	35.21	17.1	18.57	18.57	30.29	45.43	50.88
Law teachers .....	54.77	15.1	26.92	28.78	55.22	72.61	82.37
Social work teachers .....	30.81	26.9	19.37	19.37	27.26	29.00	60.51
Theology teachers .....	40.78	6.4	27.56	30.77	35.52	48.99	53.02
Trade and industrial teachers .....	35.28	6.4	20.72	27.31	35.82	41.11	50.32
Other post-secondary teachers .....	40.90	2.8	21.15	27.99	37.22	50.12	64.94
Teachers, except college and university .....	31.51	1.3	16.90	23.55	29.98	38.24	48.34
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	19.35	5.0	9.00	11.00	14.50	25.17	34.61
Elementary school teachers .....	33.49	1.4	21.83	25.46	31.17	39.69	49.63
Secondary school teachers .....	33.19	1.9	21.94	25.54	31.03	38.69	48.34
Teachers, special education .....	34.55	2.9	21.00	26.22	32.02	41.30	52.34
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	31.67	2.9	15.80	23.06	30.61	38.57	49.13
Substitute teachers .....	12.71	4.0	8.13	10.19	10.88	15.38	19.17
Vocational and educational counselors .....	28.15	6.3	12.32	16.63	26.44	36.20	45.84
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	27.78	3.0	16.91	20.16	25.67	33.66	41.55
Librarians .....	28.16	3.1	17.07	20.51	26.43	34.26	42.04
Archivists and curators .....	24.57	12.2	13.40	17.27	24.18	29.42	37.26
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.02	3.3	16.21	21.20	28.85	35.79	48.43
Economists .....	33.85	7.8	19.23	23.32	30.23	39.07	49.21
Psychologists .....	30.27	6.5	14.22	20.34	28.66	35.64	52.63
Social scientists, n.e.c. .....	28.99	13.1	12.30	19.23	25.45	36.97	46.70
Urban planners .....	26.86	4.6	19.07	22.79	26.76	31.10	33.76
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	18.62	1.7	11.97	13.95	17.31	22.08	27.46
Social workers .....	19.13	1.9	12.45	14.42	17.55	22.62	27.91
Recreation workers .....	13.24	6.6	6.67	8.33	12.00	17.16	22.15
Clergy .....	15.98	12.8	12.07	12.18	12.58	18.52	20.75
Religious workers, n.e.c. .....	18.60	13.4	11.25	16.35	16.87	20.05	21.21
Lawyers and judges .....	51.20	4.7	25.48	32.78	46.73	62.50	79.42
Lawyers .....	50.88	4.8	25.48	32.31	45.92	61.23	79.33
Judges .....	59.63	11.4	46.06	48.90	57.83	75.39	82.12
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	24.46	3.5	10.00	14.50	20.45	29.16	43.51
Technical writers .....	35.35	14.8	15.00	22.23	34.60	50.48	54.33
Designers .....	20.82	4.1	9.84	13.23	18.62	26.04	33.66
Musicians and composers .....	39.26	15.9	19.13	26.67	31.59	38.55	70.00
Actors and directors .....	32.15	17.1	10.00	15.83	25.51	43.51	52.97
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers .....	17.79	6.6	9.98	14.28	18.27	20.00	22.79
Photographers .....	17.05	12.0	8.00	10.00	13.86	22.44	30.67
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	15.62	11.9	8.00	9.30	12.00	19.13	25.54
Editors and reporters .....	25.68	7.4	10.50	14.97	21.64	29.67	43.01
Public relations specialists .....	24.98	6.1	16.83	17.50	22.81	27.04	35.32
Announcers .....	30.05	27.6	6.50	10.00	15.58	22.60	88.95
Athletes .....	25.68	14.3	9.00	15.00	20.12	31.32	55.29
Professional, n.e.c. .....	31.51	7.0	16.91	20.79	29.81	38.65	50.92
Technical .....	22.28	2.1	12.15	15.19	19.23	25.05	32.05
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.90	2.3	11.05	14.12	17.82	22.51	27.56
Dental hygienists .....	31.74	4.0	22.00	25.00	31.50	37.00	40.63
Health record technologists and technicians .....	15.67	4.3	10.00	12.00	15.31	18.11	23.89
Radiological technicians .....	24.12	2.5	16.80	20.00	23.00	27.68	33.09

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<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
Technical—Continued							
Licensed practical nurses .....	\$17.53	1.5	\$13.00	\$15.00	\$17.00	\$19.64	\$22.73
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	16.49	1.8	10.02	12.50	15.28	18.81	24.53
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	23.91	11.8	12.01	16.35	22.31	27.01	32.19
Industrial engineering technicians .....	24.21	5.6	16.93	20.00	23.52	28.39	32.05
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	22.65	4.4	16.04	17.35	21.17	26.45	32.65
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	24.94	4.0	14.75	18.31	23.25	30.13	38.17
Drafters .....	21.99	2.6	14.42	17.56	21.63	25.72	28.57
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	19.71	9.2	12.00	14.71	17.50	23.98	31.03
Biological technicians .....	17.66	3.7	11.24	14.00	16.59	20.50	24.82
Chemical technicians .....	21.96	6.1	14.80	16.50	22.12	24.82	29.56
Science technicians, n.e.c. ....	21.19	9.7	14.00	16.16	19.00	25.08	31.20
Airplane pilots and navigators .....	95.50	12.8	24.40	43.18	92.05	140.59	177.99
Broadcast equipment operators .....	15.66	10.3	8.00	9.50	13.90	18.00	25.81
Computer programmers .....	30.89	3.1	18.27	23.29	28.87	36.22	43.78
Tool programmers, numerical control .....	23.35	7.4	16.65	18.50	21.64	30.00	32.55
Legal assistants .....	22.18	3.8	14.56	16.90	21.43	25.82	30.66
Technical and related, n.e.c. ....	20.09	5.1	11.37	13.60	18.75	23.16	30.73
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	33.69	1.9	17.00	21.64	28.88	40.19	54.43
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	38.20	2.3	18.27	24.28	33.45	46.22	60.51
Legislators .....	13.69	25.3	3.46	4.99	9.33	16.92	30.52
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration .....	51.53	6.5	43.10	48.08	55.66	57.69	60.10
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	31.54	2.9	19.97	24.35	30.65	36.01	44.25
Financial managers .....	40.91	3.9	21.00	26.26	34.52	51.34	65.88
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	32.13	7.5	21.00	23.45	27.87	36.88	51.49
Purchasing managers .....	35.35	8.2	18.75	23.08	32.33	41.99	50.52
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations .....	45.36	4.2	23.50	29.00	39.52	54.96	69.60
Administrators, education and related fields .....	37.21	3.4	19.23	25.88	35.95	46.15	56.23
Managers, medicine and health .....	35.15	3.3	19.00	26.46	33.57	41.87	51.32
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments .....	21.12	7.4	12.24	14.42	18.75	24.42	32.01
Managers, properties and real estate .....	21.45	4.4	10.24	16.25	21.64	26.94	30.63
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	30.55	7.6	15.39	18.82	24.45	32.89	49.76
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	40.98	4.6	18.72	25.88	36.07	48.91	63.08
Management related .....	27.04	1.1	16.25	19.67	24.63	31.27	39.44
Accountants and auditors .....	25.54	2.0	16.35	19.97	24.24	30.29	35.90
Underwriters .....	27.41	5.7	17.91	19.23	25.70	31.83	41.01
Other financial officers .....	32.42	3.5	16.38	20.59	27.85	36.41	50.00
Management analysts .....	30.66	5.1	19.06	22.14	27.65	36.16	47.89
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	25.43	3.8	15.91	18.36	23.76	29.36	36.27
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products .....	23.08	15.3	15.94	16.35	17.83	34.84	34.84
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products .....	27.16	3.8	16.16	20.19	25.06	31.13	40.39
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. ....	26.06	5.9	16.52	19.51	23.32	29.95	40.17
Business and promotional agents .....	23.25	5.5	16.67	18.50	24.22	26.28	29.81
Construction inspectors .....	24.48	5.0	16.27	19.23	23.63	29.42	34.80
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction .....	23.16	4.0	16.52	19.67	21.31	26.63	31.59
Management related, n.e.c. ....	26.10	2.4	15.96	19.14	24.46	30.93	38.84
<b>Sales</b> .....	15.32	1.5	6.75	8.00	11.00	17.28	28.85
Supervisors, sales .....	20.48	3.5	10.50	12.80	16.59	22.69	36.06
Insurance sales .....	23.06	8.5	9.98	13.86	18.13	28.34	43.27
Real estate sales .....	21.40	14.1	10.00	14.29	16.59	24.04	49.30
Securities and financial services sales .....	41.04	7.0	14.42	16.51	28.13	43.27	74.59
Advertising and related sales .....	20.48	10.3	9.50	11.59	16.62	25.48	38.12
Sales, other business services .....	23.98	7.7	8.35	12.50	18.51	27.37	41.54
Sales engineers .....	37.71	9.1	22.60	29.38	38.46	43.17	57.69

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

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	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Sales</b> —Continued							
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	\$26.89	3.3	\$12.50	\$16.45	\$22.66	\$33.63	\$45.68
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	21.98	6.1	7.64	10.71	17.31	26.50	40.31
Sales workers, apparel .....	10.43	8.8	6.15	6.90	8.16	10.10	14.90
Sales workers, shoes .....	9.02	10.0	6.00	6.75	7.58	10.27	15.00
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	12.34	5.6	7.25	8.50	10.25	14.06	18.52
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	10.84	6.9	7.50	8.24	9.27	12.00	17.15
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	12.86	5.0	8.50	9.65	11.50	14.33	17.90
Sales workers, parts .....	13.99	3.0	8.24	10.39	13.00	15.85	20.81
Sales workers, other commodities .....	11.74	3.1	6.75	7.60	9.47	13.00	19.23
Sales counter clerks .....	9.62	4.5	6.50	7.25	8.90	10.73	14.24
Cashiers .....	8.73	1.4	6.10	7.00	8.00	9.78	12.22
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	14.67	13.1	8.00	9.70	13.26	16.25	20.19
Sales support, n.e.c. ....	13.52	7.7	6.62	8.25	10.80	16.35	24.26
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	14.53	.7	9.00	10.82	13.62	17.10	21.20
Supervisors, general office .....	20.58	2.3	13.49	16.63	19.71	23.96	28.85
Supervisors, computer equipment operators .....	21.61	8.3	15.09	18.16	23.29	23.29	24.35
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	23.09	3.2	14.42	17.54	21.43	27.40	31.68
Chief communications operators .....	21.68	4.1	18.15	19.92	21.12	23.00	23.00
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	20.61	4.3	13.75	16.33	19.90	23.79	28.66
Computer operators .....	16.40	3.6	12.18	13.39	16.08	18.80	21.82
Peripheral equipment operators .....	14.16	8.2	9.24	11.50	14.47	17.01	17.94
Secretaries .....	16.67	.9	10.64	12.93	16.00	19.63	23.59
Stenographers .....	18.33	4.7	11.67	13.17	16.00	21.61	28.17
Typists .....	15.29	2.6	10.68	12.62	14.88	17.61	20.00
Interviewers .....	12.01	4.6	8.00	9.50	11.25	14.87	17.17
Hotel clerks .....	9.18	1.8	7.25	8.00	8.75	10.00	11.95
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	15.35	3.3	8.50	11.18	16.00	19.86	20.88
Receptionists .....	11.79	1.5	8.06	9.50	11.50	13.65	15.99
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	13.68	2.5	9.00	10.75	12.93	16.32	18.92
Classified ad clerks .....	13.00	6.0	11.26	11.88	12.40	14.65	14.65
Correspondence clerks .....	13.86	3.8	11.25	12.01	12.72	15.48	17.96
Order clerks .....	14.44	3.1	8.91	10.85	13.46	16.97	21.00
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	16.49	2.3	11.82	13.79	16.00	19.57	21.41
Library clerks .....	12.71	2.7	8.45	10.00	12.04	14.84	17.94
File clerks .....	10.77	2.1	8.00	9.00	10.00	12.00	14.42
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	14.02	2.6	9.00	10.74	13.34	16.41	20.00
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	14.89	1.5	10.00	11.96	14.37	17.00	20.54
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	16.60	2.3	11.28	13.50	15.75	19.62	22.55
Billing clerks .....	13.39	1.9	9.50	11.00	13.00	15.00	17.47
Cost and rate clerks .....	13.39	9.3	7.09	10.85	13.45	16.11	20.12
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	13.34	4.4	10.00	10.65	12.28	15.39	18.26
Duplicating machine operators .....	12.28	8.6	9.68	9.82	11.19	14.72	18.00
Mail preparing and paper handling machine operators .....	12.26	6.7	9.50	10.02	11.25	12.00	20.04
Office machine operators, n.e.c. ....	11.18	3.3	8.57	10.61	11.33	12.24	12.54
Telephone operators .....	12.36	5.6	8.00	9.00	10.86	14.77	20.11
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	11.66	20.6	7.25	8.00	11.00	13.62	20.32
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	11.78	5.7	8.40	9.00	10.82	12.94	16.85
Messengers .....	9.94	8.1	7.00	7.50	9.60	11.85	13.39
Dispatchers .....	16.31	4.8	8.50	11.47	15.00	20.28	25.35
Production coordinators .....	18.78	3.7	12.46	13.75	17.86	22.39	27.25
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	13.90	2.0	9.27	10.90	13.25	16.00	20.37
Stock and inventory clerks .....	12.88	1.7	8.06	9.75	12.45	15.05	18.07
Meter readers .....	17.10	5.0	11.00	12.64	15.75	20.01	25.88
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers .....	14.74	7.8	9.88	10.38	13.50	14.99	26.43
Expeditors .....	15.37	4.9	9.12	11.06	15.87	18.79	22.59
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	19.47	3.5	12.05	14.60	17.50	22.57	29.66
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	15.74	3.6	9.75	12.11	14.25	19.10	23.99

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	\$15.48	2.9	\$10.65	\$12.60	\$15.60	\$17.80	\$19.60
Bill and account collectors .....	14.41	7.2	8.88	10.50	13.46	17.55	20.88
General office clerks .....	13.45	1.0	8.90	10.44	12.75	15.63	19.15
Bank tellers .....	10.94	1.3	8.50	9.34	10.45	12.21	13.93
Proofreaders .....	15.38	18.9	8.25	9.36	13.44	22.07	24.27
Data entry keyers .....	12.29	1.7	8.50	10.05	12.00	14.00	16.05
Statistical clerks .....	14.36	5.0	9.04	10.39	13.30	17.78	21.16
Teachers' aides .....	12.06	1.7	8.40	9.50	11.15	13.72	17.17
Administrative support, n.e.c. .....	14.75	1.3	9.36	11.35	14.26	17.25	20.67
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	15.87	.9	8.21	10.42	14.35	19.80	26.29
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	19.95	.9	11.00	14.23	18.55	25.00	30.59
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	24.75	2.7	15.63	18.88	24.04	28.85	34.56
Automobile mechanics .....	18.70	3.1	10.00	14.00	18.00	21.92	27.00
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	13.91	9.4	8.75	11.00	13.13	14.50	18.00
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	19.31	2.7	12.50	15.10	18.30	22.75	27.00
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	27.34	8.7	18.75	22.77	27.41	31.06	38.37
Small engine repairers .....	15.42	5.6	11.00	12.73	15.00	18.50	19.25
Automobile body and related repairers .....	16.29	4.5	10.00	13.00	15.60	17.76	23.73
Aircraft mechanics, except engine .....	24.76	4.0	14.40	22.54	26.01	28.30	31.61
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	19.41	2.8	13.13	15.50	18.55	22.96	26.24
Farm equipment mechanics .....	15.41	7.4	10.00	12.00	15.25	18.00	20.58
Industrial machinery repairers .....	21.33	2.1	14.38	17.17	20.61	25.51	28.42
Machinery maintenance .....	16.14	4.7	11.12	12.50	14.82	19.00	23.04
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	21.99	2.6	12.50	15.06	22.00	27.78	31.18
Data processing equipment repairers .....	20.57	12.2	9.50	15.39	21.00	23.92	36.81
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	16.22	5.8	10.00	12.45	15.84	18.56	24.84
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	25.11	4.8	14.00	24.87	27.54	28.28	28.75
Telephone installers and repairers .....	23.80	3.4	15.00	21.18	25.08	26.91	28.98
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics .....	18.56	3.2	12.25	15.00	17.56	21.92	26.00
Locksmiths and safe repairers .....	14.73	9.9	10.00	12.00	13.83	18.09	20.61
Office machine repairers .....	17.44	8.5	10.75	14.08	16.64	19.79	23.83
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	20.81	5.9	13.25	16.50	19.87	26.68	29.49
Elevator installers and repairers .....	38.67	14.5	27.06	28.43	47.26	47.26	47.26
Millwrights .....	22.30	6.3	15.00	16.71	22.55	27.24	30.33
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. .....	16.82	2.4	10.22	12.61	16.00	20.15	25.24
Supervisors, brickmasons, stonemasons, and tilesetters .....	21.09	9.7	14.22	18.08	21.00	25.00	26.63
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	24.28	6.1	16.66	20.00	22.78	29.70	31.38
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	32.48	3.8	22.56	26.73	30.25	40.72	41.63
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers, and plasterers .....	23.55	7.7	15.50	19.75	23.08	28.25	29.76
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	27.59	7.5	19.50	21.25	28.65	32.75	33.73
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. .....	22.24	5.0	15.41	17.01	20.40	26.25	32.23
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	26.21	9.2	15.00	20.00	27.29	32.70	40.00
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	17.92	13.5	14.00	15.00	15.00	20.00	25.53
Carpet installers .....	24.45	12.9	11.60	20.00	20.69	34.80	35.12
Carpenters .....	19.77	4.5	12.00	14.50	18.05	24.08	31.25
Carpenter apprentices .....	17.18	13.6	11.00	12.00	15.90	20.54	26.56
Drywall installers .....	17.98	6.9	12.00	14.00	16.46	20.69	26.94
Electricians .....	25.81	3.1	15.50	18.48	24.41	31.65	40.47
Electrician apprentices .....	14.69	3.5	10.00	11.50	13.25	16.16	20.49
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	26.55	3.4	17.50	23.04	26.68	30.40	35.72
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	16.26	3.5	11.00	12.12	15.00	18.71	23.75
Plasterers .....	15.88	5.8	12.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.00
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	24.46	7.0	15.50	17.75	24.00	30.00	36.03
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices .....	14.64	4.4	9.10	12.00	14.00	16.67	20.71
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	18.42	6.8	10.50	13.25	17.00	24.20	26.88

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Glaziers .....	\$17.98	9.0	\$11.00	\$14.00	\$17.00	\$23.63	\$25.52
Insulation workers .....	18.91	8.8	10.80	12.59	18.17	24.04	30.15
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators .....	16.25	12.3	10.00	11.70	14.00	19.00	26.92
Roofers .....	16.25	7.4	9.00	11.50	15.00	20.50	25.00
Sheet metal duct installers .....	24.07	12.8	9.25	16.38	24.22	33.09	34.30
Structural metal workers .....	24.22	12.4	14.00	15.56	22.22	28.25	39.08
Construction trades, n.e.c. ....	17.60	5.5	10.08	12.15	16.00	20.45	26.86
Supervisors, extractive .....	24.40	19.4	11.93	13.87	20.00	35.18	35.18
Drillers, oil well .....	25.02	17.8	10.00	16.00	29.63	34.02	34.02
Mining machine operators .....	18.57	9.3	11.36	15.55	19.12	21.73	26.05
Supervisors, production .....	22.21	2.0	14.54	16.88	21.05	25.95	31.73
Tool and die makers .....	23.94	2.0	16.86	19.80	24.13	28.92	31.07
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	17.92	7.4	14.00	15.50	17.00	20.00	24.80
Precision assemblers, metal .....	20.65	6.1	11.75	16.50	19.50	25.60	29.10
Machinists .....	19.93	2.0	13.77	16.50	20.00	23.00	26.50
Boilermakers .....	19.47	9.9	14.87	16.00	17.92	22.87	25.40
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	16.20	9.1	8.90	12.00	15.76	19.55	22.50
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	21.41	8.9	11.46	15.72	20.96	28.49	31.81
Layout workers .....	18.46	16.0	11.56	13.25	16.75	21.05	35.00
Sheet metal workers .....	17.80	10.1	10.00	12.05	15.03	20.10	28.22
Sheet metal worker apprentices .....	14.13	6.3	12.00	12.50	13.00	15.59	18.19
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	18.14	11.4	11.95	15.00	15.70	20.75	22.72
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	12.89	7.2	9.00	11.00	12.50	13.77	16.50
Furniture and wood finishers .....	12.04	6.8	9.02	10.00	12.00	13.00	16.50
Dressmakers .....	12.53	7.7	8.50	11.00	11.43	13.30	18.30
Tailors .....	16.94	18.9	8.32	10.45	13.00	20.35	36.06
Upholsterers .....	15.05	11.5	8.50	12.29	14.85	17.37	20.51
Hand molders and shapers, except jewelers .....	14.21	14.3	9.75	12.50	12.50	17.93	20.40
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	18.27	9.1	14.25	14.30	16.35	20.40	28.13
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	15.25	2.7	9.75	12.75	14.61	16.25	21.17
Bookbinders .....	15.45	10.5	8.00	10.40	14.96	20.92	22.17
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	13.93	3.5	8.76	10.25	13.07	16.50	20.85
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. ....	14.26	12.4	10.00	10.06	11.10	16.14	22.21
Butchers and meat cutters .....	12.10	3.9	7.30	9.05	11.15	14.50	18.44
Bakers .....	11.78	5.1	6.75	8.75	11.45	13.58	17.85
Food batchmakers .....	13.16	4.8	8.19	10.50	13.54	15.67	17.60
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	20.09	4.7	10.39	14.75	19.22	25.96	28.74
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. ....	23.35	10.4	15.65	16.64	26.63	26.63	27.33
Adjusters and calibrators .....	20.79	11.0	17.82	17.85	17.85	26.28	27.33
Water and sewer treatment plant operators .....	19.25	2.7	12.09	15.19	19.08	22.94	27.54
Power plant operators .....	28.18	3.8	20.68	26.17	26.52	30.95	36.21
Stationary engineers .....	23.67	4.4	13.90	19.20	23.65	27.61	32.27
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. ....	23.86	4.7	16.13	20.43	24.65	27.50	29.08
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> .....	14.19	1.3	8.30	10.09	13.00	16.90	22.56
Lathe and turning-machine set-up operators .....	17.41	3.7	12.70	14.35	16.51	19.75	22.47
Lathe and turning-machine operators .....	15.88	6.1	10.35	12.07	15.25	18.58	21.68
Milling and planing machine operators .....	16.14	6.9	10.75	13.25	16.22	18.81	22.09
Punching and stamping press operators .....	13.73	7.5	8.50	9.69	12.09	16.00	21.59
Rolling machine operators .....	16.65	11.4	10.51	12.50	15.25	19.31	26.98
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	14.22	8.0	7.25	10.00	13.75	17.70	20.59
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	13.52	2.5	8.60	11.00	12.75	15.50	18.70
Forging machine operators .....	12.93	10.3	8.61	10.50	11.50	15.32	18.65
Numerical control machine operators .....	16.82	3.1	12.00	14.10	16.50	19.00	21.57
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. ....	15.38	4.3	9.45	11.15	14.00	17.98	26.64
Molding and casting machine operators .....	13.41	3.6	8.50	10.10	12.75	15.26	19.75
Metal plating machine operators .....	14.49	7.8	8.50	10.60	13.84	18.10	23.00
Heat treating equipment operators .....	15.95	5.2	10.90	13.66	15.30	17.80	21.48

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued								
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>								
—Continued								
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators .....	\$12.15	7.3	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$12.75	\$14.16	\$14.50	
Sawing machine operators .....	11.11	4.9	7.50	9.00	10.75	12.50	15.25	
Shaping and joining machine operators .....	13.69	2.8	11.00	12.71	13.80	14.50	16.25	
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	10.46	10.9	7.13	7.79	9.22	13.85	13.87	
Printing press operators .....	16.99	2.8	11.05	14.00	17.00	19.98	22.69	
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	16.56	5.9	13.25	13.25	15.70	18.45	21.89	
Typesetters and compositors .....	14.81	6.5	9.20	10.90	14.57	18.02	19.97	
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	12.60	7.1	9.00	9.67	11.50	13.07	16.39	
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	12.23	5.8	9.00	10.27	11.75	13.60	16.93	
Textile cutting machine operators .....	10.92	4.7	7.90	9.79	10.75	10.75	14.26	
Textile sewing machine operators .....	10.40	8.3	7.25	8.50	8.64	11.25	15.00	
Pressing machine operators .....	9.47	5.1	6.75	8.00	9.50	10.50	12.05	
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	9.83	5.7	7.00	8.05	9.35	11.00	13.50	
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	12.35	8.1	7.43	9.52	11.45	14.70	18.89	
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	14.14	4.5	8.14	10.45	13.52	16.48	22.43	
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	13.83	3.8	10.01	11.22	13.29	16.22	17.61	
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	15.48	4.2	10.31	11.61	14.95	18.36	21.50	
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators ..	19.55	5.4	12.30	16.09	18.98	24.45	25.62	
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	11.63	7.9	8.00	8.25	11.19	13.20	16.81	
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	15.52	4.4	9.85	11.58	14.17	17.27	26.21	
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	14.48	7.8	9.00	11.63	13.12	18.36	21.00	
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators ..	16.06	23.1	10.00	10.00	12.00	21.74	28.04	
Folding machine operators .....	13.02	16.8	6.90	8.35	12.44	16.03	20.44	
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	15.33	6.1	10.50	12.04	13.70	17.50	25.13	
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	15.57	11.9	10.25	11.60	14.54	16.39	27.19	
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	13.85	2.9	8.56	11.46	13.66	16.42	18.75	
Motion picture projectionists .....	13.99	36.1	8.00	8.00	12.00	14.95	32.62	
Photographic process machine operators .....	10.64	6.0	8.00	8.50	10.00	11.86	16.37	
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	14.64	2.5	8.50	10.45	13.60	17.92	22.76	
Welders and cutters .....	15.90	2.4	11.00	12.40	15.09	18.00	22.25	
Solderers and brazers .....	12.08	8.7	8.23	9.00	11.60	14.14	16.50	
Assemblers .....	14.95	2.0	8.15	10.02	13.00	18.00	26.73	
Hand cutting and trimming .....	11.42	11.4	6.95	8.10	10.00	14.47	17.00	
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	11.67	8.3	7.50	8.50	12.38	13.95	15.66	
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	11.81	6.3	7.05	10.30	11.50	14.00	15.29	
Hand engraving and printing .....	16.75	26.4	9.00	9.92	12.75	28.35	28.75	
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. ....	12.66	5.8	6.75	9.15	11.25	14.64	19.00	
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	14.05	4.6	8.50	10.03	12.39	16.58	23.44	
Production testers .....	15.18	5.0	10.01	11.64	14.00	17.75	20.96	
Production samplers and weighers .....	13.31	8.0	9.00	10.75	12.48	13.69	18.20	
Graders and sorters, except agricultural .....	11.91	6.2	7.00	9.00	10.30	14.79	16.50	
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	15.28	1.6	8.60	10.75	14.10	18.75	23.62	
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	18.65	5.7	11.37	14.50	16.48	23.58	27.17	
Truckdrivers .....	15.26	2.3	9.00	11.00	14.42	18.94	22.65	
Driver-sales workers .....	13.03	9.5	5.50	7.00	11.67	17.64	23.84	
Busdrivers .....	14.87	2.5	9.75	11.27	14.00	17.83	22.20	
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	8.95	6.4	6.25	7.00	8.75	9.75	12.18	
Parking lot attendants .....	8.07	10.4	5.75	6.00	7.00	8.67	11.60	
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	10.53	6.2	6.15	7.00	8.95	12.00	18.03	
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	25.82	22.3	13.65	13.65	26.00	35.82	42.10	
Locomotive operating .....	28.06	18.6	14.47	14.47	25.84	37.09	45.60	
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	29.55	6.9	16.12	22.93	29.37	37.80	39.49	
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. ....	22.52	3.9	18.03	20.00	23.21	24.40	25.58	
Ship captains and mates, except fishing boats .....	19.16	14.3	12.92	14.58	19.74	21.67	25.71	
Sailors and deckhands .....	12.63	7.9	8.34	8.91	9.92	17.35	20.20	
Marine engineers .....	21.48	20.4	14.38	14.38	18.00	24.24	35.27	
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	22.69	3.4	16.25	18.75	22.51	27.18	28.05	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> —Continued							
Operating engineers .....	\$20.97	8.1	\$12.00	\$13.05	\$18.72	\$27.22	\$31.50
Hoist and winch operators .....	12.12	19.6	9.25	9.50	10.50	10.86	25.62
Crane and tower operators .....	16.69	6.2	12.24	13.91	15.07	18.00	22.40
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	16.97	4.6	10.00	13.15	16.00	18.50	23.89
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	16.07	5.2	10.56	12.50	14.35	19.00	25.76
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	14.18	1.8	9.20	10.71	13.43	17.00	21.04
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	16.62	5.4	10.00	12.25	15.50	20.38	26.65
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	11.63	1.4	6.75	8.00	10.18	13.61	18.51
Nursery workers .....	10.26	11.4	7.00	7.00	9.42	13.31	15.10
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers .....	24.03	6.4	14.70	19.56	25.00	25.00	29.40
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	11.65	3.4	7.50	8.25	10.23	14.60	17.44
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	11.65	10.7	7.75	9.23	10.50	14.65	17.84
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	9.79	16.4	7.05	7.30	8.75	10.50	14.65
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. ....	19.97	4.9	12.00	15.17	18.71	23.00	28.03
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	11.77	3.9	8.00	9.00	10.50	14.00	17.43
Helpers, construction trades .....	12.58	3.5	8.50	10.00	11.25	14.50	17.00
Construction laborers .....	14.58	4.0	8.00	9.75	12.50	20.00	23.20
Production helpers .....	11.30	3.1	7.25	8.40	10.30	13.35	17.13
Garbage collectors .....	12.07	13.6	7.23	8.29	9.83	14.76	23.56
Stock handlers and baggers .....	9.86	1.6	6.00	7.00	9.00	11.75	14.85
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	10.87	2.5	7.75	8.70	10.50	12.30	14.74
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	12.55	2.2	7.75	9.50	11.65	14.70	19.75
Garage and service station related .....	9.13	3.7	6.50	7.25	8.50	10.00	12.31
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	9.65	4.0	6.50	7.50	8.75	10.36	13.74
Hand packers and packagers .....	9.63	4.9	6.30	7.00	8.73	11.10	13.95
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	11.04	2.2	6.61	8.00	10.00	13.27	16.96
<b>Service</b> .....	10.89	1.3	5.75	7.00	9.25	12.52	18.55
Protective service .....	17.74	2.6	8.45	10.30	15.45	23.86	30.36
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	27.52	4.7	17.92	20.34	25.27	32.02	39.83
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	31.73	2.7	19.23	25.26	30.73	37.57	44.99
Supervisors, guards .....	20.03	8.5	10.50	12.00	15.87	28.64	33.65
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	19.51	11.4	12.50	13.00	19.00	24.57	30.12
Firefighting .....	19.42	2.8	11.50	14.46	18.50	23.96	28.55
Police and detectives, public service .....	24.98	1.0	16.20	19.63	24.88	29.10	33.91
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	19.93	2.3	12.67	14.72	19.11	24.10	28.22
Correctional institution officers .....	17.60	6.4	11.35	12.16	15.49	22.68	26.06
Crossing guards .....	10.88	6.5	6.67	8.24	10.10	13.00	15.81
Guards and police, except public service .....	10.49	2.2	7.00	8.50	9.75	11.55	14.81
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	11.94	4.7	7.00	7.75	10.25	14.05	19.99
Food service .....	7.90	.9	3.30	6.00	7.25	9.50	12.43
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	5.13	2.2	2.13	2.65	5.15	6.75	8.10
Bartenders .....	6.82	3.0	3.50	5.25	6.75	8.00	10.00
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.54	3.1	2.13	2.25	3.85	6.10	7.35
Waiters'Waitresses' assistants .....	6.22	3.2	3.65	5.00	6.30	7.25	8.50
Other food service .....	9.00	.8	6.00	6.75	8.00	10.20	13.30
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	13.75	2.6	8.31	9.93	12.76	16.25	20.77
Cooks .....	9.89	1.4	6.50	7.50	9.50	11.48	14.13
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	8.32	1.5	6.00	6.75	7.75	9.40	11.67
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	8.06	1.3	6.00	6.50	7.50	9.00	11.00
Health service .....	11.13	1.2	7.58	8.97	10.37	12.61	15.75
Dental assistants .....	15.38	3.5	10.25	13.00	15.00	17.51	21.00
Health aides, except nursing .....	11.96	2.5	8.00	9.17	11.11	13.64	16.75
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	10.53	1.4	7.50	8.68	10.00	11.92	14.38
Cleaning and building service .....	11.11	2.4	6.75	7.99	9.98	13.27	17.95
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	17.30	4.5	11.54	13.17	17.79	20.28	23.95

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Cleaning and building service —Continued							
Maids and housemen .....	\$8.77	2.9	\$6.50	\$7.04	\$8.00	\$9.84	\$11.77
Janitors and cleaners .....	11.24	2.8	7.00	8.08	10.21	13.50	17.75
Pest control .....	14.28	9.6	9.00	10.50	12.00	16.66	21.09
Personal service .....	10.32	5.2	5.75	6.75	8.50	11.50	16.25
Supervisors, personal service .....	14.92	6.0	8.70	11.00	14.42	18.75	21.25
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	12.48	8.8	5.91	7.09	10.00	14.51	21.57
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	7.27	3.7	5.30	5.65	6.55	7.67	10.75
Guides .....	13.05	8.6	7.75	11.40	13.33	15.51	16.83
Ushers .....	7.53	6.5	5.15	6.16	7.00	8.60	10.00
Public transportation attendants .....	30.52	5.3	11.00	23.96	30.10	37.59	48.15
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	7.90	5.2	5.40	6.15	8.00	9.00	11.00
Welfare service aides .....	10.10	5.6	6.05	7.30	9.87	12.45	14.47
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	8.94	3.1	6.30	7.25	8.50	10.24	12.00
Childcare workers, n.e.c. .....	9.47	3.9	6.50	7.00	8.50	10.83	13.53
Service, n.e.c. .....	11.05	4.0	6.75	8.21	10.00	12.50	17.58

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

<sup>3</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>4</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>5</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$19.70	1.1	\$8.50	\$11.00	\$15.99	\$24.28	\$34.92	
All, excluding sales .....	19.85	1.2	8.50	11.17	16.12	24.62	35.02	
White collar .....	24.03	.9	10.00	13.37	19.67	30.00	43.02	
White collar, excluding sales .....	25.08	1.0	10.88	14.23	20.86	31.17	44.00	
Professional specialty and technical .....	30.66	1.2	15.00	20.27	27.50	37.00	48.50	
Professional specialty .....	32.89	1.2	17.33	22.84	30.01	39.66	50.85	
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	36.38	1.2	23.61	28.42	34.41	42.43	51.54	
Architects .....	30.22	7.1	19.79	23.08	27.90	34.62	44.08	
Aerospace engineers .....	42.27	8.1	23.34	30.95	42.95	52.36	59.40	
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	33.20	5.9	25.00	27.59	29.85	34.89	50.65	
Petroleum engineers .....	43.16	16.1	26.14	32.25	36.06	55.94	65.19	
Chemical engineers .....	35.76	8.7	26.44	29.10	29.47	44.85	47.79	
Nuclear engineers .....	39.93	5.7	31.73	34.23	38.65	44.07	50.30	
Civil engineers .....	32.49	3.0	20.91	25.96	30.53	36.91	45.25	
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	39.13	2.5	25.49	31.04	37.44	44.60	55.56	
Industrial engineers .....	33.19	2.6	22.94	27.21	32.21	36.71	44.67	
Mechanical engineers .....	31.93	1.9	23.08	26.42	30.79	36.62	42.33	
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	29.46	10.9	20.19	24.04	26.75	33.17	41.88	
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	39.27	2.2	25.57	31.13	38.27	46.26	56.52	
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	35.72	11.5	20.51	26.44	40.80	40.80	49.50	
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	35.34	2.3	20.72	26.46	34.23	42.46	51.44	
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	35.33	2.5	20.67	26.52	34.12	42.31	51.44	
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	35.71	5.5	21.15	25.76	36.84	43.75	50.80	
Actuaries .....	37.23	9.4	23.86	26.51	36.00	46.88	50.58	
Statisticians .....	28.43	8.6	14.72	25.28	28.81	31.25	39.80	
Natural scientists .....	29.85	5.2	17.01	21.03	26.57	35.64	46.05	
Physicists and astronomers .....	35.12	9.2	22.93	26.44	30.48	43.75	46.70	
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.23	8.2	20.67	23.95	31.14	36.89	48.38	
Geologists and geodesists .....	34.15	7.8	17.42	25.24	32.36	43.59	49.67	
Physical scientists, n.e.c. .....	29.53	7.0	19.00	23.16	27.44	33.03	43.78	
Agricultural and food scientists .....	28.89	7.2	15.04	19.47	30.94	36.19	40.37	
Biological and life scientists .....	28.87	16.3	16.35	18.54	24.04	35.04	50.00	
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	21.27	10.0	14.17	17.07	19.44	25.82	30.31	
Medical scientists .....	28.01	11.0	15.07	18.82	24.06	32.32	44.23	
Health related .....	32.36	3.4	18.90	22.20	27.41	35.78	48.20	
Physicians .....	61.34	11.0	19.32	22.71	64.90	91.47	101.75	
Dentists .....	46.30	11.0	15.18	42.82	49.52	49.52	61.18	
Optometrists .....	62.86	14.1	40.87	49.92	61.67	75.00	93.75	
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. ....	33.45	8.8	28.63	31.25	31.25	31.25	45.58	
Registered nurses .....	27.90	1.1	19.56	22.28	26.44	31.75	38.09	
Pharmacists .....	45.25	1.1	39.81	43.00	46.00	47.76	51.35	
Dietitians .....	21.28	4.3	15.00	17.50	20.71	24.26	30.66	
Respiratory therapists .....	22.76	2.3	18.34	19.81	22.00	25.80	27.36	
Occupational therapists .....	25.96	3.7	16.77	22.14	26.11	29.56	34.51	
Physical therapists .....	29.34	3.3	22.11	25.00	29.85	32.50	34.88	
Speech therapists .....	29.47	5.9	17.25	23.56	30.18	33.53	39.35	
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	17.72	4.0	12.66	13.94	15.45	19.72	25.50	
Physicians' assistants .....	36.71	7.0	15.15	31.73	37.50	46.64	48.08	
Teachers, college and university .....	43.69	2.5	23.96	30.35	38.85	52.11	68.51	
Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers .....	52.72	13.5	31.68	37.76	50.82	64.70	80.20	
Biological science teachers .....	44.49	10.5	27.91	34.45	40.19	47.04	58.47	
Chemistry teachers .....	38.51	9.2	28.94	31.00	32.98	41.30	53.44	
Physics teachers .....	53.20	8.5	39.39	44.52	48.22	61.14	73.46	
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. .....	39.57	9.8	22.89	34.80	41.41	44.02	48.16	
Psychology teachers .....	38.83	8.1	26.10	26.98	35.15	46.32	59.09	
Economics teachers .....	66.23	19.2	37.30	42.89	66.45	85.45	102.05	
History teachers .....	41.39	9.9	26.44	30.15	38.05	50.24	63.09	
Political science teachers .....	36.21	7.2	26.20	29.26	37.86	39.15	52.90	
Sociology teachers .....	49.58	15.6	27.61	32.27	41.71	63.49	78.15	
Social science teachers, n.e.c. .....	44.68	5.9	30.56	35.51	42.41	56.61	59.40	
Engineering teachers .....	60.62	10.6	36.31	43.13	54.68	78.00	92.65	
Mathematical science teachers .....	40.88	12.4	27.34	30.74	41.73	49.13	55.13	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty</b> —Continued							
Teachers, college and university—Continued							
Computer science teachers .....	\$39.89	19.8	\$22.84	\$22.84	\$37.64	\$56.99	\$58.71
Medical science teachers .....	51.79	10.2	22.59	31.15	46.97	66.40	92.62
Health specialties teachers .....	44.47	10.2	25.33	27.33	34.29	48.84	76.93
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	46.19	13.0	28.18	34.14	38.44	52.79	77.48
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	55.12	23.5	20.80	25.94	55.74	75.22	84.15
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	36.79	9.6	22.49	27.22	35.31	40.29	54.28
Physical education teachers .....	34.38	7.5	21.28	26.97	28.43	45.37	51.94
Education teachers .....	39.46	10.7	19.23	31.31	37.32	44.54	50.68
English teachers .....	45.89	11.0	27.18	31.75	40.73	63.18	63.59
Foreign language teachers .....	35.14	17.9	18.57	18.57	30.29	45.34	48.86
Law teachers .....	55.10	15.3	26.92	28.78	55.22	72.61	82.37
Theology teachers .....	40.80	6.4	27.56	30.77	35.52	48.99	53.02
Trade and industrial teachers .....	36.09	6.9	19.37	27.84	36.45	42.42	50.32
Other post-secondary teachers .....	41.72	2.9	21.84	28.81	38.17	51.04	65.94
Teachers, except college and university .....	32.06	1.2	18.71	24.10	30.44	38.61	48.69
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	19.89	4.9	9.00	10.75	15.29	26.90	36.05
Elementary school teachers .....	33.56	1.4	21.96	25.50	31.24	39.73	49.74
Secondary school teachers .....	33.18	1.9	21.94	25.53	30.96	38.75	48.34
Teachers, special education .....	34.65	3.1	21.19	26.43	32.14	41.27	52.20
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	32.68	3.0	17.78	24.22	31.16	39.28	49.97
Substitute teachers .....	11.76	10.1	10.27	10.27	10.27	12.67	16.76
Vocational and educational counselors .....	28.35	6.4	12.50	16.69	27.07	36.20	45.70
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	27.98	3.0	17.26	20.51	26.25	33.90	41.99
Librarians .....	28.37	3.1	17.31	20.60	26.61	34.41	43.47
Archivists and curators .....	24.74	12.3	13.40	17.27	24.21	29.42	37.26
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.38	3.2	17.10	21.49	28.91	36.06	49.21
Economists .....	33.85	7.8	19.23	23.32	30.23	39.07	49.21
Psychologists .....	31.02	5.7	15.02	20.53	28.91	36.78	54.43
Social scientists, n.e.c. .....	28.99	13.1	12.30	19.23	25.45	36.97	46.70
Urban planners .....	26.93	4.6	19.07	22.79	26.85	31.10	33.76
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	18.80	1.7	12.07	14.08	17.41	22.15	27.46
Social workers .....	19.11	1.9	12.47	14.42	17.54	22.51	27.91
Recreation workers .....	15.01	6.1	8.25	10.30	14.08	19.34	22.90
Clergy .....	15.74	13.2	12.07	12.07	12.58	17.31	20.74
Religious workers, n.e.c. .....	18.74	15.5	11.25	11.25	17.83	20.05	23.08
Lawyers and judges .....	51.26	4.7	25.48	33.46	46.70	62.50	79.42
Lawyers .....	50.89	4.9	25.48	32.31	45.80	61.23	79.33
Judges .....	61.38	11.1	46.06	51.51	57.83	75.39	82.12
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	25.48	3.6	11.51	15.87	21.68	30.11	44.23
Technical writers .....	35.82	14.7	15.00	22.23	36.01	51.14	54.33
Designers .....	21.65	3.6	10.88	14.42	19.58	26.93	34.62
Musicians and composers .....	38.84	20.4	19.13	29.21	31.59	38.55	79.98
Actors and directors .....	33.13	17.8	10.00	16.62	25.51	45.06	54.27
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers .....	18.69	5.3	14.00	15.00	18.27	20.00	24.52
Photographers .....	17.14	11.5	8.92	10.20	14.41	22.44	28.72
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	16.43	18.2	8.00	8.00	15.91	19.13	27.84
Editors and reporters .....	25.97	7.5	10.50	15.20	21.88	30.01	43.01
Public relations specialists .....	24.98	6.3	16.53	17.50	22.81	27.29	35.32
Announcers .....	40.13	29.5	10.58	15.58	20.19	27.88	117.79
Athletes .....	29.51	15.4	13.22	16.83	24.11	36.40	56.72
Professional, n.e.c. .....	31.43	7.4	16.91	20.31	28.91	38.90	50.97
Technical .....	22.57	2.2	12.36	15.37	19.51	25.37	32.19
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.87	2.6	11.00	14.08	17.85	22.50	27.36
Dental hygienists .....	31.57	4.1	22.50	27.25	32.87	37.00	39.50
Health record technologists and technicians .....	15.68	4.5	10.00	12.19	15.31	18.21	23.61
Radiological technicians .....	24.11	2.6	17.00	20.00	23.00	27.79	32.64
Licensed practical nurses .....	17.47	1.6	12.97	15.00	17.00	19.64	22.64

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>White collar</b> —Continued								
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued								
Technical —Continued								
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	\$16.69	1.8	\$10.15	\$12.69	\$15.50	\$18.97	\$24.63	
Electrical and electronic technicians ....	23.89	12.0	12.01	16.33	22.31	27.01	32.09	
Industrial engineering technicians ....	24.21	5.6	16.93	20.00	23.52	28.39	32.05	
Mechanical engineering technicians ....	22.78	4.3	16.13	17.76	21.35	26.45	32.69	
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	24.47	4.0	14.75	18.26	23.00	29.23	36.05	
Drafters ....	21.93	2.7	14.42	17.52	21.23	25.50	28.57	
Surveying and mapping technicians ....	19.71	9.2	12.00	14.71	17.50	23.98	31.03	
Biological technicians ....	18.11	4.0	12.00	14.06	16.83	21.96	25.44	
Chemical technicians ....	21.98	6.1	14.80	16.50	22.12	24.82	29.56	
Science technicians, n.e.c. ....	21.28	10.1	14.27	16.50	19.23	24.60	30.00	
Airplane pilots and navigators ....	97.51	13.0	25.00	46.25	97.72	143.75	179.83	
Broadcast equipment operators ....	16.50	11.9	8.76	9.53	13.94	18.97	26.04	
Computer programmers ....	30.82	3.2	18.27	23.28	28.85	36.06	43.27	
Tool programmers, numerical control ....	23.35	7.4	16.65	18.50	21.64	30.00	32.55	
Legal assistants ....	22.50	3.7	14.66	17.67	21.43	26.11	30.74	
Technical and related, n.e.c. ....	20.62	4.9	12.40	14.52	19.10	23.72	30.79	
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> ....	33.78	1.9	17.10	21.64	28.95	40.34	54.58	
Executives, administrators, and managers ....	38.28	2.3	18.27	24.31	33.53	46.27	60.62	
Legislators ....	11.99	43.7	3.46	3.46	8.45	9.33	39.18	
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration ....	52.11	6.3	43.10	48.08	55.66	57.69	60.10	
Administrators and officials, public administration ....	31.52	2.9	19.97	24.35	30.70	36.01	44.02	
Financial managers ....	40.82	4.0	20.91	26.20	34.44	51.34	65.88	
Personnel and labor relations managers ....	32.16	7.5	21.00	23.27	27.87	36.88	51.49	
Purchasing managers ....	35.35	8.2	18.75	23.08	32.33	41.99	50.52	
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations ....	45.33	4.2	23.50	28.99	39.49	54.92	69.71	
Administrators, education and related fields ....	37.30	3.4	19.23	25.60	36.31	46.19	56.41	
Managers, medicine and health ....	35.12	3.3	19.00	26.45	33.33	41.47	51.53	
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments ..	21.17	7.5	12.24	14.42	18.75	24.74	32.01	
Managers, properties and real estate ....	22.14	4.1	11.54	16.25	22.36	26.94	31.18	
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	30.84	7.9	15.39	18.82	24.27	35.00	49.76	
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	40.99	4.6	18.72	25.90	36.07	48.84	63.17	
Management related ....	27.09	1.2	16.33	19.67	24.63	31.35	39.53	
Accountants and auditors ....	25.50	2.0	16.39	19.94	24.11	30.50	35.71	
Underwriters ....	27.41	5.7	17.91	19.23	25.70	31.83	41.01	
Other financial officers ....	32.53	3.6	16.59	20.66	27.85	36.43	50.48	
Management analysts ....	30.70	5.2	19.06	22.17	27.69	36.16	47.89	
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists ....	25.52	3.8	15.91	18.55	23.83	29.51	36.27	
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products ....	23.08	15.3	15.94	16.35	17.83	34.84	34.84	
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products ....	27.16	3.8	16.16	20.19	25.06	31.13	40.39	
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. ....	26.05	5.9	16.52	19.51	23.32	29.91	40.17	
Business and promotional agents ....	23.25	5.5	16.67	18.50	24.22	26.28	29.81	
Construction inspectors ....	24.60	5.0	16.65	19.23	23.63	29.29	34.80	
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction ....	23.23	4.0	16.54	19.67	21.31	26.63	31.59	
Management related, n.e.c. ....	26.11	2.5	15.96	19.22	24.46	30.98	38.84	
<b>Sales</b> ....	17.84	1.7	7.50	9.50	13.33	20.25	32.71	
Supervisors, sales ....	20.60	3.6	10.65	12.88	16.70	22.82	36.67	
Insurance sales ....	23.10	8.5	9.98	13.73	17.89	28.77	43.27	
Real estate sales ....	22.06	14.0	11.85	14.42	16.83	24.04	49.30	
Securities and financial services sales ....	41.38	7.0	14.42	16.74	28.52	43.27	75.76	
Advertising and related sales ....	20.61	10.5	9.50	11.59	16.62	25.48	38.12	
Sales, other business services ....	25.32	6.2	10.00	14.29	20.00	28.70	42.41	
Sales engineers ....	38.11	9.5	22.60	30.00	39.01	44.49	57.69	
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale ....	27.09	3.5	12.70	16.71	23.07	33.95	45.72	

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Sales</b> —Continued							
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	\$21.91	6.3	\$7.61	\$10.87	\$17.31	\$26.43	\$40.20
Sales workers, apparel .....	13.10	14.4	7.00	8.15	9.50	12.35	18.76
Sales workers, shoes .....	10.88	12.3	6.77	7.25	10.27	12.60	15.50
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	15.24	6.1	8.65	11.28	13.83	16.21	21.86
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	11.93	8.3	7.50	8.75	10.00	13.03	20.00
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	13.70	5.6	9.00	10.09	12.00	15.30	18.88
Sales workers, parts .....	14.83	2.9	9.50	11.69	13.89	16.35	22.03
Sales workers, other commodities .....	13.42	3.2	7.38	8.56	11.13	15.26	22.50
Sales counter clerks .....	10.57	5.3	7.00	7.85	10.00	12.00	15.49
Cashiers .....	9.55	1.9	6.50	7.50	8.75	11.00	13.13
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	17.17	15.1	10.00	12.69	13.94	19.24	21.73
Sales support, n.e.c. .....	15.73	8.0	8.77	10.24	12.82	20.19	26.92
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	14.82	.7	9.25	11.02	13.93	17.42	21.48
Supervisors, general office .....	20.59	2.3	13.48	16.63	19.71	23.96	28.85
Supervisors, computer equipment operators .....	21.61	8.3	15.09	18.16	23.29	23.29	24.35
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	23.09	3.2	14.42	17.54	21.43	27.40	31.68
Chief communications operators .....	21.68	4.1	18.15	19.92	21.12	23.00	23.00
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	20.61	4.3	13.75	16.33	19.90	23.79	28.66
Computer operators .....	16.44	3.6	12.18	13.39	16.15	18.80	21.82
Peripheral equipment operators .....	14.02	7.8	9.24	11.64	14.75	17.01	17.94
Secretaries .....	16.81	1.0	10.88	13.00	16.17	19.74	23.66
Stenographers .....	18.36	5.2	11.75	13.17	15.85	21.61	28.17
Typists .....	15.24	2.5	10.68	12.63	14.86	17.60	19.82
Interviewers .....	12.58	4.4	8.59	10.00	11.96	15.54	17.66
Hotel clerks .....	9.24	1.9	7.25	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.99
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	15.34	3.6	8.50	11.07	16.00	19.86	20.95
Receptionists .....	12.06	1.7	8.50	9.86	11.74	13.75	16.33
Information clerks, n.e.c. .....	13.84	2.7	9.14	11.00	13.07	16.59	18.97
Classified ad clerks .....	13.10	5.8	11.26	11.88	12.61	14.65	14.65
Correspondence clerks .....	13.86	3.8	11.25	12.01	12.72	15.48	17.96
Order clerks .....	14.74	3.1	9.10	11.06	13.88	17.25	21.46
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	16.57	2.3	11.88	13.79	16.00	19.62	21.43
Library clerks .....	13.43	3.2	9.27	10.81	12.72	15.50	18.12
File clerks .....	11.08	2.7	8.35	9.50	10.50	12.01	15.00
Records clerks, n.e.c. .....	14.12	2.7	9.13	10.92	13.46	16.45	20.17
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	15.06	1.5	10.01	12.00	14.50	17.12	20.67
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	16.87	2.0	11.65	13.64	16.00	19.71	22.94
Billing clerks .....	13.39	2.0	9.46	11.00	13.00	15.00	17.47
Cost and rate clerks .....	13.39	9.3	7.09	10.85	13.45	16.11	20.12
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	13.82	5.9	10.00	10.75	12.56	15.84	18.77
Duplicating machine operators .....	12.33	8.8	9.68	9.82	11.20	14.85	18.00
Mail preparing and paper handling machine operators .....	12.35	6.6	9.50	10.09	11.25	12.00	20.04
Office machine operators, n.e.c. .....	11.22	3.3	8.57	10.61	11.33	12.24	12.54
Telephone operators .....	12.78	5.5	8.00	9.17	11.32	15.74	20.11
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. .....	12.75	21.7	8.00	9.20	11.80	15.14	21.56
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	12.07	6.9	8.40	9.14	10.98	14.53	17.35
Messengers .....	10.09	10.5	7.00	7.50	9.60	11.65	13.83
Dispatchers .....	16.48	4.9	9.00	11.70	15.21	20.47	25.35
Production coordinators .....	18.79	3.7	12.39	13.75	17.88	22.39	27.25
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	13.97	2.1	9.45	11.00	13.46	16.07	20.44
Stock and inventory clerks .....	13.37	2.0	8.85	10.46	12.91	15.50	18.44
Meter readers .....	17.31	5.2	11.14	12.75	17.09	20.45	25.88
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers .....	15.24	8.0	10.28	11.00	13.57	16.00	26.75
Expeditors .....	16.07	4.8	9.35	12.15	16.35	19.46	22.69
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	19.62	3.5	12.25	14.74	17.64	22.64	29.89
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	15.94	3.8	10.00	12.25	14.38	19.60	23.99
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	15.53	2.9	11.00	12.70	15.64	17.81	19.60
Bill and account collectors .....	14.51	7.5	9.24	10.66	13.50	17.68	20.88

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued							
General office clerks .....	\$13.77	1.1	\$9.16	\$10.73	\$13.00	\$16.00	\$19.46
Bank tellers .....	11.20	1.5	8.70	9.50	10.65	12.69	14.24
Proofreaders .....	17.88	15.7	10.25	12.98	17.11	23.83	24.27
Data entry keyers .....	12.24	1.5	8.50	10.28	12.00	14.00	16.01
Statistical clerks .....	14.72	5.3	9.08	10.62	13.91	18.04	21.16
Teachers' aides .....	11.56	1.9	8.30	9.31	10.79	13.24	15.96
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	15.05	1.3	9.75	11.82	14.66	17.50	20.85
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	16.27	1.0	8.55	10.93	14.77	20.06	26.56
Precision production, craft, and repair .....	20.04	.9	11.00	14.40	18.64	25.00	30.60
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	24.81	2.7	15.63	19.10	24.08	29.18	34.59
Automobile mechanics .....	18.94	3.1	10.66	14.50	18.50	22.00	27.23
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	13.91	9.4	8.75	11.00	13.13	14.50	18.00
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	19.43	2.6	12.75	15.50	18.50	22.99	27.00
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	27.34	8.7	18.75	22.77	27.41	31.06	38.37
Small engine repairers .....	15.44	5.6	11.00	12.73	15.00	18.50	19.25
Automobile body and related repairers .....	16.34	4.5	10.00	13.00	15.60	18.00	24.00
Aircraft mechanics, except engine .....	24.77	4.0	14.35	22.54	26.01	28.39	31.61
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	19.47	2.8	13.50	16.00	18.55	22.96	26.24
Farm equipment mechanics .....	15.47	7.4	10.00	12.00	15.25	18.00	20.58
Industrial machinery repairers .....	21.33	2.1	14.38	17.17	20.62	25.51	28.42
Machinery maintenance .....	16.14	4.7	11.12	12.50	14.82	19.00	23.04
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	21.99	2.7	12.50	15.06	22.00	27.78	31.18
Data processing equipment repairers .....	20.78	12.4	9.50	15.61	21.00	23.92	36.81
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	16.22	5.8	10.00	12.45	15.84	18.56	24.84
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	25.11	4.8	14.00	24.87	27.54	28.28	28.75
Telephone installers and repairers .....	23.95	3.4	15.77	21.18	25.08	26.91	28.98
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics ..	18.49	3.1	12.18	15.00	17.50	21.75	25.75
Locksmiths and safe repairers .....	14.73	9.9	10.00	12.00	13.83	18.09	20.61
Office machine repairers .....	17.54	8.5	10.75	14.00	16.87	19.79	23.83
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	21.24	5.7	14.08	17.02	20.23	27.21	31.26
Elevator installers and repairers .....	38.67	14.5	27.06	28.43	47.26	47.26	47.26
Millwrights .....	22.30	6.3	15.00	16.71	22.55	27.24	30.33
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. ....	16.90	2.5	10.39	12.65	16.00	20.19	25.24
Supervisors, brickmasons, stonemasons, and tilesetters .....	21.09	9.7	14.22	18.08	21.00	25.00	26.63
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	24.28	6.1	16.66	20.00	22.78	29.70	31.38
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	32.48	3.8	22.56	26.73	30.25	40.72	41.63
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers, and plasterers ..	23.55	7.7	15.50	19.75	23.08	28.25	29.76
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters ..	27.59	7.5	19.50	21.25	28.65	32.75	33.73
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. ....	22.25	5.0	15.41	17.01	20.40	26.25	32.37
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	26.43	9.0	16.00	20.00	27.29	32.70	40.00
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	17.92	13.5	14.00	15.00	15.00	20.00	25.53
Carpet installers .....	24.45	12.9	11.60	20.00	20.69	34.80	35.12
Carpenters .....	19.73	4.5	12.00	14.50	18.00	24.00	30.96
Carpenter apprentices .....	17.18	13.6	11.00	12.00	15.90	20.54	26.56
Drywall installers .....	17.98	6.9	12.00	14.00	16.40	20.69	26.94
Electricians .....	25.79	3.1	15.50	18.30	24.39	31.65	40.47
Electrician apprentices .....	14.69	3.5	10.00	11.50	13.25	16.16	20.49
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	26.54	3.4	17.50	23.04	26.61	30.40	35.72
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	16.29	3.7	11.00	12.15	15.00	18.71	23.75
Plasterers .....	15.88	5.8	12.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.00
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	24.46	7.0	15.50	17.75	24.00	30.00	36.03
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices .....	14.64	4.4	9.10	12.00	14.00	16.67	20.71
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	18.47	6.8	10.50	13.50	17.00	24.20	26.88
Glaziers .....	17.85	9.1	11.00	13.50	17.00	23.63	25.52
Insulation workers .....	18.91	8.8	10.80	12.59	18.17	24.04	30.15

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators .....	\$16.25	12.3	\$10.00	\$11.70	\$14.00	\$19.00	\$26.92
Roofers .....	16.21	7.5	9.00	11.50	15.00	20.50	25.00
Sheet metal duct installers .....	24.07	12.8	9.25	16.38	24.22	33.09	34.30
Structural metal workers .....	24.22	12.4	14.00	15.56	22.22	28.25	39.08
Construction trades, n.e.c. .....	17.57	5.5	10.02	12.10	16.00	20.45	26.86
Supervisors, extractive .....	24.40	19.4	11.93	13.87	20.00	35.18	35.18
Drillers, oil well .....	25.02	17.8	10.00	16.00	29.63	34.02	34.02
Mining machine operators .....	18.57	9.3	11.36	15.55	19.12	21.73	26.05
Supervisors, production .....	22.24	2.0	14.60	17.00	21.09	25.96	31.75
Tool and die makers .....	23.94	2.0	16.86	19.80	24.13	28.92	31.07
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	17.92	7.4	14.00	15.50	17.00	20.00	24.80
Precision assemblers, metal .....	20.72	6.1	11.82	16.50	19.50	25.60	29.10
Machinists .....	19.93	2.0	13.77	16.50	20.00	23.00	26.50
Boilermakers .....	19.47	9.9	14.87	16.00	17.92	22.87	25.40
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	16.20	9.1	8.90	12.00	15.76	19.55	22.50
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	21.41	8.9	11.46	15.72	20.96	28.49	31.81
Layout workers .....	18.46	16.0	11.56	13.25	16.75	21.05	35.00
Sheet metal workers .....	17.80	10.1	10.00	12.05	15.03	20.10	28.22
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	18.14	11.4	11.95	15.00	15.70	20.75	22.72
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	13.14	6.9	9.75	11.10	12.50	14.15	17.00
Furniture and wood finishers .....	12.13	7.0	9.02	9.82	12.00	13.00	16.50
Dressmakers .....	12.48	7.8	8.50	11.00	11.43	13.30	18.65
Tailors .....	17.63	20.4	8.50	10.45	13.00	20.35	36.06
Upholsterers .....	15.05	11.5	8.50	12.29	14.85	17.37	20.51
Hand molders and shapers, except jewelers .....	14.21	14.3	9.75	12.50	12.50	17.93	20.40
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	18.63	11.4	14.25	14.25	15.15	24.97	28.13
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	15.25	2.7	9.75	12.75	14.61	16.25	21.17
Bookbinders .....	15.45	10.5	8.00	10.40	14.96	20.92	22.17
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	13.99	3.7	8.76	10.30	13.12	16.62	20.95
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. .....	14.26	12.4	10.00	10.06	11.10	16.14	22.21
Butchers and meat cutters .....	12.35	3.8	8.05	9.40	11.20	14.80	18.49
Bakers .....	12.29	5.6	6.00	10.00	12.00	14.25	18.06
Food batchmakers .....	13.27	4.9	8.50	10.56	13.54	15.67	17.60
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	20.37	4.2	10.73	15.32	19.45	26.02	28.74
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	23.35	10.4	15.65	16.64	26.63	26.63	27.33
Adjusters and calibrators .....	20.79	11.0	17.82	17.85	17.85	26.28	27.33
Water and sewer treatment plant operators .....	19.27	2.7	12.09	15.20	19.08	22.94	27.54
Power plant operators .....	28.18	3.8	20.68	26.17	26.52	30.95	36.21
Stationary engineers .....	23.71	4.4	13.90	19.20	23.67	27.61	32.27
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. .....	23.86	4.7	16.13	20.43	24.65	27.50	29.08
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....</b>	<b>14.32</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>8.50</b>	<b>10.31</b>	<b>13.11</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>22.68</b>
Lathe and turning-machine set-up operators .....	17.41	3.7	12.70	14.35	16.51	19.75	22.47
Lathe and turning-machine operators .....	16.12	6.2	10.50	12.50	16.00	18.68	21.68
Milling and planing machine operators .....	16.14	6.9	10.75	13.25	16.22	18.81	22.09
Punching and stamping press operators .....	14.04	6.7	8.50	10.08	12.39	16.25	21.87
Rolling machine operators .....	16.65	11.4	10.51	12.50	15.25	19.31	26.98
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	14.25	8.1	7.25	10.00	14.00	17.70	20.59
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	13.60	2.7	8.58	11.00	12.98	15.60	18.75
Forging machine operators .....	12.93	10.3	8.61	10.50	11.50	15.32	18.65
Numerical control machine operators .....	16.82	3.1	12.00	14.10	16.50	19.00	21.57
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. .....	15.65	4.0	9.35	11.65	14.15	18.25	26.66
Molding and casting machine operators .....	13.46	3.6	8.50	10.23	12.81	15.40	19.75
Metal plating machine operators .....	14.49	7.8	8.50	10.60	13.84	18.10	23.00
Heat treating equipment operators .....	15.95	5.2	10.90	13.66	15.30	17.80	21.48
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators ..	12.20	7.1	8.00	9.25	12.75	14.16	14.50
Sawing machine operators .....	11.11	4.9	7.50	9.00	10.75	12.50	15.25
Shaping and joining machine operators .....	13.69	2.8	11.00	12.71	13.80	14.50	16.25

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>							
—Continued							
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	\$10.46	10.9	\$7.13	\$7.79	\$9.22	\$13.85	\$13.87
Printing press operators .....	16.99	2.8	11.00	14.00	17.00	19.98	22.65
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	16.66	6.3	13.25	13.25	16.69	18.45	22.81
Typesetters and compositors .....	15.71	5.8	9.50	12.50	17.00	19.00	19.97
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	12.61	7.1	9.00	9.67	11.59	13.07	16.39
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	12.23	5.8	9.00	10.27	11.75	13.60	16.93
Textile cutting machine operators .....	10.92	4.7	7.90	9.79	10.75	10.75	14.26
Textile sewing machine operators .....	10.53	9.2	7.03	8.36	9.00	11.67	15.50
Pressing machine operators .....	9.46	5.4	6.75	8.00	9.50	10.50	12.20
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	9.98	5.6	7.14	8.13	9.50	11.00	13.50
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	12.35	8.1	7.43	9.52	11.45	14.70	18.89
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	14.43	4.0	8.75	10.93	13.60	16.61	22.43
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	13.83	3.8	10.01	11.22	13.29	16.22	17.61
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	15.57	4.1	10.31	11.84	14.95	18.36	21.50
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators .....	19.55	5.4	12.30	16.09	18.98	24.45	25.62
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	11.65	8.0	8.00	8.25	11.19	13.23	16.81
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	15.49	4.4	9.85	11.55	14.17	17.24	26.21
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	14.04	7.8	8.50	11.52	13.00	17.30	21.00
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators .....	16.81	22.6	10.00	10.00	13.05	28.04	28.04
Folding machine operators .....	13.02	16.8	6.90	8.35	12.44	16.03	20.44
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	15.33	6.1	10.50	12.04	13.70	17.50	25.13
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	15.57	11.9	10.25	11.60	14.54	16.39	27.19
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	14.08	2.7	9.00	11.50	13.81	16.42	18.75
Photographic process machine operators .....	11.47	7.8	9.00	10.00	10.17	12.00	16.85
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. .....	14.74	2.6	8.64	10.52	13.66	17.95	23.00
Welders and cutters .....	15.90	2.4	11.00	12.40	15.09	18.00	22.25
Solderers and brazers .....	12.17	9.0	8.55	9.00	12.00	14.39	16.50
Assemblers .....	15.06	2.0	8.23	10.10	13.00	18.24	26.74
Hand cutting and trimming .....	11.81	10.8	6.95	9.00	10.46	14.59	17.00
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	11.73	8.3	7.50	8.50	12.38	14.00	15.66
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	12.21	4.6	8.75	10.48	11.50	14.00	15.21
Hand engraving and printing .....	16.75	26.4	9.00	9.92	12.75	28.35	28.75
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. .....	12.80	5.8	7.35	9.40	11.50	14.69	19.29
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	14.12	4.7	8.50	10.15	12.50	16.61	23.44
Production testers .....	15.19	5.0	10.01	11.64	14.00	17.75	20.96
Production samplers and weighers .....	13.78	8.2	10.64	11.03	12.81	14.55	18.30
Graders and sorters, except agricultural .....	11.91	6.2	7.00	9.00	10.30	14.79	16.50
Hand inspectors, n.e.c. .....	12.33	8.1	9.25	10.71	11.63	16.00	16.00
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	15.69	1.7	9.23	11.00	14.50	19.13	24.23
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	18.71	5.8	11.58	14.50	16.68	23.58	27.48
Truckdrivers .....	15.37	2.4	9.25	11.00	14.50	19.00	22.86
Driver-sales workers .....	15.76	6.1	8.50	10.30	14.75	20.19	25.07
Busdrivers .....	15.67	4.3	9.50	12.00	14.74	19.34	22.67
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	8.96	8.2	6.00	7.00	8.75	10.25	12.18
Parking lot attendants .....	7.70	9.7	5.15	6.25	7.50	9.00	10.59
Motor transportation, n.e.c. .....	12.58	5.3	8.10	8.95	10.70	15.00	20.36
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	25.82	22.3	13.65	13.65	26.00	35.82	42.10
Locomotive operating .....	28.07	18.6	14.47	14.47	25.84	37.09	45.60
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	29.55	6.9	16.12	22.93	29.37	37.80	39.49
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. .....	22.52	3.9	18.03	20.00	23.21	24.40	25.58
Ship captains and mates, except fishing boats .....	19.47	14.7	12.92	14.58	20.00	21.67	25.79
Sailors and deckhands .....	12.26	7.4	8.50	9.00	9.92	16.50	19.38
Marine engineers .....	21.48	20.4	14.38	14.38	18.00	24.24	35.27
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	22.69	3.4	16.25	18.75	22.51	27.18	28.05
Operating engineers .....	20.97	8.1	12.00	13.05	18.72	27.22	31.50
Hoist and winch operators .....	12.12	19.6	9.25	9.50	10.50	10.86	25.62
Crane and tower operators .....	16.66	6.2	12.24	13.91	15.07	18.00	22.40

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> —Continued							
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	\$17.02	4.7	\$10.50	\$13.25	\$16.00	\$18.50	\$23.89
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	16.07	5.2	10.56	12.50	14.35	19.00	25.76
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	14.23	1.8	9.26	10.90	13.45	17.00	21.04
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. .....	16.82	5.6	10.00	12.43	15.89	20.40	26.65
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	12.14	1.7	7.05	8.50	10.78	14.31	19.55
Nursery workers .....	11.43	8.8	8.60	9.25	10.00	13.50	16.50
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers .....	24.03	6.4	14.70	19.56	25.00	25.00	29.40
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	12.10	3.5	7.50	8.50	10.93	15.21	17.83
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	12.11	10.6	8.55	9.23	10.75	14.67	18.28
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	10.05	15.9	7.30	7.65	8.75	10.76	14.65
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. .....	20.01	5.1	12.00	15.37	18.71	22.94	28.16
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	12.14	4.1	8.00	9.00	11.00	14.25	17.43
Helpers, construction trades .....	12.62	3.6	8.50	10.00	11.17	14.50	17.43
Construction laborers .....	14.57	4.4	8.00	9.80	12.50	20.00	23.14
Production helpers .....	11.45	2.9	7.25	8.50	10.50	13.73	17.48
Garbage collectors .....	12.17	13.8	7.21	8.29	10.00	14.76	23.56
Stock handlers and baggers .....	11.27	1.9	7.00	8.50	10.55	13.19	16.41
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	10.89	2.5	7.80	8.70	10.51	12.30	14.78
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. .....	12.94	2.4	7.85	9.50	12.00	15.55	20.08
Garage and service station related .....	9.08	3.6	6.75	7.25	8.50	10.00	12.31
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	10.05	3.8	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.90	14.75
Hand packers and packagers .....	9.79	5.5	6.50	7.00	8.90	11.46	14.12
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. .....	11.43	2.4	6.75	8.25	10.32	13.76	17.32
<b>Service</b> .....	12.01	2.1	6.40	7.97	10.18	14.00	20.19
Protective service .....	18.38	2.7	8.75	11.00	16.25	24.42	30.83
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	27.52	4.7	17.92	20.34	25.27	32.02	39.83
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	31.73	2.7	19.23	25.26	30.73	37.57	44.99
Supervisors, guards .....	20.20	8.7	10.50	12.00	15.97	29.92	34.04
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	19.51	11.4	12.50	13.00	19.00	24.57	30.12
Firefighting .....	19.65	2.4	11.74	14.81	18.68	24.27	28.71
Police and detectives, public service .....	25.05	1.0	16.23	19.75	24.88	29.16	33.91
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	20.01	2.4	12.68	14.67	19.24	24.24	28.22
Correctional institution officers .....	17.64	6.3	11.35	12.16	15.49	22.68	26.06
Guards and police, except public service .....	10.51	2.4	7.00	8.50	9.80	11.68	14.58
Protective service, n.e.c. .....	13.79	6.8	7.61	9.00	12.08	16.91	22.05
Food service .....	8.88	1.5	4.25	6.50	8.25	10.76	14.00
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	5.36	2.8	2.13	3.00	5.15	6.75	8.91
Bartenders .....	7.03	4.6	4.00	5.65	6.89	8.50	10.00
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.71	4.3	2.13	2.35	4.25	5.92	7.35
Waiters'Waitresses' assistants .....	6.53	5.4	3.70	4.75	6.44	7.50	9.85
Other food service .....	10.01	1.1	6.50	7.50	9.15	11.54	14.75
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	14.00	2.7	8.75	10.00	13.02	16.50	21.05
Cooks .....	10.37	1.4	7.00	8.00	10.00	12.00	14.98
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	9.09	2.3	6.23	7.20	8.50	10.40	12.65
Food preparation, n.e.c. .....	8.82	1.8	6.25	7.17	8.19	10.00	12.21
Health service .....	11.40	1.2	8.00	9.09	10.67	13.00	16.00
Dental assistants .....	15.41	3.5	10.25	13.18	15.00	17.51	21.00
Health aides, except nursing .....	12.22	2.6	8.00	9.50	11.54	14.00	17.01
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	10.77	1.2	7.77	8.97	10.20	12.02	14.55
Cleaning and building service .....	11.57	2.3	7.00	8.11	10.50	13.95	18.57
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	17.33	4.5	11.54	13.17	17.95	20.28	23.95
Maids and housemen .....	8.80	3.2	6.50	7.09	8.09	10.00	12.00
Janitors and cleaners .....	11.80	2.5	7.35	8.60	11.00	14.27	18.54
Pest control .....	14.13	9.3	9.00	10.50	12.00	16.66	19.07
Personal service .....	10.86	8.2	5.75	6.94	9.00	12.07	17.58

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Personal service —Continued							
Supervisors, personal service .....	\$14.95	6.1	\$8.76	\$11.00	\$14.42	\$18.75	\$21.25
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	13.05	10.0	6.50	7.50	10.50	14.72	22.28
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	7.28	3.9	5.30	5.65	6.55	7.50	10.81
Guides .....	13.90	6.0	10.55	12.50	13.82	15.87	16.83
Public transportation attendants .....	31.98	3.7	18.34	26.05	30.13	38.93	48.15
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	7.86	5.5	5.35	6.15	8.00	9.00	10.95
Welfare service aides .....	11.59	3.0	8.45	9.50	10.94	12.91	15.38
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	9.06	4.0	6.50	7.25	8.75	10.39	12.09
Childcare workers, n.e.c. .....	9.60	5.2	6.50	7.00	8.50	10.50	13.94
Service, n.e.c. .....	11.85	5.0	7.90	9.30	10.97	14.36	17.94

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.3. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
All .....	\$10.52	0.9	\$5.60	\$6.75	\$8.10	\$11.08	\$18.00
All, excluding sales .....	11.12	1.1	5.50	6.75	8.50	12.04	20.33
White collar .....	13.46	1.6	6.50	7.50	9.65	15.40	26.36
White collar, excluding sales .....	17.83	1.9	8.00	10.00	13.95	22.88	32.67
Professional specialty and technical .....	24.80	2.5	10.71	15.59	23.00	30.30	40.00
Professional specialty .....	26.96	2.5	10.71	18.13	25.50	33.08	42.90
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	37.26	18.3	23.78	23.78	30.00	44.50	63.99
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	31.72	7.5	12.94	19.99	30.20	37.18	51.11
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	31.87	7.7	12.94	19.99	31.50	37.18	51.11
Natural scientists .....	25.56	19.5	17.00	18.13	21.16	26.66	45.96
Health related .....	31.24	3.1	20.27	24.00	28.32	35.27	43.96
Physicians .....	85.46	12.3	50.00	62.00	84.08	104.24	125.00
Registered nurses .....	29.21	1.8	20.60	24.01	28.00	33.34	39.71
Pharmacists .....	37.23	8.0	12.85	33.00	39.86	45.20	49.12
Dietitians .....	22.30	6.2	18.50	18.50	22.50	23.63	28.14
Respiratory therapists .....	22.91	5.6	16.64	19.00	22.37	25.66	31.62
Occupational therapists .....	33.08	6.5	25.00	27.88	32.00	37.89	45.00
Physical therapists .....	35.68	6.4	24.00	30.00	39.00	40.00	43.00
Speech therapists .....	31.63	5.7	25.57	26.34	30.00	37.00	43.22
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	19.94	7.0	16.04	16.80	19.00	22.62	23.75
Physicians' assistants .....	34.57	23.7	15.00	29.11	33.40	45.00	58.78
Teachers, college and university .....	31.38	4.9	15.63	21.07	30.00	40.00	49.00
Biological science teachers .....	31.10	31.1	17.00	17.00	26.00	30.72	63.40
Psychology teachers .....	23.18	14.8	15.63	15.63	21.88	30.00	34.38
Mathematical science teachers .....	31.06	18.6	23.45	23.75	26.32	42.51	46.00
Computer science teachers .....	38.66	6.3	34.37	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Health specialties teachers .....	28.23	9.4	18.04	21.07	25.00	31.16	47.00
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	29.21	17.1	16.67	20.00	21.88	40.00	51.00
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	27.62	13.9	15.00	15.00	26.00	36.26	47.00
Physical education teachers .....	18.02	32.0	6.05	7.00	15.91	24.00	38.47
Education teachers .....	24.87	18.1	13.23	17.19	17.46	31.82	45.40
English teachers .....	30.65	7.1	15.87	21.86	34.00	38.72	45.55
Foreign language teachers .....	36.44	15.8	22.46	26.00	30.00	48.75	56.64
Other post-secondary teachers .....	31.59	5.6	17.51	21.25	28.11	38.24	52.06
Teachers, except college and university .....	19.15	5.4	9.33	11.43	15.00	23.78	35.12
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	15.89	10.8	10.00	13.50	13.50	21.00	21.00
Elementary school teachers .....	24.45	8.2	10.71	17.93	23.20	32.13	35.39
Secondary school teachers .....	34.71	7.2	21.83	29.14	34.43	37.93	43.30
Teachers, special education .....	30.08	24.6	15.00	18.00	20.00	49.74	53.85
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	21.21	9.7	10.13	12.50	18.00	29.23	38.00
Substitute teachers .....	13.00	3.7	8.00	9.89	11.34	16.00	21.57
Vocational and educational counselors .....	22.71	24.4	10.50	11.60	24.24	26.13	48.46
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	22.03	4.1	13.26	15.84	19.67	24.38	39.11
Librarians .....	22.39	3.9	13.52	15.84	19.85	25.10	39.69
Social scientists and urban planners .....	25.05	19.5	10.00	13.76	27.00	30.00	35.00
Psychologists .....	25.10	19.6	10.00	13.76	27.00	30.00	35.00
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	16.05	7.8	6.67	10.20	15.24	21.21	26.00
Social workers .....	19.73	4.9	11.50	14.42	18.00	24.46	28.94
Recreation workers .....	9.90	11.7	5.50	6.67	8.91	12.00	17.00
Lawyers and judges .....	49.30	16.2	25.64	29.57	47.62	60.57	63.33
Lawyers .....	50.67	16.7	25.64	29.57	47.62	63.33	68.46
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	15.28	8.2	6.50	8.50	10.87	20.00	31.95
Designers .....	12.42	16.5	7.25	8.00	10.00	13.18	20.00
Musicians and composers .....	41.35	24.1	12.00	15.46	25.00	70.00	70.00
Photographers .....	16.37	32.5	7.05	7.50	13.86	13.86	38.46
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	14.27	17.0	8.90	10.00	12.00	12.00	24.36
Editors and reporters .....	16.40	13.4	9.00	10.32	14.00	20.00	24.15
Announcers .....	8.54	10.8	5.50	6.50	9.00	10.00	11.13
Athletes .....	13.45	10.0	7.50	8.50	10.87	17.62	24.62
Professional, n.e.c. .....	33.06	9.9	18.20	32.20	33.08	34.48	43.61
Technical .....	19.30	3.7	10.82	14.00	17.00	22.06	30.00

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.3. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
Technical—Continued							
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	\$19.25	6.2	\$12.68	\$14.54	\$17.30	\$22.70	\$28.96
Dental hygienists .....	32.15	8.2	22.00	22.50	28.00	40.63	46.88
Health record technologists and technicians .....	15.57	23.1	9.61	11.03	13.55	18.01	26.58
Radiological technicians .....	24.23	7.4	16.00	18.14	23.00	26.38	37.30
Licensed practical nurses .....	17.77	1.8	13.95	15.60	17.00	19.50	23.40
Health technicians and technicians, n.e.c. ....	15.12	4.8	9.06	11.08	13.77	17.55	23.84
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	25.12	18.6	14.00	17.08	21.25	33.97	38.84
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	37.71	11.8	15.17	37.04	40.00	40.00	42.51
Drafters .....	24.75	8.4	21.70	21.70	25.00	28.91	30.00
Biological technicians .....	14.50	10.4	10.82	11.50	16.50	17.00	17.00
Broadcast equipment operators .....	10.65	19.6	7.00	7.70	8.30	9.50	14.92
Computer programmers .....	33.13	7.9	17.65	25.00	34.62	41.44	50.96
Legal assistants .....	16.56	14.4	14.09	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.19
Technical and related, n.e.c. ....	11.65	19.0	8.75	9.25	10.00	12.96	18.07
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	26.43	4.5	12.50	17.16	26.00	30.00	44.00
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	28.88	9.9	7.08	18.82	28.89	33.00	50.94
Legislators .....	15.66	28.3	4.99	4.99	12.00	23.08	28.69
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	42.35	26.5	29.62	29.62	29.62	57.69	66.53
Administrators, education and related fields .....	32.25	9.2	15.50	33.00	33.00	33.00	43.51
Managers, medicine and health .....	37.47	15.7	27.00	27.00	41.76	48.35	48.35
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	23.94	10.4	13.75	18.82	28.89	28.92	28.92
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	33.64	18.0	20.00	20.00	20.20	49.52	56.86
Management related .....	24.96	4.1	14.00	17.00	24.52	29.00	38.15
Accountants and auditors .....	26.53	8.3	14.58	21.00	25.01	30.00	38.15
Other financial officers .....	23.63	14.5	12.00	14.50	17.50	35.20	36.90
Management analysts .....	27.32	7.8	19.23	20.75	22.29	29.79	40.16
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	20.87	7.1	15.00	16.00	20.99	26.88	28.80
Construction inspectors .....	19.54	29.2	11.00	11.00	11.00	30.00	30.00
Management related, n.e.c. ....	25.48	10.9	15.00	17.01	25.25	28.89	40.00
<b>Sales</b> .....	8.14	.8	6.00	6.67	7.50	8.86	10.50
Supervisors, sales .....	9.78	14.4	7.25	7.50	8.00	9.48	12.25
Real estate sales .....	10.39	14.2	6.92	6.92	10.00	11.00	13.48
Sales, other business services .....	8.74	4.9	6.75	7.00	8.00	10.00	10.30
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	10.60	7.5	9.00	9.00	9.25	12.00	13.00
Sales workers, apparel .....	7.64	3.1	6.00	6.50	7.00	8.10	9.50
Sales workers, shoes .....	8.17	11.2	5.75	6.25	7.19	8.75	11.17
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	8.94	3.1	7.00	7.60	8.75	9.92	10.99
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	8.98	3.6	7.32	7.84	8.69	9.75	11.00
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	10.12	3.0	7.50	8.70	10.00	11.25	13.17
Sales workers, parts .....	8.18	3.2	7.00	7.25	8.00	9.00	9.80
Sales workers, other commodities .....	8.18	2.2	6.10	6.75	7.50	8.86	10.70
Sales counter clerks .....	7.38	2.0	6.00	6.50	7.25	8.00	9.00
Cashiers .....	7.83	.9	6.00	6.50	7.35	8.50	10.00
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	10.46	10.9	8.00	8.00	9.00	11.30	16.25
Sales support, n.e.c. ....	7.88	3.7	6.00	6.40	7.10	8.80	10.30
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	11.62	1.0	7.50	8.76	10.60	13.50	17.00
Computer operators .....	12.66	11.7	8.92	11.00	11.00	15.59	15.59
Secretaries .....	14.31	3.7	9.00	10.75	14.00	16.00	21.15
Stenographers .....	18.16	5.5	11.40	13.06	16.88	21.11	29.80
Typists .....	15.89	12.1	10.00	11.82	15.65	18.43	24.00
Interviewers .....	9.64	6.7	7.50	7.75	9.25	10.86	12.33
Hotel clerks .....	8.67	4.1	6.00	7.75	8.25	9.50	11.25
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	15.36	3.7	9.38	11.57	15.33	20.29	20.60
Receptionists .....	10.11	4.6	6.75	7.57	9.28	12.12	15.00
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	10.60	9.5	6.50	8.00	10.25	12.00	14.00

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.3. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Order clerks .....	\$10.45	7.2	\$6.55	\$7.50	\$9.10	\$12.50	\$14.19
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	13.15	11.8	8.00	10.52	12.21	17.60	17.60
Library clerks .....	10.93	4.2	7.15	8.37	9.79	13.00	16.52
File clerks .....	9.72	3.9	8.00	8.25	10.00	10.00	11.81
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	12.11	5.4	8.05	9.83	10.82	14.50	15.65
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	12.53	2.2	8.35	10.00	12.66	14.05	17.85
Billing clerks .....	13.43	6.7	10.30	11.00	12.00	14.92	17.79
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	11.20	2.8	8.50	10.00	10.86	12.59	14.39
Duplicating machine operators .....	10.08	8.2	8.50	8.50	9.00	11.44	12.00
Telephone operators .....	9.61	3.5	8.50	9.00	9.00	10.00	11.84
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	10.34	4.0	8.20	8.79	10.12	11.70	12.69
Messengers .....	9.51	8.8	7.00	7.50	9.50	12.00	12.00
Dispatchers .....	11.16	9.2	6.75	8.00	10.00	11.00	19.61
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	12.02	8.5	8.50	10.00	12.01	13.78	16.03
Stock and inventory clerks .....	9.97	5.7	7.00	7.50	8.85	11.35	14.55
Meter readers .....	13.69	4.5	10.50	11.00	15.50	15.50	15.50
Expeditors .....	10.10	11.0	7.25	8.19	8.73	11.95	14.25
Material recording, scheduling, and distribution clerks, n.e.c. ....	8.78	2.4	7.15	7.85	8.37	10.00	10.75
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	15.91	12.9	11.19	12.00	13.88	17.13	28.14
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	12.52	5.9	7.30	9.44	11.85	15.01	17.02
Bill and account collectors .....	11.82	16.1	8.00	8.33	9.57	14.01	23.50
General office clerks .....	10.95	3.4	7.40	8.50	10.60	13.00	15.00
Bank tellers .....	10.09	1.7	8.00	9.00	9.60	11.00	12.92
Data entry keyers .....	12.79	8.8	9.00	10.00	11.35	15.00	20.00
Teachers' aides .....	13.56	2.1	8.52	9.89	12.64	16.96	19.45
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	11.52	3.8	8.00	9.20	10.51	12.86	16.00
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	9.60	1.4	6.00	6.95	8.50	10.87	14.47
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	12.60	6.9	7.00	8.50	10.25	14.23	22.85
Automobile mechanics .....	9.60	5.4	8.00	9.52	9.52	10.00	10.00
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	21.64	15.3	9.77	11.35	25.58	25.58	36.36
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. ....	10.90	15.3	6.00	7.98	10.00	15.00	17.91
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	11.98	9.6	8.00	9.00	10.73	13.00	16.00
Butchers and meat cutters .....	8.96	14.7	5.40	6.00	7.00	11.44	17.50
Bakers .....	9.61	4.0	7.50	7.60	8.50	13.00	13.00
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> .....	9.39	2.7	6.28	8.00	8.52	10.00	12.00
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	7.84	6.7	6.28	6.50	7.00	9.03	10.20
Photographic process machine operators .....	8.06	3.8	6.86	8.00	8.24	8.50	8.50
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	10.03	5.3	7.75	8.00	9.50	10.21	13.50
Assemblers .....	10.21	5.3	7.16	8.25	10.00	10.50	13.75
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	10.80	3.4	6.00	7.00	10.00	13.50	17.48
Truckdrivers .....	11.91	7.0	6.75	8.00	10.76	15.06	19.41
Driver-sales workers .....	7.37	8.4	5.15	5.50	6.50	8.00	12.50
Busdrivers .....	13.55	2.0	9.93	10.97	12.92	15.75	18.00
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	8.91	5.2	6.48	7.25	8.50	9.45	11.30
Parking lot attendants .....	8.34	17.0	6.00	6.00	6.75	8.50	20.00
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	7.03	5.3	5.40	6.15	6.33	7.25	8.76
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	11.59	11.1	7.50	8.00	9.54	14.26	17.64
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	12.85	10.2	8.00	9.00	12.33	14.32	16.43
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	8.69	1.6	6.00	6.55	8.00	9.95	12.50
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	9.02	3.9	7.00	8.00	8.25	9.00	11.50
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	7.02	5.9	6.00	6.00	6.50	8.00	8.50
Helpers, construction trades .....	11.49	7.7	7.27	10.00	13.00	13.00	14.50

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.3. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued								
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>								
—Continued								
Construction laborers .....	\$15.25	26.2	\$5.15	\$7.50	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$29.00	
Production helpers .....	8.74	6.1	7.00	7.50	8.50	9.38	12.25	
Stock handlers and baggers .....	7.70	1.1	5.65	6.25	7.25	8.40	10.00	
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	9.66	9.7	7.00	7.30	9.35	9.60	11.77	
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	10.95	3.1	7.00	9.00	10.50	12.75	15.10	
Garage and service station related .....	9.62	16.5	6.50	7.00	8.06	10.18	10.95	
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	7.70	5.3	5.50	6.50	7.00	8.50	10.00	
Hand packers and packagers .....	7.98	3.8	5.92	6.25	7.50	9.00	10.25	
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	7.95	3.0	5.65	6.50	7.50	9.00	10.50	
<b>Service</b> .....	7.59	.9	4.00	6.00	7.00	8.88	11.00	
Protective service .....	10.41	3.6	6.60	7.50	9.00	11.00	16.00	
Firefighting .....	9.49	15.3	7.16	7.16	7.62	10.00	18.27	
Police and detectives, public service .....	18.50	11.2	11.65	12.74	14.64	25.00	32.00	
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	17.25	9.3	8.75	15.85	16.00	18.50	20.00	
Crossing guards .....	10.67	6.8	6.67	8.20	10.00	12.94	15.81	
Guards and police, except public service .....	10.38	5.7	6.50	7.95	9.00	10.15	16.00	
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	8.92	5.9	6.50	7.25	8.00	10.25	13.50	
Food service .....	6.50	1.0	2.66	5.50	6.75	7.50	9.14	
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	4.90	2.6	2.13	2.60	4.75	6.75	7.50	
Bartenders .....	6.57	3.9	3.15	5.10	6.75	8.00	9.31	
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.38	3.3	2.13	2.19	3.35	6.15	7.35	
Waiters'Waitresses' assistants .....	5.88	2.7	3.13	5.15	6.25	6.75	7.50	
Other food service .....	7.34	.8	5.50	6.15	7.00	8.00	9.75	
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	10.20	10.5	6.50	7.50	9.00	12.36	14.60	
Cooks .....	8.00	1.9	6.00	6.50	7.50	9.23	10.55	
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	7.44	2.4	5.50	6.25	7.08	8.00	9.94	
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	7.29	1.2	5.50	6.25	7.00	8.00	9.45	
Health service .....	9.86	3.1	6.15	7.75	9.41	11.10	13.81	
Dental assistants .....	14.90	12.6	7.50	11.50	13.25	17.50	26.00	
Health aides, except nursing .....	10.60	2.9	7.25	8.22	9.53	12.00	15.04	
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	9.51	3.4	6.01	7.50	9.11	10.80	13.12	
Cleaning and building service .....	8.48	3.3	5.75	7.00	8.00	9.42	11.43	
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	13.38	8.8	7.00	14.17	15.00	15.00	15.00	
Maids and housemen .....	8.55	5.0	6.25	7.00	7.75	9.25	11.09	
Janitors and cleaners .....	8.39	3.4	5.50	6.80	8.00	9.42	11.40	

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 1.3. United States, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Personal service .....	\$8.79	1.9	\$5.91	\$6.50	\$7.84	\$10.00	\$12.45
Supervisors, personal service .....	13.44	5.9	8.00	10.28	14.00	16.74	16.95
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	11.28	14.8	5.91	6.50	9.00	14.25	21.36
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	7.21	4.6	5.15	5.75	6.75	8.00	9.48
Guides .....	10.39	13.7	6.50	7.00	8.50	13.57	15.00
Ushers .....	7.33	6.3	5.15	6.00	7.00	7.75	10.00
Public transportation attendants .....	13.26	30.4	8.50	8.50	8.50	11.00	27.11
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	9.44	13.8	6.70	7.00	8.00	10.20	14.91
Welfare service aides .....	7.62	7.4	6.05	6.05	6.85	8.40	11.23
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	8.58	3.3	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.55	11.25
Childcare workers, n.e.c. ....	9.22	3.6	6.50	7.00	8.50	11.44	13.00
Service, n.e.c. ....	9.61	3.7	6.18	7.00	8.47	10.00	13.77

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
All .....	\$17.82	1.1	\$7.25	\$9.65	\$14.00	\$21.64	\$32.00
All, excluding sales .....	18.12	1.2	7.50	10.00	14.45	22.12	32.31
White collar .....	22.21	1.0	8.53	11.80	17.45	27.61	40.87
White collar, excluding sales .....	24.08	1.1	10.00	13.44	19.54	29.73	43.08
Professional specialty and technical .....	29.80	1.5	14.00	18.98	26.37	36.00	47.84
Professional specialty .....	32.48	1.6	15.76	21.93	29.39	39.45	50.48
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	36.78	1.4	23.80	28.69	34.86	43.13	52.26
Architects .....	29.81	7.7	19.79	22.32	27.04	33.30	43.80
Aerospace engineers .....	42.33	8.0	23.34	30.95	42.98	52.36	59.55
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	34.08	6.8	25.00	27.59	32.31	36.35	50.65
Petroleum engineers .....	43.16	16.1	26.14	32.25	36.06	55.94	65.19
Chemical engineers .....	35.75	8.7	26.44	29.10	29.47	44.85	47.79
Nuclear engineers .....	40.40	5.5	32.05	34.58	38.86	44.07	50.30
Civil engineers .....	32.51	4.2	20.00	25.05	30.00	38.32	45.98
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	39.19	2.6	25.12	31.15	37.48	44.73	55.63
Industrial engineers .....	33.26	2.6	23.08	27.21	32.21	36.76	44.67
Mechanical engineers .....	31.94	2.0	23.08	26.42	30.90	36.62	42.16
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	29.94	11.6	20.19	24.04	29.90	33.25	42.93
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	40.10	2.2	26.25	31.43	39.13	47.07	57.00
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	36.16	11.4	20.51	26.44	40.80	40.80	49.50
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	35.66	2.4	20.62	26.67	34.62	43.26	51.61
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	35.68	2.7	20.48	26.77	34.62	43.09	51.78
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	35.72	5.5	21.15	25.77	36.87	43.75	50.80
Actuaries .....	37.23	9.4	23.86	26.51	36.00	46.88	50.58
Statisticians .....	29.36	8.9	16.22	26.44	29.07	31.25	39.80
Natural scientists .....	32.70	2.9	17.99	23.35	30.36	39.48	49.53
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.15	8.9	20.19	23.13	29.43	36.92	49.53
Geologists and geodesists .....	37.13	6.8	25.24	32.00	38.46	43.59	52.89
Physical scientists, n.e.c. .....	32.07	8.4	19.53	23.88	30.75	36.49	48.65
Agricultural and food scientists .....	31.29	10.1	14.00	25.09	30.94	36.19	40.70
Biological and life scientists .....	33.54	10.2	17.18	22.19	29.72	40.03	63.22
Medical scientists .....	31.71	13.0	16.36	20.33	25.64	40.87	47.25
Health related .....	32.83	3.5	19.30	22.77	28.00	36.00	48.08
Physicians .....	70.97	8.0	21.01	32.35	70.00	98.08	110.17
Dentists .....	51.99	4.5	44.35	49.52	49.52	56.55	61.18
Optometrists .....	60.76	13.7	42.60	45.67	61.67	75.00	93.75
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. .....	33.45	8.8	28.63	31.25	31.25	31.25	45.58
Registered nurses .....	28.35	1.3	19.70	22.78	26.93	32.25	38.46
Pharmacists .....	44.60	1.5	37.28	43.00	45.82	47.76	50.78
Dietitians .....	21.54	5.3	15.01	17.54	21.00	24.64	31.22
Respiratory therapists .....	22.79	1.8	18.30	19.76	22.00	25.80	27.97
Occupational therapists .....	27.15	4.4	17.07	23.10	27.46	31.17	35.94
Physical therapists .....	29.72	3.6	22.11	25.38	30.00	33.00	37.15
Speech therapists .....	26.75	6.1	19.23	22.28	26.25	31.25	33.53
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	17.05	3.5	12.31	13.94	14.94	18.46	23.67
Physicians' assistants .....	37.00	7.9	15.00	30.95	37.50	46.64	48.08
Teachers, college and university .....	43.56	3.7	21.28	28.21	37.86	51.74	72.71
Biological science teachers .....	51.28	12.8	28.76	37.89	45.06	49.04	116.35
Chemistry teachers .....	56.94	9.8	37.03	46.23	49.05	65.90	85.80
Psychology teachers .....	40.16	6.3	26.16	30.00	41.25	44.98	60.25
Economics teachers .....	55.11	12.9	31.87	39.06	56.21	62.30	68.91
History teachers .....	36.56	9.6	25.81	27.65	30.15	43.13	50.39
Sociology teachers .....	48.01	27.5	26.80	30.10	36.11	65.45	85.89
Social science teachers, n.e.c. .....	45.00	10.4	28.85	29.02	42.99	56.61	56.61
Engineering teachers .....	62.93	13.2	35.18	36.47	64.36	81.80	96.61
Mathematical science teachers .....	39.02	14.6	30.74	30.74	30.74	42.27	59.61
Computer science teachers .....	28.36	11.9	19.23	22.84	22.84	30.88	41.09
Medical science teachers .....	61.67	8.2	32.69	44.99	60.10	72.12	90.97
Health specialties teachers .....	54.97	13.8	24.73	28.21	38.81	65.93	98.90
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	47.86	8.2	22.00	31.10	43.71	52.79	79.13
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	37.99	7.9	19.78	27.11	37.20	40.48	63.88
Physical education teachers .....	21.97	19.3	7.00	14.06	22.04	28.11	36.43

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty</b> —Continued							
Teachers, college and university —Continued							
Education teachers .....	\$39.90	16.4	\$21.95	\$30.33	\$35.05	\$40.34	\$77.34
English teachers .....	39.57	6.8	25.72	28.31	32.93	42.65	67.22
Foreign language teachers .....	42.92	8.4	26.00	32.05	43.64	47.68	61.32
Law teachers .....	65.76	13.1	47.91	52.33	63.85	78.00	99.49
Theology teachers .....	42.01	11.2	25.64	28.11	37.79	48.11	62.77
Other post-secondary teachers .....	38.37	5.8	18.33	23.00	32.73	46.98	67.40
Teachers, except college and university .....	20.74	3.5	9.77	12.81	18.71	27.46	34.13
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	12.71	4.5	8.50	9.75	12.02	14.20	19.02
Elementary school teachers .....	24.47	5.2	15.58	18.75	23.65	29.66	33.70
Secondary school teachers .....	31.21	4.4	18.60	23.08	30.20	36.53	45.73
Teachers, special education .....	26.17	10.2	15.44	19.62	25.24	30.90	40.91
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	22.86	5.6	11.54	15.94	21.88	29.70	36.23
Substitute teachers .....	8.39	10.5	6.00	6.50	8.00	10.88	11.00
Vocational and educational counselors .....	17.71	8.6	10.11	12.02	14.67	20.33	32.67
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	29.42	6.4	18.22	21.63	26.61	35.92	48.08
Librarians .....	29.60	7.4	18.22	20.87	26.61	35.92	48.08
Social scientists and urban planners .....	30.70	6.4	15.14	20.42	28.75	36.00	48.08
Economists .....	34.32	8.3	19.35	23.08	30.23	39.07	49.74
Psychologists .....	23.20	8.0	11.69	15.02	20.49	27.91	35.00
Social scientists, n.e.c. .....	34.19	2.4	20.91	25.09	31.25	38.69	53.00
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	17.11	2.8	10.73	13.02	16.26	20.05	24.73
Social workers .....	17.73	3.1	11.78	13.94	16.59	20.90	25.72
Recreation workers .....	11.68	7.4	6.35	8.00	11.27	14.22	18.00
Clergy .....	15.98	12.8	12.07	12.18	12.58	18.52	20.75
Religious workers, n.e.c. .....	18.60	13.4	11.25	16.35	16.87	20.05	21.21
Lawyers and judges .....	56.29	4.4	28.85	36.92	50.76	69.23	88.40
Lawyers .....	56.29	4.4	28.85	36.92	50.76	69.23	88.40
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	24.18	3.7	10.00	14.42	20.19	28.86	43.16
Technical writers .....	35.36	14.8	15.00	22.23	34.60	50.48	54.33
Designers .....	20.84	4.2	9.84	13.23	18.62	26.13	34.01
Musicians and composers .....	39.45	15.7	19.13	27.50	31.59	38.55	70.00
Actors and directors .....	32.15	17.1	10.00	15.83	25.51	43.51	52.97
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers .....	17.74	6.8	9.98	14.28	18.27	20.00	22.69
Photographers .....	17.04	12.5	8.00	9.59	13.86	22.44	31.23
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	14.82	16.3	8.00	8.00	12.00	19.13	23.75
Editors and reporters .....	25.78	7.5	10.50	14.92	21.64	29.68	43.01
Public relations specialists .....	24.74	7.0	16.83	17.50	22.78	27.29	32.84
Announcers .....	30.05	27.6	6.50	10.00	15.58	22.60	88.95
Athletes .....	22.64	12.6	9.00	14.00	19.57	30.00	38.46
Professional, n.e.c. .....	32.72	9.0	16.91	20.31	30.93	44.85	53.67
Technical .....	22.79	2.4	12.28	15.35	19.58	25.72	33.00
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.93	2.7	10.98	14.00	17.88	22.66	27.79
Dental hygienists .....	32.11	4.0	22.00	25.16	32.87	38.00	40.63
Health record technologists and technicians .....	15.49	4.5	10.00	11.76	15.21	17.86	23.47
Radiological technicians .....	24.04	2.5	16.67	20.00	23.30	27.72	32.45
Licensed practical nurses .....	17.79	1.7	13.50	15.30	17.03	20.00	22.95
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. .....	16.37	2.3	10.00	12.50	15.04	18.30	24.25
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	24.05	12.0	12.01	16.50	22.61	27.10	32.26
Industrial engineering technicians .....	24.21	5.6	16.93	20.00	23.52	28.39	32.05
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	22.64	4.4	16.04	17.31	21.10	26.45	32.69
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. .....	26.00	5.6	15.40	19.25	24.92	30.92	38.41
Drafters .....	21.99	2.7	14.42	17.52	21.01	25.95	28.57
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	19.61	11.9	12.00	14.25	17.50	23.98	31.50
Biological technicians .....	18.46	5.3	12.00	14.80	17.00	21.96	25.44
Chemical technicians .....	21.96	6.4	14.56	16.48	22.12	24.67	29.56
Science technicians, n.e.c. .....	21.79	10.1	13.85	16.50	20.27	26.66	32.43
Airplane pilots and navigators .....	95.50	12.8	24.40	43.18	92.05	140.59	177.99

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>White collar</b> —Continued								
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued								
Technical—Continued								
Broadcast equipment operators .....	\$13.33	10.1	\$8.00	\$9.25	\$12.20	\$15.09	\$18.00	
Computer programmers .....	31.51	3.1	18.46	24.06	29.27	36.42	45.17	
Tool programmers, numerical control .....	23.35	7.4	16.65	18.50	21.64	30.00	32.55	
Legal assistants .....	22.51	4.1	15.00	17.31	21.43	26.11	30.76	
Technical and related, n.e.c. .....	20.45	6.4	11.00	13.60	18.75	23.27	33.32	
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	34.21	2.2	16.88	21.72	29.00	40.87	55.39	
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	38.54	2.8	17.78	24.04	33.15	46.91	61.60	
Financial managers .....	40.56	2.8	20.50	25.50	34.10	50.00	67.79	
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	31.23	7.7	21.00	22.85	25.23	36.06	46.85	
Purchasing managers .....	35.06	8.4	18.75	22.79	30.83	40.87	50.52	
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations .....	45.42	4.2	23.50	29.05	39.52	55.05	69.71	
Administrators, education and related fields .....	27.73	4.7	13.23	19.23	25.24	33.57	45.65	
Managers, medicine and health .....	35.79	3.5	19.00	27.22	34.49	42.12	51.74	
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments ..	21.12	7.5	12.00	14.18	18.51	24.42	32.01	
Managers, properties and real estate .....	20.96	4.4	10.10	14.54	21.38	25.32	29.43	
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. .....	30.80	8.2	15.39	18.82	24.23	32.69	49.76	
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. .....	41.29	4.7	18.72	25.96	36.24	49.46	63.90	
Management related .....	27.78	1.2	16.35	19.94	25.33	32.20	41.11	
Accountants and auditors .....	25.94	2.2	16.35	20.19	24.73	30.77	36.70	
Underwriters .....	27.41	5.7	17.91	19.23	25.70	31.83	41.01	
Other financial officers .....	32.78	3.8	16.38	20.51	27.68	37.02	51.25	
Management analysts .....	31.96	4.9	19.93	23.35	29.56	38.27	50.20	
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	25.81	4.3	16.00	18.39	23.93	30.00	36.64	
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products .....	23.95	16.5	16.35	16.35	20.74	34.84	34.84	
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products .....	27.18	3.8	16.16	20.19	25.14	31.25	40.39	
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. .....	27.37	4.7	17.98	20.59	24.46	31.62	42.06	
Business and promotional agents .....	23.34	5.8	16.67	17.71	24.22	27.12	29.81	
Construction inspectors .....	24.11	12.0	13.00	18.72	22.24	35.23	37.06	
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction .....	25.73	6.9	19.35	19.67	26.62	29.71	33.28	
Management related, n.e.c. .....	26.29	2.7	16.00	18.99	24.46	31.25	39.59	
<b>Sales</b> .....	15.33	1.5	6.75	8.00	11.00	17.28	28.85	
Supervisors, sales .....	20.49	3.5	10.50	12.80	16.60	22.69	36.56	
Insurance sales .....	23.06	8.5	9.98	13.86	18.13	28.34	43.27	
Real estate sales .....	21.37	14.8	10.00	14.29	16.35	24.04	49.30	
Securities and financial services sales .....	41.04	7.0	14.42	16.51	28.13	43.27	74.59	
Advertising and related sales .....	20.48	10.3	9.50	11.59	16.62	25.48	38.12	
Sales, other business services .....	23.98	7.8	8.35	12.50	18.47	27.37	41.54	
Sales engineers .....	37.71	9.1	22.60	29.38	38.46	43.17	57.69	
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	26.89	3.3	12.50	16.45	22.66	33.63	45.68	
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	21.98	6.1	7.64	10.71	17.31	26.50	40.31	
Sales workers, apparel .....	10.43	8.8	6.15	6.90	8.16	10.10	14.90	
Sales workers, shoes .....	9.02	10.0	6.00	6.75	7.58	10.27	15.00	
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	12.34	5.6	7.25	8.50	10.25	14.06	18.52	
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	10.84	6.9	7.50	8.24	9.27	12.00	17.15	
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	12.86	5.0	8.50	9.65	11.50	14.33	17.90	
Sales workers, parts .....	13.99	3.0	8.24	10.39	13.00	15.85	20.81	
Sales workers, other commodities .....	11.74	3.1	6.75	7.60	9.48	13.00	19.23	
Sales counter clerks .....	9.62	4.5	6.50	7.25	8.85	10.73	14.24	
Cashiers .....	8.67	1.4	6.10	7.00	8.00	9.75	12.19	
Street and door-to-door sales workers .....	17.96	13.5	8.46	10.00	14.42	25.47	33.13	
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	14.67	13.1	8.00	9.70	13.26	16.25	20.19	
Sales support, n.e.c. .....	13.52	7.7	6.59	8.25	10.80	16.35	24.26	
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	14.44	.7	9.00	10.65	13.50	17.00	21.25	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Supervisors, general office .....	\$20.90	2.5	\$13.50	\$16.75	\$20.19	\$24.62	\$28.98
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	23.17	3.3	13.88	17.30	21.63	27.65	31.68
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	20.53	5.4	14.43	16.00	19.23	23.79	27.60
Computer operators .....	16.66	3.8	12.36	13.64	16.80	18.83	21.50
Peripheral equipment operators .....	13.91	9.6	9.24	9.47	13.18	16.00	17.01
Secretaries .....	16.95	1.2	10.58	13.00	16.25	19.95	24.15
Stenographers .....	16.69	5.0	11.52	13.00	14.87	18.57	25.00
Typists .....	15.86	5.6	10.82	12.86	14.82	18.31	24.00
Interviewers .....	11.81	4.5	8.00	9.50	11.01	14.34	16.34
Hotel clerks .....	9.17	1.8	7.25	8.00	8.75	10.00	11.95
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	15.17	3.4	8.50	10.99	15.56	19.86	20.83
Receptionists .....	11.79	1.6	8.01	9.50	11.50	13.63	15.98
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	13.63	2.7	9.00	10.75	12.92	16.20	18.68
Classified ad clerks .....	13.00	6.0	11.26	11.88	12.40	14.65	14.65
Correspondence clerks .....	13.96	4.0	11.25	12.01	12.79	15.14	17.96
Order clerks .....	14.40	3.2	8.91	10.85	13.46	16.95	20.87
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	16.36	2.5	11.88	13.79	16.00	19.23	21.41
Library clerks .....	12.44	7.8	8.45	9.18	12.17	14.79	16.90
File clerks .....	10.70	2.2	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.93	14.42
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	14.01	2.8	9.00	10.75	13.23	16.41	20.34
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	14.83	1.5	10.00	11.90	14.25	17.00	20.57
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	16.40	2.6	11.00	13.00	15.40	19.62	22.94
Billing clerks .....	13.34	1.9	9.63	11.00	13.00	15.00	17.44
Cost and rate clerks .....	13.39	9.3	7.09	10.85	13.45	16.11	20.12
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	13.35	4.4	10.00	10.68	12.28	15.39	18.26
Duplicating machine operators .....	12.48	9.4	9.68	9.68	12.02	15.50	15.50
Mail preparing and paper handling machine operators .....	12.26	6.7	9.50	10.02	11.25	12.00	20.04
Office machine operators, n.e.c. ....	11.05	4.0	8.49	10.31	11.33	12.24	12.39
Telephone operators .....	12.38	5.7	8.00	9.00	10.82	14.77	20.11
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	11.96	6.0	8.50	9.50	10.90	12.91	16.85
Messengers .....	9.64	8.0	7.00	7.50	9.60	11.52	12.36
Dispatchers .....	15.63	5.0	7.50	11.00	14.49	19.98	24.41
Production coordinators .....	18.77	3.7	12.39	13.75	17.86	22.39	27.25
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	13.87	2.0	9.26	10.90	13.25	15.98	20.37
Stock and inventory clerks .....	12.74	1.8	8.00	9.55	12.32	15.00	17.78
Meter readers .....	17.41	7.7	11.25	12.55	15.60	21.07	25.88
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers .....	14.69	8.0	9.88	10.38	13.50	14.99	26.43
Expeditors .....	15.22	4.9	9.12	11.06	15.87	17.70	22.12
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	19.44	3.5	12.06	14.65	17.52	22.50	29.21
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	15.66	3.6	9.60	12.09	14.04	18.73	23.99
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	13.44	4.8	9.74	11.10	12.90	15.38	19.13
Bill and account collectors .....	14.33	7.5	8.88	10.50	13.40	17.49	20.88
General office clerks .....	13.22	1.2	8.60	10.00	12.44	15.25	19.10
Bank tellers .....	10.94	1.3	8.50	9.34	10.45	12.21	13.93
Proofreaders .....	11.86	12.6	8.25	8.82	11.00	13.67	17.11
Data entry keyers .....	12.04	1.6	8.25	10.00	11.61	13.80	16.00
Statistical clerks .....	14.37	5.6	9.00	9.74	13.30	18.04	21.23
Teachers' aides .....	10.37	7.0	7.17	7.70	9.50	11.75	15.59
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	14.61	1.5	9.24	11.20	14.00	17.05	20.48
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	15.75	1.0	8.00	10.25	14.05	19.64	26.26
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	19.93	.9	11.00	14.00	18.50	25.00	30.64
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	24.68	2.8	15.63	18.75	24.04	28.85	34.52
Automobile mechanics .....	18.40	3.1	10.00	13.85	18.00	21.05	25.39
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	13.81	9.7	8.75	11.00	13.13	14.50	17.21
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	19.21	3.0	12.50	15.00	18.00	22.69	27.00
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	27.35	8.7	18.75	22.77	27.49	31.22	38.37
Small engine repairers .....	15.41	5.8	11.00	12.73	15.00	18.50	19.25

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Automobile body and related repairers .....	\$16.28	4.5	\$10.00	\$13.00	\$15.60	\$17.74	\$23.88
Aircraft mechanics, except engine .....	24.76	4.0	14.40	22.54	26.01	28.30	31.61
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	19.40	3.5	13.13	16.00	18.50	22.93	26.50
Farm equipment mechanics .....	15.44	7.5	10.00	12.00	15.25	18.00	20.58
Industrial machinery repairers .....	21.30	2.1	14.41	17.17	20.58	25.50	28.42
Machinery maintenance .....	16.14	4.9	11.12	12.50	14.80	19.00	23.04
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	22.07	2.6	12.50	15.00	22.06	28.28	31.18
Data processing equipment repairers .....	20.76	14.8	9.50	13.89	21.00	23.92	36.81
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	16.22	5.8	10.00	12.45	15.84	18.56	24.84
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	25.24	4.8	14.00	25.08	27.54	28.28	28.75
Telephone installers and repairers .....	23.71	3.4	15.00	21.18	25.08	26.91	28.98
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics ..	18.55	3.5	12.40	15.00	17.50	22.00	26.00
Office machine repairers .....	17.36	8.7	10.75	14.08	16.64	19.78	23.83
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	21.09	7.1	14.08	17.02	19.87	27.32	31.31
Elevator installers and repairers .....	38.94	14.6	27.06	28.43	47.26	47.26	47.26
Millwrights .....	22.30	6.3	15.00	16.71	22.55	27.24	30.33
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. .....	16.78	2.9	10.00	12.50	16.00	20.25	25.24
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	24.41	6.0	17.79	20.00	23.00	30.00	31.38
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	32.67	3.9	23.50	27.32	30.30	40.72	43.33
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers, and plasterers .....	23.54	7.8	15.50	19.75	23.08	28.25	29.76
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	27.39	8.5	19.50	21.25	28.65	32.25	32.75
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. .....	22.51	6.6	14.66	17.01	21.00	27.00	32.68
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	26.27	9.2	15.00	20.00	27.29	32.70	40.00
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	17.92	13.5	14.00	15.00	15.00	20.00	25.53
Carpet installers .....	24.45	12.9	11.60	20.00	20.69	34.80	35.12
Carpenters .....	19.68	4.9	12.00	14.50	18.00	24.00	31.25
Carpenter apprentices .....	17.18	13.6	11.00	12.00	15.90	20.54	26.56
Drywall installers .....	17.98	6.9	12.00	14.00	16.46	20.69	26.94
Electricians .....	26.12	3.3	15.30	18.50	25.07	31.65	40.47
Electrician apprentices .....	14.61	3.5	10.00	11.50	13.25	16.16	20.49
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	26.66	3.8	17.50	23.06	26.54	30.40	35.84
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	15.93	3.9	10.50	12.00	15.00	18.25	22.00
Plasterers .....	15.15	3.0	12.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.00
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	24.73	7.0	16.00	18.00	24.18	30.00	36.03
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices .....	14.46	4.7	9.10	12.00	14.00	16.00	20.30
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	18.39	6.9	10.50	13.25	17.00	24.15	26.88
Glaziers .....	16.58	11.6	10.00	13.00	16.00	19.50	24.20
Insulation workers .....	18.91	8.9	10.80	12.59	18.17	24.04	30.15
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators ..	16.51	13.6	9.00	11.50	14.00	21.00	26.92
Roofers .....	16.25	7.4	9.00	11.50	15.00	20.50	25.00
Sheet metal duct installers .....	24.07	12.8	9.25	16.38	24.22	33.09	34.30
Structural metal workers .....	24.17	12.7	14.00	15.50	22.22	28.25	50.40
Construction trades, n.e.c. .....	18.40	6.8	10.84	12.50	16.00	22.50	29.84
Supervisors, extractive .....	24.40	19.4	11.93	13.87	20.00	35.18	35.18
Drillers, oil well .....	25.02	17.8	10.00	16.00	29.63	34.02	34.02
Mining machine operators .....	18.57	9.3	11.36	15.55	19.12	21.73	26.05
Supervisors, production .....	22.19	2.0	14.60	17.14	21.09	25.80	31.59
Tool and die makers .....	23.94	2.0	16.86	19.80	24.13	28.92	31.07
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	17.92	7.4	14.00	15.50	17.00	20.00	24.80
Precision assemblers, metal .....	20.65	6.1	11.75	16.50	19.50	25.60	29.10
Machinists .....	19.88	1.9	13.75	16.50	20.00	23.00	26.50
Boilermakers .....	19.77	9.8	15.00	16.00	17.92	22.87	25.40
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	16.20	9.1	8.90	12.00	15.76	19.55	22.50
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	21.41	8.9	11.46	15.72	20.96	28.49	31.81
Layout workers .....	18.46	16.0	11.56	13.25	16.75	21.05	35.00
Sheet metal workers .....	17.80	10.1	10.00	12.05	15.03	20.10	28.22
Sheet metal worker apprentices .....	14.13	6.3	12.00	12.50	13.00	15.59	18.19
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	18.14	11.4	11.95	15.00	15.70	20.75	22.72

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	\$12.81	7.0	\$9.00	\$11.00	\$12.50	\$13.65	\$16.00
Furniture and wood finishers .....	12.04	6.8	9.02	10.00	12.00	13.00	16.50
Dressmakers .....	12.53	7.7	8.50	11.00	11.43	13.30	18.30
Tailors .....	16.94	18.9	8.32	10.45	13.00	20.35	36.06
Upholsterers .....	15.05	11.5	8.50	12.29	14.85	17.37	20.51
Hand molders and shapers, except jewelers .....	14.21	14.3	9.75	12.50	12.50	17.93	20.40
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	18.27	9.1	14.25	14.30	16.35	20.40	28.13
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	15.21	2.8	9.75	13.27	14.61	16.25	21.00
Bookbinders .....	15.45	10.5	8.00	10.40	14.96	20.92	22.17
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	13.93	3.5	8.76	10.25	13.07	16.50	20.85
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. .....	14.25	12.5	10.00	10.06	11.01	16.14	22.21
Butchers and meat cutters .....	12.10	3.9	7.30	9.05	11.15	14.50	18.44
Bakers .....	11.74	5.2	6.75	8.75	11.25	13.58	18.06
Food batchmakers .....	13.16	4.8	8.19	10.50	13.54	15.67	17.60
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	19.94	4.5	10.30	14.36	18.90	25.75	28.74
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	23.35	10.4	15.65	16.64	26.63	26.63	27.33
Adjusters and calibrators .....	20.79	11.0	17.82	17.85	17.85	26.28	27.33
Water and sewer treatment plant operators .....	18.49	10.8	11.50	14.38	18.38	22.94	28.25
Power plant operators .....	28.40	3.8	21.67	26.39	26.70	30.40	35.27
Stationary engineers .....	23.92	5.5	14.00	19.46	25.43	27.61	31.84
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. ....	24.03	4.7	16.71	20.43	25.26	27.50	29.08
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> .....	14.17	1.3	8.30	10.08	13.00	16.85	22.50
Lathe and turning-machine set-up operators .....	17.41	3.7	12.70	14.35	16.51	19.75	22.47
Lathe and turning-machine operators .....	15.88	6.1	10.35	12.07	15.25	18.58	21.68
Milling and planing machine operators .....	16.14	6.9	10.75	13.25	16.22	18.81	22.09
Punching and stamping press operators .....	13.73	7.5	8.50	9.69	12.09	16.00	21.59
Rolling machine operators .....	16.65	11.4	10.51	12.50	15.25	19.31	26.98
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	14.22	8.0	7.25	10.00	13.75	17.70	20.59
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	13.52	2.5	8.60	11.00	12.75	15.50	18.70
Forging machine operators .....	12.93	10.3	8.61	10.50	11.50	15.32	18.65
Numerical control machine operators .....	16.82	3.1	12.00	14.10	16.50	19.00	21.57
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. .....	15.38	4.3	9.45	11.15	14.00	17.98	26.64
Molding and casting machine operators .....	13.41	3.6	8.50	10.10	12.75	15.26	19.75
Metal plating machine operators .....	14.49	7.8	8.50	10.60	13.84	18.10	23.00
Heat treating equipment operators .....	15.95	5.2	10.90	13.66	15.30	17.80	21.48
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators ..	12.15	7.3	8.00	9.00	12.75	14.16	14.50
Sawing machine operators .....	11.11	4.9	7.50	9.00	10.75	12.50	15.25
Shaping and joining machine operators .....	13.69	2.8	11.00	12.71	13.80	14.50	16.25
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	10.46	10.9	7.13	7.79	9.22	13.85	13.87
Printing press operators .....	17.02	2.9	11.00	14.00	17.00	19.98	22.74
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	16.56	5.9	13.25	13.25	15.70	18.45	21.89
Typesetters and compositors .....	14.83	6.5	9.20	10.90	14.57	18.02	19.97
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	12.60	7.1	9.00	9.67	11.50	13.07	16.39
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	12.23	5.8	9.00	10.27	11.75	13.60	16.93
Textile cutting machine operators .....	10.92	4.7	7.90	9.79	10.75	10.75	14.26
Textile sewing machine operators .....	10.40	8.3	7.25	8.50	8.64	11.25	15.00
Pressing machine operators .....	9.47	5.1	6.75	8.00	9.50	10.50	12.05
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	9.80	6.0	7.00	8.05	9.25	11.00	13.50
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	12.35	8.1	7.43	9.52	11.45	14.70	18.89
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	14.14	4.5	8.14	10.45	13.52	16.48	22.43
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	13.83	3.8	10.01	11.22	13.29	16.22	17.61
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	15.48	4.2	10.31	11.61	14.95	18.36	21.50
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators ..	19.56	5.4	12.30	16.09	18.98	24.45	25.62
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	11.65	8.0	8.00	8.25	11.19	13.23	16.81
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	15.52	4.4	9.85	11.56	14.17	17.24	26.21
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	14.48	7.8	9.00	11.63	13.12	18.36	21.00

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>							
—Continued							
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators .....	\$16.06	23.1	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$21.74	\$28.04
Folding machine operators .....	13.02	16.8	6.90	8.35	12.44	16.03	20.44
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	15.24	6.3	10.50	12.00	13.50	16.62	25.13
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	15.57	11.9	10.25	11.60	14.54	16.39	27.19
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	13.85	2.9	8.56	11.46	13.66	16.42	18.75
Motion picture projectionists .....	13.99	36.1	8.00	8.00	12.00	14.95	32.62
Photographic process machine operators .....	10.64	6.0	8.00	8.50	10.00	11.86	16.37
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	14.61	2.5	8.50	10.45	13.60	17.85	22.76
Welders and cutters .....	15.69	2.3	11.00	12.30	15.00	17.74	21.31
Solderers and brazers .....	12.08	8.7	8.23	9.00	11.60	14.14	16.50
Assemblers .....	14.95	2.0	8.15	10.02	13.00	18.00	26.73
Hand cutting and trimming .....	11.42	11.4	6.95	8.10	10.00	14.47	17.00
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	11.67	8.3	7.50	8.50	12.38	13.95	15.66
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	11.82	6.3	7.05	10.30	11.50	14.00	15.29
Hand engraving and printing .....	16.75	26.4	9.00	9.92	12.75	28.35	28.75
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. ....	12.66	5.8	6.75	9.15	11.25	14.64	19.00
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	14.05	4.6	8.50	10.03	12.39	16.57	23.44
Production testers .....	15.18	5.0	10.01	11.64	14.00	17.75	20.96
Production samplers and weighers .....	13.31	8.0	9.00	10.75	12.48	13.69	18.20
Graders and sorters, except agricultural .....	11.91	6.2	7.00	9.00	10.30	14.79	16.50
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	15.10	1.8	8.50	10.50	14.00	18.51	23.14
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	18.50	6.4	10.00	13.52	17.97	23.24	25.61
Truckdrivers .....	15.20	2.4	9.00	11.00	14.28	18.90	22.50
Driver-sales workers .....	13.01	9.5	5.50	7.00	11.67	17.57	23.81
Busdrivers .....	12.91	6.5	8.80	10.00	12.00	14.38	18.00
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	8.93	6.5	6.25	7.00	8.75	9.75	12.18
Parking lot attendants .....	8.01	10.6	5.75	6.00	7.00	8.64	11.33
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	9.62	5.7	6.00	6.50	8.64	10.95	15.00
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	25.68	22.6	13.65	13.65	26.00	35.82	42.10
Locomotive operating .....	28.94	23.1	14.47	14.47	28.96	39.31	47.10
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	30.28	5.9	15.52	23.29	30.74	39.18	40.84
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. ....	21.64	4.0	15.54	19.67	21.14	23.60	26.77
Ship captains and mates, except fishing boats .....	18.85	14.8	12.92	13.75	19.74	20.00	25.54
Sailors and deckhands .....	11.80	7.0	8.34	8.75	9.30	14.42	19.38
Marine engineers .....	21.37	20.9	14.38	14.38	17.71	23.17	35.27
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	22.77	3.5	16.25	18.75	22.82	27.18	28.05
Operating engineers .....	23.50	10.4	13.00	14.00	25.14	28.50	33.50
Hoist and winch operators .....	12.12	19.6	9.25	9.50	10.50	10.86	25.62
Crane and tower operators .....	16.66	6.2	12.24	13.91	15.07	18.00	22.40
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	16.94	4.6	10.00	13.15	16.00	18.50	22.75
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	16.36	6.1	11.00	12.50	14.50	20.00	25.00
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	14.18	1.9	9.19	10.71	13.37	17.00	21.04
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	16.67	6.1	9.95	12.34	15.55	20.43	26.65
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	11.43	1.5	6.75	8.00	10.00	13.26	17.86
Nursery workers .....	10.28	11.6	7.00	7.00	9.42	13.31	15.10
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers .....	24.39	7.3	14.84	20.19	25.00	25.00	29.40
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	10.75	4.3	7.00	8.00	9.42	13.00	16.72
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	10.81	10.9	7.70	9.00	9.35	13.50	15.33
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	9.79	16.4	7.05	7.30	8.75	10.50	14.65
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. ....	19.77	6.4	12.00	15.00	18.51	22.92	27.42
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	11.28	3.6	8.00	9.00	10.32	13.46	17.00
Helpers, construction trades .....	12.48	3.7	8.50	10.00	11.17	14.00	16.35
Construction laborers .....	14.72	4.3	8.00	9.75	12.50	20.00	23.83
Production helpers .....	11.29	3.2	7.25	8.40	10.30	13.35	17.13
Garbage collectors .....	9.27	6.7	6.84	7.82	9.00	10.10	12.09

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>							
—Continued							
Stock handlers and baggers .....	\$9.84	1.7	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$9.00	\$11.67	\$14.80
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	10.87	2.5	7.74	8.67	10.50	12.30	14.78
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	12.54	2.2	7.75	9.50	11.64	14.65	19.75
Garage and service station related .....	9.04	3.7	6.50	7.25	8.50	10.00	12.00
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	9.61	4.0	6.50	7.50	8.75	10.35	13.64
Hand packers and packagers .....	9.63	4.9	6.30	7.00	8.73	11.10	13.95
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	10.69	2.4	6.50	7.75	10.00	12.65	16.10
<b>Service</b> .....	9.38	.9	5.46	6.75	8.50	11.00	14.44
Protective service .....	10.76	2.5	7.00	8.50	9.75	11.68	15.73
Supervisors, guards .....	17.11	11.4	10.19	11.00	15.35	18.04	33.65
Guards and police, except public service .....	10.33	2.2	7.00	8.50	9.63	11.33	14.29
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	8.71	2.5	6.50	7.25	8.00	10.23	11.00
Food service .....	7.75	1.0	3.15	6.00	7.25	9.25	12.00
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	5.12	2.2	2.13	2.65	5.15	6.75	8.05
Bartenders .....	6.82	3.0	3.50	5.25	6.75	8.00	10.00
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.53	3.1	2.13	2.25	3.85	6.09	7.35
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants .....	6.18	3.7	3.65	5.00	6.30	7.25	8.50
Other food service .....	8.86	.9	6.00	6.75	8.00	10.00	13.03
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	13.72	2.8	8.28	9.79	12.76	16.50	20.77
Cooks .....	9.80	1.5	6.50	7.50	9.25	11.25	14.00
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	8.22	1.4	6.00	6.50	7.65	9.27	11.50
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	7.85	1.6	5.75	6.50	7.39	8.56	10.55
Health service .....	10.90	1.3	7.50	8.80	10.20	12.28	15.12
Dental assistants .....	15.39	3.5	10.25	13.00	15.00	17.51	21.00
Health aides, except nursing .....	11.67	2.9	7.88	9.00	10.87	13.25	16.25
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	10.26	1.4	7.40	8.56	9.90	11.55	13.64
Cleaning and building service .....	10.61	3.1	6.70	7.56	9.35	12.08	17.70
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	16.95	4.0	11.54	13.00	17.95	19.62	23.08
Maids and housemen .....	8.76	3.0	6.50	7.00	8.00	9.82	11.75
Janitors and cleaners .....	10.67	4.6	6.75	7.90	9.64	12.38	17.48
Pest control .....	14.21	9.8	9.00	10.20	12.00	16.66	21.09
Personal service .....	10.13	5.2	5.70	6.70	8.25	11.00	15.59
Supervisors, personal service .....	14.75	6.4	8.70	10.97	14.42	18.75	21.25
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	12.48	8.8	5.91	7.09	10.00	14.51	21.57
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	7.16	2.7	5.25	5.63	6.55	7.40	10.67

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.1. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Personal service —Continued							
Guides .....	\$13.17	8.6	\$7.75	\$11.57	\$13.44	\$15.87	\$16.83
Ushers .....	7.53	6.6	5.15	6.00	7.00	8.60	10.00
Public transportation attendants .....	32.00	5.4	15.53	26.05	30.13	40.07	48.15
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	7.90	5.2	5.40	6.15	8.00	9.00	11.00
Welfare service aides .....	9.58	5.9	6.05	6.92	9.50	11.42	13.00
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	8.53	3.7	6.06	7.25	8.00	9.52	11.32
Childcare workers, n.e.c. .....	8.69	2.9	6.50	7.00	8.00	9.96	11.96
Service, n.e.c. .....	10.86	4.5	6.75	8.00	10.00	12.00	17.58

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

<sup>3</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>4</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>5</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$18.95	1.2	\$8.06	\$10.58	\$15.08	\$22.99	\$33.46	
All, excluding sales .....	19.06	1.3	8.25	10.75	15.35	23.11	33.50	
White collar .....	23.40	1.1	9.69	12.75	18.63	28.85	42.31	
White collar, excluding sales .....	24.61	1.2	10.50	13.82	20.00	30.22	43.62	
Professional specialty and technical .....	30.28	1.6	14.32	19.23	26.66	36.54	48.22	
Professional specialty .....	32.96	1.6	16.34	22.12	29.92	40.00	51.34	
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	36.77	1.4	23.84	28.70	34.86	43.05	52.21	
Architects .....	29.79	7.7	19.79	22.32	27.04	33.25	43.80	
Aerospace engineers .....	42.27	8.1	23.34	30.95	42.95	52.36	59.40	
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	34.08	6.8	25.00	27.59	32.31	36.35	50.65	
Petroleum engineers .....	43.16	16.1	26.14	32.25	36.06	55.94	65.19	
Chemical engineers .....	35.75	8.7	26.44	29.10	29.47	44.85	47.79	
Nuclear engineers .....	40.40	5.5	32.05	34.58	38.86	44.07	50.30	
Civil engineers .....	32.51	4.2	20.00	25.05	30.00	38.32	45.97	
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	39.28	2.6	25.47	31.25	37.52	44.81	55.63	
Industrial engineers .....	33.30	2.6	23.08	27.26	32.27	36.78	44.67	
Mechanical engineers .....	31.96	2.0	23.08	26.42	30.90	36.62	42.19	
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	29.94	11.6	20.19	24.04	29.90	33.25	42.93	
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	40.02	2.2	26.25	31.41	39.10	46.97	57.00	
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	36.16	11.4	20.51	26.44	40.80	40.80	49.50	
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	35.71	2.4	20.82	26.77	34.62	43.27	51.63	
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	35.73	2.7	20.80	26.90	34.62	43.11	51.78	
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	35.75	5.5	21.03	25.96	37.02	43.75	50.80	
Actuaries .....	37.23	9.4	23.86	26.51	36.00	46.88	50.58	
Statisticians .....	29.36	8.9	16.22	26.44	29.07	31.25	39.80	
Natural scientists .....	32.79	3.0	18.12	23.55	30.49	39.43	49.54	
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.20	8.8	20.41	23.19	29.43	37.16	49.53	
Geologists and geodesists .....	37.13	6.8	25.24	32.00	38.46	43.59	52.89	
Physical scientists, n.e.c. .....	32.07	8.4	19.53	23.88	30.75	36.49	48.65	
Agricultural and food scientists .....	31.29	10.1	14.00	25.09	30.94	36.19	40.70	
Biological and life scientists .....	34.13	10.2	17.18	22.97	30.65	40.39	63.74	
Medical scientists .....	31.48	13.7	16.36	20.09	25.48	39.90	47.32	
Health related .....	33.15	4.1	19.00	22.50	27.81	36.74	48.87	
Physicians .....	69.88	8.2	20.95	28.70	68.18	98.08	110.00	
Optometrists .....	62.86	14.1	40.87	49.92	61.67	75.00	93.75	
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. .....	33.45	8.8	28.63	31.25	31.25	31.25	45.58	
Registered nurses .....	28.15	1.5	19.56	22.50	26.71	32.00	38.46	
Pharmacists .....	45.74	.8	40.37	43.35	46.00	47.76	51.05	
Dietitians .....	21.42	5.9	13.97	17.50	20.71	24.76	31.22	
Respiratory therapists .....	22.69	2.4	18.38	19.76	21.82	25.80	27.36	
Occupational therapists .....	25.60	4.1	15.38	21.63	26.62	29.50	33.09	
Physical therapists .....	28.98	3.5	22.11	25.07	29.85	32.06	34.72	
Speech therapists .....	26.49	6.7	17.25	21.53	25.93	31.25	33.53	
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	16.87	3.5	12.31	13.90	14.90	18.46	23.08	
Physicians' assistants .....	37.12	7.9	15.00	30.95	37.52	47.12	48.08	
Teachers, college and university .....	44.89	3.9	22.84	29.00	38.56	52.79	73.95	
Biological science teachers .....	51.59	12.8	28.76	38.46	45.26	49.04	116.35	
Chemistry teachers .....	57.08	9.8	37.03	46.23	49.05	65.90	85.80	
Psychology teachers .....	40.98	6.6	26.16	31.79	41.25	44.98	61.45	
Economics teachers .....	55.37	12.9	31.87	39.06	56.21	62.30	68.91	
History teachers .....	36.76	9.6	25.81	27.71	30.15	43.13	50.39	
Sociology teachers .....	48.13	27.5	26.80	30.10	36.11	65.45	85.89	
Social science teachers, n.e.c. .....	43.99	10.2	28.85	29.02	42.99	56.61	56.61	
Engineering teachers .....	62.93	13.2	35.18	36.47	64.36	81.80	96.61	
Mathematical science teachers .....	39.29	14.6	30.74	30.74	30.74	42.27	61.66	
Computer science teachers .....	28.71	12.0	19.23	22.84	22.84	30.88	41.09	
Medical science teachers .....	61.69	8.2	32.69	44.99	60.10	72.12	90.97	
Health specialties teachers .....	56.20	14.0	24.97	29.00	39.45	66.82	102.88	
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	49.39	8.3	27.91	32.16	50.90	53.01	79.13	
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	39.86	7.8	26.61	31.86	37.33	43.59	66.63	
Physical education teachers .....	28.71	8.7	21.28	22.04	28.11	44.29		
Education teachers .....	40.68	16.6	24.82	30.33	35.05	41.26	77.34	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty</b> —Continued							
Teachers, college and university—Continued							
English teachers .....	\$40.34	7.1	\$27.14	\$28.39	\$32.93	\$43.17	\$67.59
Foreign language teachers .....	43.96	8.5	30.03	32.73	44.01	47.68	61.34
Law teachers .....	66.59	13.5	48.20	52.89	63.85	78.09	99.49
Theology teachers .....	42.01	11.2	25.64	28.11	37.79	48.11	62.77
Other post-secondary teachers .....	39.93	6.1	19.10	24.44	34.66	48.49	69.33
Teachers, except college and university .....	21.11	3.3	9.80	13.00	18.86	28.08	34.22
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	12.31	3.8	8.50	9.50	11.50	14.20	17.53
Elementary school teachers .....	24.64	5.5	15.76	18.78	23.92	29.81	33.70
Secondary school teachers .....	30.88	4.6	18.45	23.00	29.92	36.35	45.73
Teachers, special education .....	26.09	9.1	15.89	20.00	25.24	30.90	37.63
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	23.61	6.4	12.26	17.31	23.30	29.73	35.35
Vocational and educational counselors .....	17.92	8.8	10.24	12.25	14.67	20.33	33.60
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	29.68	6.5	18.27	21.63	26.61	35.92	48.08
Librarians .....	29.85	7.5	18.27	21.06	26.67	35.92	49.38
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.29	6.8	16.01	20.43	28.85	36.97	48.08
Economists .....	34.32	8.3	19.35	23.08	30.23	39.07	49.74
Psychologists .....	22.78	8.6	12.24	15.38	19.96	26.58	37.87
Social scientists, n.e.c. .....	34.19	2.4	20.91	25.09	31.25	38.69	53.00
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	17.25	2.8	11.27	13.46	16.30	20.00	24.72
Social workers .....	17.59	3.2	11.80	13.89	16.42	20.50	25.14
Recreation workers .....	13.24	7.6	8.24	9.37	12.50	16.88	19.77
Clergy .....	15.74	13.2	12.07	12.07	12.58	17.31	20.74
Religious workers, n.e.c. .....	18.74	15.5	11.25	11.25	17.83	20.05	23.08
Lawyers and judges .....	56.19	4.4	28.85	36.92	50.76	69.63	88.40
Lawyers .....	56.19	4.4	28.85	36.92	50.76	69.63	88.40
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	25.24	3.7	11.24	15.45	21.33	29.67	44.09
Technical writers .....	35.83	14.7	15.00	22.23	36.01	51.14	54.33
Designers .....	21.68	3.6	10.85	14.42	19.58	26.93	34.62
Musicians and composers .....	39.06	20.3	19.13	29.21	31.59	38.55	79.98
Actors and directors .....	33.13	17.8	10.00	16.62	25.51	45.06	54.27
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers .....	18.66	5.4	14.00	15.00	18.27	20.00	24.52
Photographers .....	17.13	12.0	8.50	10.00	13.93	22.44	28.77
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	16.35	19.9	8.00	8.00	15.15	19.13	27.84
Editors and reporters .....	26.07	7.6	10.50	15.18	22.19	30.29	43.01
Public relations specialists .....	24.73	7.3	16.83	17.50	22.72	28.16	33.51
Announcers .....	40.13	29.5	10.58	15.58	20.19	27.88	117.79
Athletes .....	25.95	12.5	12.50	16.26	22.84	31.32	47.00
Professional, n.e.c. .....	32.87	9.2	17.11	20.21	30.39	45.19	53.94
Technical .....	23.17	2.5	12.50	15.50	19.97	26.10	33.01
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.91	3.0	10.92	14.00	18.00	22.68	27.59
Dental hygienists .....	32.09	4.0	24.29	27.85	33.00	37.00	39.50
Health record technologists and technicians .....	15.59	4.7	10.00	12.06	15.31	18.01	23.47
Radiological technicians .....	24.25	2.8	16.75	20.09	23.36	28.12	33.39
Licensed practical nurses .....	17.82	1.9	13.39	15.15	17.25	20.00	22.95
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. .....	16.59	2.3	10.15	12.70	15.33	18.76	24.62
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	24.03	12.2	12.01	16.50	22.61	27.10	32.10
Industrial engineering technicians .....	24.21	5.6	16.93	20.00	23.52	28.39	32.05
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	22.78	4.3	16.13	17.68	21.29	26.45	32.69
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. .....	25.77	5.5	15.40	19.23	24.87	30.57	38.17
Drafters .....	21.94	2.8	14.42	17.52	21.01	25.95	28.57
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	19.61	11.9	12.00	14.25	17.50	23.98	31.50
Biological technicians .....	18.94	5.7	12.02	14.91	17.35	22.93	26.56
Chemical technicians .....	21.96	6.4	14.56	16.48	22.12	24.67	29.56
Science technicians, n.e.c. .....	21.90	10.5	14.21	16.50	20.27	26.70	32.71
Airplane pilots and navigators .....	97.51	13.0	25.00	46.25	97.72	143.75	179.83
Broadcast equipment operators .....	13.91	13.2	8.25	9.50	12.66	15.14	18.00
Computer programmers .....	31.45	3.2	18.46	24.04	29.13	36.42	45.17

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
Technical—Continued							
Tool programmers, numerical control .....	\$23.35	7.4	\$16.65	\$18.50	\$21.64	\$30.00	\$32.55
Legal assistants .....	22.78	4.2	15.00	18.06	21.43	26.23	30.76
Technical and related, n.e.c. .....	21.13	6.0	12.50	14.75	19.07	23.72	34.02
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	34.31	2.2	17.00	21.76	29.16	40.98	55.73
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	38.62	2.7	17.79	24.04	33.22	46.92	61.72
Financial managers .....	40.47	2.8	20.30	25.44	33.96	49.60	67.79
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	31.26	7.8	21.00	22.85	25.23	36.06	46.85
Purchasing managers .....	35.06	8.4	18.75	22.79	30.83	40.87	50.52
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations .....	45.40	4.3	23.50	29.00	39.52	54.96	69.71
Administrators, education and related fields .....	27.58	4.8	13.10	19.13	25.24	33.65	45.74
Managers, medicine and health .....	35.76	3.5	19.00	27.22	34.08	42.07	51.99
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments ..	21.18	7.5	12.24	14.29	18.51	24.74	32.01
Managers, properties and real estate .....	21.67	4.3	11.54	16.25	21.64	26.92	30.63
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. .....	31.11	8.6	15.39	18.82	24.23	35.00	50.45
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. .....	41.30	4.7	18.72	25.96	36.25	49.46	63.90
Management related .....	27.84	1.2	16.35	19.95	25.34	32.21	41.21
Accountants and auditors .....	25.90	2.2	16.39	20.19	24.67	30.96	36.46
Underwriters .....	27.41	5.7	17.91	19.23	25.70	31.83	41.01
Other financial officers .....	32.91	3.8	16.45	20.61	27.73	37.09	51.25
Management analysts .....	32.00	5.0	19.93	23.35	29.56	38.34	50.20
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	25.93	4.4	16.00	18.77	24.04	30.05	37.22
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products .....	23.95	16.5	16.35	16.35	20.74	34.84	34.84
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products .....	27.18	3.8	16.16	20.19	25.14	31.25	40.39
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. .....	27.36	4.7	17.98	20.53	24.46	31.62	42.06
Business and promotional agents .....	23.34	5.8	16.67	17.71	24.22	27.12	29.81
Construction inspectors .....	24.77	11.1	16.24	19.23	22.66	35.58	37.06
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction .....	25.86	7.0	19.67	19.67	26.63	29.71	33.30
Management related, n.e.c. .....	26.31	2.7	16.02	19.04	24.43	31.25	39.53
<b>Sales</b> .....	17.85	1.7	7.50	9.50	13.33	20.28	32.81
Supervisors, sales .....	20.62	3.6	10.63	12.83	16.73	22.83	36.67
Insurance sales .....	23.09	8.5	9.98	13.73	17.89	28.51	43.27
Real estate sales .....	22.06	14.7	11.63	14.42	16.83	24.04	49.30
Securities and financial services sales .....	41.38	7.0	14.42	16.74	28.52	43.27	75.76
Advertising and related sales .....	20.61	10.5	9.50	11.59	16.62	25.48	38.12
Sales, other business services .....	25.32	6.3	10.00	14.29	20.00	28.70	42.41
Sales engineers .....	38.11	9.5	22.60	30.00	39.01	44.49	57.69
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	27.09	3.5	12.70	16.71	23.07	33.95	45.72
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	21.91	6.3	7.61	10.87	17.31	26.43	40.20
Sales workers, apparel .....	13.10	14.4	7.00	8.15	9.50	12.35	18.76
Sales workers, shoes .....	10.88	12.3	6.77	7.25	10.27	12.60	15.50
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	15.24	6.1	8.65	11.28	13.83	16.21	21.86
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	11.93	8.3	7.50	8.75	10.00	13.03	20.00
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	13.70	5.6	9.00	10.09	12.00	15.30	18.88
Sales workers, parts .....	14.83	2.9	9.50	11.69	13.89	16.35	22.03
Sales workers, other commodities .....	13.42	3.2	7.37	8.57	11.13	15.26	22.50
Sales counter clerks .....	10.57	5.3	7.00	7.85	10.00	12.00	15.49
Cashiers .....	9.47	2.0	6.50	7.50	8.66	11.00	13.11
Street and door-to-door sales workers .....	19.92	18.3	8.46	11.15	21.64	28.86	29.43
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	17.17	15.1	10.00	12.69	13.94	19.24	21.73
Sales support, n.e.c. .....	15.73	8.0	8.77	10.24	12.75	20.19	26.92
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	14.75	.8	9.16	11.00	13.79	17.33	21.62
Supervisors, general office .....	20.91	2.5	13.50	16.75	20.19	24.62	28.98
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	23.17	3.3	13.88	17.30	21.63	27.65	31.68

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	\$20.53	5.4	\$14.43	\$16.00	\$19.23	\$23.79	\$27.60
Computer operators .....	16.71	3.8	12.38	13.65	16.81	18.85	21.63
Peripheral equipment operators .....	13.68	8.9	9.24	9.47	14.47	17.01	17.01
Secretaries .....	17.13	1.2	10.94	13.14	16.44	20.03	24.42
Stenographers .....	16.49	5.7	11.75	13.00	14.45	18.57	25.00
Typists .....	15.79	5.9	11.00	13.17	14.82	17.96	23.06
Interviewers .....	12.42	4.2	8.75	10.02	11.89	15.08	16.57
Hotel clerks .....	9.23	1.9	7.25	8.00	9.00	10.00	12.00
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	15.13	3.7	8.50	10.85	15.69	19.86	20.86
Receptionists .....	12.06	1.7	8.50	9.86	11.70	13.75	16.30
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	13.80	2.8	9.01	11.00	13.01	16.50	18.86
Classified ad clerks .....	13.10	5.8	11.26	11.88	12.61	14.65	14.65
Correspondence clerks .....	13.96	4.0	11.25	12.01	12.79	15.14	17.96
Order clerks .....	14.71	3.1	9.10	11.06	13.80	17.17	21.20
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	16.42	2.5	11.88	13.79	16.00	19.23	21.41
Library clerks .....	13.05	5.7	8.93	10.56	12.92	14.80	17.33
File clerks .....	11.01	2.8	8.13	9.42	10.42	12.00	14.91
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	14.11	2.9	9.00	10.95	13.39	16.49	20.50
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	15.02	1.6	10.00	12.00	14.50	17.05	20.67
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	16.68	2.3	11.44	13.50	15.67	19.71	23.37
Billing clerks .....	13.34	2.0	9.50	11.00	13.00	15.00	17.44
Cost and rate clerks .....	13.39	9.3	7.09	10.85	13.45	16.11	20.12
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	13.84	6.0	10.00	10.75	12.69	15.84	18.77
Duplicating machine operators .....	12.56	9.6	9.68	9.68	12.02	15.50	15.50
Mail preparing and paper handling machine operators .....	12.35	6.6	9.50	10.09	11.25	12.00	20.04
Office machine operators, n.e.c. ....	11.10	3.9	8.57	10.61	11.33	12.24	12.39
Telephone operators .....	12.82	5.6	8.00	9.35	11.32	16.15	20.11
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	12.33	7.2	8.65	9.50	10.98	14.57	19.78
Messengers .....	9.68	10.0	6.88	7.19	9.60	11.00	12.96
Dispatchers .....	15.83	5.1	7.50	11.00	14.90	20.00	24.41
Production coordinators .....	18.77	3.7	12.39	13.75	17.86	22.39	27.25
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	13.94	2.1	9.43	10.90	13.33	16.00	20.56
Stock and inventory clerks .....	13.26	2.0	8.79	10.32	12.86	15.30	18.00
Meter readers .....	17.71	8.1	11.50	12.68	17.31	21.51	25.88
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers .....	15.20	8.2	10.28	11.00	13.55	15.14	26.75
Expeditors .....	15.92	4.8	9.35	12.15	16.35	19.46	22.37
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	19.60	3.5	12.25	14.88	17.65	22.57	29.59
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	15.86	3.8	10.00	12.19	14.25	19.19	24.04
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	13.51	4.9	9.81	11.10	13.00	15.42	19.13
Bill and account collectors .....	14.44	7.8	9.00	10.50	13.46	17.55	20.88
General office clerks .....	13.57	1.3	9.00	10.50	12.69	15.75	19.46
Bank tellers .....	11.20	1.5	8.70	9.50	10.65	12.69	14.24
Proofreaders .....	13.82	9.0	10.25	11.00	13.43	15.79	20.00
Data entry keyers .....	11.94	1.5	8.25	10.00	11.70	13.74	15.27
Statistical clerks .....	14.86	5.4	9.05	10.39	13.68	18.09	21.80
Teachers' aides .....	10.01	8.1	7.00	7.50	9.24	11.47	14.41
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	14.93	1.5	9.52	11.67	14.49	17.31	20.72
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	16.15	1.0	8.50	10.75	14.55	20.00	26.55
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	20.03	1.0	11.00	14.25	18.56	25.00	30.67
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	24.76	2.8	15.63	18.75	24.04	29.08	34.52
Automobile mechanics .....	18.66	3.0	10.50	14.25	18.00	21.25	25.62
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	13.81	9.7	8.75	11.00	13.13	14.50	17.21
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	19.34	3.0	12.75	15.03	18.00	22.72	27.00
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	27.35	8.7	18.75	22.77	27.49	31.22	38.37
Small engine repairers .....	15.43	5.8	11.00	12.73	15.00	18.50	19.25
Automobile body and related repairers .....	16.33	4.5	10.00	13.00	15.60	17.76	24.00
Aircraft mechanics, except engine .....	24.77	4.0	14.35	22.54	26.01	28.39	31.61

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	\$19.47	3.6	\$13.50	\$16.00	\$18.55	\$22.96	\$26.50
Farm equipment mechanics .....	15.50	7.5	10.00	12.50	15.25	18.00	20.58
Industrial machinery repairers .....	21.30	2.1	14.44	17.17	20.58	25.50	28.42
Machinery maintenance .....	16.13	4.9	11.12	12.50	14.80	19.00	23.04
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	22.08	2.8	12.50	15.00	22.00	28.28	31.18
Data processing equipment repairers .....	21.03	15.0	9.50	14.42	21.00	23.92	36.81
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	16.22	5.8	10.00	12.45	15.84	18.56	24.84
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	25.24	4.8	14.00	25.08	27.54	28.28	28.75
Telephone installers and repairers .....	23.85	3.5	15.62	21.18	25.08	26.91	28.98
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics ..	18.47	3.5	12.40	15.00	17.48	21.92	25.83
Office machine repairers .....	17.46	8.7	10.75	14.00	16.75	19.79	23.83
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	21.09	7.1	14.08	17.02	19.87	27.32	31.31
Elevator installers and repairers .....	38.94	14.6	27.06	28.43	47.26	47.26	47.26
Millwrights .....	22.30	6.3	15.00	16.71	22.55	27.24	30.33
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. .....	16.87	3.0	10.00	12.55	16.05	20.41	25.30
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	24.41	6.0	17.79	20.00	23.00	30.00	31.38
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	32.67	3.9	23.50	27.32	30.30	40.72	43.33
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers, and plasterers ..	23.54	7.8	15.50	19.75	23.08	28.25	29.76
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters ..	27.39	8.5	19.50	21.25	28.65	32.25	32.75
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. .....	22.54	6.6	15.00	17.01	21.00	27.11	32.68
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	26.49	9.0	16.00	20.00	27.29	32.70	40.00
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	17.92	13.5	14.00	15.00	15.00	20.00	25.53
Carpet installers .....	24.45	12.9	11.60	20.00	20.69	34.80	35.12
Carpenters .....	19.64	4.9	12.00	14.32	18.00	24.00	30.78
Carpenter apprentices .....	17.18	13.6	11.00	12.00	15.90	20.54	26.56
Drywall installers .....	17.98	6.9	12.00	14.00	16.40	20.69	26.94
Electricians .....	26.10	3.3	15.30	18.50	25.07	31.65	40.47
Electrician apprentices .....	14.61	3.5	10.00	11.50	13.25	16.16	20.49
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	26.66	3.8	17.50	23.06	26.54	30.40	35.84
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	15.96	4.0	11.00	12.00	15.00	18.25	22.00
Plasterers .....	15.15	3.0	12.00	15.00	15.00	15.00	20.00
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	24.73	7.0	16.00	18.00	24.18	30.00	36.03
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices .....	14.46	4.7	9.10	12.00	14.00	16.00	20.30
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	18.44	6.9	10.50	13.50	17.00	24.20	26.88
Glaziers .....	16.39	11.7	9.00	13.00	16.00	17.00	24.20
Insulation workers .....	18.91	8.9	10.80	12.59	18.17	24.04	30.15
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators ..	16.51	13.6	9.00	11.50	14.00	21.00	26.92
Roofers .....	16.21	7.5	9.00	11.50	15.00	20.50	25.00
Sheet metal duct installers .....	24.07	12.8	9.25	16.38	24.22	33.09	34.30
Structural metal workers .....	24.17	12.7	14.00	15.50	22.22	28.25	50.40
Construction trades, n.e.c. .....	18.36	6.9	10.84	12.50	16.00	22.40	29.04
Supervisors, extractive .....	24.40	19.4	11.93	13.87	20.00	35.18	35.18
Drillers, oil well .....	25.02	17.8	10.00	16.00	29.63	34.02	34.02
Mining machine operators .....	18.57	9.3	11.36	15.55	19.12	21.73	26.05
Supervisors, production .....	22.22	2.0	14.65	17.15	21.09	25.80	31.60
Tool and die makers .....	23.94	2.0	16.86	19.80	24.13	28.92	31.07
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	17.92	7.4	14.00	15.50	17.00	20.00	24.80
Precision assemblers, metal .....	20.72	6.1	11.82	16.50	19.50	25.60	29.10
Machinists .....	19.88	1.9	13.75	16.50	20.00	23.00	26.50
Boilermakers .....	19.77	9.8	15.00	16.00	17.92	22.87	25.40
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	16.20	9.1	8.90	12.00	15.76	19.55	22.50
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	21.41	8.9	11.46	15.72	20.96	28.49	31.81
Layout workers .....	18.46	16.0	11.56	13.25	16.75	21.05	35.00
Sheet metal workers .....	17.80	10.1	10.00	12.05	15.03	20.10	28.22
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	18.14	11.4	11.95	15.00	15.70	20.75	22.72
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	13.06	6.7	9.75	11.00	12.50	13.80	16.29
Furniture and wood finishers .....	12.13	7.0	9.02	9.82	12.00	13.00	16.50
Dressmakers .....	12.48	7.8	8.50	11.00	11.43	13.30	18.65

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Tailors .....	\$17.63	20.4	\$8.50	\$10.45	\$13.00	\$20.35	\$36.06
Upholsterers .....	15.05	11.5	8.50	12.29	14.85	17.37	20.51
Hand molders and shapers, except jewelers .....	14.21	14.3	9.75	12.50	12.50	17.93	20.40
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	18.63	11.4	14.25	14.25	15.15	24.97	28.13
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	15.21	2.8	9.75	13.27	14.61	16.25	21.00
Bookbinders .....	15.45	10.5	8.00	10.40	14.96	20.92	22.17
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	13.99	3.7	8.76	10.30	13.12	16.62	20.95
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. .....	14.25	12.5	10.00	10.06	11.01	16.14	22.21
Butchers and meat cutters .....	12.35	3.8	8.05	9.40	11.20	14.80	18.49
Bakers .....	12.25	5.8	6.00	9.85	12.00	14.25	18.06
Food batchmakers .....	13.27	4.9	8.50	10.56	13.54	15.67	17.60
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	20.22	4.1	10.68	14.90	19.00	25.96	28.74
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	23.35	10.4	15.65	16.64	26.63	26.63	27.33
Adjusters and calibrators .....	20.79	11.0	17.82	17.85	17.85	26.28	27.33
Water and sewer treatment plant operators .....	18.49	10.8	11.50	14.38	18.38	22.94	28.25
Power plant operators .....	28.40	3.8	21.67	26.39	26.70	30.40	35.27
Stationary engineers .....	23.99	5.6	14.00	19.46	25.62	27.61	31.84
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. ....	24.03	4.7	16.71	20.43	25.26	27.50	29.08
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....</b>	<b>14.31</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>8.50</b>	<b>10.30</b>	<b>13.10</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>22.68</b>
Lathe and turning-machine set-up operators .....	17.41	3.7	12.70	14.35	16.51	19.75	22.47
Lathe and turning-machine operators .....	16.12	6.2	10.50	12.50	16.00	18.68	21.68
Milling and planing machine operators .....	16.14	6.9	10.75	13.25	16.22	18.81	22.09
Punching and stamping press operators .....	14.04	6.7	8.50	10.08	12.39	16.25	21.87
Rolling machine operators .....	16.65	11.4	10.51	12.50	15.25	19.31	26.98
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	14.25	8.1	7.25	10.00	14.00	17.70	20.59
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	13.60	2.7	8.58	11.00	12.98	15.60	18.75
Forging machine operators .....	12.93	10.3	8.61	10.50	11.50	15.32	18.65
Numerical control machine operators .....	16.82	3.1	12.00	14.10	16.50	19.00	21.57
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. ....	15.65	4.0	9.35	11.65	14.15	18.25	26.66
Molding and casting machine operators .....	13.46	3.6	8.50	10.23	12.81	15.40	19.75
Metal plating machine operators .....	14.49	7.8	8.50	10.60	13.84	18.10	23.00
Heat treating equipment operators .....	15.95	5.2	10.90	13.66	15.30	17.80	21.48
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators ..	12.20	7.1	8.00	9.25	12.75	14.16	14.50
Sawing machine operators .....	11.11	4.9	7.50	9.00	10.75	12.50	15.25
Shaping and joining machine operators .....	13.69	2.8	11.00	12.71	13.80	14.50	16.25
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	10.46	10.9	7.13	7.79	9.22	13.85	13.87
Printing press operators .....	17.01	2.9	11.00	14.00	17.00	19.98	22.74
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	16.66	6.3	13.25	13.25	16.69	18.45	22.81
Typesetters and compositors .....	15.73	5.8	9.50	12.80	17.00	19.00	19.97
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	12.61	7.1	9.00	9.67	11.59	13.07	16.39
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	12.23	5.8	9.00	10.27	11.75	13.60	16.93
Textile cutting machine operators .....	10.92	4.7	7.90	9.79	10.75	10.75	14.26
Textile sewing machine operators .....	10.53	9.2	7.03	8.36	9.00	11.67	15.50
Pressing machine operators .....	9.46	5.4	6.75	8.00	9.50	10.50	12.20
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators ..	9.97	5.9	7.18	8.13	9.50	11.00	13.50
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	12.35	8.1	7.43	9.52	11.45	14.70	18.89
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	14.43	4.0	8.75	10.93	13.60	16.61	22.43
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	13.83	3.8	10.01	11.22	13.29	16.22	17.61
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	15.57	4.1	10.31	11.84	14.95	18.36	21.50
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators ..	19.56	5.4	12.30	16.09	18.98	24.45	25.62
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	11.65	8.0	8.00	8.25	11.19	13.23	16.81
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	15.48	4.4	9.85	11.53	14.17	17.24	26.21
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	14.04	7.8	8.50	11.52	13.00	17.30	21.00
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators ..	16.81	22.6	10.00	10.00	13.05	28.04	28.04
Folding machine operators .....	13.02	16.8	6.90	8.35	12.44	16.03	20.44
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	15.24	6.3	10.50	12.00	13.50	16.62	25.13

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>							
—Continued							
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	\$15.57	11.9	\$10.25	\$11.60	\$14.54	\$16.39	\$27.19
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	14.08	2.7	9.00	11.50	13.81	16.42	18.75
Photographic process machine operators .....	11.47	7.8	9.00	10.00	10.17	12.00	16.85
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	14.71	2.6	8.60	10.51	13.65	17.92	22.93
Welders and cutters .....	15.69	2.3	11.00	12.30	15.00	17.74	21.31
Solderers and brazers .....	12.17	9.0	8.55	9.00	12.00	14.39	16.50
Assemblers .....	15.06	2.0	8.23	10.10	13.00	18.24	26.74
Hand cutting and trimming .....	11.81	10.8	6.95	9.00	10.46	14.59	17.00
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	11.73	8.3	7.50	8.50	12.38	14.00	15.66
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	12.24	4.7	8.75	10.65	11.50	14.00	15.21
Hand engraving and printing .....	16.75	26.4	9.00	9.92	12.75	28.35	28.75
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. ....	12.80	5.8	7.35	9.40	11.50	14.69	19.29
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	14.12	4.7	8.50	10.15	12.50	16.61	23.44
Production testers .....	15.19	5.0	10.01	11.64	14.00	17.75	20.96
Production samplers and weighers .....	13.78	8.2	10.64	11.03	12.81	14.55	18.30
Graders and sorters, except agricultural .....	11.91	6.2	7.00	9.00	10.30	14.79	16.50
Hand inspectors, n.e.c. ....	12.33	8.1	9.25	10.71	11.63	16.00	16.00
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	15.53	1.8	9.00	11.00	14.40	18.94	23.76
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	18.58	6.4	10.00	13.89	17.97	23.24	25.67
Truckdrivers .....	15.31	2.4	9.23	11.00	14.42	19.00	22.57
Driver-sales workers .....	15.73	6.2	8.50	10.30	14.75	20.00	25.07
Busdrivers .....	13.15	10.0	8.11	10.00	12.00	15.04	22.20
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	8.93	8.4	6.00	7.00	8.75	10.25	12.18
Parking lot attendants .....	7.57	9.6	5.00	6.25	7.50	8.74	10.00
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	11.44	5.7	7.96	8.64	10.50	12.50	17.40
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	25.68	22.6	13.65	13.65	26.00	35.82	42.10
Locomotive operating .....	28.94	23.1	14.47	14.47	28.96	39.31	47.10
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	30.28	5.9	15.52	23.29	30.74	39.18	40.84
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. ....	21.64	4.0	15.54	19.67	21.14	23.60	26.77
Ship captains and mates, except fishing boats .....	19.15	15.2	12.92	14.58	20.00	20.00	25.71
Sailors and deckhands .....	11.39	6.4	8.34	8.75	9.25	12.33	18.13
Marine engineers .....	21.37	20.9	14.38	14.38	17.71	23.17	35.27
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	22.77	3.5	16.25	18.75	22.82	27.18	28.05
Operating engineers .....	23.50	10.4	13.00	14.00	25.14	28.50	33.50
Hoist and winch operators .....	12.12	19.6	9.25	9.50	10.50	10.86	25.62
Crane and tower operators .....	16.64	6.2	12.24	13.91	15.07	18.00	22.40
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	16.99	4.6	10.00	13.25	16.00	18.50	23.22
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	16.36	6.1	11.00	12.50	14.50	20.00	25.00
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	14.23	1.8	9.25	10.81	13.45	17.00	21.04
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	16.91	6.3	10.00	12.45	15.95	20.45	26.65
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	11.94	1.7	7.00	8.50	10.50	13.93	18.87
Nursery workers .....	11.53	8.9	9.00	9.35	10.00	13.50	16.50
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers .....	24.39	7.3	14.84	20.19	25.00	25.00	29.40
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	11.17	4.7	7.25	8.00	10.00	13.79	16.75
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	11.29	10.2	8.75	9.23	10.50	14.10	15.33
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	10.05	15.9	7.30	7.65	8.75	10.76	14.65
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. ....	19.80	6.7	12.00	15.06	18.51	22.89	27.17
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	11.64	3.8	8.00	9.00	10.50	13.91	17.00
Helpers, construction trades .....	12.51	3.8	8.50	10.00	11.17	14.05	16.35
Construction laborers .....	14.69	4.6	8.00	9.79	12.50	20.00	23.24
Production helpers .....	11.44	2.9	7.25	8.50	10.50	13.73	17.48
Garbage collectors .....	9.30	7.0	6.84	7.82	9.00	10.30	12.34
Stock handlers and baggers .....	11.26	1.9	7.00	8.50	10.52	13.16	16.40
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	10.90	2.5	7.80	8.67	10.56	12.30	14.78

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>							
—Continued							
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	\$12.93	2.4	\$7.95	\$9.50	\$12.00	\$15.55	\$20.09
Garage and service station related .....	8.98	3.6	6.75	7.25	8.50	10.00	12.00
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	10.00	3.8	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.85	14.70
Hand packers and packagers .....	9.79	5.5	6.50	7.00	8.90	11.46	14.12
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	11.07	2.5	6.75	8.00	10.00	13.25	16.61
<b>Service</b> .....	10.20	1.5	6.00	7.35	9.38	11.96	15.53
Protective service .....	10.94	2.9	7.10	8.50	10.00	12.00	15.73
Supervisors, guards .....	17.12	11.4	10.19	11.00	15.35	18.04	33.65
Guards and police, except public service .....	10.36	2.4	7.00	8.50	9.74	11.50	14.25
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	9.41	3.0	7.00	7.75	8.80	11.00	11.27
Food service .....	8.74	1.5	4.00	6.50	8.00	10.50	13.84
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	5.33	2.8	2.13	3.00	5.15	6.75	8.80
Bartenders .....	7.03	4.6	4.00	5.65	6.89	8.50	10.00
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.69	4.4	2.13	2.35	4.25	5.88	7.35
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants .....	6.47	6.2	3.70	4.75	6.44	7.50	9.50
Other food service .....	9.91	1.1	6.50	7.50	9.00	11.38	14.73
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	14.01	2.8	8.50	10.00	13.07	16.97	21.25
Cooks .....	10.29	1.5	7.00	8.00	9.93	12.00	14.75
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	9.05	2.4	6.12	7.00	8.50	10.40	12.60
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	8.63	1.9	6.25	7.10	8.00	9.84	11.62
Health service .....	11.17	1.2	7.90	9.00	10.50	12.50	15.51
Dental assistants .....	15.42	3.6	10.25	13.00	15.00	17.51	21.00
Health aides, except nursing .....	11.93	3.1	8.00	9.25	11.20	13.39	16.26
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	10.49	1.2	7.73	8.83	10.00	11.74	13.82
Cleaning and building service .....	11.09	3.1	6.93	7.97	9.89	13.00	18.57
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	16.98	4.0	11.54	13.00	17.95	19.62	23.08
Maids and housemen .....	8.80	3.3	6.50	7.04	8.08	10.00	12.00
Janitors and cleaners .....	11.32	4.4	7.00	8.20	10.30	13.23	18.57
Pest control .....	14.06	9.6	9.00	10.20	12.00	16.66	19.07
Personal service .....	10.66	8.2	5.67	6.75	8.85	11.73	17.22
Supervisors, personal service .....	14.76	6.5	8.70	10.92	14.42	18.75	21.25
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	13.05	10.0	6.50	7.50	10.50	14.72	22.28
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	7.22	3.1	5.30	5.65	6.55	7.38	10.75
Guides .....	13.90	6.0	10.55	12.50	13.82	15.87	16.83
Public transportation attendants .....	33.37	4.6	20.76	27.68	30.13	41.09	48.15
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	7.86	5.5	5.35	6.15	8.00	9.00	10.95
Welfare service aides .....	11.12	3.2	8.45	9.50	10.55	12.50	14.20

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.2. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Personal service —Continued							
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	\$8.66	4.4	\$6.25	\$7.25	\$8.35	\$9.75	\$11.69
Childcare workers, n.e.c. .....	8.80	3.1	6.50	7.00	8.12	10.00	11.85
Service, n.e.c. .....	11.61	5.8	7.81	9.18	10.69	13.50	17.94

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.3. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$10.15	1.0	\$5.50	\$6.57	\$8.00	\$10.50	\$17.00	
All, excluding sales .....	10.70	1.2	5.40	6.50	8.25	11.50	19.59	
White collar .....	12.96	1.7	6.50	7.35	9.25	14.42	25.46	
White collar, excluding sales .....	17.55	2.3	8.00	10.00	13.50	22.47	31.71	
Professional specialty and technical .....	24.68	2.9	10.58	15.60	23.00	30.00	39.45	
Professional specialty .....	27.14	3.1	10.70	19.00	25.90	33.00	42.08	
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	38.40	18.4	23.78	25.00	35.00	44.50	63.99	
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	31.73	7.5	12.94	19.99	30.20	37.18	51.11	
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	31.88	7.7	12.94	19.99	31.50	37.18	51.11	
Natural scientists .....	26.40	25.7	17.00	18.00	19.00	45.96	45.96	
Health related .....	31.29	3.5	20.49	24.05	28.48	35.00	43.96	
Physicians .....	89.41	12.3	52.88	64.03	100.00	105.29	130.21	
Registered nurses .....	29.13	1.8	20.60	24.05	28.00	33.09	39.01	
Pharmacists .....	37.11	8.3	12.85	33.00	39.86	45.20	49.12	
Dietitians .....	22.29	6.8	18.50	18.50	22.50	22.82	28.14	
Respiratory therapists .....	23.47	6.0	17.47	19.97	22.84	26.25	31.62	
Occupational therapists .....	33.45	6.8	25.00	27.88	32.00	38.00	45.00	
Physical therapists .....	35.99	6.6	24.00	30.00	39.00	40.00	43.00	
Speech therapists .....	30.45	4.9	26.34	28.81	30.00	30.00	37.00	
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	20.20	7.8	16.50	16.80	19.00	23.75	23.75	
Teachers, college and university .....	23.67	7.9	9.00	15.63	21.88	30.00	36.26	
Psychology teachers .....	19.75	16.3	15.63	15.63	15.63	21.88	30.00	
Mathematical science teachers .....	19.94	17.3	13.80	13.80	18.40	21.88	28.09	
Computer science teachers .....	21.09	21.2	13.00	16.34	16.34	23.00	40.00	
Health specialties teachers .....	24.72	7.5	18.04	18.61	23.59	29.00	35.00	
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	23.17	13.5	15.00	20.00	20.00	23.67	36.67	
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	23.34	13.8	15.00	15.00	19.78	31.56	36.26	
Education teachers .....	22.61	19.2	11.64	15.87	17.19	25.38	39.77	
English teachers .....	22.86	11.3	10.58	14.82	19.10	30.00	38.33	
Other post-secondary teachers .....	23.22	7.6	14.50	18.00	22.00	27.78	32.94	
Teachers, except college and university .....	18.09	9.4	9.45	12.00	13.50	21.00	29.70	
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	14.47	13.5	9.45	13.50	13.50	14.02	21.00	
Elementary school teachers .....	19.85	17.3	10.71	10.71	17.00	25.23	33.48	
Secondary school teachers .....	37.22	15.9	19.00	28.96	35.58	38.02	58.88	
Teachers, special education .....	26.85	31.6	15.00	15.00	19.10	20.00	53.85	
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	19.91	12.1	10.25	12.00	16.67	29.23	38.00	
Substitute teachers .....	8.39	10.5	6.00	6.50	8.00	10.88	11.00	
Vocational and educational counselors .....	12.10	7.7	9.45	10.00	10.98	11.85	17.24	
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	20.13	8.6	12.60	16.70	19.40	23.94	25.73	
Librarians .....	20.47	10.5	12.60	16.70	21.81	23.94	25.73	
Social scientists and urban planners .....	24.38	21.0	10.00	12.00	27.00	30.00	35.00	
Psychologists .....	24.38	21.0	10.00	12.00	27.00	30.00	35.00	
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	15.86	8.6	6.67	9.59	14.42	21.21	26.00	
Social workers .....	19.75	5.3	11.00	14.42	18.00	25.00	28.94	
Recreation workers .....	9.44	12.8	5.50	6.35	8.00	12.00	13.00	
Lawyers and judges .....	60.60	20.4	25.64	38.97	49.04	63.33	157.97	
Lawyers .....	60.60	20.4	25.64	38.97	49.04	63.33	157.97	
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	14.74	8.8	6.50	8.15	10.00	18.00	28.75	
Designers .....	12.42	16.6	7.25	7.50	10.00	13.18	20.00	
Musicians and composers .....	41.40	24.1	12.00	15.46	25.00	70.00	70.00	
Photographers .....	16.37	32.5	7.05	7.50	13.86	13.86	38.46	
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	11.62	12.1	8.90	10.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	
Editors and reporters .....	16.34	13.7	9.00	10.32	14.00	20.00	24.15	
Announcers .....	8.54	10.8	5.50	6.50	9.00	10.00	11.13	
Athletes .....	13.34	11.2	7.50	8.50	11.00	18.00	24.14	
Technical .....	19.04	3.7	10.50	14.00	16.87	22.00	29.00	
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	19.13	6.8	12.00	14.30	16.80	22.58	30.05	
Dental hygienists .....	32.15	8.2	22.00	22.50	28.00	40.63	46.88	
Health record technologists and technicians .....	14.55	25.1	9.50	10.72	13.25	17.51	21.31	
Radiological technicians .....	22.22	4.6	16.00	17.75	21.95	24.00	28.35	
Licensed practical nurses .....	17.70	1.9	13.95	15.60	16.87	19.34	23.00	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.3. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>White collar</b> —Continued								
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued								
Technical—Continued								
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	\$14.91	5.2	\$9.00	\$11.00	\$13.61	\$17.11	\$23.84	
Electrical and electronic technicians ....	25.57	18.6	15.00	17.08	22.00	33.97	38.84	
Broadcast equipment operators ....	10.64	20.0	7.00	7.50	8.30	9.50	14.92	
Computer programmers ....	33.13	7.9	17.65	25.00	34.62	41.44	50.96	
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> ....	26.65	4.9	13.75	17.29	26.00	30.00	44.00	
Executives, administrators, and managers ....	29.80	11.4	9.00	18.82	28.89	33.00	50.94	
Managers, medicine and health ....	37.47	15.7	27.00	27.00	41.76	48.35	48.35	
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	24.00	10.4	13.75	18.82	28.89	28.92	28.92	
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	34.72	19.8	20.00	20.00	20.00	49.52	56.86	
Management related ....	24.90	4.4	14.00	16.00	24.52	29.00	38.15	
Accountants and auditors ....	26.67	8.4	14.58	21.00	26.00	30.00	38.15	
Other financial officers ....	23.26	15.1	12.00	14.50	17.50	30.00	36.90	
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists ....	20.46	7.5	14.42	16.00	19.23	26.88	28.89	
Management related, n.e.c. ....	25.66	10.9	15.00	17.01	25.25	28.89	40.00	
<b>Sales</b> ....	8.13	.8	6.00	6.65	7.50	8.85	10.50	
Supervisors, sales ....	9.78	14.4	7.25	7.50	8.00	9.48	12.25	
Real estate sales ....	10.39	14.2	6.92	6.92	10.00	11.00	13.48	
Sales, other business services ....	8.74	4.9	6.75	7.00	8.00	10.00	10.30	
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale ....	10.60	7.5	9.00	9.00	9.25	12.00	13.00	
Sales workers, apparel ....	7.64	3.1	6.00	6.50	7.00	8.10	9.50	
Sales workers, shoes ....	8.17	11.2	5.75	6.25	7.19	8.75	11.17	
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings ....	8.94	3.1	7.00	7.60	8.75	9.92	10.99	
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances ....	8.98	3.6	7.32	7.84	8.69	9.75	11.00	
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies ....	10.12	3.0	7.50	8.70	10.00	11.25	13.17	
Sales workers, parts ....	8.18	3.2	7.00	7.25	8.00	9.00	9.80	
Sales workers, other commodities ....	8.18	2.2	6.10	6.75	7.50	8.87	10.71	
Sales counter clerks ....	7.38	2.0	6.00	6.50	7.25	8.00	9.00	
Cashiers ....	7.81	.9	6.00	6.50	7.31	8.50	10.00	
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales ....	10.46	10.9	8.00	8.00	9.00	11.30	16.25	
Sales support, n.e.c. ....	7.88	3.7	6.00	6.40	7.10	8.80	10.30	
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> ....	11.43	1.3	7.50	8.66	10.39	13.10	16.44	
Secretaries ....	14.45	3.9	9.00	10.75	14.03	16.00	21.15	
Stenographers ....	17.56	6.0	11.00	13.00	16.50	18.50	29.80	
Typists ....	16.32	14.8	9.00	10.82	16.17	24.00	24.00	
Interviewers ....	9.61	6.7	7.50	7.75	9.25	10.84	12.33	
Hotel clerks ....	8.67	4.1	6.00	7.75	8.25	9.50	11.25	
Transportation ticket and reservation agents ....	15.36	3.7	9.38	11.57	15.33	20.29	20.60	
Receptionists ....	10.11	4.7	6.75	7.50	9.28	12.12	15.00	
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	10.25	5.2	6.50	8.00	10.25	12.00	13.00	
Order clerks ....	10.45	7.2	6.55	7.50	9.10	12.50	14.19	
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping ....	13.78	13.1	8.00	10.00	14.00	17.60	17.60	
Library clerks ....	10.71	16.3	5.51	8.40	10.11	13.00	16.43	
File clerks ....	9.71	3.9	8.00	8.25	10.00	10.00	11.81	
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	11.97	6.2	8.05	9.00	10.80	13.55	15.13	
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ....	12.47	2.3	8.15	10.00	12.50	14.00	17.50	
Billing clerks ....	13.37	6.9	10.30	11.00	12.00	14.42	17.79	
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators ....	11.20	2.8	8.50	10.00	10.86	12.59	14.39	
Duplicating machine operators ....	10.08	8.2	8.50	8.50	9.00	11.44	12.00	
Telephone operators ....	9.58	3.5	8.50	9.00	9.00	10.00	11.87	
Mail clerks, except postal service ....	10.35	4.1	8.20	8.88	10.12	11.70	12.69	
Messengers ....	9.54	8.9	7.00	7.72	9.50	12.00	12.00	
Dispatchers ....	9.63	4.0	6.75	8.00	10.00	10.14	11.00	
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks ....	12.02	8.5	8.50	10.00	12.01	13.78	16.03	
Stock and inventory clerks ....	9.97	5.7	7.00	7.50	8.85	11.35	14.55	
Expeditors ....	10.10	11.0	7.25	8.19	8.73	11.95	14.25	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.3. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Material recording, scheduling, and distribution clerks, n.e.c. ....	\$8.78	2.4	\$7.15	\$7.85	\$8.37	\$10.00	\$10.75
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators ....	15.91	12.9	11.19	12.00	13.88	17.13	28.14
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ....	12.47	6.1	7.30	9.25	11.60	14.85	17.19
Bill and account collectors ....	11.82	16.1	8.00	8.33	9.57	14.01	23.50
General office clerks ....	10.95	2.8	7.75	8.50	10.50	13.00	14.60
Bank tellers ....	10.09	1.7	8.00	9.00	9.60	11.00	12.92
Data entry keyers ....	12.82	8.9	9.00	10.00	11.35	15.00	20.00
Teachers' aides ....	11.20	11.1	7.80	8.50	10.00	12.50	17.00
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	11.37	3.4	8.00	9.20	10.50	12.50	15.51
<b>Blue collar</b> ....	9.38	1.5	6.00	6.75	8.50	10.50	13.85
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> ....	12.62	7.0	7.00	8.50	10.30	14.41	22.85
Automobile mechanics ....	9.60	5.4	8.00	9.52	9.52	10.00	10.00
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment ....	21.74	15.6	9.77	11.35	25.58	25.58	36.36
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. ....	10.90	15.3	6.00	7.98	10.00	15.00	17.91
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ....	11.98	9.6	8.00	9.00	10.73	13.00	16.00
Butchers and meat cutters ....	8.96	14.7	5.40	6.00	7.00	11.44	17.50
Bakers ....	9.61	4.0	7.50	7.60	8.50	13.00	13.00
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> ....	9.38	2.7	6.28	8.00	8.52	10.00	12.00
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators ....	7.64	6.6	6.28	6.50	7.00	9.03	9.90
Photographic process machine operators ....	8.06	3.8	6.86	8.00	8.24	8.50	8.50
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	10.03	5.3	7.75	8.00	9.50	10.21	13.50
Assemblers ....	10.21	5.3	7.16	8.25	10.00	10.50	13.75
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> ....	10.08	4.4	5.75	6.75	9.00	12.50	16.00
Truckdrivers ....	11.93	7.1	6.75	8.00	11.00	15.06	19.48
Driver-sales workers ....	7.37	8.4	5.15	5.50	6.50	8.00	12.50
Busdrivers ....	12.62	4.0	9.40	10.00	12.00	14.00	17.25
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs ....	8.92	5.3	6.48	7.22	8.50	9.45	11.30
Parking lot attendants ....	8.33	17.1	6.00	6.00	6.75	8.46	20.00
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	7.03	5.3	5.40	6.15	6.33	7.25	8.76
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ....	11.59	11.1	7.50	8.00	9.54	14.26	17.64
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	12.90	10.4	8.00	9.00	12.35	14.35	16.43
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> ....	8.67	1.6	6.00	6.50	8.00	9.80	12.50
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm ....	8.70	3.4	6.90	7.90	8.25	8.50	10.50
Animal caretakers, except farm ....	7.02	5.9	6.00	6.00	6.50	8.00	8.50
Helpers, construction trades ....	11.49	7.7	7.27	10.00	13.00	13.00	14.50
Production helpers ....	8.66	6.2	7.00	7.50	8.25	9.25	12.50
Stock handlers and baggers ....	7.70	1.1	5.65	6.25	7.25	8.40	10.00
Machine feeders and offbearers ....	9.66	9.7	7.00	7.30	9.35	9.60	11.77
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	10.95	3.1	7.00	9.00	10.50	12.75	15.10
Garage and service station related ....	9.62	16.5	6.50	7.00	8.06	10.18	10.95
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners ....	7.71	5.3	5.75	6.50	7.00	8.50	10.00
Hand packers and packagers ....	7.98	3.8	5.92	6.25	7.50	9.00	10.25
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	7.90	3.1	5.54	6.50	7.50	9.00	10.50
<b>Service</b> ....	7.39	.9	3.90	6.00	7.00	8.50	10.50
<b>Protective service</b> ....	9.91	4.7	6.50	7.25	9.00	10.00	14.25
Guards and police, except public service ....	10.20	6.0	6.50	7.75	9.00	10.00	15.00
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	7.97	3.4	6.20	7.25	7.40	9.00	10.25
<b>Food service</b> ....	6.39	1.0	2.65	5.40	6.52	7.50	9.00
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders ....	4.90	2.6	2.13	2.60	4.75	6.75	7.50
Bartenders ....	6.57	3.9	3.15	5.10	6.75	8.00	9.31

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 2.3. Private industry, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service</b> —Continued							
Food service —Continued							
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders —Continued							
Waiters and waitresses .....	\$4.38	3.3	\$2.13	\$2.19	\$3.35	\$6.15	\$7.35
Waiters'Waitresses' assistants .....	5.87	2.7	3.13	5.15	6.25	6.75	7.50
Other food service .....	7.20	.8	5.50	6.05	7.00	8.00	9.25
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	9.78	10.8	6.50	7.50	8.75	10.00	12.80
Cooks .....	7.92	1.9	6.00	6.50	7.50	9.00	10.50
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	7.34	1.8	5.50	6.25	7.00	8.00	9.55
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	7.07	1.2	5.50	6.15	6.75	7.64	8.89
Health service .....	9.73	3.2	6.08	7.70	9.25	10.93	13.53
Dental assistants .....	14.90	12.6	7.50	11.50	13.25	17.50	26.00
Health aides, except nursing .....	10.43	3.0	7.13	8.20	9.50	11.68	14.39
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	9.39	3.5	6.00	7.35	9.10	10.60	13.00
Cleaning and building service .....	8.35	3.5	5.65	6.81	8.00	9.29	11.12
Maids and housemen .....	8.47	5.3	6.25	7.00	7.75	9.25	11.00
Janitors and cleaners .....	8.25	3.6	5.35	6.61	8.00	9.33	11.12
Personal service .....	8.56	2.2	5.75	6.50	7.50	9.37	12.00
Supervisors, personal service .....	14.21	7.2	10.00	12.00	14.00	16.74	16.74
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	11.28	14.8	5.91	6.50	9.00	14.25	21.36
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	6.86	5.0	5.15	5.50	6.50	7.50	8.75
Guides .....	10.63	15.1	6.50	7.00	8.83	13.57	16.67
Ushers .....	7.33	6.4	5.15	6.00	7.00	7.75	10.00
Public transportation attendants .....	13.74	40.7	8.50	8.50	8.50	9.20	35.29
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	9.44	13.8	6.70	7.00	8.00	10.20	14.91
Welfare service aides .....	7.51	7.2	6.05	6.05	6.85	8.15	10.83
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	8.13	5.2	6.00	6.90	8.00	9.09	10.50
Childcare workers, n.e.c. ....	8.45	5.1	6.45	6.96	7.50	9.15	12.23
Service, n.e.c. ....	9.57	3.8	6.00	7.00	8.47	10.00	13.00

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$23.31	0.9	\$10.70	\$14.06	\$20.34	\$29.35	\$39.91	
All, excluding sales .....	23.34	.9	10.72	14.08	20.36	29.39	39.95	
White collar .....	26.32	.9	11.84	16.02	23.46	33.29	44.62	
White collar, excluding sales .....	26.38	.9	11.90	16.08	23.55	33.35	44.67	
Professional specialty and technical .....	31.25	.9	16.91	22.30	28.82	37.66	48.89	
Professional specialty .....	32.54	.9	18.84	23.65	30.09	38.65	50.08	
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	31.17	2.6	21.97	25.87	29.98	35.08	41.69	
Architects .....	35.57	3.4	24.33	31.46	35.91	38.37	44.08	
Civil engineers .....	32.45	3.2	22.44	27.69	31.40	36.66	43.17	
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	33.35	8.8	27.57	28.19	30.61	38.00	44.57	
Industrial engineers .....	25.06	8.7	20.27	21.52	22.96	28.00	35.15	
Mechanical engineers .....	30.21	8.7	25.78	26.90	27.90	28.30	46.48	
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	29.12	4.6	19.49	23.77	29.76	32.69	37.12	
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	28.49	4.2	19.16	23.79	28.26	33.25	36.47	
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	28.66	4.2	19.30	23.97	28.36	33.51	36.47	
Natural scientists .....	23.27	5.7	15.39	17.81	22.08	27.47	33.38	
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.57	4.0	23.53	31.62	33.38	35.66	39.26	
Geologists and geodesists .....	27.17	17.4	16.88	18.05	25.26	31.35	49.58	
Physical scientists, n.e.c. .....	23.78	6.3	15.86	20.99	24.87	27.89	29.28	
Agricultural and food scientists .....	26.43	6.6	15.04	18.73	23.01	36.09	40.37	
Biological and life scientists .....	21.04	8.4	15.87	17.37	18.69	22.62	31.43	
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	21.13	11.6	14.17	16.00	18.41	25.82	30.31	
Medical scientists .....	22.41	7.6	13.46	17.45	22.53	26.46	32.32	
Health related .....	28.71	3.2	18.07	21.21	25.52	32.44	42.87	
Physicians .....	35.56	14.3	14.07	18.42	21.83	57.30	72.12	
Registered nurses .....	27.06	2.5	19.60	21.67	25.57	30.98	37.45	
Pharmacists .....	39.21	6.3	25.06	34.07	39.81	45.67	51.65	
Dietitians .....	21.07	3.7	16.36	18.36	20.02	24.26	27.01	
Respiratory therapists .....	22.64	6.1	16.64	18.18	22.59	25.00	29.04	
Occupational therapists .....	27.92	8.2	21.72	22.98	25.86	31.61	34.87	
Physical therapists .....	32.57	9.4	23.31	23.31	30.53	36.41	44.89	
Speech therapists .....	31.49	7.4	15.79	25.31	31.46	36.97	44.21	
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	22.37	7.5	14.43	16.44	21.80	24.95	35.64	
Physicians' assistants .....	32.66	15.3	24.64	34.48	35.02	36.06	37.62	
Teachers, college and university .....	42.72	3.5	24.10	30.50	38.74	51.28	66.14	
Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers .....	54.65	13.1	35.26	40.96	51.74	68.35	81.23	
Biological science teachers .....	36.40	6.7	21.79	31.13	36.56	41.23	46.76	
Chemistry teachers .....	33.56	3.3	28.94	31.00	32.40	33.80	41.30	
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. .....	37.98	11.6	18.43	31.27	40.71	44.02	48.16	
Psychology teachers .....	37.24	12.3	23.67	26.95	28.65	46.32	57.13	
History teachers .....	47.03	8.9	30.16	34.07	47.10	56.91	65.31	
Political science teachers .....	33.73	11.3	26.20	28.64	30.55	33.03	52.90	
Sociology teachers .....	50.25	17.9	27.61	32.27	50.81	63.49	72.98	
Social science teachers, n.e.c. .....	44.95	7.3	31.19	37.36	42.41	51.40	59.80	
Engineering teachers .....	58.71	13.8	40.05	43.36	54.68	76.23	91.04	
Mathematical science teachers .....	41.14	13.4	23.45	31.99	44.01	49.67	55.13	
Computer science teachers .....	46.88	13.2	33.14	40.00	41.68	58.22	58.71	
Medical science teachers .....	47.25	11.9	21.72	27.23	38.40	60.04	93.01	
Health specialties teachers .....	36.09	5.5	25.33	27.33	32.01	38.11	52.88	
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	44.61	18.1	30.73	35.24	38.44	47.22	72.03	
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	55.12	23.5	20.80	25.94	55.74	75.22	84.15	
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	34.35	12.6	22.49	27.22	30.95	40.29	51.00	
Physical education teachers .....	44.71	7.3	32.24	41.57	45.37	51.94	51.94	
Education teachers .....	38.63	13.0	19.23	31.31	44.46	44.54	45.47	
English teachers .....	48.11	12.4	28.04	34.60	45.52	63.18	63.59	
Foreign language teachers .....	30.01	25.0	18.57	18.57	18.57	31.37	47.44	
Theology teachers .....	39.82	7.1	30.77	31.25	35.43	48.99	50.70	
Trade and industrial teachers .....	37.73	5.1	23.98	30.52	36.63	44.17	51.06	
Other post-secondary teachers .....	41.56	3.3	22.89	29.19	38.24	51.00	64.55	
Teachers, except college and university .....	33.70	1.1	21.78	25.58	31.66	40.05	50.01	
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	30.35	3.1	20.50	23.20	28.63	35.32	43.18	
Elementary school teachers .....	34.32	1.3	22.66	26.04	31.90	40.63	50.42	

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
Professional specialty —Continued							
Teachers, except college and university —Continued							
Secondary school teachers .....	\$33.38	2.0	\$22.13	\$25.64	\$31.11	\$38.99	\$48.45
Teachers, special education .....	36.11	3.4	23.27	27.46	33.39	43.43	53.54
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	34.56	3.0	20.03	25.95	32.95	42.10	51.01
Substitute teachers .....	12.93	4.5	8.67	10.27	11.07	15.63	19.17
Vocational and educational counselors .....	33.31	4.9	18.51	24.83	32.64	40.65	48.92
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	26.85	3.2	15.99	19.85	25.32	31.48	39.53
Librarians .....	27.41	3.1	15.99	20.36	25.73	32.72	40.48
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.50	7.2	18.55	23.39	29.39	35.43	50.88
Economists .....	27.72	8.7	18.55	23.95	27.77	32.98	33.72
Psychologists .....	35.77	6.7	22.43	27.18	31.88	41.65	57.10
Urban planners .....	26.86	4.6	19.07	22.79	26.76	31.10	33.76
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	20.64	2.3	12.94	15.10	18.97	24.13	30.52
Social workers .....	20.76	2.4	13.04	15.22	18.97	24.26	30.65
Recreation workers .....	17.89	7.6	10.30	12.46	19.30	22.52	24.49
Lawyers and judges .....	38.41	5.2	21.42	27.18	35.72	46.56	54.64
Lawyers .....	35.37	3.0	20.92	26.14	35.55	43.18	50.98
Judges .....	59.63	11.4	46.06	48.90	57.83	75.39	82.12
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	28.73	10.6	14.19	18.17	24.10	34.48	55.29
Designers .....	17.88	10.5	13.04	14.47	17.35	17.83	25.57
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. .....	20.29	9.0	11.79	16.06	23.48	24.36	25.54
Editors and reporters .....	20.84	14.1	10.37	18.60	20.68	25.07	28.56
Public relations specialists .....	25.96	10.5	15.00	18.46	23.61	26.49	38.73
Athletes .....	41.65	21.7	11.77	18.75	50.76	57.69	57.69
Professional, n.e.c. .....	28.42	6.7	16.86	21.15	27.99	34.48	38.72
Technical .....	18.86	1.8	11.66	14.51	18.05	21.97	26.94
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.68	4.7	11.66	15.70	17.33	21.81	26.80
Health record technologists and technicians .....	18.65	10.9	11.58	13.28	18.05	25.19	26.58
Radiological technicians .....	24.89	7.4	17.15	19.79	22.00	27.28	39.59
Licensed practical nurses .....	16.00	2.3	11.20	13.47	16.00	18.05	20.03
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. .....	17.12	3.4	10.25	12.51	16.91	20.80	24.77
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	20.60	13.0	15.60	15.60	19.35	22.93	30.66
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. .....	21.69	8.1	14.54	16.49	20.27	24.85	33.69
Drafters .....	21.90	4.8	13.65	19.47	23.16	24.52	29.30
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	20.00	7.1	13.09	15.46	18.37	22.59	29.36
Biological technicians .....	14.72	7.3	9.89	11.89	13.97	18.15	19.23
Chemical technicians .....	22.07	5.8	16.88	19.93	21.77	24.82	27.39
Science technicians, n.e.c. .....	18.15	5.6	14.27	14.77	16.91	19.68	24.08
Broadcast equipment operators .....	25.06	10.4	14.72	21.98	24.69	25.81	38.42
Computer programmers .....	24.13	6.2	16.96	19.37	23.02	28.61	32.18
Legal assistants .....	19.88	7.4	14.09	14.86	19.70	23.01	30.59
Technical and related, n.e.c. .....	19.19	6.1	11.37	13.53	18.97	23.16	27.72
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	31.04	2.4	17.19	21.15	28.61	37.66	48.96
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	36.42	2.1	20.23	26.44	34.61	43.63	54.62
Legislators .....	13.69	25.3	3.46	4.99	9.33	16.92	30.52
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration .....	47.00	7.4	24.69	43.10	48.08	51.53	56.72
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	31.53	2.9	19.97	24.35	30.65	35.95	44.27
Financial managers .....	44.97	16.9	27.48	33.00	41.50	63.78	63.78
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	41.98	6.4	25.00	32.83	42.91	52.38	54.08
Purchasing managers .....	41.20	18.2	25.15	27.56	50.50	50.50	50.50
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations .....	32.43	10.5	23.90	24.63	33.60	38.57	38.57
Administrators, education and related fields .....	42.29	4.1	25.88	32.50	40.73	49.38	59.51
Managers, medicine and health .....	32.01	9.2	13.45	23.97	29.66	36.96	50.06
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments .....	21.10	11.7	14.81	17.79	18.78	23.56	29.03
Managers, properties and real estate .....	28.71	7.1	19.49	24.66	28.75	30.11	37.40
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. .....	27.27	6.8	14.63	18.16	27.32	35.35	38.12

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
<b>White collar</b> —Continued								
Executive, administrative, and managerial	—Continued							
Executives, administrators, and managers	—Continued							
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	\$34.13	5.2	\$20.12	\$24.74	\$33.43	\$42.51	\$47.82	
Management related	23.39	2.4	15.40	18.25	22.06	27.77	32.67	
Accountants and auditors	23.06	3.2	16.38	17.77	21.98	26.32	32.67	
Other financial officers	27.52	7.5	17.59	22.07	28.18	31.54	33.96	
Management analysts	23.71	6.7	17.67	19.16	21.73	26.45	33.31	
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	23.06	4.4	13.36	18.28	22.96	27.07	31.61	
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	17.82	11.3	12.26	13.82	16.94	20.60	24.42	
Construction inspectors	24.62	4.4	16.80	19.57	24.40	29.29	32.66	
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	20.77	2.4	14.94	17.19	21.08	22.20	27.87	
Management related, n.e.c.	25.27	4.5	15.69	19.59	24.40	29.73	35.49	
<b>Sales</b>	13.75	6.6	8.00	9.22	12.00	16.84	23.05	
Supervisors, sales	16.01	6.3	11.89	14.48	15.08	18.55	19.85	
Real estate sales	22.12	13.6	13.56	14.13	25.69	27.01	28.37	
Sales workers, other commodities	11.05	19.8	6.81	7.40	8.02	12.64	24.35	
Cashiers	12.63	7.7	7.87	9.16	11.15	15.30	20.38	
Administrative support, including clerical	14.98	1.3	9.67	11.47	14.41	17.64	21.08	
Supervisors, general office	18.93	3.6	13.43	15.75	18.20	21.08	25.36	
Supervisors, financial records processing	22.06	6.5	16.86	17.95	20.70	21.85	32.05	
Chief communications operators	21.72	6.2	17.47	18.72	21.53	22.12	23.37	
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	20.94	9.1	13.08	16.33	20.86	25.28	28.66	
Computer operators	15.81	7.1	12.18	12.73	13.80	18.32	22.03	
Secretaries	15.81	2.7	10.76	12.53	15.14	18.47	21.92	
Stenographers	20.80	8.1	11.78	14.61	19.48	23.28	31.28	
Typists	14.86	2.4	10.45	12.54	14.90	17.01	18.51	
Interviewers	13.39	14.7	8.11	9.12	12.58	17.84	17.84	
Receptionists	12.01	4.2	8.67	9.83	11.75	13.69	15.99	
Information clerks, n.e.c.	15.26	5.5	10.65	11.81	14.84	18.93	20.18	
Order clerks	20.01	7.5	12.91	15.39	18.29	26.42	28.91	
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	17.45	5.8	11.77	13.45	17.36	20.82	22.40	
Library clerks	12.80	3.1	8.52	10.08	11.98	15.24	18.38	
File clerks	12.24	6.1	8.72	10.26	11.31	14.26	17.15	
Records clerks, n.e.c.	14.05	3.7	9.79	10.63	13.72	16.20	19.02	
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	15.36	2.7	10.44	12.31	14.92	17.61	20.52	
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	18.32	4.4	13.64	15.49	18.41	19.41	21.28	
Billing clerks	14.49	9.3	8.66	11.02	14.95	18.35	20.26	
Duplicating machine operators	11.91	13.4	9.82	9.82	9.82	11.60	19.67	
Telephone operators	11.91	8.4	7.59	8.57	11.78	14.21	16.97	
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c.	14.08	9.9	9.82	11.39	15.85	15.85	15.85	
Mail clerks, except postal service	10.64	14.2	7.65	7.65	9.77	13.40	16.19	
Messengers	13.68	12.0	7.21	10.89	12.54	17.93	18.47	
Dispatchers	17.35	7.0	10.50	12.19	15.91	20.87	27.62	
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	16.26	8.4	10.55	13.38	17.91	18.28	18.81	
Stock and inventory clerks	14.62	5.5	9.36	10.73	14.46	17.57	21.66	
Meter readers	16.45	6.8	10.15	12.88	17.09	19.40	21.23	
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	20.62	29.1	11.96	12.74	14.67	30.15	34.81	
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	18.54	6.9	12.25	15.19	18.95	20.75	23.04	
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	16.77	2.1	12.47	14.69	17.09	18.14	20.86	
Bill and account collectors	16.53	6.3	13.00	13.39	15.31	18.89	20.76	
General office clerks	14.16	1.6	9.35	11.28	13.94	16.45	19.22	
Data entry keyers	13.78	2.4	10.72	11.97	14.15	15.68	16.48	
Statistical clerks	14.31	9.4	10.13	11.68	15.23	17.78	17.78	
Teachers' aides	12.28	1.5	8.75	9.70	11.32	13.87	17.46	
Administrative support, n.e.c.	15.51	2.5	10.05	12.27	15.34	17.78	21.68	
<b>Blue collar</b>	17.96	1.6	10.37	13.19	17.10	21.73	26.68	

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b>	\$20.24	2.1	\$12.37	\$15.31	\$19.44	\$23.98	\$29.11
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	25.43	5.2	15.92	19.16	25.44	30.12	34.65
Automobile mechanics	21.90	10.1	14.30	16.48	21.52	28.86	28.86
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	20.21	2.4	14.98	17.32	19.89	23.16	24.27
Heavy equipment mechanics	19.46	6.5	12.14	15.25	20.07	23.23	24.85
Industrial machinery repairers	23.93	8.1	13.28	18.43	23.34	28.65	31.43
Machinery maintenance	16.22	9.2	12.09	12.15	15.03	17.77	22.57
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	20.05	6.9	16.19	16.45	18.62	24.74	25.64
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	18.67	5.9	10.66	15.96	19.67	21.01	25.01
Mechanical controls and valve repairers	19.77	12.1	10.15	13.24	20.49	25.61	28.15
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	17.10	3.5	11.58	13.16	15.44	19.72	23.92
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	29.63	9.5	21.72	22.56	29.86	35.47	37.85
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	28.27	12.9	16.12	21.50	33.73	33.73	33.73
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	21.29	4.8	15.53	17.58	19.83	23.98	28.63
Carpenters	21.41	6.1	14.47	16.56	19.28	26.22	31.90
Electricians	22.56	5.4	16.17	18.11	20.17	26.86	31.55
Electrical power installers and repairers	25.68	6.8	15.74	21.70	27.17	28.50	31.99
Painters, construction and maintenance	19.89	7.3	12.11	15.55	20.37	23.75	26.68
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	19.43	10.2	12.62	15.17	18.02	24.31	30.46
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices	18.98	11.4	14.01	15.11	17.55	22.61	23.74
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	14.25	2.8	12.15	13.58	13.80	15.41	15.71
Construction trades, n.e.c.	15.76	6.0	9.26	11.76	15.07	19.10	23.06
Supervisors, production	23.65	15.9	14.02	15.86	17.51	28.52	40.38
Inspectors, testers, and graders	23.01	7.1	18.00	20.64	21.75	26.97	26.97
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	19.35	3.1	12.12	15.42	19.19	23.03	26.99
Power plant operators	26.03	11.1	16.86	19.24	24.18	34.36	39.65
Stationary engineers	23.28	6.7	13.30	18.76	23.35	30.31	32.62
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c.	19.27	9.5	11.52	17.49	20.69	20.69	27.65
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>	17.59	10.3	9.43	12.11	17.50	22.46	25.57
Printing press operators	15.81	4.4	13.28	14.98	15.61	17.00	19.46
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	10.41	10.8	5.99	8.43	10.31	12.24	13.70
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	21.81	15.5	9.95	11.81	22.46	29.45	35.46
Welders and cutters	22.41	8.9	14.54	19.23	25.57	25.57	25.71
<b>Transportation and material moving</b>	17.01	1.9	10.75	12.84	15.99	20.59	25.03
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	18.93	11.4	12.78	15.56	15.56	23.92	28.49
Truckdrivers	17.01	5.8	9.87	12.08	15.90	20.96	26.07
Busdrivers	16.66	1.6	10.98	13.27	16.13	20.02	23.50
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs	11.30	13.5	7.43	7.43	11.92	14.35	14.75
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	18.31	7.6	11.93	15.45	17.81	21.91	25.47
Locomotive operating	24.47	4.4	21.32	22.62	25.84	25.84	28.07
Sailors and deckhands	20.47	1.0	18.81	20.20	20.20	21.15	22.26
Supervisors, material moving equipment	20.64	5.3	15.27	18.58	20.38	22.51	23.01
Operating engineers	16.76	8.9	11.35	12.00	14.69	19.02	26.41
Excavating and loading machine operators	17.39	14.4	10.83	13.49	16.63	21.23	25.98
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators	15.75	9.5	9.74	11.92	14.06	16.92	28.10
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	14.07	2.4	10.68	11.78	14.49	15.13	16.32
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	16.23	4.8	10.85	12.10	15.26	20.10	23.08
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>	14.90	2.4	8.55	10.55	14.21	18.75	22.21
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	21.51	6.7	14.63	19.56	22.06	25.07	25.65
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	14.14	3.4	8.66	10.28	13.14	17.71	20.55
Animal caretakers, except farm	15.03	13.9	7.90	10.40	14.88	18.96	19.79
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	21.01	5.4	14.13	17.06	21.85	24.40	28.96
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	15.60	6.2	10.10	12.28	15.68	20.00	20.59
Helpers, construction trades	16.95	10.5	9.64	13.15	16.05	21.93	24.71

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers									
	Hourly earnings									
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles							
			10	25	Median 50	75	90			
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>										
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>										
—Continued										
Construction laborers .....	\$13.08	5.5	\$8.26	\$10.01	\$12.22	\$16.29	\$18.58			
Garbage collectors .....	17.56	10.6	9.80	13.84	18.43	23.56	23.56			
Stock handlers and baggers .....	13.89	13.1	9.95	9.95	13.27	15.16	17.05			
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. ....	14.11	15.4	6.13	9.41	17.62	18.30	19.56			
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	14.11	6.7	11.00	12.37	14.91	15.88	17.76			
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	14.02	3.9	8.00	9.61	13.45	17.86	21.38			
<b>Service</b> .....	17.55	1.6	8.93	11.55	15.30	22.54	29.11			
Protective service .....	21.97	2.4	12.16	15.23	21.10	26.92	32.81			
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	27.76	4.7	18.07	20.63	25.64	32.13	39.83			
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	31.78	2.8	19.23	25.26	30.93	37.57	44.99			
Supervisors, guards .....	26.97	10.7	14.88	16.14	27.14	36.84	41.26			
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	23.31	11.6	14.73	20.77	23.59	27.34	31.57			
Firefighting .....	19.46	2.8	11.53	14.53	18.48	24.02	28.71			
Police and detectives, public service .....	25.00	1.0	16.22	19.61	24.88	29.16	33.91			
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	19.97	2.4	12.67	14.81	19.12	24.12	28.22			
Correctional institution officers .....	17.74	6.2	11.41	12.20	15.55	22.68	26.06			
Crossing guards .....	10.88	6.5	6.67	8.24	10.10	13.00	15.81			
Guards and police, except public service .....	14.97	3.8	9.87	12.47	14.40	17.35	20.40			
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	16.15	6.3	9.42	12.45	14.31	19.59	23.92			
Food service .....	10.98	2.1	7.35	8.58	10.36	12.64	15.19			
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	14.73	11.7	8.00	15.42	15.42	17.86	18.22			
Waiters'Waitresses' assistants .....	13.44	11.9	8.12	10.76	15.42	15.42	15.42			
Other food service .....	10.95	2.1	7.35	8.58	10.34	12.61	14.89			
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	14.05	7.0	9.54	11.33	13.01	16.16	20.44			
Cooks .....	11.34	4.8	7.50	8.78	10.97	13.31	15.49			
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	9.48	5.4	7.00	7.75	9.10	10.67	13.44			
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	10.52	2.3	7.50	8.63	10.15	12.01	13.80			
Health service .....	12.88	2.2	8.37	9.97	12.44	15.17	17.81			
Dental assistants .....	15.08	7.5	10.00	14.78	15.88	16.46	16.95			
Health aides, except nursing .....	13.78	3.0	9.09	10.25	13.64	16.41	18.12			
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	12.52	2.7	8.14	9.70	12.10	14.69	17.69			
Cleaning and building service .....	13.04	2.8	8.15	9.64	12.43	15.46	18.85			
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	18.62	12.1	12.05	14.49	17.09	23.95	24.60			
Maids and housemen .....	9.30	7.3	6.90	7.25	8.46	10.29	12.74			
Janitors and cleaners .....	12.74	1.7	8.21	9.61	12.25	15.12	17.95			
Personal service .....	12.13	4.0	7.00	9.09	11.50	14.32	17.52			
Supervisors, personal service .....	17.98	7.7	12.77	15.44	16.95	21.19	22.40			
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	9.75	5.6	6.51	7.82	9.11	11.95	13.19			
Public transportation attendants .....	16.29	14.9	8.46	11.37	15.71	22.54	22.54			
Welfare service aides .....	13.32	5.2	8.42	10.35	13.09	15.78	18.21			
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	10.93	3.4	7.00	9.13	10.70	12.48	14.42			

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.1. **State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> all workers,<sup>2</sup> National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005—Continued**

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	All workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service –Continued</b>							
Personal service –Continued							
Childcare workers, n.e.c. ....	\$12.48	10.6	\$7.00	\$9.01	\$11.79	\$14.12	\$18.78
Service, n.e.c. ....	13.32	4.5	8.24	10.64	13.11	16.28	17.98

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

<sup>3</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>4</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>5</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.2. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$23.73	0.9	\$11.07	\$14.50	\$20.86	\$29.80	\$40.27	
All, excluding sales .....	23.75	1.0	11.09	14.52	20.88	29.83	40.30	
White collar .....	26.64	.9	12.17	16.39	23.85	33.56	44.86	
White collar, excluding sales .....	26.68	.9	12.21	16.44	23.89	33.63	44.90	
Professional specialty and technical .....	31.49	.9	17.30	22.52	29.06	37.78	49.08	
Professional specialty .....	32.77	1.0	19.23	23.86	30.27	38.79	50.30	
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	31.22	2.6	21.97	25.87	29.98	35.08	41.80	
Architects .....	35.62	3.4	24.33	31.46	35.91	38.37	44.08	
Civil engineers .....	32.45	3.2	22.44	27.69	31.40	36.66	43.17	
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	33.35	8.8	27.57	28.19	30.61	38.00	44.57	
Industrial engineers .....	25.06	8.7	20.27	21.52	22.96	28.00	35.15	
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	29.12	4.6	19.49	23.77	29.76	32.69	37.12	
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	28.50	4.2	19.16	23.79	28.26	33.25	36.47	
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	28.66	4.2	19.30	23.97	28.36	33.54	36.47	
Natural scientists .....	23.27	5.7	15.39	17.81	22.03	27.47	33.38	
Chemists, except biochemists .....	32.57	4.0	23.53	31.62	33.38	35.66	39.26	
Geologists and geodesists .....	27.17	17.4	16.88	18.05	25.26	31.35	49.58	
Physical scientists, n.e.c. ....	23.78	6.3	15.86	20.99	24.87	27.89	29.28	
Agricultural and food scientists .....	26.43	6.6	15.04	18.73	23.01	36.09	40.37	
Biological and life scientists .....	21.08	8.5	15.87	17.37	18.69	22.65	31.80	
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	21.13	11.6	14.17	16.00	18.41	25.82	30.31	
Medical scientists .....	22.36	7.8	13.46	17.10	22.53	26.46	32.32	
Health related .....	28.51	3.2	18.04	21.11	25.35	32.23	41.94	
Physicians .....	34.83	14.6	14.07	17.27	21.83	56.60	71.85	
Registered nurses .....	26.68	2.1	19.56	21.48	25.46	30.43	36.20	
Pharmacists .....	39.12	6.5	25.06	34.07	39.81	45.84	51.65	
Dietitians .....	20.99	3.8	16.36	18.36	20.02	24.01	25.97	
Respiratory therapists .....	24.15	5.3	18.18	22.28	23.13	26.08	29.04	
Occupational therapists .....	27.83	9.1	21.72	22.98	23.53	34.34	34.87	
Physical therapists .....	32.65	10.4	23.31	23.31	30.53	37.29	47.46	
Speech therapists .....	31.43	7.6	15.79	25.31	31.46	36.49	44.21	
Therapists, n.e.c. .....	22.56	7.8	14.43	16.62	21.80	25.35	35.64	
Teachers, college and university .....	43.16	3.4	24.70	30.77	39.16	51.73	66.45	
Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers .....	54.91	13.4	34.82	40.96	52.25	68.35	81.54	
Biological science teachers .....	36.66	7.1	21.79	31.13	36.70	41.23	46.76	
Chemistry teachers .....	33.56	3.3	28.94	31.00	32.40	33.80	41.30	
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. ....	40.06	10.0	23.51	37.69	41.41	44.02	49.31	
Psychology teachers .....	37.33	12.5	23.67	26.95	28.65	48.76	57.13	
History teachers .....	46.27	10.9	30.16	34.07	46.08	54.08	64.34	
Political science teachers .....	33.60	11.5	26.20	28.64	30.55	33.03	52.90	
Sociology teachers .....	50.36	17.9	27.61	32.27	50.81	63.49	72.98	
Social science teachers, n.e.c. ....	44.92	7.4	31.19	37.36	42.41	51.40	59.80	
Engineering teachers .....	59.54	14.1	40.05	43.36	54.68	76.62	91.48	
Mathematical science teachers .....	41.71	12.9	22.33	32.14	44.23	50.32	55.13	
Computer science teachers .....	50.36	9.8	32.72	41.12	56.23	58.47	58.88	
Medical science teachers .....	47.39	12.1	21.64	27.11	38.46	60.25	93.01	
Health specialties teachers .....	36.17	5.7	25.33	27.33	32.15	38.11	53.23	
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	44.59	18.3	30.73	35.24	38.44	46.85	72.03	
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	55.12	23.5	20.80	25.94	55.74	75.22	84.15	
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	34.15	12.9	22.49	27.22	30.07	40.29	50.39	
Education teachers .....	38.62	13.1	19.23	31.31	44.46	44.54	45.47	
English teachers .....	48.63	12.4	28.54	34.62	48.89	63.18	63.59	
Foreign language teachers .....	29.31	26.0	18.57	18.57	18.57	30.29	46.75	
Theology teachers .....	39.86	7.2	30.77	31.25	35.43	48.99	50.70	
Trade and industrial teachers .....	38.52	5.3	25.89	32.05	37.95	44.39	51.23	
Other post-secondary teachers .....	42.18	3.4	23.77	29.95	38.71	51.49	65.00	
Teachers, except college and university .....	34.06	1.1	22.23	25.88	31.84	40.36	50.25	
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	30.68	3.3	21.06	23.49	28.78	35.66	43.18	
Elementary school teachers .....	34.36	1.3	22.70	26.07	31.91	40.69	50.46	
Secondary school teachers .....	33.38	2.0	22.12	25.63	31.08	39.01	48.46	
Teachers, special education .....	36.08	3.4	23.27	27.45	33.32	43.41	53.54	
Teachers, n.e.c. ....	35.19	3.0	21.40	26.70	33.56	42.60	51.75	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.2. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Professional specialty and technical</b> —Continued							
Professional specialty—Continued							
Teachers, except college and university—Continued							
Substitute teachers .....	\$11.76	10.1	\$10.27	\$10.27	\$10.27	\$12.67	\$16.76
Vocational and educational counselors .....	33.48	4.9	18.65	24.84	32.64	40.72	49.08
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	27.01	3.3	15.99	19.96	25.43	31.59	39.29
Librarians .....	27.59	3.2	16.25	20.54	26.34	32.82	40.39
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.49	7.3	18.55	23.50	29.39	35.43	50.76
Economists .....	27.72	8.7	18.55	23.95	27.77	32.98	33.72
Psychologists .....	35.83	6.8	22.43	27.18	31.88	41.78	57.10
Urban planners .....	26.93	4.6	19.07	22.79	26.85	31.10	33.76
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	20.70	2.3	12.98	15.10	18.97	24.14	30.52
Social workers .....	20.77	2.4	13.04	15.15	18.97	24.26	30.65
Recreation workers .....	18.71	8.6	10.30	12.75	20.24	22.62	24.78
Lawyers and judges .....	38.40	5.3	21.42	27.15	35.72	46.41	54.64
Lawyers .....	35.07	3.0	20.92	25.59	35.55	42.80	49.67
Judges .....	61.38	11.1	46.06	51.51	57.83	75.39	82.12
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. ....	29.14	11.3	14.81	18.33	24.29	34.70	57.69
Designers .....	18.27	10.7	14.07	14.47	17.35	24.18	25.57
Public relations specialists .....	25.98	10.5	15.00	18.46	23.07	26.49	38.73
Athletes .....	45.05	19.6	17.30	21.63	55.29	57.69	57.69
Professional, n.e.c. ....	27.50	6.9	16.67	20.41	27.31	33.02	38.31
Technical .....	18.64	1.4	11.66	14.53	18.02	21.79	26.70
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.57	4.8	11.66	15.00	17.17	21.66	26.80
Health record technologists and technicians .....	17.28	9.9	11.45	13.25	16.71	20.13	25.19
Radiological technicians .....	22.70	4.0	17.15	19.40	21.53	24.29	29.68
Licensed practical nurses .....	15.75	2.6	11.01	13.27	15.81	18.05	19.72
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	17.14	3.7	10.23	12.60	16.94	20.80	24.77
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	20.71	13.1	15.60	15.60	19.35	23.63	30.66
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	20.11	3.2	14.60	16.34	19.61	22.09	27.18
Drafters .....	21.92	5.3	13.65	18.65	23.16	24.52	29.72
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	20.00	7.1	13.09	15.46	18.37	22.59	29.36
Biological technicians .....	15.14	6.7	9.89	12.47	14.90	18.15	19.42
Chemical technicians .....	22.52	5.4	18.62	19.93	21.97	25.05	27.39
Science technicians, n.e.c. ....	18.24	5.9	14.27	14.77	17.10	19.68	24.08
Broadcast equipment operators .....	25.27	10.2	14.72	22.28	24.69	27.64	38.42
Computer programmers .....	24.13	6.2	16.96	19.37	23.02	28.61	32.18
Legal assistants .....	20.45	6.1	14.10	16.11	19.70	23.34	30.59
Technical and related, n.e.c. ....	19.38	6.3	11.37	13.62	19.47	23.74	27.78
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> .....	31.09	2.5	17.19	21.24	28.68	37.73	48.96
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	36.52	2.1	20.23	26.50	34.62	43.68	54.62
Legislators .....	11.99	43.7	3.46	3.46	8.45	9.33	39.18
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration .....	47.85	7.2	43.10	43.10	48.08	51.53	56.72
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	31.51	2.9	19.97	24.31	30.68	35.95	44.11
Financial managers .....	44.97	16.9	27.48	33.00	41.50	63.78	63.78
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	41.98	6.4	25.00	32.83	42.91	52.38	54.08
Purchasing managers .....	41.20	18.2	25.15	27.56	50.50	50.50	50.50
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations .....	32.43	10.5	23.90	24.63	33.60	38.57	38.57
Administrators, education and related fields .....	42.32	4.1	25.88	32.68	40.75	49.38	59.55
Managers, medicine and health .....	32.01	9.2	13.45	23.97	29.66	36.96	50.06
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments .....	21.10	11.7	14.81	17.79	18.78	23.56	29.03
Managers, properties and real estate .....	28.71	7.1	19.49	24.66	28.75	30.11	37.40
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	27.32	6.8	14.63	18.32	27.32	35.35	38.12
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	34.16	5.2	20.14	24.74	33.43	42.87	47.82
Management related .....	23.37	2.4	15.40	18.25	22.06	27.73	32.66
Accountants and auditors .....	23.07	3.2	16.35	17.73	22.12	26.38	32.78
Other financial officers .....	27.47	7.6	17.59	22.07	28.18	31.53	33.70
Management analysts .....	23.47	6.6	17.60	19.07	21.73	26.19	33.25

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.2. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> —Continued							
Management related —Continued							
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	\$23.03	4.4	\$13.36	\$18.28	\$22.96	\$27.05	\$31.61
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. ....	17.82	11.3	12.26	13.82	16.94	20.60	24.42
Construction inspectors .....	24.53	4.5	16.76	19.31	24.38	29.29	32.66
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction .....	20.79	2.4	15.12	17.19	21.08	22.23	27.87
Management related, n.e.c. ....	25.29	4.5	15.69	19.59	24.51	29.73	35.49
<b>Sales</b> .....	15.00	6.5	9.08	10.46	13.45	18.55	23.17
Supervisors, sales .....	16.01	6.3	11.89	14.48	15.08	18.55	19.85
Real estate sales .....	22.12	13.6	13.56	14.13	25.69	27.01	28.37
Cashiers .....	13.85	8.3	9.05	10.21	12.20	17.23	23.05
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....							
Supervisors, general office .....	18.93	3.6	13.43	15.75	18.20	21.08	25.36
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	22.06	6.5	16.86	17.95	20.70	21.85	32.05
Chief communications operators .....	21.72	6.2	17.47	18.72	21.53	22.12	23.37
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	20.94	9.1	13.08	16.33	20.86	25.28	28.66
Computer operators .....	15.82	7.2	12.18	12.73	13.82	18.32	22.28
Secretaries .....	15.86	2.8	10.81	12.61	15.19	18.47	21.92
Stenographers .....	20.73	8.4	11.67	14.45	19.48	23.27	32.62
Typists .....	14.86	2.5	10.37	12.45	14.97	17.01	18.51
Interviewers .....	13.40	14.8	8.11	9.12	12.58	17.84	17.84
Receptionists .....	12.22	4.7	8.69	10.14	11.96	13.87	16.39
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	15.08	5.2	10.65	11.79	14.72	18.25	20.15
Order clerks .....	20.05	7.6	12.91	15.39	18.29	26.42	28.91
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping .....	17.79	5.6	11.77	13.67	18.16	21.07	22.40
Library clerks .....	13.57	4.0	9.62	10.98	12.68	15.58	18.83
File clerks .....	12.32	6.4	8.83	10.26	11.31	14.26	17.15
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	14.15	3.8	9.87	10.80	13.85	16.34	19.21
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	15.37	2.7	10.42	12.33	14.92	17.61	20.59
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	18.32	4.4	13.64	15.49	18.41	19.41	21.28
Billing clerks .....	14.46	9.7	8.66	10.83	13.92	18.35	20.26
Duplicating machine operators .....	11.91	13.4	9.82	9.82	9.82	11.60	19.67
Telephone operators .....	11.99	9.1	7.59	8.50	12.39	14.21	16.97
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	10.65	14.4	7.65	7.65	9.77	13.40	16.19
Messengers .....	13.96	11.7	8.00	10.89	13.26	17.93	18.47
Dispatchers .....	17.47	7.2	10.61	12.19	16.18	20.93	27.76
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	16.26	8.4	10.55	13.38	17.91	18.28	18.81
Stock and inventory clerks .....	14.62	5.5	9.36	10.73	14.46	17.57	21.66
Meter readers .....	16.49	6.8	10.15	12.88	17.09	19.40	21.23
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	20.62	29.1	11.96	12.74	14.67	30.15	34.81
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	18.61	6.9	12.25	15.04	18.97	21.01	23.04
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	16.81	2.1	12.47	14.69	17.14	18.14	20.86
Bill and account collectors .....	16.53	6.3	13.00	13.39	15.31	18.89	20.76
General office clerks .....	14.35	1.9	9.60	11.46	14.06	16.52	19.41
Data entry keyers .....	13.80	2.5	10.72	12.09	14.23	15.68	16.48
Statistical clerks .....	14.31	9.4	10.13	11.68	15.23	17.78	17.78
Teachers' aides .....	11.75	1.6	8.66	9.52	11.00	13.38	16.19
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	15.68	2.5	10.36	12.47	15.53	17.89	21.71
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	18.21	1.6	10.60	13.44	17.46	22.13	26.90
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....							
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	20.26	2.1	12.48	15.33	19.44	23.98	29.14
Automobile mechanics .....	25.43	5.2	15.92	19.16	25.44	30.12	34.65
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	21.90	10.1	14.30	16.48	21.52	28.86	28.86
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	20.21	2.4	14.98	17.32	19.89	23.16	24.27
Industrial machinery repairers .....	19.46	6.5	12.14	15.25	20.07	23.23	24.85
	23.93	8.1	13.28	18.43	23.34	28.65	31.43

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.2. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>							
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>							
Machinery maintenance	\$16.26	9.1	\$12.09	\$12.15	\$15.17	\$17.77	\$22.57
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	20.08	7.0	16.19	16.45	18.62	24.74	25.64
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	18.67	5.9	10.66	15.96	19.67	21.01	25.01
Mechanical controls and valve repairers	21.91	6.3	13.35	17.10	21.44	27.21	28.15
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	17.10	3.5	11.58	13.16	15.44	19.72	23.92
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	29.63	9.5	21.72	22.56	29.86	35.47	37.85
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	28.27	12.9	16.12	21.50	33.73	33.73	33.73
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	21.29	4.8	15.53	17.58	19.83	23.98	28.63
Carpenters	21.41	6.1	14.47	16.56	19.28	26.22	31.90
Electricians	22.56	5.4	16.17	18.11	20.17	26.86	31.55
Electrical power installers and repairers	25.68	6.8	15.74	21.70	27.17	28.50	31.99
Painters, construction and maintenance	19.89	7.3	12.11	15.55	20.37	23.75	26.68
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	19.43	10.2	12.62	15.17	18.02	24.31	30.46
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices	18.98	11.4	14.01	15.11	17.55	22.61	23.74
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	14.25	2.8	12.15	13.58	13.80	15.41	15.71
Construction trades, n.e.c.	15.76	6.0	9.26	11.76	15.08	19.10	23.06
Supervisors, production	23.65	15.9	14.02	15.86	17.51	28.52	40.38
Inspectors, testers, and graders	23.03	7.0	18.00	20.64	21.75	26.97	26.97
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	19.37	3.1	12.12	15.46	19.24	23.16	26.99
Power plant operators	26.03	11.1	16.86	19.24	24.18	34.36	39.65
Stationary engineers	23.28	6.7	13.30	18.76	23.35	30.31	32.62
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c.	19.27	9.5	11.52	17.49	20.69	20.69	27.65
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b>							
Printing press operators	17.75	10.6	9.43	12.11	17.50	22.46	25.57
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	15.74	4.6	13.28	14.71	15.61	15.61	19.46
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	10.24	11.5	5.99	7.49	10.31	12.24	13.70
Welders and cutters	21.81	15.5	9.95	11.81	22.46	29.45	35.46
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	22.41	8.9	14.54	19.23	25.57	25.57	25.71
<b>Transportation and material moving</b>							
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	17.39	2.1	10.92	13.00	16.41	21.24	25.53
Truckdrivers	18.93	11.4	12.78	15.56	15.56	23.92	28.49
Busdrivers	17.10	5.8	9.94	12.19	15.90	21.07	26.07
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	17.51	2.0	11.72	13.96	17.37	21.32	24.28
Locomotive operating	18.31	7.6	11.93	15.45	17.81	21.91	25.47
Sailors and deckhands	24.54	4.2	21.32	23.21	25.84	25.84	28.07
Supervisors, material moving equipment	20.57	1.0	20.20	20.20	20.20	21.15	22.26
Operating engineers	20.64	5.3	15.27	18.58	20.38	22.51	23.01
Excavating and loading machine operators	16.76	8.9	11.35	12.00	14.69	19.02	26.41
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators	17.39	14.4	10.83	13.49	16.63	21.23	25.98
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	15.75	9.5	9.74	11.92	14.06	16.92	28.10
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	14.07	2.4	10.68	11.78	14.49	15.13	16.32
Supervisors, material moving equipment operators	16.28	4.8	10.89	12.14	15.27	20.10	23.08
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>							
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	15.13	2.4	8.73	10.88	14.64	18.96	22.22
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	21.51	6.7	14.63	19.56	22.06	25.07	25.65
Animal caretakers, except farm	14.44	3.6	8.78	10.28	14.08	17.80	20.92
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	15.03	13.9	7.90	10.40	14.88	18.96	19.79
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	21.01	5.4	14.13	17.06	21.85	24.40	28.96
Helpers, construction trades	15.60	6.2	10.10	12.28	15.68	20.00	20.59
Construction laborers	16.98	10.5	9.64	13.15	16.05	21.93	24.71
Garbage collectors	13.23	5.7	8.26	10.38	12.22	16.60	18.79
Stock handlers and baggers	17.61	10.5	9.80	13.84	18.44	23.56	23.56
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	13.89	13.1	9.95	9.95	13.27	15.16	17.05
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners	14.21	15.6	6.13	9.28	18.30	18.30	19.56
	14.56	6.2	11.33	12.37	14.91	15.98	17.76

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.2. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> full-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Full-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Blue collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>							
—Continued							
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	\$14.31	3.8	\$8.05	\$9.93	\$13.68	\$18.01	\$21.52
<b>Service</b> .....	18.09	1.7	9.25	11.90	15.87	23.16	29.65
Protective service .....	22.22	2.5	12.16	15.49	21.41	27.13	33.02
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	27.76	4.7	18.07	20.63	25.64	32.13	39.83
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	31.78	2.8	19.23	25.26	30.93	37.57	44.99
Supervisors, guards .....	27.95	10.5	15.45	16.42	28.64	37.75	41.41
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	23.32	11.7	14.73	20.77	23.59	27.34	31.57
Firefighting .....	19.67	2.5	11.78	14.89	18.60	24.27	28.71
Police and detectives, public service .....	25.07	1.0	16.26	19.75	24.88	29.21	33.91
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	20.05	2.4	12.69	14.85	19.26	24.27	28.22
Correctional institution officers .....	17.76	6.3	11.53	12.28	15.59	22.68	26.06
Guards and police, except public service .....	14.81	4.6	10.28	12.47	14.40	17.32	19.11
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	17.62	6.1	10.97	13.63	15.93	21.56	26.83
Food service .....	11.28	2.7	7.55	8.74	10.55	13.17	15.63
Other food service .....	11.23	2.7	7.54	8.70	10.50	12.99	15.49
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	13.95	7.2	9.54	11.33	12.75	16.16	19.69
Cooks .....	11.58	5.4	7.68	9.09	11.46	14.00	15.63
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	9.39	3.8	7.00	7.76	9.10	10.32	12.88
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	10.66	3.4	7.61	8.63	10.08	12.46	14.11
Health service .....	12.93	2.4	8.40	9.97	12.46	15.26	17.86
Dental assistants .....	15.08	7.5	10.00	14.78	15.88	16.46	16.95
Health aides, except nursing .....	13.82	3.2	9.09	10.18	13.70	16.47	18.17
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	12.57	3.0	8.14	9.70	12.18	14.76	17.69
Cleaning and building service .....	13.13	2.8	8.21	9.71	12.50	15.56	18.87
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers .....	18.63	12.1	12.05	14.42	17.17	23.95	24.60
Maids and housemen .....	8.84	4.8	6.84	7.25	8.29	9.86	11.32
Janitors and cleaners .....	12.82	1.7	8.27	9.70	12.39	15.13	18.23
Personal service .....	12.93	6.0	7.82	9.63	12.02	15.74	18.78
Supervisors, personal service .....	18.91	8.2	14.54	16.21	16.95	21.71	26.17
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	11.34	5.9	7.82	9.46	11.95	11.95	14.69
Public transportation attendants .....	17.25	15.2	8.51	12.31	17.27	22.54	22.54
Welfare service aides .....	13.39	5.5	8.45	10.35	13.09	16.13	18.21
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	10.86	4.6	7.00	8.90	10.57	12.32	14.44
Childcare workers, n.e.c. ....	14.10	19.4	7.00	7.77	12.85	17.21	23.95
Service, n.e.c. ....	14.21	4.4	9.90	11.84	14.50	16.44	18.31

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.3. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers							
	Hourly earnings							
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles					
			10	25	Median 50	75	90	
All .....	\$15.80	2.6	\$7.80	\$9.80	\$12.67	\$18.11	\$27.45	
All, excluding sales .....	15.88	2.6	7.86	9.85	12.74	18.26	27.70	
White collar .....	19.32	3.5	8.75	11.00	15.65	24.05	37.71	
White collar, excluding sales .....	19.57	3.5	8.91	11.23	16.00	24.08	37.93	
Professional specialty and technical .....	25.41	4.1	10.87	15.56	23.18	33.83	42.51	
Professional specialty .....	26.22	3.4	10.71	15.98	24.24	34.55	45.00	
Health related .....	30.71	6.6	18.45	23.42	27.87	37.68	45.49	
Physicians .....	60.59	8.8	35.84	52.46	64.41	71.55	77.27	
Registered nurses .....	29.94	7.3	20.02	23.98	28.00	36.89	43.87	
Teachers, college and university .....	35.24	4.6	19.23	24.18	35.03	40.00	51.00	
Mathematical science teachers .....	32.32	20.0	23.45	23.75	26.32	42.51	46.00	
Computer science teachers .....	40.17	1.7	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	
Health specialties teachers .....	32.57	13.4	19.50	25.00	29.47	47.00	49.00	
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	39.38	11.0	26.00	26.00	42.55	48.75	51.00	
English teachers .....	35.08	6.4	25.45	26.00	34.73	38.76	48.75	
Trade and industrial teachers .....	27.54	10.7	19.50	23.18	23.18	31.01	49.00	
Other post-secondary teachers .....	34.20	5.1	18.80	22.92	31.07	43.00	56.45	
Teachers, except college and university .....	20.17	4.8	8.93	11.25	16.95	25.48	36.71	
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	24.23	9.7	16.87	18.40	21.39	25.90	42.04	
Elementary school teachers .....	27.04	8.0	16.90	19.27	26.10	34.11	36.27	
Secondary school teachers .....	32.49	6.8	22.54	30.27	31.43	37.93	38.79	
Teachers, n.e.c. .....	22.89	16.0	9.50	13.33	19.09	29.47	45.06	
Substitute teachers .....	13.32	4.1	8.57	10.00	11.43	16.67	21.57	
Vocational and educational counselors .....	28.37	19.8	14.88	24.24	25.48	26.36	48.46	
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	22.83	5.4	13.54	15.84	19.67	24.81	41.46	
Librarians .....	23.05	4.9	14.34	15.84	19.85	25.16	41.46	
Social scientists and urban planners .....	31.85	12.1	21.31	22.38	30.78	36.75	51.06	
Psychologists .....	32.90	12.4	21.58	23.50	32.59	37.71	51.87	
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	17.47	8.3	9.51	15.00	17.20	22.00	24.30	
Social workers .....	19.64	10.7	15.56	15.56	18.59	23.80	25.26	
Recreation workers .....	13.46	9.0	8.10	9.16	13.94	17.20	18.05	
Lawyers and judges .....	38.52	12.8	15.30	28.59	29.57	50.98	50.98	
Lawyers .....	40.06	13.6	15.30	29.57	30.80	50.98	50.98	
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. .....	24.53	17.1	10.00	11.79	23.61	34.48	39.44	
Athletes .....	14.70	34.2	9.00	9.00	10.87	10.87	43.06	
Technical .....	21.62	12.0	11.77	14.09	19.01	23.89	40.00	
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	20.36	5.0	15.70	17.10	20.64	23.22	24.09	
Radiological technicians .....	34.22	18.1	22.00	24.42	37.30	41.12	45.82	
Licensed practical nurses .....	18.89	3.7	15.90	16.50	18.11	20.42	23.69	
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. .....	16.92	6.7	11.03	12.46	16.00	20.38	22.06	
Technical and related, n.e.c. .....	15.02	10.0	11.00	12.96	14.78	17.29	20.93	
Executive, administrative, and managerial .....	24.50	9.2	4.99	15.39	23.03	29.50	40.16	
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	23.57	19.1	4.99	9.27	23.08	27.89	53.43	
Legislators .....	15.66	28.3	4.99	4.99	12.00	23.08	28.69	
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	42.35	26.5	29.62	29.62	29.62	57.69	66.53	
Management related .....	25.60	7.2	17.55	20.77	22.19	30.00	35.20	
Sales .....	9.64	8.8	7.14	7.54	8.64	10.71	15.65	
Cashiers .....	9.75	9.3	7.14	7.54	8.93	10.71	16.06	
Administrative support, including clerical .....	12.97	2.6	8.00	9.75	12.23	15.55	19.37	
Secretaries .....	12.34	3.7	8.87	10.35	12.03	14.37	15.73	
Typists .....	14.70	2.0	12.75	12.95	14.12	16.32	16.32	
Receptionists .....	10.23	9.2	7.65	8.75	9.50	12.43	12.43	
Information clerks, n.e.c. .....	17.80	11.0	9.64	19.48	20.18	20.18	20.18	
Library clerks .....	11.00	3.8	7.20	8.17	9.72	12.56	16.60	
Records clerks, n.e.c. .....	12.61	14.0	9.42	9.86	11.42	15.25	18.97	
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	14.90	9.3	10.89	10.89	16.44	17.66	18.28	
Dispatchers .....	13.56	17.0	7.78	9.46	10.00	15.89	22.81	
General office clerks .....	10.93	11.9	5.15	7.50	10.75	13.93	16.54	

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.3. State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>White collar</b> —Continued							
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued							
Teachers' aides .....	\$13.96	2.3	\$9.18	\$10.36	\$13.19	\$17.10	\$19.79
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	12.73	10.1	7.82	9.36	11.00	15.35	21.21
<b>Blue collar</b> .....	13.68	2.3	9.00	10.64	13.25	16.24	18.80
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	10.52	4.7	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> .....	12.79	12.0	8.44	9.72	12.33	13.66	17.00
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	14.66	2.5	10.07	12.03	14.21	16.87	19.59
Busdrivers .....	14.78	2.5	10.43	12.17	14.29	16.92	19.59
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	9.91	6.1	6.53	8.15	9.50	10.88	15.00
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	10.83	6.7	7.75	8.56	10.70	12.00	15.30
Construction laborers .....	9.35	8.3	6.53	9.00	9.65	10.00	10.55
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. ....	8.98	9.2	5.65	7.00	8.19	9.81	13.72
<b>Service</b> .....	10.95	1.7	7.09	8.40	10.53	12.56	15.12
Protective service .....	12.47	5.4	7.16	8.75	11.66	13.98	18.50
Firefighting .....	8.63	11.3	7.16	7.16	7.62	9.90	11.54
Police and detectives, public service .....	17.01	10.1	11.09	12.74	13.70	20.26	32.00
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	16.99	11.3	7.50	13.42	16.00	18.50	18.50
Crossing guards .....	10.67	6.8	6.67	8.20	10.00	12.94	15.81
Guards and police, except public service .....	15.86	10.8	9.52	12.03	14.32	19.83	23.00
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	11.45	8.4	7.35	8.95	12.60	13.50	13.79
Food service .....	10.20	2.2	7.02	8.07	9.99	11.79	13.48
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	7.98	15.8	3.90	5.50	8.64	10.12	10.76
Other food service .....	10.21	2.2	7.06	8.07	10.00	11.79	13.49
Cooks .....	9.93	4.6	7.50	8.05	9.63	11.44	12.82
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	9.76	12.8	6.25	7.64	9.14	12.02	14.08
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	10.34	2.0	7.43	8.54	10.32	11.79	13.09
Health service .....	12.26	6.2	8.00	10.00	11.88	13.81	17.64
Health aides, except nursing .....	13.30	6.3	9.41	11.13	13.53	15.37	17.64
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	11.94	6.7	8.00	9.51	11.50	13.06	17.66
Cleaning and building service .....	10.76	4.7	7.42	8.39	10.36	12.23	15.83
Maids and housemen .....	15.06	16.8	8.40	12.28	17.64	17.64	17.64
Janitors and cleaners .....	10.50	4.8	7.42	8.30	9.98	11.88	15.12
Personal service .....	10.48	1.4	6.75	8.28	10.31	11.79	14.08
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	9.08	5.3	6.35	7.09	8.32	10.15	12.40

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 3.3. **State and local government, selected occupations: Mean hourly earnings and percentiles,<sup>1</sup> part-time workers, National Compensation Survey,<sup>2</sup> June 2005—Continued**

Occupation <sup>3</sup>	Part-time workers						
	Hourly earnings						
	Mean	Relative error <sup>4</sup> (percent)	Percentiles				
			10	25	Median 50	75	90
<b>Service –Continued</b>							
Personal service –Continued							
Welfare service aides .....	\$12.24	10.2	\$6.75	\$9.06	\$13.08	\$14.91	\$15.45
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	11.17	3.6	7.17	9.56	11.11	12.67	14.24
Childcare workers, n.e.c. .....	10.93	2.5	6.85	9.15	11.79	11.79	13.56
Service, n.e.c. .....	10.34	5.2	7.15	7.90	9.38	11.97	15.00

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours. The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the workers receive the same as or more than the rate shown, and half receive the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth earn the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

<sup>2</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>3</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all

workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

<sup>4</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/compub.htm).

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
All .....	\$780	1.1	39.6	\$753	1.2	39.7	\$920	0.9
All, excluding sales .....	785	1.2	39.5	757	1.3	39.7	921	.9
White collar .....	949	.9	39.5	931	1.1	39.8	1,018	.9
White collar, excluding sales .....	987	.9	39.4	978	1.2	39.7	1,020	.9
Professional specialty and technical .....	1,195	1.1	39.0	1,198	1.5	39.6	1,189	.8
Professional specialty .....	1,282	1.1	39.0	1,312	1.6	39.8	1,232	.9
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	1,480	1.1	40.7	1,500	1.2	40.8	1,229	2.7
Architects .....	1,252	6.2	41.4	1,244	7.0	41.7	1,349	3.9
Aerospace engineers .....	1,691	8.1	40.0	1,691	8.1	40.0	—	—
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	1,334	5.9	40.2	1,372	6.8	40.3	—	—
Petroleum engineers .....	1,726	16.1	40.0	1,726	16.1	40.0	—	—
Chemical engineers .....	1,430	8.7	40.0	1,430	8.7	40.0	—	—
Nuclear engineers .....	1,597	5.7	40.0	1,616	5.5	40.0	—	—
Civil engineers .....	1,326	2.7	40.8	1,346	3.9	41.4	1,280	3.1
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	1,602	2.9	40.9	1,608	2.9	41.0	1,340	9.1
Industrial engineers .....	1,381	2.5	41.6	1,386	2.6	41.6	1,002	8.7
Mechanical engineers .....	1,304	2.1	40.8	1,309	2.3	40.9	—	—
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	1,178	10.9	40.0	1,198	11.6	40.0	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c. ....	1,578	2.3	40.2	1,609	2.3	40.2	1,154	4.5
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	1,421	11.1	39.8	1,442	10.9	39.9	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	1,418	2.3	40.1	1,433	2.4	40.1	1,129	4.5
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	1,418	2.5	40.1	1,435	2.6	40.2	1,136	4.6
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	1,424	5.5	39.9	1,426	5.5	39.9	—	—
Actuaries .....	1,544	5.7	41.5	1,544	5.7	41.5	—	—
Statisticians .....	1,116	7.9	39.2	1,152	8.1	39.2	—	—
Natural scientists .....	1,185	5.0	39.7	1,299	2.9	39.6	928	5.6
Physicists and astronomers ....	1,401	9.0	39.9	—	—	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists .....	1,289	8.2	40.0	1,288	8.9	40.0	1,303	4.0
Geologists and geodesists ....	1,392	7.1	40.8	1,526	5.5	41.1	1,087	17.4
Physical scientists, n.e.c. ....	1,175	7.3	39.8	1,273	9.0	39.7	951	6.4
Agricultural and food scientists .....	1,144	6.7	39.6	1,226	9.6	39.2	1,057	6.6
Biological and life scientists ....	1,134	15.8	39.3	1,338	10.2	39.2	831	7.3
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	850	10.0	40.0	—	—	—	844	11.5
Medical scientists .....	1,101	10.7	39.3	1,225	13.6	38.9	894	7.8
Health related .....	1,271	3.5	39.3	1,299	4.1	39.2	1,130	3.1
Physicians .....	2,572	10.9	41.9	2,876	8.1	41.2	1,551	16.6
Dentists .....	1,914	5.6	41.3	—	—	—	—	—
Optometrists .....	2,386	16.3	38.0	2,386	16.3	38.0	—	—
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. ....	1,338	8.8	40.0	1,338	8.8	40.0	—	—
Registered nurses .....	1,083	1.1	38.8	1,092	1.4	38.8	1,040	2.0
Pharmacists .....	1,798	1.2	39.7	1,819	.9	39.8	1,540	6.7
Dietitians .....	844	4.4	39.7	852	6.3	39.8	826	3.4
Respiratory therapists .....	890	2.4	39.1	889	2.4	39.2	907	3.7
Occupational therapists .....	1,024	3.5	39.4	1,015	4.1	39.6	1,070	5.1
Physical therapists .....	1,155	3.1	39.4	1,145	3.3	39.5	1,245	8.1
Speech therapists .....	1,121	6.5	38.0	1,041	5.9	39.3	1,171	8.7
Therapists, n.e.c. ....	700	3.9	39.5	668	3.4	39.6	882	7.9
Physicians' assistants .....	1,470	6.9	40.0	1,487	7.8	40.1	—	—
Teachers, college and university Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers ...	1,714	2.3	39.2	1,739	3.9	38.7	1,703	3.1
	2,085	10.2	39.6	—	—	—	2,193	8.7
								39.9

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>White collar —Continued</b>								
<b>Professional specialty and technical —Continued</b>								
Professional specialty —Continued								
Teachers, college and university —Continued								
Biological science teachers ....	\$1,805	11.6	40.6	\$2,153	13.7	41.7	\$1,442	13.5
Chemistry teachers .....	1,589	9.9	41.3	2,135	7.5	37.4	1,424	7.4
Physics teachers .....	2,057	7.1	38.7	—	—	—	—	—
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. ....	1,574	9.3	39.8	—	—	—	1,585	9.5
Psychology teachers .....	1,516	7.7	39.0	1,570	8.0	38.3	1,477	12.2
Economics teachers .....	2,834	12.7	42.8	2,015	10.2	36.4	—	—
History teachers .....	1,674	8.5	40.4	1,492	7.6	40.6	1,864	9.5
Political science teachers .....	1,422	6.4	39.3	—	—	—	1,297	8.9
Sociology teachers .....	1,940	15.1	39.1	1,883	22.6	39.1	1,971	18.7
Social science teachers, n.e.c.	1,775	6.0	39.7	1,717	10.4	39.0	1,795	7.4
Engineering teachers .....	2,495	7.1	41.2	2,452	12.3	39.0	2,517	9.2
Mathematical science teachers .....	1,582	11.2	38.7	1,551	14.1	39.5	1,599	11.7
Computer science teachers ....	1,488	19.7	37.3	1,069	10.4	37.2	1,882	10.1
Medical science teachers ....	2,367	6.4	45.7	2,431	7.6	39.4	2,331	9.4
Health specialties teachers ....	1,702	10.3	38.3	2,232	14.1	39.7	1,350	5.1
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers .....	1,797	12.6	38.9	1,873	9.0	37.9	1,758	17.3
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	1,909	18.0	34.6	—	—	—	1,909	18.0
Art, drama, and music teachers .....	1,418	10.3	38.5	1,530	7.7	38.4	1,320	14.2
Physical education teachers ...	1,304	7.2	37.9	1,133	8.5	39.5	—	—
Education teachers .....	1,511	9.6	38.3	1,544	15.2	38.0	1,488	11.4
English teachers .....	1,733	10.3	37.8	1,522	7.0	37.7	1,837	11.5
Foreign language teachers ....	1,402	11.8	39.9	1,611	9.1	36.7	1,242	16.7
Law teachers .....	2,142	14.9	38.9	2,787	10.9	41.8	—	—
Theology teachers .....	1,619	5.8	39.7	1,608	9.2	38.3	1,629	9.1
Trade and industrial teachers	1,378	5.1	38.2	—	—	—	1,442	4.6
Other post-secondary teachers .....	1,614	2.9	38.7	1,522	6.0	38.1	1,638	3.5
Teachers, except college and university .....	1,178	1.1	36.8	808	3.3	38.3	1,243	.8
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	762	4.9	38.3	480	3.9	39.0	1,147	2.7
Elementary school teachers ...	1,229	1.2	36.6	941	6.2	38.2	1,254	1.1
Secondary school teachers ...	1,228	1.6	37.0	1,174	3.9	38.0	1,233	1.7
Teachers, special education ...	1,230	2.7	35.5	937	9.3	35.9	1,279	2.5
Teachers, n.e.c. ....	1,188	2.7	36.4	911	7.1	38.6	1,260	2.6
Substitute teachers .....	384	14.6	32.7	—	—	—	384	14.6
Vocational and educational counselors .....	1,067	5.6	37.6	685	7.9	38.2	1,250	4.3
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	1,064	2.7	38.0	1,112	5.9	37.5	1,036	3.1
Librarians .....	1,081	2.9	38.1	1,129	7.0	37.8	1,056	3.0
Archivists and curators .....	922	9.7	37.3	—	—	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners .....	1,239	3.6	39.5	1,263	7.1	40.4	1,207	5.9
Economists .....	1,400	8.1	41.4	1,423	8.6	41.5	1,109	8.7
Psychologists .....	1,178	4.5	38.0	879	8.5	38.6	1,348	5.0
Social scientists, n.e.c. ....	1,129	12.4	38.9	1,318	1.8	38.5	—	—
Urban planners .....	1,060	4.3	39.3	—	—	—	1,060	4.3
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	739	1.7	39.3	682	2.8	39.6	807	2.4
Social workers .....	746	1.9	39.0	687	3.0	39.1	809	2.5

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>White collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Professional specialty and technical —Continued</b>									
Professional specialty —Continued									
Social, recreation, and religious workers —Continued									
Recreation workers .....	\$598	5.5	39.8	\$530	6.8	40.0	\$740	8.4	39.5
Clergy .....	768	9.5	48.8	768	9.5	48.8	—	—	—
Religious workers, n.e.c. ....	710	16.2	37.9	710	16.2	37.9	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges .....	2,123	5.9	41.4	2,391	5.0	42.6	1,486	6.1	38.7
Lawyers .....	2,111	6.1	41.5	2,391	5.0	42.6	1,352	3.9	38.5
Judges .....	2,443	11.3	39.8	—	—	—	2,443	11.3	39.8
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. ....	1,009	3.6	39.6	999	3.7	39.6	1,156	11.4	39.7
Technical writers .....	1,438	14.7	40.1	1,439	14.7	40.2	—	—	—
Designers .....	858	3.9	39.6	859	3.9	39.6	728	10.7	39.8
Musicians and composers .....	1,450	15.7	37.3	1,458	15.6	37.3	—	—	—
Actors and directors .....	1,341	18.1	40.5	1,341	18.1	40.5	—	—	—
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers .....	737	5.3	39.4	736	5.4	39.4	—	—	—
Photographers .....	692	12.1	40.4	692	12.7	40.4	—	—	—
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. ....	669	18.7	40.7	667	20.4	40.8	—	—	—
Editors and reporters .....	1,018	7.4	39.2	1,022	7.5	39.2	—	—	—
Public relations specialists .....	990	6.1	39.7	982	7.1	39.7	1,025	10.6	39.4
Announcers .....	1,605	29.5	40.0	1,605	29.5	40.0	—	—	—
Athletes .....	1,153	15.2	39.1	1,008	11.8	38.9	1,802	19.6	40.0
Professional, n.e.c. ....	1,259	7.4	40.0	1,321	9.1	40.2	1,091	7.1	39.7
Technical .....	881	2.1	39.0	902	2.4	38.9	738	1.5	39.6
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	749	2.6	39.7	751	3.0	39.7	738	4.4	39.7
Dental hygienists .....	1,067	3.2	33.8	1,076	3.3	33.5	—	—	—
Health record technologists and technicians .....	615	4.3	39.2	611	4.5	39.2	689	9.9	39.9
Radiological technicians .....	949	2.5	39.4	954	2.7	39.3	905	3.9	39.9
Licensed practical nurses .....	682	1.4	39.0	693	1.6	38.9	624	2.5	39.6
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	663	1.8	39.7	658	2.3	39.6	688	3.6	40.1
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	962	12.7	40.3	968	12.9	40.3	827	13.1	39.9
Industrial engineering technicians .....	971	5.7	40.1	971	5.7	40.1	—	—	—
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	915	4.3	40.2	915	4.3	40.2	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	982	3.9	40.1	1,041	5.5	40.4	790	3.2	39.3
Drafters .....	879	2.7	40.1	879	2.8	40.1	873	5.4	39.8
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	783	9.2	39.7	784	11.9	40.0	778	7.8	38.9
Biological technicians .....	721	3.9	39.8	754	5.5	39.8	602	6.9	39.8
Chemical technicians .....	873	6.1	39.7	872	6.4	39.7	901	5.4	40.0
Science technicians, n.e.c. ....	847	10.4	39.8	881	10.5	40.2	691	7.6	37.9
Airplane pilots and navigators	2,296	5.5	23.5	2,296	5.5	23.5	—	—	—
Broadcast equipment operators .....	643	12.1	39.0	542	13.5	38.9	990	9.4	39.2
Computer programmers .....	1,249	2.9	40.5	1,278	2.9	40.6	953	6.2	39.5
Tool programmers, numerical control .....	934	7.4	40.0	934	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Legal assistants .....	873	4.2	38.8	882	4.8	38.7	805	5.8	39.4
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	822	4.9	39.8	848	6.2	40.1	760	6.4	39.2

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>White collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b>	\$1,362	2.0	40.3	\$1,390	2.4	40.5	\$1,223	2.4	39.3
Executives, administrators, and managers	1,552	2.4	40.5	1,574	2.9	40.8	1,440	2.1	39.4
Legislators	457	42.0	38.1	—	—	—	457	42.0	38.1
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration	2,233	16.9	42.8	—	—	—	1,896	5.5	39.6
Administrators and officials, public administration	1,247	2.9	39.6	—	—	—	1,247	2.9	39.6
Financial managers	1,652	4.1	40.5	1,642	3.0	40.6	1,766	17.9	39.3
Personnel and labor relations managers	1,290	7.5	40.1	1,255	7.8	40.1	1,665	6.7	39.7
Purchasing managers	1,422	8.1	40.2	1,411	8.4	40.3	1,629	18.4	39.5
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	1,866	4.2	41.2	1,869	4.2	41.2	1,281	11.2	39.5
Administrators, education and related fields	1,470	3.2	39.4	1,094	4.6	39.6	1,662	4.0	39.3
Managers, medicine and health	1,405	3.3	40.0	1,437	3.5	40.2	1,254	9.5	39.2
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	934	8.1	44.1	945	8.1	44.6	824	11.5	39.1
Managers, properties and real estate	882	4.1	39.8	865	4.2	39.9	1,120	4.8	39.0
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	1,204	9.0	39.0	1,213	9.7	39.0	1,079	6.7	39.5
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	1,674	4.9	40.8	1,689	5.0	40.9	1,359	5.2	39.8
Management related	1,083	1.2	40.0	1,118	1.3	40.2	917	2.3	39.2
Accountants and auditors	1,020	1.9	40.0	1,040	2.2	40.1	908	3.1	39.3
Underwriters	1,068	5.5	39.0	1,068	5.5	39.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	1,305	3.6	40.1	1,325	3.8	40.2	1,053	6.4	38.3
Management analysts	1,229	5.2	40.0	1,284	5.0	40.1	926	5.9	39.4
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	1,016	3.7	39.8	1,036	4.3	39.9	898	4.3	39.0
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products	915	15.2	39.7	949	16.4	39.6	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	1,097	3.8	40.4	1,099	3.9	40.4	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	1,053	6.3	40.4	1,109	5.3	40.5	711	11.1	39.9
Business and promotional agents	916	6.4	39.4	919	6.8	39.4	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	974	5.5	39.6	994	11.0	40.1	966	5.0	39.4
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	928	3.6	40.0	1,062	5.1	41.1	811	2.8	39.0
Management related, n.e.c.	1,043	2.4	40.0	1,055	2.8	40.1	997	4.7	39.4
<b>Sales</b>	715	1.7	40.1	716	1.8	40.1	585	7.8	39.0
Supervisors, sales	856	3.6	41.5	857	3.6	41.5	633	6.2	39.6
Insurance sales	916	8.0	39.7	916	8.0	39.7	—	—	—
Real estate sales	885	14.0	40.1	887	14.7	40.2	844	11.3	38.2
Securities and financial services sales	1,643	6.7	39.7	1,643	6.7	39.7	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	813	10.3	39.4	812	10.3	39.4	—	—	—
Sales, other business services	1,020	6.2	40.3	1,020	6.2	40.3	—	—	—
Sales engineers	1,586	7.7	41.6	1,586	7.7	41.6	—	—	—

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Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government				
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
<b>White collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Sales</b> —Continued									
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	\$1,094	3.6	40.4	\$1,094	3.6	40.4	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	963	6.6	44.0	963	6.6	44.0	—	—	—
Sales workers, apparel .....	491	15.2	37.5	491	15.2	37.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, shoes .....	405	14.3	37.3	405	14.3	37.3	—	—	—
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings .....	630	7.6	41.3	630	7.6	41.3	—	—	—
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances .....	469	8.3	39.3	469	8.3	39.3	—	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	558	6.1	40.7	558	6.1	40.7	—	—	—
Sales workers, parts .....	601	3.2	40.5	601	3.2	40.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities .....	527	3.4	39.3	527	3.4	39.3	—	—	—
Sales counter clerks .....	417	5.7	39.5	417	5.7	39.5	—	—	—
Cashiers .....	375	2.1	39.3	372	2.1	39.3	\$538	10.2	38.9
Street and door-to-door sales workers .....	767	16.5	38.5	767	16.5	38.5	—	—	—
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	684	15.9	39.9	684	15.9	39.9	—	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c. ....	622	7.7	39.5	622	7.7	39.6	—	—	—
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....									
Supervisors, general office ....	582	.7	39.3	582	.7	39.5	584	1.3	38.6
Supervisors, computer equipment operators .....	814	2.3	39.5	827	2.6	39.5	747	3.5	39.5
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	856	8.1	39.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chief communications operators .....	922	3.3	39.9	929	3.4	40.1	834	7.7	37.8
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	852	4.8	39.3	—	—	—	869	6.2	40.0
Computer operators .....	835	4.1	40.5	835	5.3	40.7	834	9.1	39.8
Peripheral equipment operators .....	653	3.6	39.8	665	3.8	39.8	627	6.7	39.6
Secretaries .....	547	7.7	39.0	538	9.3	39.4	—	—	—
Stenographers .....	656	.9	39.0	669	1.3	39.1	618	3.0	39.0
Typists .....	702	4.8	38.3	637	5.3	38.6	785	8.1	37.8
Interviewers .....	592	2.3	38.9	623	5.8	39.5	572	2.9	38.5
Hotel clerks .....	497	4.6	39.5	489	4.4	39.4	535	14.9	39.9
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	362	2.3	39.2	362	2.3	39.2	—	—	—
Receptionists .....	607	3.7	39.6	598	3.8	39.5	—	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	475	1.6	39.4	475	1.7	39.4	477	4.4	39.0
Classified ad clerks .....	549	2.6	39.6	547	2.8	39.6	594	5.2	39.4
Correspondence clerks .....	508	6.8	38.8	508	6.8	38.8	—	—	—
Order clerks .....	554	3.8	40.0	558	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping ....	588	3.1	39.9	586	3.1	39.9	802	7.6	40.0
Library clerks .....	658	2.2	39.7	652	2.4	39.7	705	5.8	39.6
File clerks .....	511	3.2	38.0	492	6.4	37.7	518	4.0	38.2
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	438	2.5	39.5	435	2.6	39.5	482	6.8	39.2
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	556	2.6	39.4	556	2.8	39.4	554	3.5	39.1
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	594	1.4	39.4	593	1.5	39.5	601	2.6	39.1
Billing clerks .....	669	2.1	39.7	663	2.4	39.7	717	4.3	39.1
	529	1.8	39.5	527	1.8	39.5	578	9.7	40.0

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Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>White collar —Continued</b>								
<b>Administrative support, including clerical —Continued</b>								
Cost and rate clerks .....	\$540	9.7	40.3	\$540	9.7	40.3	—	—
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators .....	538	5.8	38.9	539	5.8	38.9	—	—
Duplicating machine operators .....	492	8.8	39.9	501	9.6	39.9	\$475	13.3
Mail preparing and paper handling machine operators .....	490	6.4	39.7	490	6.4	39.7	—	—
Office machine operators, n.e.c. ....	449	3.3	40.0	444	3.9	40.0	—	—
Telephone operators .....	500	5.1	39.1	501	5.2	39.1	469	8.6
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. ....	507	21.3	39.7	—	—	—	—	—
Mail clerks, except postal service .....	473	6.6	39.2	482	7.0	39.1	424	14.1
Messengers .....	393	9.5	39.0	379	9.3	39.2	518	8.3
Dispatchers .....	665	5.0	40.3	643	5.5	40.6	697	7.2
Production coordinators .....	752	3.8	40.1	752	3.8	40.1	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	557	2.1	39.9	556	2.1	39.9	629	6.9
Stock and inventory clerks .....	531	1.9	39.7	528	2.0	39.8	570	6.0
Meter readers .....	692	5.2	40.0	708	8.1	40.0	659	6.8
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers ....	610	8.0	40.0	608	8.2	40.0	—	—
Expeditors .....	636	5.0	39.5	630	5.0	39.6	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	765	3.6	39.0	764	3.6	39.0	804	26.7
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance .....	634	3.8	39.8	630	3.8	39.8	744	6.9
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	606	2.7	39.0	534	4.8	39.5	651	2.2
Bill and account collectors .....	570	7.4	39.3	567	7.7	39.3	659	6.2
General office clerks .....	539	1.1	39.1	532	1.3	39.2	560	1.9
Bank tellers .....	443	1.6	39.6	443	1.6	39.6	—	—
Proofreaders .....	715	15.7	40.0	553	9.0	40.0	—	—
Data entry keyers .....	479	2.0	39.1	467	1.9	39.1	542	2.7
Statistical clerks .....	581	5.1	39.5	585	5.1	39.4	570	9.3
Teachers' aides .....	412	1.6	35.7	378	6.3	37.8	416	1.6
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	591	1.3	39.3	589	1.5	39.4	605	2.7
<b>Blue collar .....</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>40.1</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>40.1</b>	<b>717</b>	<b>1.7</b>
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair .....</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	1,013	2.7	40.8	1,013	2.8	40.9	1,014	5.3
Automobile mechanics .....	765	3.0	40.4	754	2.9	40.4	872	10.3
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	564	9.0	40.6	561	9.3	40.6	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	781	2.7	40.2	778	3.0	40.2	807	2.3
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	1,098	8.6	40.2	1,098	8.7	40.2	—	—
Small engine repairers .....	617	5.6	40.0	617	5.7	40.0	—	—
Automobile body and related repairers .....	659	4.7	40.3	659	4.7	40.3	—	—
Aircraft mechanics, except engine .....	991	4.0	40.0	991	4.0	40.0	—	—
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	779	2.8	40.0	779	3.6	40.0	778	6.4
Farm equipment mechanics ...	647	8.5	41.8	649	8.7	41.9	—	—

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Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>									
Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued									
Industrial machinery repairers	\$851	2.1	39.9	\$849	2.1	39.9	\$956	8.2	39.9
Machinery maintenance .....	643	4.7	39.8	643	4.9	39.9	629	10.8	38.7
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	881	2.7	40.1	884	2.7	40.1	803	7.0	40.0
Data processing equipment repairers .....	821	11.3	39.5	828	13.7	39.4	—	—	—
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	655	5.8	40.4	655	5.8	40.4	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	1,004	4.8	40.0	1,010	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone installers and repairers .....	958	3.4	40.0	954	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics ....	739	3.2	40.0	739	3.5	40.0	745	5.9	39.9
Locksmiths and safe repairers	606	9.1	41.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Office machine repairers .....	701	8.5	40.0	698	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	849	5.7	40.0	843	7.1	40.0	876	6.3	40.0
Elevator installers and repairers .....	1,547	14.5	40.0	1,558	14.6	40.0	—	—	—
Millwrights .....	892	6.3	40.0	892	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. ....	675	2.4	39.9	674	3.0	39.9	681	3.4	39.8
Supervisors, brickmasons, stonemasons, and tilesetters .....	844	9.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	981	6.1	40.4	986	5.9	40.4	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	1,301	3.9	40.1	1,309	4.1	40.1	1,186	9.5	40.0
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers, and plasterers .....	964	8.3	40.9	963	8.3	40.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	1,104	7.5	40.0	1,095	8.5	40.0	1,131	12.9	40.0
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. ....	899	5.2	40.4	914	7.0	40.5	850	4.8	39.9
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	1,053	9.1	39.9	1,056	9.2	39.9	—	—	—
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	695	12.4	38.8	695	12.4	38.8	—	—	—
Carpet installers .....	978	12.9	40.0	978	12.9	40.0	—	—	—
Carpenters .....	787	4.5	39.9	784	4.8	39.9	842	6.2	39.3
Carpenter apprentices .....	687	13.6	40.0	687	13.6	40.0	—	—	—
Drywall installers .....	718	6.8	39.9	718	6.8	39.9	—	—	—
Electricians .....	1,026	3.1	39.8	1,038	3.2	39.8	899	5.4	39.8
Electrician apprentices .....	584	3.7	39.8	581	3.7	39.8	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	1,062	3.4	40.0	1,066	3.8	40.0	1,027	6.8	40.0
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	648	3.7	39.8	635	4.1	39.8	788	7.0	39.6
Plasterers .....	625	6.0	39.3	595	3.2	39.3	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	975	6.9	39.9	987	7.0	39.9	769	9.5	39.6
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices ....	586	4.4	40.0	578	4.7	40.0	759	11.4	40.0

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	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>									
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	\$738	6.9	40.0	\$737	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Glaziers .....	714	9.1	40.0	656	11.7	40.0	—	—	—
Insulation workers .....	757	8.8	40.0	757	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators .....	668	14.8	41.1	681	16.5	41.2	\$570	2.8	40.0
Roofers .....	641	7.6	39.6	641	7.6	39.6	—	—	—
Sheet metal duct installers ....	963	12.8	40.0	963	12.8	40.0	—	—	—
Structural metal workers .....	969	12.4	40.0	967	12.7	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c. ....	700	5.5	39.8	732	6.9	39.9	626	5.8	39.7
Supervisors, extractive .....	1,008	21.3	41.3	1,008	21.3	41.3	—	—	—
Drillers, oil well .....	1,186	28.4	47.4	1,186	28.4	47.4	—	—	—
Mining machine operators ....	743	9.3	40.0	743	9.3	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, production .....	901	2.0	40.5	900	2.0	40.5	945	15.8	40.0
Tool and die makers .....	958	2.0	40.0	958	2.0	40.0	—	—	—
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	717	7.4	40.0	717	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Precision assemblers, metal ...	829	6.1	40.0	829	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Machinists .....	797	1.9	40.0	795	1.9	40.0	—	—	—
Boilermakers .....	775	10.0	39.8	791	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	644	9.3	39.8	644	9.3	39.8	—	—	—
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	856	8.9	40.0	856	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Layout workers .....	738	16.0	40.0	738	16.0	40.0	—	—	—
Sheet metal workers .....	694	10.3	39.0	694	10.3	39.0	—	—	—
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	726	11.4	40.0	726	11.4	40.0	—	—	—
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	524	6.7	39.9	521	6.4	39.9	—	—	—
Furniture and wood finishers ..	485	7.0	40.0	485	7.0	40.0	—	—	—
Dressmakers .....	471	8.3	37.7	471	8.3	37.7	—	—	—
Tailors .....	669	17.6	37.9	669	17.6	37.9	—	—	—
Upholsterers .....	602	11.5	40.0	602	11.5	40.0	—	—	—
Hand molders and shapers, except jewelers .....	568	14.3	40.0	568	14.3	40.0	—	—	—
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	745	11.4	40.0	745	11.4	40.0	—	—	—
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	609	2.6	39.9	607	2.7	39.9	—	—	—
Bookbinders .....	611	9.9	39.6	611	9.9	39.6	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	558	3.7	39.9	558	3.7	39.9	—	—	—
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. ....	569	12.3	39.9	569	12.3	39.9	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters .....	491	3.8	39.7	491	3.8	39.7	—	—	—
Bakers .....	482	5.4	39.2	480	5.6	39.2	—	—	—
Food batchmakers .....	528	5.0	39.8	528	5.0	39.8	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	822	4.3	40.3	817	4.1	40.4	913	7.4	39.7
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. ....	934	10.4	40.0	934	10.4	40.0	—	—	—
Adjusters and calibrators .....	754	16.3	36.3	754	16.3	36.3	—	—	—
Water and sewer treatment plant operators .....	771	2.7	40.0	740	10.8	40.0	775	3.1	40.0
Power plant operators .....	1,126	3.7	40.0	1,136	3.8	40.0	1,033	10.1	39.7
Stationary engineers .....	941	4.2	39.7	953	5.4	39.7	924	6.5	39.7

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	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>									
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. ...	\$944	4.8	39.5	\$950	4.9	39.5	\$771	9.5	40.0
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors</b> .....	570	1.4	39.8	569	1.4	39.8	703	10.6	39.6
Lathe and turning-machine set-up operators .....	697	3.7	40.0	697	3.7	40.0	—	—	—
Lathe and turning-machine operators .....	644	6.2	40.0	644	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Milling and planing machine operators .....	646	6.9	40.0	646	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators .....	560	6.6	39.9	560	6.6	39.9	—	—	—
Rolling machine operators ....	665	11.4	39.9	665	11.4	39.9	—	—	—
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	569	8.1	39.9	569	8.1	39.9	—	—	—
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	543	2.7	40.0	543	2.7	40.0	—	—	—
Forging machine operators ....	517	10.3	40.0	517	10.3	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators .....	676	3.2	40.2	676	3.2	40.2	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. ....	625	3.9	39.9	625	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators .....	536	3.6	39.8	536	3.6	39.8	—	—	—
Metal plating machine operators .....	577	7.8	39.8	577	7.8	39.8	—	—	—
Heat treating equipment operators .....	638	5.2	40.0	638	5.2	40.0	—	—	—
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators	488	7.1	40.0	488	7.1	40.0	—	—	—
Sawing machine operators ....	444	5.0	39.9	444	5.0	39.9	—	—	—
Shaping and joining machine operators .....	547	2.8	40.0	547	2.8	40.0	—	—	—
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	408	10.4	39.0	408	10.4	39.0	—	—	—
Printing press operators ....	671	2.7	39.5	672	2.8	39.5	613	5.2	38.9
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	657	6.0	39.4	657	6.0	39.4	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	622	5.8	39.6	623	5.9	39.6	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	500	7.2	39.6	500	7.2	39.6	—	—	—
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	489	5.8	40.0	489	5.8	40.0	—	—	—
Textile cutting machine operators .....	422	5.6	38.7	422	5.6	38.7	—	—	—
Textile sewing machine operators .....	415	9.5	39.4	415	9.5	39.4	—	—	—
Pressing machine operators ...	367	6.4	38.8	367	6.4	38.8	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	393	6.1	39.3	392	6.4	39.3	406	11.1	39.7
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	494	8.1	40.0	494	8.1	40.0	—	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	576	4.0	39.9	576	4.0	39.9	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	548	3.5	39.6	548	3.5	39.6	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors —Continued</b>									
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	\$620	4.1	39.8	\$620	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators .....	779	5.3	39.9	779	5.4	39.9	—	—	—
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	465	7.9	39.9	465	7.9	39.9	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	622	4.6	40.1	622	4.7	40.1	—	—	—
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	562	7.8	40.0	562	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators .....	673	22.6	40.0	673	22.6	40.0	—	—	—
Folding machine operators .....	505	17.5	38.8	505	17.5	38.8	—	—	—
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	611	6.0	39.8	607	6.3	39.9	—	—	—
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	622	11.8	39.9	622	11.8	39.9	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	558	2.6	39.6	558	2.6	39.6	—	—	—
Photographic process machine operators .....	453	6.9	39.5	453	6.9	39.5	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	586	2.7	39.8	585	2.7	39.8	\$854	14.9	39.2
Welders and cutters .....	634	2.4	39.8	625	2.3	39.8	896	8.9	40.0
Solderers and brazers .....	487	9.0	40.0	487	9.0	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers .....	601	2.0	39.9	601	2.0	39.9	—	—	—
Hand cutting and trimming .....	472	10.8	40.0	472	10.8	40.0	—	—	—
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	469	8.3	40.0	469	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	485	4.8	39.7	486	4.9	39.7	—	—	—
Hand engraving and printing .....	639	23.2	38.2	639	23.2	38.2	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. ....	507	5.9	39.6	507	5.9	39.6	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	562	4.7	39.8	562	4.7	39.8	—	—	—
Production testers .....	605	4.9	39.8	605	4.9	39.8	—	—	—
Production samplers and weighers .....	551	8.7	40.0	551	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
Graders and sorters, except agricultural .....	476	6.2	40.0	476	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Hand inspectors, n.e.c. ....	493	8.1	39.9	493	8.1	39.9	—	—	—
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	642	1.8	40.9	640	2.0	41.2	667	2.4	38.3
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	764	6.5	40.8	769	7.6	41.4	754	11.3	39.8
Truckdrivers .....	647	2.0	42.1	646	2.1	42.2	683	5.8	39.9
Driver-sales workers .....	640	5.9	40.6	639	5.9	40.6	—	—	—
Busdrivers .....	584	4.0	37.2	516	9.7	39.2	628	3.6	35.9
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	350	8.5	39.1	349	8.6	39.1	—	—	—
Parking lot attendants .....	308	9.7	40.0	303	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	495	5.0	39.3	450	5.7	39.4	716	7.0	39.1
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	1,125	16.3	43.6	1,121	16.6	43.6	—	—	—
Locomotive operating .....	1,189	14.4	42.4	1,244	17.7	43.0	981	4.2	40.0

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Transportation and material moving —Continued</b>									
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	\$1,182	6.9	40.0	\$1,211	5.9	40.0	—	—	—
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. ..	901	3.9	40.0	866	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Ship captains and mates, except fishing boats .....	966	22.7	49.6	957	23.7	50.0	—	—	—
Sailors and deckhands .....	559	7.4	45.6	530	8.2	46.5	\$790	2.7	38.4
Marine engineers .....	916	21.9	42.6	913	22.4	42.7	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	910	3.4	40.1	914	3.5	40.2	800	5.3	38.8
Operating engineers .....	823	8.0	39.2	912	10.3	38.8	670	8.9	40.0
Hoist and winch operators .....	483	19.6	39.9	483	19.6	39.9	—	—	—
Crane and tower operators .....	666	6.2	40.0	665	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	679	4.7	39.9	678	4.7	39.9	694	14.5	39.9
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	641	5.2	39.9	652	6.1	39.9	629	9.6	40.0
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	567	1.8	39.9	567	1.8	39.9	563	2.4	40.0
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. .....	672	5.8	40.0	677	6.4	40.1	642	5.0	39.4
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b>									
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers .....	484	1.7	39.9	476	1.7	39.9	602	2.3	39.8
Nursery workers .....	456	8.9	39.9	460	9.0	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers .....	980	6.4	40.8	998	7.2	40.9	861	6.7	40.0
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm .....	479	3.7	39.6	441	4.9	39.5	574	3.7	39.8
Animal caretakers, except farm .....	479	9.6	39.5	450	9.9	39.8	580	12.2	38.6
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	399	16.1	39.7	399	16.1	39.7	—	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. .....	821	6.2	41.1	817	8.0	41.3	841	5.4	40.0
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	485	4.1	40.0	466	3.8	40.0	615	6.5	39.4
Helpers, construction trades .....	504	3.6	39.9	500	3.8	39.9	679	10.5	40.0
Construction laborers .....	580	4.4	39.8	585	4.6	39.8	525	5.7	39.7
Production helpers .....	454	2.9	39.7	454	2.9	39.7	—	—	—
Garbage collectors .....	544	7.8	44.7	444	4.2	47.7	703	10.6	39.9
Stock handlers and baggers .....	444	2.0	39.4	444	2.0	39.4	554	12.9	39.9
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	433	2.6	39.8	433	2.6	39.8	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. .....	515	2.4	39.8	514	2.4	39.8	568	15.6	40.0
Garage and service station related .....	364	3.5	40.1	360	3.5	40.1	—	—	—
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	402	3.7	40.0	400	3.8	40.0	576	5.7	39.6
Hand packers and packagers .....	388	5.5	39.6	388	5.5	39.6	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c. .....	456	2.3	39.9	442	2.5	39.9	571	3.9	39.9
<b>Service</b> .....	467	2.0	38.9	394	1.3	38.6	725	1.8	40.1
Protective service .....	748	2.9	40.7	432	2.9	39.5	919	2.8	41.3

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry			State and local government			
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Service</b> —Continued									
Protective service —Continued									
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	\$1,360	4.7	49.4	—	—	—	\$1,370	4.7	49.4
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	1,275	2.9	40.2	—	—	—	1,277	2.9	40.2
Supervisors, guards .....	798	8.9	39.5	\$675	11.6	39.4	1,108	10.4	39.7
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	798	12.5	40.9	—	—	—	969	13.3	41.5
Firefighting .....	947	3.0	48.2	—	—	—	948	3.0	48.2
Police and detectives, public service .....	1,001	1.0	40.0	—	—	—	1,002	1.0	40.0
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	797	2.4	39.8	—	—	—	799	2.4	39.8
Correctional institution officers .....	703	6.3	39.8	—	—	—	707	6.2	39.8
Guards and police, except public service .....	414	2.4	39.4	409	2.4	39.4	580	4.9	39.2
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	539	6.6	39.1	370	2.9	39.3	686	5.8	38.9
Food service .....	340	1.4	38.3	336	1.5	38.5	404	3.4	35.8
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders .....	198	3.2	36.9	197	3.2	36.9	—	—	—
Bartenders .....	260	5.7	37.0	260	5.7	37.0	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses .....	172	4.9	36.6	171	4.9	36.6	—	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants .....	250	5.0	38.3	248	5.8	38.3	—	—	—
Other food service .....	388	1.1	38.8	387	1.2	39.1	402	3.4	35.8
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	585	2.2	41.8	590	2.4	42.2	535	6.5	38.4
Cooks .....	402	1.7	38.7	401	1.7	39.0	410	8.0	35.4
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	352	2.2	38.7	354	2.3	39.1	336	6.5	35.7
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	334	2.0	37.9	330	2.2	38.2	372	4.2	34.9
Health service .....	440	1.2	38.6	430	1.3	38.5	507	2.4	39.2
Dental assistants .....	547	4.2	35.5	546	4.2	35.4	603	7.5	40.0
Health aides, except nursing .....	479	2.7	39.2	467	3.2	39.2	541	3.1	39.1
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants .....	417	1.3	38.7	405	1.3	38.6	493	3.0	39.2
Cleaning and building service ....	456	2.3	39.4	437	3.2	39.4	520	2.8	39.6
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	688	4.6	39.7	676	4.2	39.8	735	12.3	39.4
Maids and housemen .....	343	3.2	38.9	343	3.3	38.9	353	4.8	39.9
Janitors and cleaners .....	467	2.6	39.6	448	4.5	39.5	508	1.7	39.6
Pest control .....	564	9.2	39.9	561	9.5	39.9	—	—	—
Personal service .....	407	6.8	37.5	399	6.7	37.5	484	6.0	37.4
Supervisors, personal service	598	6.0	40.0	591	6.5	40.1	723	8.6	38.2
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	496	10.1	38.0	496	10.1	38.0	—	—	—
Attendants, amusement and recreation facilities .....	290	3.7	39.9	288	2.9	39.9	447	6.6	39.4
Guides .....	538	7.5	38.7	538	7.5	38.7	—	—	—

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.1. United States, selected occupations: Mean weekly earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours <sup>6</sup>	Weekly earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>Service</b> —Continued								
Personal service —Continued								
Public transportation attendants .....	\$638	4.5	20.0	\$638	4.0	19.1	\$639	19.5
Baggage porters and bellhops	303	6.4	38.5	303	6.4	38.5	—	—
Welfare service aides .....	455	3.4	39.3	436	3.8	39.2	529	5.5
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	347	5.1	38.3	336	5.9	38.8	397	4.9
Childcare workers, n.e.c. ....	372	4.7	38.8	346	2.8	39.3	509	18.4
Service, n.e.c. ....	465	5.2	39.2	456	6.0	39.3	544	4.3

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

<sup>2</sup> Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

<sup>3</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>4</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in

"National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm).

<sup>5</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm).

<sup>6</sup> Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
All .....	\$39,629	1.1	2,012	\$38,933	1.2	2,054	\$42,935	0.9	1,810
All excluding sales .....	39,828	1.2	2,006	39,104	1.3	2,052	42,965	.9	1,809
White Collar .....	47,633	.9	1,982	48,142	1.1	2,058	45,868	.9	1,722
White collar excluding sales .....	49,314	.9	1,966	50,500	1.2	2,052	45,921	.9	1,721
Professional specialty and technical .....	57,282	1.1	1,868	61,406	1.5	2,028	50,230	.8	1,595
Professional specialty .....	60,147	1.1	1,829	66,879	1.6	2,029	51,155	.9	1,561
Engineers, architects, and surveyors .....	76,918	1.1	2,114	77,949	1.2	2,120	63,861	2.7	2,046
Architects .....	65,108	6.2	2,155	64,673	7.0	2,171	70,130	3.9	1,969
Aerospace engineers .....	87,914	8.1	2,080	87,914	8.1	2,080	—	—	—
Metallurgical and materials engineers .....	69,385	5.9	2,090	71,360	6.8	2,094	—	—	—
Petroleum engineers .....	89,768	16.1	2,080	89,768	16.1	2,080	—	—	—
Chemical engineers .....	74,371	8.7	2,080	74,354	8.7	2,080	—	—	—
Nuclear engineers .....	83,053	5.7	2,080	84,038	5.5	2,080	—	—	—
Civil engineers .....	68,942	2.7	2,122	69,989	3.9	2,153	66,558	3.1	2,051
Electrical and electronic engineers .....	83,278	2.9	2,128	83,633	2.9	2,129	69,680	9.1	2,089
Industrial engineers .....	71,811	2.5	2,164	72,082	2.6	2,165	52,126	8.7	2,080
Mechanical engineers .....	67,765	2.1	2,122	68,025	2.3	2,128	—	—	—
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	61,278	10.9	2,080	62,280	11.6	2,080	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c. .....	81,949	2.3	2,087	83,598	2.3	2,089	59,766	4.5	2,052
Surveyors and mapping scientists .....	73,898	11.1	2,069	74,972	10.9	2,073	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists .....	73,710	2.3	2,086	74,539	2.4	2,087	58,653	4.5	2,058
Computer systems analysts and scientists .....	73,724	2.5	2,087	74,627	2.6	2,089	59,027	4.6	2,059
Operations and systems researchers and analysts .....	74,060	5.5	2,074	74,172	5.5	2,075	—	—	—
Actuaries .....	80,302	5.7	2,157	80,302	5.7	2,157	—	—	—
Statisticians .....	58,009	7.9	2,040	59,901	8.1	2,040	—	—	—
Natural scientists .....	61,480	5.0	2,060	67,474	2.9	2,058	48,032	5.6	2,064
Physicists and astronomers ....	72,861	9.0	2,075	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists .....	67,017	8.2	2,079	66,956	8.9	2,079	67,740	4.0	2,080
Geologists and geodesists ....	71,986	7.1	2,108	79,344	5.5	2,137	55,543	17.4	2,044
Physical scientists, n.e.c. ....	61,084	7.3	2,068	66,180	9.0	2,063	49,470	6.4	2,080
Agricultural and food scientists .....	57,849	6.7	2,002	62,370	9.6	1,993	53,162	6.6	2,011
Biological and life scientists ....	58,907	15.8	2,040	69,414	10.2	2,034	43,206	7.3	2,050
Forestry and conservation scientists .....	44,211	10.0	2,078	—	—	—	43,913	11.5	2,078
Medical scientists .....	57,143	10.7	2,040	63,687	13.6	2,023	46,241	7.8	2,068
Health related .....	65,302	3.5	2,018	67,314	4.1	2,031	55,806	3.1	1,958
Physicians .....	133,717	10.9	2,180	149,524	8.1	2,140	80,659	16.6	2,316
Dentists .....	99,547	5.6	2,150	—	—	—	—	—	—
Optometrists .....	124,079	16.3	1,974	124,079	16.3	1,974	—	—	—
Health diagnosing practitioners, n.e.c. ....	69,586	8.8	2,080	69,586	8.8	2,080	—	—	—
Registered nurses .....	55,760	1.1	1,998	56,513	1.4	2,008	52,053	2.0	1,951
Pharmacists .....	93,515	1.2	2,067	94,597	.9	2,068	80,111	6.7	2,048
Dietitians .....	43,873	4.4	2,062	44,314	6.3	2,069	42,972	3.4	2,047
Respiratory therapists .....	46,276	2.4	2,033	46,229	2.4	2,037	47,179	3.7	1,954
Occupational therapists .....	52,259	3.5	2,013	52,389	4.1	2,047	51,651	5.1	1,856
Physical therapists .....	58,843	3.1	2,005	59,225	3.3	2,044	55,897	8.1	1,712
Speech therapists .....	47,945	6.5	1,627	52,322	5.9	1,975	45,823	8.7	1,458
Therapists, n.e.c. ....	36,358	3.9	2,051	34,681	3.4	2,056	45,702	7.9	2,026
Physicians' assistants .....	76,449	6.9	2,082	77,341	7.8	2,084	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university Earth, environmental, and marine science teachers ...	69,580	2.3	1,593	72,289	3.9	1,610	68,408	3.1	1,585
	80,815	10.2	1,533	—	—	—	84,069	8.7	1,531

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>White Collar —Continued</b>								
<b>Professional specialty and technical —Continued</b>								
Professional specialty —Continued								
Teachers, college and university —Continued								
Biological science teachers ....	\$78,372	11.6	1,761	\$94,109	13.7	1,824	\$62,222	13.5
Chemistry teachers .....	58,922	9.9	1,530	81,229	7.5	1,423	52,396	7.4
Physics teachers .....	79,233	7.1	1,489	—	—	—	—	—
Natural science teachers, n.e.c. ....	57,614	9.3	1,456	—	—	—	57,884	9.5
Psychology teachers .....	63,534	7.7	1,636	62,042	8.0	1,514	64,727	12.2
Economics teachers .....	102,552	12.7	1,549	75,617	10.2	1,366	—	—
History teachers .....	64,664	8.5	1,562	57,434	7.6	1,562	72,286	9.5
Political science teachers .....	59,373	6.4	1,640	—	—	—	48,899	8.9
Sociology teachers .....	78,728	15.1	1,588	72,543	22.6	1,507	82,343	18.7
Social science teachers, n.e.c. ....	72,280	6.0	1,618	70,754	10.4	1,608	72,813	7.4
Engineering teachers .....	97,222	7.1	1,604	95,079	12.3	1,511	98,316	9.2
Mathematical science teachers .....	62,000	11.2	1,517	57,001	14.1	1,451	64,799	11.7
Computer science teachers ....	63,460	19.7	1,591	50,093	10.4	1,745	74,009	10.1
Medical science teachers ....	112,026	6.4	2,163	104,573	7.6	1,695	116,853	9.4
Health specialties teachers ....	73,972	10.3	1,663	101,216	14.1	1,801	57,087	5.1
Business, commerce and marketing teachers .....	70,841	12.6	1,534	75,947	9.0	1,538	68,303	17.3
Agriculture and forestry teachers .....	74,201	18.0	1,346	—	—	—	74,201	18.0
Art, drama and music teachers .....	53,878	10.3	1,464	57,710	7.7	1,448	50,496	14.2
Physical education teachers ...	52,707	7.2	1,533	47,902	8.5	1,669	—	—
Education teachers .....	60,371	9.6	1,530	61,489	15.2	1,512	59,584	11.4
English teachers .....	69,752	10.3	1,520	60,704	7.0	1,505	74,299	11.5
Foreign language teachers ....	53,540	11.8	1,524	60,847	9.1	1,384	47,845	16.7
Law teachers .....	86,541	14.9	1,571	111,406	10.9	1,673	—	—
Theology teachers .....	59,130	5.8	1,449	64,674	9.2	1,539	55,250	9.1
Trade and industrial teachers .....	56,737	5.1	1,572	—	—	—	58,023	4.6
Teachers, except college and university .....	46,221	1.1	1,442	35,823	3.3	1,697	47,797	.8
Prekindergarten and kindergarten .....	33,439	4.9	1,681	23,333	3.9	1,895	44,431	2.7
Elementary school teachers ...	46,831	1.2	1,395	36,886	6.2	1,497	47,657	1.1
Secondary school teachers ....	47,056	1.6	1,418	45,023	3.9	1,458	47,232	1.7
Teachers, special education .....	48,030	2.7	1,386	39,197	9.3	1,502	49,382	2.5
Teachers, n.e.c. ....	48,278	2.7	1,477	43,961	7.1	1,862	49,173	2.6
Substitute teachers .....	13,936	14.6	1,185	—	—	—	13,936	14.6
Vocational and educational counselors .....	47,668	5.6	1,682	34,778	7.9	1,940	52,835	4.3
Librarians, archivists, and curators .....	50,839	2.7	1,817	56,753	5.9	1,912	47,719	3.1
Librarians .....	51,165	2.9	1,803	57,417	7.0	1,924	48,183	3.0
Archivists and curators .....	47,928	9.7	1,937	—	—	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners .....	61,099	3.6	1,947	65,251	7.1	2,085	56,023	5.9
Economists .....	72,810	8.1	2,151	74,016	8.6	2,157	57,663	8.7
Psychologists .....	54,346	4.5	1,752	44,639	8.5	1,960	59,109	5.0
Social scientists, n.e.c. ....	58,690	12.4	2,025	68,534	1.8	2,004	—	—
Urban planners .....	55,100	4.3	2,046	—	—	—	55,100	4.3
Social, recreation, and religious workers .....	38,020	1.7	2,023	35,222	2.8	2,042	41,385	2.4
Social workers .....	38,439	1.9	2,012	35,616	3.0	2,025	41,486	2.5
Recreation workers .....	29,523	5.5	1,967	25,504	6.8	1,927	38,468	8.4
Clergy .....	39,845	9.5	2,532	39,845	9.5	2,532	—	—
Religious workers, n.e.c. ....	36,784	16.2	1,963	36,784	16.2	1,963	—	—

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>White Collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Professional specialty and technical —Continued</b>									
Professional specialty —Continued									
Lawyers and judges .....	\$110,378	5.9	2,153	\$124,340	5.0	2,213	\$77,273	6.1	2,012
Lawyers .....	109,747	6.1	2,157	124,340	5.0	2,213	70,292	3.9	2,004
Judges .....	127,028	11.3	2,069	—	—	—	127,028	11.3	2,069
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c. ....	51,995	3.6	2,040	51,588	3.7	2,044	57,825	11.4	1,984
Technical writers .....	74,795	14.7	2,088	74,811	14.7	2,088	—	—	—
Designers .....	44,632	3.9	2,061	44,679	3.9	2,061	37,839	10.7	2,071
Musicians and composers .....	63,864	15.7	1,644	64,308	15.6	1,646	—	—	—
Actors and directors .....	69,467	18.1	2,096	69,467	18.1	2,096	—	—	—
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist print-Makers .....	38,254	5.3	2,047	38,177	5.4	2,046	—	—	—
Photographers .....	36,005	12.1	2,100	36,001	12.7	2,101	—	—	—
Artists, performers, and related workers, n.e.c. ....	34,429	18.7	2,095	34,683	20.4	2,121	—	—	—
Editors and reporters .....	52,886	7.4	2,037	53,103	7.5	2,037	—	—	—
Public relations specialists ....	51,375	6.1	2,057	51,053	7.1	2,064	52,642	10.6	2,026
Announcers .....	83,463	29.5	2,080	83,463	29.5	2,080	—	—	—
Athletes .....	58,737	15.2	1,991	51,373	11.8	1,980	91,836	19.6	2,039
Professional, n.e.c. ....	63,371	7.4	2,016	67,986	9.1	2,068	51,868	7.1	1,886
Technical .....	45,758	2.1	2,027	46,916	2.4	2,025	38,103	1.5	2,044
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	38,971	2.6	2,066	39,062	3.0	2,066	38,373	4.4	2,067
Dental hygienists .....	55,506	3.2	1,758	55,973	3.3	1,744	—	—	—
Health record technologists and technicians .....	31,976	4.3	2,040	31,777	4.5	2,038	35,835	9.9	2,074
Radiological technicians .....	49,371	2.5	2,048	49,603	2.7	2,045	47,071	3.9	2,074
Licensed practical nurses .....	35,398	1.4	2,026	36,041	1.6	2,023	32,128	2.5	2,040
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c. ....	34,447	1.8	2,064	34,188	2.3	2,060	35,716	3.6	2,084
Electrical and electronic technicians .....	50,024	12.7	2,094	50,346	12.9	2,095	42,508	13.1	2,052
Industrial engineering technicians .....	50,515	5.7	2,086	50,515	5.7	2,086	—	—	—
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	47,566	4.3	2,088	47,564	4.3	2,088	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c. ....	51,018	3.9	2,085	54,061	5.5	2,098	41,093	3.2	2,043
Drafters .....	45,684	2.7	2,083	45,704	2.8	2,084	45,391	5.4	2,071
Surveying and mapping technicians .....	40,706	9.2	2,065	40,791	11.9	2,080	40,472	7.8	2,023
Biological technicians .....	37,488	3.9	2,070	39,202	5.5	2,070	31,314	6.9	2,068
Chemical technicians .....	45,369	6.1	2,064	45,309	6.4	2,064	46,842	5.4	2,080
Science technicians, n.e.c. ....	43,546	10.4	2,046	45,801	10.5	2,091	33,732	7.6	1,849
Airplane pilots and navigators .....	119,204	5.5	1,222	119,204	5.5	1,222	—	—	—
Broadcast equipment operators .....	33,453	12.1	2,028	28,164	13.5	2,025	51,471	9.4	2,037
Computer programmers .....	64,936	2.9	2,107	66,438	2.9	2,112	49,572	6.2	2,055
Tool programmers, numerical control .....	48,567	7.4	2,080	48,567	7.4	2,080	—	—	—
Legal assistants .....	45,371	4.2	2,017	45,849	4.8	2,013	41,843	5.8	2,046
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	42,414	4.9	2,057	44,057	6.2	2,085	38,587	6.4	1,991
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial .....</b>	<b>70,335</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2,082</b>	<b>72,108</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2,101</b>	<b>61,829</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1,989</b>
Executives, administrators, and managers .....	79,972	2.4	2,089	81,737	2.9	2,117	71,510	2.1	1,958

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government				
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings	Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>White Collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Executive, administrative, and managerial</b> —Continued									
Executives, administrators, and managers —Continued									
Legislators .....	\$14,176	42.0	1,182	—	—	—	\$14,176	42.0	1,182
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration .....	116,096	16.9	2,228	—	—	—	98,580	5.5	2,060
Administrators and officials, public administration .....	64,576	2.9	2,049	—	—	—	64,562	2.9	2,049
Financial managers .....	85,812	4.1	2,102	\$85,387	3.0	2,110	90,515	17.9	2,013
Personnel and labor relations managers .....	66,924	7.5	2,081	65,246	7.8	2,087	84,518	6.7	2,013
Purchasing managers .....	73,933	8.1	2,091	73,378	8.4	2,093	84,706	18.4	2,056
Managers, marketing, advertising and public relations .....	97,050	4.2	2,141	97,204	4.2	2,141	66,604	11.2	2,054
Administrators, education and related fields .....	71,526	3.2	1,917	55,958	4.6	2,029	78,920	4.0	1,865
Managers, medicine and health .....	73,014	3.3	2,079	74,724	3.5	2,090	64,905	9.5	2,028
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments .....	46,778	8.1	2,210	48,492	8.1	2,290	33,033	11.5	1,566
Managers, properties and real estate .....	45,869	4.1	2,072	44,969	4.2	2,075	58,218	4.8	2,028
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c. ....	62,575	9.0	2,029	63,083	9.7	2,027	55,993	6.7	2,050
Managers and administrators, n.e.c. ....	86,959	4.9	2,122	87,755	5.0	2,125	70,110	5.2	2,052
Management related .....	56,103	1.2	2,071	57,891	1.3	2,079	47,522	2.3	2,034
Accountants and auditors .....	53,063	1.9	2,081	54,068	2.2	2,087	47,184	3.1	2,045
Underwriters .....	55,519	5.5	2,026	55,519	5.5	2,026	—	—	—
Other financial officers .....	67,848	3.6	2,085	68,880	3.8	2,093	54,770	6.4	1,994
Management analysts .....	63,887	5.2	2,081	66,772	5.0	2,087	48,137	5.9	2,051
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists .....	51,355	3.7	2,012	52,158	4.3	2,011	46,482	4.3	2,019
Purchasing agents & buyers, farm products .....	47,598	15.2	2,062	49,347	16.4	2,060	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products .....	57,058	3.8	2,101	57,125	3.9	2,102	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c. ....	54,756	6.3	2,102	57,659	5.3	2,107	36,867	11.1	2,069
Business and promotional agents .....	47,604	6.4	2,048	47,754	6.8	2,046	—	—	—
Construction inspectors .....	50,634	5.5	2,058	51,678	11.0	2,086	50,252	5.0	2,048
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction .....	48,282	3.6	2,079	55,216	5.1	2,136	42,159	2.8	2,028
Management related, n.e.c. ....	54,118	2.4	2,073	54,821	2.8	2,084	51,323	4.7	2,029
<b>Sales</b> .....	37,140	1.7	2,082	37,180	1.8	2,083	29,562	7.8	1,970
Supervisors, sales .....	44,501	3.6	2,160	44,547	3.6	2,161	32,937	6.2	2,057
Insurance sales .....	47,657	8.0	2,063	47,642	8.0	2,063	—	—	—
Real estate sales .....	46,031	14.0	2,086	46,126	14.7	2,091	43,898	11.3	1,985
Securities and financial services sales .....	85,435	6.7	2,065	85,435	6.7	2,065	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales .....	42,258	10.3	2,050	42,250	10.3	2,050	—	—	—
Sales, other business services .....	53,053	6.2	2,096	53,061	6.2	2,096	—	—	—
Sales engineers .....	82,477	7.7	2,164	82,477	7.7	2,164	—	—	—

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government				
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
<b>White Collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Sales</b> —Continued									
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale .....	\$56,854	3.6	2,099	\$56,854	3.6	2,099	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats .....	50,096	6.6	2,286	50,096	6.6	2,286	—	—	—
Sales workers, apparel .....	25,530	15.2	1,949	25,530	15.2	1,949	—	—	—
Sales workers, shoes .....	21,085	14.3	1,938	21,085	14.3	1,938	—	—	—
Sales workers, furniture & home furnishings .....	32,763	7.6	2,150	32,763	7.6	2,150	—	—	—
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, & appliances .....	24,405	8.3	2,046	24,405	8.3	2,046	—	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies .....	29,020	6.1	2,118	29,020	6.1	2,118	—	—	—
Sales workers, parts .....	31,232	3.2	2,106	31,232	3.2	2,106	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities .....	27,373	3.4	2,040	27,377	3.4	2,040	—	—	—
Sales counter clerks .....	21,614	5.7	2,045	21,603	5.7	2,045	—	—	—
Cashiers .....	19,453	2.1	2,038	19,307	2.1	2,040	\$26,876	10.2	1,941
Street and door to door sales workers .....	39,897	16.5	2,003	39,897	16.5	2,003	—	—	—
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales .....	35,398	15.9	2,062	35,398	15.9	2,062	—	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c. ....	31,851	7.7	2,024	31,847	7.7	2,024	—	—	—
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> .....	29,895	.7	2,018	30,215	.7	2,048	28,435	1.3	1,880
Supervisors, general office ....	42,312	2.3	2,055	42,984	2.6	2,056	38,833	3.5	2,051
Supervisors, computer equipment operators .....	43,624	8.1	2,019	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing .....	47,919	3.3	2,075	48,269	3.4	2,084	43,388	7.7	1,967
Chief communications operators .....	44,286	4.8	2,042	—	—	—	45,168	6.2	2,080
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks .....	43,326	4.1	2,102	43,426	5.3	2,115	42,929	9.1	2,050
Computer operators .....	33,654	3.6	2,048	34,588	3.8	2,070	31,611	6.7	1,998
Peripheral equipment operators .....	28,451	7.7	2,030	27,999	9.3	2,047	—	—	—
Secretaries .....	33,628	.9	2,001	34,651	1.3	2,022	30,765	3.0	1,940
Stenographers .....	36,315	4.8	1,978	32,889	5.3	1,994	40,605	8.1	1,959
Typists .....	30,510	2.3	2,002	32,414	5.8	2,053	29,262	2.9	1,969
Interviewers .....	25,683	4.6	2,042	25,449	4.4	2,049	26,865	14.9	2,005
Hotel clerks .....	18,619	2.3	2,016	18,614	2.3	2,016	—	—	—
Transportation ticket and reservation agents .....	31,557	3.7	2,057	31,103	3.8	2,056	—	—	—
Receptionists .....	24,631	1.6	2,042	24,638	1.7	2,044	24,430	4.4	2,000
Information clerks, n.e.c. ....	28,527	2.6	2,061	28,445	2.8	2,062	30,879	5.2	2,047
Classified ad clerks .....	26,418	6.8	2,017	26,418	6.8	2,017	—	—	—
Correspondence clerks .....	28,820	3.8	2,080	29,038	4.0	2,080	—	—	—
Order clerks .....	30,558	3.1	2,073	30,483	3.1	2,073	41,696	7.6	2,080
Personnel clerks except payroll & timekeeping .....	34,158	2.2	2,061	33,924	2.4	2,066	35,933	5.8	2,020
Library clerks .....	23,984	3.2	1,786	25,137	6.4	1,926	23,615	4.0	1,741
File clerks .....	22,755	2.5	2,053	22,612	2.6	2,054	25,085	6.8	2,036
Records clerks, n.e.c. ....	28,687	2.6	2,032	28,882	2.8	2,047	27,806	3.5	1,965
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks .....	30,818	1.4	2,046	30,825	1.5	2,052	30,767	2.6	2,002
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	34,741	2.1	2,060	34,454	2.4	2,065	36,949	4.3	2,017
Billing clerks .....	27,518	1.8	2,055	27,400	1.8	2,054	30,066	9.7	2,080

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>White Collar</b> —Continued									
<b>Administrative support, including clerical</b> —Continued									
Cost and rate clerks .....	\$28,097	9.7	2,098	\$28,097	9.7	2,098	—	—	—
Billing, posting, & calculating machine operators .....	27,989	5.8	2,025	28,020	5.8	2,024	—	—	—
Duplicating machine operators .....	25,479	8.8	2,067	26,042	9.6	2,074	\$24,471	13.3	2,055
Mail preparing & paper handling machine operators .....	25,495	6.4	2,064	25,495	6.4	2,064	—	—	—
Office machine operators, n.e.c. .....	23,340	3.3	2,080	23,079	3.9	2,080	—	—	—
Telephone operators .....	25,990	5.1	2,034	26,066	5.2	2,034	24,376	8.6	2,033
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. .....	25,658	21.3	2,013	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mail clerks except postal service .....	24,622	6.6	2,039	25,080	7.0	2,033	22,067	14.1	2,071
Messengers .....	20,441	9.5	2,027	19,725	9.3	2,038	26,927	8.3	1,929
Dispatchers .....	34,555	5.0	2,097	33,448	5.5	2,112	36,225	7.2	2,073
Production coordinators .....	39,129	3.8	2,083	39,102	3.8	2,083	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks .....	28,958	2.1	2,073	28,912	2.1	2,074	32,711	6.9	2,011
Stock and inventory clerks .....	27,614	1.9	2,065	27,427	2.0	2,069	29,572	6.0	2,022
Meter readers .....	35,990	5.2	2,080	36,829	8.1	2,080	34,279	6.8	2,079
Weighers, measures, checkers, and samplers ....	31,615	8.0	2,075	31,543	8.2	2,075	—	—	—
Expeditors .....	33,056	5.0	2,057	32,782	5.0	2,059	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, & investigators .....	39,762	3.6	2,026	39,718	3.6	2,026	41,801	26.7	2,027
Investigators and adjusters except insurance .....	32,951	3.8	2,067	32,774	3.8	2,066	38,711	6.9	2,080
Eligibility clerks, social welfare .....	31,422	2.7	2,023	27,530	4.8	2,038	33,838	2.2	2,013
Bill and account collectors .....	29,610	7.4	2,040	29,430	7.7	2,039	34,275	6.2	2,074
General office clerks .....	27,894	1.1	2,025	27,627	1.3	2,036	28,640	1.9	1,996
Bank tellers .....	23,048	1.6	2,059	23,048	1.6	2,059	—	—	—
Proofreaders .....	37,196	15.7	2,080	28,753	9.0	2,080	—	—	—
Data entry keyers .....	24,736	2.0	2,022	24,225	1.9	2,028	27,414	2.7	1,986
Statistical clerks .....	30,140	5.1	2,047	30,417	5.1	2,047	29,298	9.3	2,047
Teachers' aides .....	15,931	1.6	1,378	17,056	6.3	1,704	15,821	1.6	1,346
Administrative support, n.e.c. ....	30,661	1.3	2,037	30,583	1.5	2,048	31,058	2.7	1,981
<b>Blue Collar</b> .....	33,671	1.0	2,070	33,504	1.1	2,074	36,444	1.7	2,001
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair</b> .....	41,510	1.0	2,071	41,482	1.0	2,071	41,892	2.1	2,067
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers .....	52,658	2.7	2,122	52,656	2.8	2,127	52,682	5.3	2,072
Automobile mechanics .....	39,753	3.0	2,099	39,216	2.9	2,102	45,325	10.3	2,069
Automobile mechanic apprentices .....	29,345	9.0	2,110	29,156	9.3	2,111	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics .....	40,578	2.7	2,088	40,447	3.0	2,091	41,738	2.3	2,065
Aircraft engine mechanics .....	56,900	8.6	2,081	56,921	8.7	2,081	—	—	—
Small engine repairs .....	31,731	5.6	2,055	31,705	5.7	2,055	—	—	—
Automobile body and related repairers .....	34,264	4.7	2,097	34,246	4.7	2,097	—	—	—
Aircraft mechanics except engine .....	51,512	4.0	2,080	51,512	4.0	2,080	—	—	—
Heavy equipment mechanics .....	40,470	2.8	2,079	40,476	3.6	2,079	40,441	6.4	2,078
Farm equipment mechanics .....	33,644	8.5	2,175	33,739	8.7	2,177	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers .....	44,143	2.1	2,069	44,066	2.1	2,069	49,700	8.2	2,077
Machinery maintenance .....	33,403	4.7	2,070	33,429	4.9	2,072	32,704	10.8	2,012

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue Collar —Continued</b>									
Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued									
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment .....	\$45,807	2.7	2,083	\$45,990	2.7	2,083	\$41,768	7.0	2,080
Data processing equipment repairers .....	42,444	11.3	2,043	43,077	13.7	2,048	—	—	—
Household appliance and power tool repairers .....	34,058	5.8	2,100	34,058	5.8	2,100	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers .....	51,945	4.8	2,069	52,210	4.8	2,068	—	—	—
Telephone installers and repairers .....	49,794	3.4	2,079	49,609	3.5	2,080	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics ....	38,397	3.2	2,077	38,402	3.5	2,079	38,350	5.9	2,054
Locksmiths and safe repairers	31,533	9.1	2,141	—	—	—	—	—	—
Office machine repairers .....	36,459	8.5	2,079	36,294	8.7	2,079	—	—	—
Mechanical controls and valve repairers .....	44,160	5.7	2,079	43,848	7.1	2,079	45,572	6.3	2,080
Elevator installers and repairers .....	80,426	14.5	2,080	80,999	14.6	2,080	—	—	—
Millwrights .....	46,306	6.3	2,076	46,311	6.3	2,076	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c. ....	35,030	2.4	2,073	34,995	3.0	2,075	35,230	3.4	2,061
Supervisors, brickmasons, stonemasons, and tilesetters .....	43,876	9.7	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers .....	50,989	6.1	2,100	51,276	5.9	2,101	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers .....	67,659	3.9	2,083	68,058	4.1	2,083	61,693	9.5	2,082
Supervisors, painters, paperhangers and plasterers .....	50,109	8.3	2,128	50,086	8.3	2,128	—	—	—
Supervisors, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	56,047	7.5	2,031	55,239	8.5	2,017	58,819	12.9	2,081
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c. ....	46,373	5.2	2,084	47,006	7.0	2,086	44,211	4.8	2,077
Brickmasons and stonemasons .....	52,910	9.1	2,002	53,016	9.2	2,001	—	—	—
Tile setters, hard and soft .....	35,868	12.4	2,002	35,868	12.4	2,002	—	—	—
Carpet installers .....	50,864	12.9	2,080	50,864	12.9	2,080	—	—	—
Carpenters .....	40,706	4.5	2,063	40,541	4.8	2,065	43,784	6.2	2,045
Carpenter apprentices .....	35,461	13.6	2,064	35,461	13.6	2,064	—	—	—
Drywall installers .....	37,092	6.8	2,063	37,092	6.8	2,063	—	—	—
Electricians .....	53,343	3.1	2,068	53,984	3.2	2,068	46,667	5.4	2,069
Electrician apprentices .....	30,369	3.7	2,067	30,198	3.7	2,067	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers .....	55,213	3.4	2,080	55,444	3.8	2,080	53,417	6.8	2,080
Painters, construction and maintenance .....	33,316	3.7	2,045	32,604	4.1	2,043	40,973	7.0	2,060
Plasterers .....	32,487	6.0	2,046	30,966	3.2	2,044	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters .....	50,463	6.9	2,063	51,047	7.0	2,064	39,924	9.5	2,055
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters apprentices ...	30,460	4.4	2,080	30,075	4.7	2,080	39,471	11.4	2,080
Concrete and terrazzo finishers .....	37,185	6.9	2,013	37,104	6.9	2,012	—	—	—
Glaziers .....	37,128	9.1	2,080	34,093	11.7	2,080	—	—	—

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue Collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued</b>									
Insulation workers .....	\$39,130	8.8	2,069	\$39,132	8.9	2,069	—	—	—
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators .....	30,590	14.8	1,882	30,700	16.5	1,859	\$29,632	2.8	2,080
Roofers .....	29,771	7.6	1,837	29,771	7.6	1,837	—	—	—
Sheetmetal duct installers .....	48,532	12.8	2,016	48,532	12.8	2,016	—	—	—
Structural metal workers .....	50,259	12.4	2,075	50,142	12.7	2,075	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c. ....	35,606	5.5	2,026	36,885	6.9	2,009	32,575	5.8	2,067
Supervisors, extractive .....	52,395	21.3	2,147	52,395	21.3	2,147	—	—	—
Drillers, oil well .....	61,664	28.4	2,464	61,664	28.4	2,464	—	—	—
Mining machine operators ....	38,625	9.3	2,080	38,625	9.3	2,080	—	—	—
Supervisors, production .....	46,824	2.0	2,105	46,784	2.0	2,105	49,152	15.8	2,078
Tool and die makers .....	49,775	2.0	2,079	49,775	2.0	2,079	—	—	—
Tool and die maker apprentices .....	37,275	7.4	2,080	37,275	7.4	2,080	—	—	—
Precision assemblers, metal ...	43,060	6.1	2,078	43,060	6.1	2,078	—	—	—
Machinists .....	41,439	1.9	2,079	41,336	1.9	2,079	—	—	—
Boilermakers .....	40,325	10.0	2,072	41,115	9.8	2,080	—	—	—
Precision grinders, filers, and tool sharpeners .....	33,496	9.3	2,067	33,496	9.3	2,067	—	—	—
Patternmakers and modelmakers, metal .....	44,490	8.9	2,078	44,490	8.9	2,078	—	—	—
Layout workers .....	38,387	16.0	2,080	38,387	16.0	2,080	—	—	—
Sheet metal workers .....	36,058	10.3	2,026	36,058	10.3	2,026	—	—	—
Patternmakers and modelmakers, wood .....	37,732	11.4	2,080	37,732	11.4	2,080	—	—	—
Cabinet makers and bench carpenters .....	27,164	6.7	2,067	26,993	6.4	2,067	—	—	—
Furniture and wood finishers ..	25,228	7.0	2,080	25,228	7.0	2,080	—	—	—
Dressmakers .....	24,473	8.3	1,960	24,473	8.3	1,960	—	—	—
Tailors .....	34,775	17.6	1,973	34,775	17.6	1,973	—	—	—
Upholsterers .....	31,310	11.5	2,080	31,310	11.5	2,080	—	—	—
Hand molders and shapers except jewelers .....	29,551	14.3	2,080	29,551	14.3	2,080	—	—	—
Patternmakers, layout workers, and cutters .....	37,289	11.4	2,002	37,289	11.4	2,002	—	—	—
Dental laboratory and medical appliance technicians .....	31,666	2.6	2,076	31,576	2.7	2,076	—	—	—
Bookbinders .....	31,770	9.9	2,057	31,770	9.9	2,057	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	29,036	3.7	2,076	29,036	3.7	2,076	—	—	—
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c. ....	29,594	12.3	2,075	29,577	12.3	2,075	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters .....	25,509	3.8	2,066	25,509	3.8	2,066	—	—	—
Bakers .....	25,041	5.4	2,037	24,949	5.6	2,036	—	—	—
Food batchmakers .....	27,432	5.0	2,067	27,432	5.0	2,067	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders .....	42,693	4.3	2,096	42,429	4.1	2,098	47,491	7.4	2,062
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c. ....	48,567	10.4	2,080	48,567	10.4	2,080	—	—	—
Adjusters and calibrators .....	39,206	16.3	1,886	39,206	16.3	1,886	—	—	—
Water and sewage treatment plant operators .....	40,076	2.7	2,080	38,465	10.8	2,080	40,286	3.1	2,080
Power plant operators .....	58,570	3.7	2,078	59,072	3.8	2,080	53,723	10.1	2,064
Stationary engineers .....	48,947	4.2	2,064	49,532	5.4	2,065	48,044	6.5	2,063
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c. ...	49,063	4.8	2,056	49,387	4.9	2,056	40,074	9.5	2,080

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>Blue Collar —Continued</b>								
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....</b>	\$29,578	1.4	2,065	\$29,553	1.4	2,065	\$35,505	10.6
Lathe and turning machine set-up operators .....	36,219	3.7	2,080	36,219	3.7	2,080	—	—
Lathe and turning machine operators .....	33,501	6.2	2,078	33,501	6.2	2,078	—	—
Milling and planing machine operators .....	33,530	6.9	2,078	33,530	6.9	2,078	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators .....	29,095	6.6	2,073	29,095	6.6	2,073	—	—
Rolling machine operators .....	34,565	11.4	2,076	34,565	11.4	2,076	—	—
Drilling and boring machine operators .....	29,591	8.1	2,076	29,591	8.1	2,076	—	—
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators .....	28,247	2.7	2,077	28,247	2.7	2,077	—	—
Forging machine operators .....	26,897	10.3	2,080	26,897	10.3	2,080	—	—
Numerical control machine operators .....	35,142	3.2	2,090	35,142	3.2	2,090	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c. .....	32,432	3.9	2,072	32,432	3.9	2,072	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators .....	27,864	3.6	2,070	27,864	3.6	2,070	—	—
Metal plating machine operators .....	30,002	7.8	2,071	30,002	7.8	2,071	—	—
Heat treating equipment operators .....	32,989	5.2	2,068	32,989	5.2	2,068	—	—
Wood lathe, routing, & planing machine operators .....	25,348	7.1	2,078	25,348	7.1	2,078	—	—
Sawing machine operators .....	22,995	5.0	2,070	22,995	5.0	2,070	—	—
Shaping and jointing machine operators .....	28,444	2.8	2,078	28,444	2.8	2,078	—	—
Nailing and tacking machine operators .....	21,204	10.4	2,028	21,204	10.4	2,028	—	—
Printing press operators .....	34,869	2.7	2,053	34,960	2.8	2,055	29,914	5.2
Photoengravers and lithographers .....	34,141	6.0	2,049	34,141	6.0	2,049	—	—
Typesetters and compositors .....	32,327	5.8	2,058	32,377	5.9	2,059	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators .....	25,976	7.2	2,060	25,976	7.2	2,060	—	—
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators .....	25,426	5.8	2,078	25,426	5.8	2,078	—	—
Textile cutting machine operators .....	21,967	5.6	2,011	21,967	5.6	2,011	—	—
Textile sewing machine operators .....	21,561	9.5	2,048	21,561	9.5	2,048	—	—
Pressing machine operators .....	19,089	6.4	2,018	19,089	6.4	2,018	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators .....	20,341	6.1	2,038	20,379	6.4	2,044	19,601	11.1
Cementing and gluing machine operators .....	25,678	8.1	2,080	25,678	8.1	2,080	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators .....	29,836	4.0	2,067	29,836	4.0	2,067	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators .....	28,408	3.5	2,054	28,408	3.5	2,054	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators .....	32,026	4.1	2,057	32,026	4.1	2,057	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators .....	40,516	5.3	2,072	40,526	5.4	2,072	—	—

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Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Blue Collar —Continued</b>									
<b>Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors —Continued</b>									
Compressing and compacting machine operators .....	\$24,164	7.9	2,075	\$24,164	7.9	2,075	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators .....	32,223	4.6	2,080	32,210	4.7	2,080	—	—	—
Roasting and baking machine operators, food .....	29,208	7.8	2,080	29,208	7.8	2,080	—	—	—
Washing, cleaning, and pickling machine operators	34,971	22.6	2,080	34,971	22.6	2,080	—	—	—
Folding machine operators .....	26,243	17.5	2,016	26,243	17.5	2,016	—	—	—
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food .....	31,768	6.0	2,072	31,583	6.3	2,073	—	—	—
Crushing and grinding machine operators .....	31,858	11.8	2,046	31,858	11.8	2,046	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators .....	29,030	2.6	2,061	29,030	2.6	2,061	—	—	—
Photographic process machine operators .....	23,420	6.9	2,041	23,420	6.9	2,041	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c. ....	30,400	2.7	2,063	30,344	2.7	2,063	\$44,423	14.9	2,037
Welders and cutters .....	32,865	2.4	2,066	32,411	2.3	2,066	46,606	8.9	2,080
Solders and braziers .....	25,312	9.0	2,080	25,312	9.0	2,080	—	—	—
Assemblers .....	31,218	2.0	2,073	31,218	2.0	2,073	—	—	—
Hand cutting and trimming .....	24,498	10.8	2,074	24,498	10.8	2,074	—	—	—
Hand molding, casting, and forming .....	24,398	8.3	2,080	24,398	8.3	2,080	—	—	—
Hand painting, coating, and decorating .....	25,213	4.8	2,064	25,259	4.9	2,064	—	—	—
Hand engraving and printing .....	33,233	23.2	1,984	33,233	23.2	1,984	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c. ....	26,192	5.9	2,046	26,192	5.9	2,046	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners .....	29,163	4.7	2,066	29,160	4.7	2,066	—	—	—
Production testers .....	31,369	4.9	2,065	31,369	4.9	2,065	—	—	—
Production samplers and weighers .....	28,666	8.7	2,081	28,666	8.7	2,081	—	—	—
Graders and sorters except agricultural .....	24,754	6.2	2,078	24,754	6.2	2,078	—	—	—
Hand inspectors, n.e.c. ....	25,613	8.1	2,077	25,613	8.1	2,077	—	—	—
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> .....	32,948	1.8	2,099	33,006	2.0	2,125	32,424	2.4	1,865
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators .....	39,636	6.5	2,119	39,998	7.6	2,152	39,005	11.3	2,060
Truck drivers .....	33,461	2.0	2,178	33,397	2.1	2,182	35,222	5.8	2,059
Driver-sales workers .....	33,259	5.9	2,111	33,214	5.9	2,111	—	—	—
Bus drivers .....	27,156	4.0	1,732	26,034	9.7	1,979	27,810	3.6	1,588
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs .....	18,225	8.5	2,034	18,156	8.6	2,034	—	—	—
Parking lot attendants .....	16,017	9.7	2,080	15,743	9.6	2,080	—	—	—
Motor transportation, n.e.c. ....	25,632	5.0	2,038	23,412	5.7	2,047	36,504	7.0	1,994
Railroad conductors and yardmasters .....	58,503	16.3	2,266	58,269	16.6	2,269	—	—	—
Locomotive operating .....	60,702	14.4	2,162	63,189	17.7	2,183	51,033	4.2	2,080
Railroad brake, signal and switch operators .....	61,469	6.9	2,080	62,978	5.9	2,080	—	—	—
Rail vehicle operators, n.e.c. ....	46,843	3.9	2,080	45,013	4.0	2,080	—	—	—
Ship captains and mates except fishing boats .....	43,804	22.7	2,250	43,189	23.7	2,255	—	—	—
Sailors and deckhands .....	27,506	7.4	2,244	25,895	8.2	2,273	41,094	2.7	1,998

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total		Private industry		State and local government			
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)
<b>Blue Collar —Continued</b>								
<b>Transportation and material moving</b> —Continued								
Marine engineers .....	\$43,170	21.9	2,010	\$42,939	22.4	2,009	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment .....	47,307	3.4	2,085	47,538	3.5	2,088	\$41,599	5.3
Operating engineers .....	41,193	8.0	1,965	44,697	10.3	1,902	34,832	8.9
Hoist and winch operators .....	25,140	19.6	2,074	25,140	19.6	2,074	—	—
Crane and tower operators .....	34,604	6.2	2,077	34,552	6.2	2,077	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators .....	34,441	4.7	2,024	34,299	4.7	2,019	36,111	14.5
Grader, dozer, and scraper operators .....	33,176	5.2	2,065	33,583	6.1	2,053	32,727	9.6
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators .....	29,412	1.8	2,067	29,426	1.8	2,068	28,100	2.4
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c. .....	34,763	5.8	2,067	34,978	6.4	2,069	33,376	5.0
<b>Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers</b> .....	24,879	1.7	2,049	24,453	1.7	2,049	30,997	2.3
Nursery workers .....	20,950	8.9	1,833	20,989	9.0	1,820	—	—
Supervisors, agriculture-Related workers .....	50,846	6.4	2,116	51,738	7.2	2,121	44,748	6.7
Groundskeepers and gardeners except farm .....	23,676	3.7	1,956	21,654	4.9	1,939	28,887	3.7
Animal caretakers except farm .....	24,903	9.6	2,056	23,377	9.9	2,071	30,174	12.2
Inspectors, agricultural products .....	20,753	16.1	2,065	20,753	16.1	2,065	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c. .....	42,570	6.2	2,128	42,335	8.0	2,138	43,708	5.4
Helpers, mechanics and repairers .....	25,211	4.1	2,076	24,209	3.8	2,080	31,986	6.5
Helpers, construction trades .....	25,758	3.6	2,041	25,523	3.8	2,040	35,312	10.5
Construction laborers .....	28,826	4.4	1,979	28,982	4.6	1,973	27,060	5.7
Production helpers .....	23,616	2.9	2,062	23,600	2.9	2,062	—	—
Garbage collectors .....	28,304	7.8	2,326	23,093	4.2	2,482	36,568	10.6
Stock handlers and baggers .....	23,092	2.0	2,048	23,056	2.0	2,048	28,762	12.9
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	22,518	2.6	2,067	22,533	2.6	2,067	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c. .....	26,736	2.4	2,066	26,710	2.4	2,066	29,551	15.6
Garage and service station related .....	18,922	3.5	2,085	18,713	3.5	2,085	—	—
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners .....	20,875	3.7	2,078	20,781	3.8	2,078	29,966	5.7
Hand packers and packagers .....	20,068	5.5	2,049	20,068	5.5	2,049	—	—
Laborers except construction, n.e.c. .....	23,495	2.3	2,056	22,735	2.5	2,054	29,651	3.9
<b>Service</b> .....	24,021	2.0	2,000	20,379	1.3	1,998	36,332	1.8
Protective service .....	38,731	2.9	2,107	22,377	2.9	2,046	47,546	2.8
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention .....	70,728	4.7	2,570	—	—	—	71,227	4.7
Supervisors, police and detectives .....	66,193	2.9	2,086	—	—	—	66,306	2.9
Supervisors, guards .....	41,488	8.9	2,054	35,105	11.6	2,051	57,599	10.4
Fire inspection and fire prevention .....	41,497	12.5	2,127	—	—	—	50,377	13.3

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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE 4.2. United States, selected occupations: Mean annual earnings<sup>1</sup> and hours, full-time workers,<sup>2</sup> private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,<sup>3</sup> June 2005 — Continued

Occupation <sup>4</sup>	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours <sup>6</sup>
	Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)		Mean	Relative error <sup>5</sup> (percent)	
<b>Service</b> —Continued									
Protective service —Continued									
Firefighting .....	\$49,231	3.0	2,505	—	—	—	\$49,268	3.0	2,504
Police and detectives, public service .....	51,864	1.0	2,071	—	—	—	51,911	1.0	2,071
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers .....	41,454	2.4	2,072	—	—	—	41,540	2.4	2,072
Correctional institution officers .....	36,532	6.3	2,071	—	—	—	36,780	6.2	2,071
Guards and police except public service .....	21,482	2.4	2,044	\$21,239	2.4	2,050	27,903	4.9	1,883
Protective service, n.e.c. ....	26,095	6.6	1,892	17,762	2.9	1,887	33,412	5.8	1,896
Food service .....	17,373	1.4	1,956	17,417	1.5	1,994	16,820	3.4	1,491
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders									
Bartenders .....	13,472	5.7	1,917	13,472	5.7	1,917	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses .....	8,937	4.9	1,898	8,894	4.9	1,898	—	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants .....	12,921	5.0	1,978	12,838	5.8	1,985	—	—	—
Other food service									
Supervisors, food preparation and service .....	29,628	2.2	2,116	30,422	2.4	2,172	23,810	6.5	1,707
Cooks .....	20,492	1.7	1,976	20,799	1.7	2,021	17,142	8.0	1,481
Kitchen workers, food preparation .....	17,643	2.2	1,940	18,383	2.3	2,030	13,529	6.5	1,440
Food preparation, n.e.c. ....	16,870	2.0	1,913	17,100	2.2	1,981	15,223	4.2	1,429
Health service .....	22,808	1.2	2,000	22,359	1.3	2,001	25,797	2.4	1,995
Dental assistants .....	28,426	4.2	1,844	28,375	4.2	1,840	31,365	7.5	2,080
Health aides, except nursing ..	24,746	2.7	2,024	24,300	3.2	2,036	27,115	3.1	1,962
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants .....	21,620	1.3	2,008	21,067	1.3	2,009	25,219	3.0	2,006
Cleaning and building service ....	23,545	2.3	2,035	22,585	3.2	2,036	26,683	2.8	2,033
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	35,769	4.6	2,063	35,143	4.2	2,069	38,053	12.3	2,043
Maids and housemen .....	17,665	3.2	2,006	17,647	3.3	2,005	18,357	4.8	2,077
Janitors and cleaners .....	24,076	2.6	2,041	23,166	4.5	2,046	26,041	1.7	2,031
Pest control .....	29,313	9.2	2,075	29,160	9.5	2,075	—	—	—
Personal service .....	20,622	6.8	1,898	20,586	6.7	1,931	20,936	6.0	1,620
Supervisors, personal service	30,891	6.0	2,067	30,552	6.5	2,070	37,614	8.6	1,989
Hairdressers and cosmetologists .....	25,792	10.1	1,976	25,792	10.1	1,976	—	—	—
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities .....	14,882	3.7	2,044	14,749	2.9	2,044	23,239	6.6	2,049
Guides .....	27,962	7.5	2,012	27,962	7.5	2,012	—	—	—

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<b>Service</b> —Continued									
Personal service —Continued									
Public transportation attendants .....	\$32,817	4.5	1,026	\$33,093	4.0	992	\$28,004	19.5	1,624
Baggage porters and bellhops	15,752	6.4	2,004	15,752	6.4	2,004	—	—	—
Welfare service aides .....	23,425	3.4	2,021	22,631	3.8	2,035	26,364	5.5	1,968
Early childhood teachers' assistants .....	16,797	5.1	1,854	17,181	5.9	1,984	15,554	4.9	1,432
Child care workers, n.e.c. ....	18,471	4.7	1,924	17,847	2.8	2,029	21,037	18.4	1,492
Service, n.e.c. ....	23,887	5.2	2,016	23,607	6.0	2,034	26,379	4.3	1,856

<sup>1</sup> Earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

<sup>2</sup> Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

<sup>3</sup> This survey covers all 50 States. Collection was conducted between December 2004 and January 2006. The average reference period was June 2005.

<sup>4</sup> A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see appendix B in

"National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm).

<sup>5</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A in "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Wages in the United States" on the BLS Internet site [www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm](http://www.bls.gov/ocs/comppub.htm).

<sup>6</sup> Mean annual hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a year, exclusive of overtime.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.