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Selected Characteristics	Both sexes		Male		Female	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
WORKERS 16 YEARS AND OVER	97,504	100.0	44,649	100.0	52,855	100.0
<b>AGE</b>						
16 and 17 years	495	0.5	193	0.4	302	0.6
18 to 20 years	1,837	1.9	738	1.7	1,099	2.1
21 to 24 years	2,893	3.0	1,225	2.7	1,668	3.2
25 to 29 years	5,270	5.4	2,080	4.7	3,190	6.0
30 to 34 years	9,650	9.9	3,539	7.9	6,111	11.6
35 to 39 years	13,116	13.5	4,931	11.0	8,185	15.5
40 to 44 years	14,740	15.1	6,068	13.6	8,672	16.4
45 to 49 years	12,853	13.2	6,095	13.7	6,758	12.8
50 to 54 years	12,540	12.9	6,097	13.7	6,443	12.2
55 to 59 years	8,686	8.9	4,650	10.4	4,036	7.6
60 and 61 years	2,607	2.7	1,365	3.1	1,242	2.3
62 to 64 years	3,303	3.4	1,905	4.3	1,398	2.6
65 and 66 years	1,462	1.5	733	1.6	729	1.4
67 to 69 years	2,587	2.7	1,620	3.6	967	1.8
70 to 74 years	2,973	3.0	1,839	4.1	1,134	2.1
75 to 79 years	1,694	1.7	1,077	2.4	617	1.2
80 to 84 years	585	0.6	346	0.8	239	0.5
85 years and over	213	0.2	148	0.3	65	0.1
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>						
Less than 9th grade	1,423	1.5	563	1.3	860	1.6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	3,992	4.1	1,663	3.7	2,329	4.4
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	14,549	14.9	5,442	12.2	9,107	17.2
Some college, no degree	17,492	17.9	7,020	15.7	10,472	19.8
Associate degree	6,547	6.7	2,257	5.1	4,290	8.1
Bachelor's degree	30,365	31.1	15,294	34.3	15,071	28.5
Graduate or professional degree	23,136	23.7	12,410	27.8	10,726	20.3
<b>RACE</b>						
<b>One Race</b>						
White	89,997	92.3	41,741	93.5	48,256	91.3
Black or African American	2,300	2.4	793	1.8	1,507	2.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	146	0.1	61	0.1	85	0.2
Asian	2,308	2.4	997	2.2	1,311	2.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	42	-	-	-	42	0.1
Some other race	1,554	1.6	461	1.0	1,093	2.1
Two or more races	1,157	1.2	596	1.3	561	1.1
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2,761	2.8	863	1.9	1,898	3.6
Not Hispanic or Latino	94,743	97.2	43,786	98.1	50,957	96.4
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	88,774	91.0	41,252	92.4	47,522	89.9

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Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: 1/						
White	90,894	93.2	42,198	94.5	48,696	92.1
Black or African American	2,620	2.7	951	2.1	1,669	3.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	461	0.5	234	0.5	227	0.4
Asian	2,547	2.6	1,107	2.5	1,440	2.7
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	77	0.1	16	-	61	0.1
Some other race	2,140	2.2	770	1.7	1,370	2.6
<b>CLASS OF WORKER</b>						
Private for profit wage and salary workers	41,322	42.4	20,894	46.8	20,428	38.6
Employee of private for profit company	31,197	32.0	14,871	33.3	16,326	30.9
Self employed in own incorporated business	10,125	10.4	6,023	13.5	4,102	7.8
Private not for profit wage and salary workers	5,903	6.1	2,468	5.5	3,435	6.5
Local government workers	1,268	1.3	426	1.0	842	1.6
State government workers	1,230	1.3	433	1.0	797	1.5
Federal government workers	651	0.7	321	0.7	330	0.6
Self employed worker in own not incorporated business	45,872	47.0	19,670	44.1	26,202	49.6
Unpaid family workers	1,258	1.3	437	1.0	821	1.6
<b>OCCUPATION</b>						
Management, professional and related occupations	50,388	51.7	26,702	59.8	23,686	44.8
Management, business and financial operations occupations	20,545	21.1	12,508	28.0	8,037	15.2
Professional and related occupations	29,843	30.6	14,194	31.8	15,649	29.6
Service occupations	15,465	15.9	2,364	5.3	13,101	24.8
Healthcare support occupations	1,418	1.5	153	0.3	1,265	2.4
Protective service occupations	363	0.4	245	0.5	118	0.2
Food preparation and service related occupations	1,188	1.2	467	1.0	721	1.4
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	1,401	1.4	900	2.0	501	0.9
Personal care and service occupations	11,095	11.4	599	1.3	10,496	19.9
Sales and office occupations	23,390	24.0	9,706	21.7	13,684	25.9
Sales and related occupations	13,291	13.6	8,114	18.2	5,177	9.8
Office and administrative support occupations	10,099	10.4	1,592	3.6	8,507	16.1
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	269	0.3	180	0.4	89	0.2
Agriculture workers, including supervisors	146	0.1	69	0.2	77	0.1
Fishing, hunting, and forestry occupations	123	0.1	111	0.2	12	-
Construction, extraction and maintenance occupations	3,209	3.3	2,903	6.5	306	0.6
Construction and extraction occupations	2,068	2.1	1,802	4.0	266	0.5

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Installation, maintenance and repair occupations	1,141	1.2	1,101	2.5	40	0.1
Production, transportation and material moving occupations	4,703	4.8	2,714	6.1	1,989	3.8
Production occupations	3,554	3.6	1,822	4.1	1,732	3.3
Transportation and material moving occupations	1,149	1.2	892	2.0	257	0.5
Armed Forces not elsewhere specified	80	0.1	80	0.2	-	-
<b>INDUSTRY</b>						
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	1,464	1.5	865	1.9	599	1.1
Construction	4,457	4.6	2,651	5.9	1,806	3.4
Manufacturing	6,672	6.8	4,265	9.6	2,407	4.6
Wholesale trade	3,983	4.1	2,671	6.0	1,312	2.5
Retail trade	7,403	7.6	3,443	7.7	3,960	7.5
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	1,381	1.4	841	1.9	540	1.0
Information	4,615	4.7	2,333	5.2	2,282	4.3
Finance, insurance, real estate and rental and leasing	7,558	7.8	4,408	9.9	3,150	6.0
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	26,356	27.0	13,797	30.9	12,559	23.8
Education, health and social services	19,350	19.8	3,156	7.1	16,194	30.6
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	6,581	6.7	3,078	6.9	3,503	6.6
Other services (except public administration)	6,483	6.6	2,632	5.9	3,851	7.3
Public administration	1,013	1.0	343	0.8	670	1.3
Armed Forces not elsewhere specified	188	0.2	166	0.4	22	-
<b>EARNINGS</b>						
Worked in 1999	94,307	96.7	43,610	97.7	50,697	95.9
\$1 to \$2,499 or loss	11,522	11.8	3,643	8.2	7,879	14.9
\$2,500 to \$4,999	4,952	5.1	1,325	3.0	3,627	6.9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9,008	9.2	2,434	5.5	6,574	12.4
\$10,000 to \$14,999	9,110	9.3	2,853	6.4	6,257	11.8
\$15,000 to \$19,999	7,265	7.5	2,627	5.9	4,638	8.8
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6,692	6.9	2,473	5.5	4,219	8.0
\$25,000 to \$29,999	5,734	5.9	2,402	5.4	3,332	6.3
\$30,000 to \$34,999	5,427	5.6	2,390	5.4	3,037	5.7
\$35,000 to \$39,999	4,552	4.7	2,350	5.3	2,202	4.2
\$40,000 to \$44,999	4,254	4.4	2,239	5.0	2,015	3.8
\$45,000 to \$49,999	2,633	2.7	1,320	3.0	1,313	2.5
\$50,000 to \$54,999	3,848	3.9	2,461	5.5	1,387	2.6
\$55,000 to \$59,999	1,778	1.8	1,119	2.5	659	1.2
\$60,000 to \$64,999	2,287	2.3	1,422	3.2	865	1.6
\$65,000 to \$74,999	3,560	3.7	2,495	5.6	1,065	2.0
\$75,000 to \$99,999	5,741	5.9	4,013	9.0	1,728	3.3

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\$100,000 or more	9,141	9.4	7,083	15.9	2,058	3.9
Did not work in 1999	3,197	3.3	1,039	2.3	2,158	4.1
<b>WEEKS WORKED IN 1999</b>						
Worked in 1999	94,307	96.7	43,610	97.7	50,697	95.9
50 to 52 weeks	67,114	68.8	33,518	75.1	33,596	63.6
48 and 49 weeks	5,210	5.3	2,116	4.7	3,094	5.9
40 to 47 weeks	7,691	7.9	2,873	6.4	4,818	9.1
27 to 39 weeks	4,905	5.0	1,708	3.8	3,197	6.0
14 to 26 weeks	5,720	5.9	2,037	4.6	3,683	7.0
1 to 13 weeks	6,864	7.0	2,397	5.4	4,467	8.5
Did not work in 1999	3,197	3.3	1,039	2.3	2,158	4.1
<b>USUAL HOURS WORKED IN 1999</b>						
Worked in 1999	94,307	96.7	43,610	97.7	50,697	95.9
35 or more hours per week	62,952	64.6	34,900	78.2	28,052	53.1
15 to 34 hours per week	23,114	23.7	6,442	14.4	16,672	31.5
1 to 14 hours per week	11,438	11.7	3,307	7.4	8,131	15.4
Did not work in 1999	3,197	3.3	1,039	2.3	2,158	4.1
<b>DISABILITY STATUS</b>						
With any disability	12,832	13.2	5,976	13.4	6,856	13.0
No disability	84,672	86.8	38,673	86.6	45,999	87.0

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1/ In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

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