

**Table G-7. Median annual salaries of U.S. scientists and engineers, by highest degree attained, occupation, sex, and primary/secondary work activity : 1995**

Highest degree, occupation, and sex	Employed S&Es, total	Primary/secondary work activity				
		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>All degree levels<sup>1</sup></b>						
<b>All occupations, total<sup>2</sup></b> .....	\$46,000	\$50,000	\$38,000	\$48,500	\$46,000	\$43,000
Male .....	50,000	52,000	43,500	53,000	50,000	50,000
Female .....	36,000	39,000	32,000	36,000	38,000	35,000
<b>S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	50,000	51,000	45,000	52,000	50,000	49,000
Male .....	52,000	53,000	50,000	55,000	51,000	50,700
Female .....	42,000	42,500	36,000	45,000	44,000	40,000
<b>Scientists, total</b> .....	48,000	49,000	44,000	50,000	50,000	44,000
Male .....	50,000	50,500	48,000	52,000	51,000	48,000
Female .....	41,000	41,000	36,000	44,000	44,000	38,000
<b>Computer/math sci, total</b> .....	50,000	52,000	41,000	51,000	50,000	49,000
Male .....	52,000	54,000	45,000	54,000	52,000	50,500
Female .....	45,000	47,000	32,000	47,500	45,000	44,400
Computer/information scientists .....	50,000	52,000	41,000	51,000	50,000	49,000
Male .....	52,800	54,000	46,500	54,000	52,000	50,500
Female .....	46,300	47,500	35,000	48,000	45,000	45,000
Mathematical scientists .....	53,000	54,300	55,000	50,000	50,000	56,000
Male .....	55,000	56,000	S	54,000	52,000	56,000
Female .....	47,700	47,700	S	39,200	44,000	S
Postsecondary teachers- computer math sci .....	41,000	48,000	40,800	35,000	36,200	36,000
Male .....	45,000	50,800	44,700	40,800	36,500	40,000
Female .....	30,000	35,600	30,000	26,000	35,000	32,000
<b>Life/related scientists, total</b> .....	42,000	42,000	46,000	43,200	37,000	43,500
Male .....	45,000	46,000	50,000	47,000	40,000	45,000
Female .....	35,000	34,300	36,200	39,000	31,400	37,000
Agricultural/food scientists .....	41,000	42,000	39,000	41,000	43,000	37,500
Male .....	43,000	48,300	39,000	42,000	45,000	37,500
Female .....	33,000	34,000	S	34,000	31,400	S
Biological scientists .....	40,000	39,500	35,000	47,000	36,000	44,000
Male .....	44,000	43,000	38,000	50,000	38,000	48,400
Female .....	34,000	34,000	27,000	40,500	32,000	36,000
Environmental life scientists .....	40,000	41,400	S	41,000	36,000	40,000
Male .....	41,000	45,000	S	41,400	37,000	40,000
Female .....	24,000	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- life/related sciences .....	49,000	51,000	47,900	47,000	34,500	70,000
Male .....	52,400	55,000	51,000	48,500	50,000	86,000
Female .....	38,000	40,000	38,000	44,000	S	43,400
<b>Physical/related scientists, total</b> ...	47,000	48,000	45,000	50,000	42,000	42,000
Male .....	50,000	50,000	48,500	53,000	43,700	44,000
Female .....	39,600	40,000	35,000	41,000	37,500	39,500

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		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>All degree levels<sup>1</sup> — continued</b>						
Chemistry, except biochemistry .....	\$47,000	\$49,000	\$15,000	\$48,600	\$41,500	\$38,000
Male .....	50,000	53,600	16,000	52,000	43,000	40,900
Female .....	38,000	38,000	S	42,000	38,900	35,000
Earth scientists/geologists/ oceanographers .....	45,000	45,000	52,000	50,000	42,000	42,000
Male .....	47,500	47,500	60,000	50,000	43,900	45,000
Female .....	40,000	39,000	S	49,000	37,000	40,000
Physicists/astronomers .....	55,800	55,000	46,400	68,000	45,500	60,000
Male .....	58,000	55,000	S	70,000	45,500	60,000
Female .....	50,000	46,300	S	S	38,800	S
Other physical/related scientists .....	43,900	45,000	S	47,000	37,500	43,900
Male .....	45,500	47,000	S	53,000	37,500	43,900
Female .....	43,000	43,000	S	42,600	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- physical/related sci .....	45,000	48,900	46,000	51,000	42,000	42,000
Male .....	49,000	50,000	50,000	54,900	43,000	45,000
Female .....	35,000	36,500	36,700	34,000	34,900	42,000
<b>Social/related scientists, total</b> .....	42,500	44,100	45,000	46,000	36,200	40,000
Male .....	48,000	48,000	48,500	52,000	44,200	48,000
Female .....	37,000	40,000	39,000	40,000	33,000	35,000
Economists .....	53,000	56,000	S	53,500	50,000	54,200
Male .....	55,000	56,000	S	60,000	52,200	56,000
Female .....	50,000	56,000	S	50,000	41,500	53,000
Political/related scientists .....	33,000	30,000	S	34,500	S	35,000
Male .....	34,500	33,000	S	34,500	S	61,000
Female .....	27,100	24,000	S	S	S	S
Psychologists .....	40,000	39,400	35,000	42,500	35,000	40,000
Male .....	46,000	50,000	38,000	50,000	36,100	46,000
Female .....	35,000	34,000	33,000	35,800	33,000	35,000
Sociologists/anthropologists .....	32,000	34,000	S	32,000	32,000	27,000
Male .....	38,500	38,500	S	40,000	S	27,000
Female .....	30,000	27,000	S	26,000	S	36,000
Other social/related scientists .....	40,000	40,000	S	51,000	39,900	35,000
Male .....	40,000	40,000	S	53,500	41,500	S
Female .....	42,000	45,000	S	45,000	S	25,600
Postsecondary teachers- social/related sci .....	47,000	47,600	46,100	51,700	40,000	43,000
Male .....	50,000	50,000	50,000	53,000	49,500	48,500
Female .....	40,000	42,000	40,000	43,000	S	40,000
<b>Engineers, total</b> .....	54,000	54,000	55,000	55,000	50,000	53,000
Male .....	55,000	55,000	55,000	56,000	51,000	53,500
Female .....	47,000	47,000	46,000	48,000	43,000	49,300

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		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>All degree levels<sup>1</sup> — continued</b>						
Aerospace/related engineers .....	\$58,000	\$57,600	S	\$65,000	\$56,000	\$58,000
Male .....	59,500	58,000	S	65,500	56,000	60,000
Female .....	49,000	49,100	S	48,000	42,000	S
Chemical engineers .....	60,000	60,000	S	61,500	55,000	60,000
Male .....	60,200	60,200	S	63,000	60,000	60,000
Female .....	49,700	49,700	S	52,000	45,000	50,000
Civil/architectural engineers .....	50,000	49,000	S	52,000	43,000	50,400
Male .....	50,000	50,000	S	53,000	44,000	51,000
Female .....	43,000	42,000	S	47,500	42,000	45,800
Electrical/related engineers .....	56,000	56,400	\$50,000	60,000	53,000	54,000
Male .....	57,000	57,000	50,000	60,000	54,000	55,000
Female .....	47,100	48,000	S	52,000	43,000	47,000
Industrial engineers .....	50,000	49,700	S	50,000	48,000	49,000
Male .....	50,000	50,000	S	50,000	50,000	49,600
Female .....	45,800	46,300	S	46,800	43,000	48,200
Mechanical engineers .....	52,000	52,000	62,400	55,000	48,000	52,000
Male .....	52,500	52,000	S	55,000	48,000	52,000
Female .....	47,500	47,000	S	48,000	48,000	50,000
Other engineers .....	53,000	52,000	55,800	54,000	50,000	53,000
Male .....	54,000	53,000	57,000	55,000	51,000	54,000
Female .....	47,000	47,000	S	46,000	43,000	50,000
Postsecondary teachers-engineers	54,000	57,000	54,100	52,000	40,000	50,000
Male .....	55,000	59,000	55,000	53,800	40,000	50,000
Female .....	44,300	48,600	46,000	S	S	S
<b>Non-S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	43,000	45,000	35,800	46,000	40,000	41,000
Male .....	50,000	50,000	40,000	52,000	46,000	48,000
Female .....	34,000	35,000	32,000	35,000	32,000	34,000
Managers/administrators .....	57,000	63,300	45,000	58,000	50,000	52,000
Male .....	62,000	70,000	49,000	62,400	56,000	55,000
Female .....	45,000	48,800	38,000	45,000	40,000	43,000
Health and related .....	54,000	43,000	47,000	59,400	35,000	60,000
Male .....	85,000	55,000	91,000	80,100	40,000	90,000
Female .....	37,500	35,000	36,500	40,000	30,000	37,800
Teachers, except S&E postsecondary .....	35,000	37,000	35,000	35,000	36,000	35,000
Male .....	40,000	43,000	40,000	40,000	38,500	40,000
Female .....	32,000	31,000	32,000	32,000	35,000	30,000

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		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>All degree levels<sup>1</sup> — continued</b>						
Sales/marketing .....	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$36,000	\$40,000	\$37,000	\$40,000
Male .....	44,700	50,000	40,000	45,000	48,000	41,000
Female .....	30,000	36,000	25,000	30,000	26,000	33,000
Other non-S&E occupations .....	35,000	37,000	30,000	35,000	37,000	35,300
Male .....	40,000	39,000	35,000	40,000	42,000	40,000
Female .....	30,000	33,000	27,000	28,000	30,000	30,000
<b>Bachelor's</b>						
<b>All occupations, total<sup>2</sup></b> .....	\$40,200	\$45,000	\$30,000	\$42,000	\$43,000	\$35,300
Male .....	45,200	48,000	33,000	48,000	47,400	40,000
Female .....	32,000	36,000	26,000	32,000	35,000	29,700
<b>S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	48,000	48,500	35,000	50,000	48,000	47,900
Male .....	50,000	50,000	40,000	51,000	49,900	50,000
Female .....	40,500	40,000	28,800	43,000	42,700	38,000
<b>Scientists, total</b> .....	45,000	45,000	32,000	46,300	48,000	39,800
Male .....	47,900	47,000	37,200	48,000	50,000	42,000
Female .....	39,700	38,000	28,300	40,500	43,000	33,000
<b>Computer/math sci, total</b> .....	49,000	50,000	37,000	49,000	48,700	45,400
Male .....	50,000	50,200	42,000	50,000	50,000	48,000
Female .....	44,000	45,500	30,500	45,000	44,000	42,000
Computer/information scientists .....	49,000	50,000	39,000	49,000	49,000	45,400
Male .....	50,000	50,200	45,000	50,000	50,000	48,000
Female .....	44,600	45,600	32,000	45,000	44,200	42,000
Mathematical scientists .....	47,700	50,000	S	44,000	45,000	S
Male .....	49,800	50,300	S	47,700	47,100	S
Female .....	36,500	47,700	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers-computer math sci .....	24,000	S	24,000	S	S	S
Male .....	34,000	S	34,000	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Life/related scientists, total</b> .....	35,000	31,000	27,100	39,000	36,000	37,500
Male .....	37,000	34,000	30,000	40,000	38,000	39,000
Female .....	30,000	30,000	18,000	37,000	31,400	32,200
Agricultural/food scientists .....	37,500	37,000	S	38,800	S	37,500
Male .....	40,000	39,000	S	40,000	S	37,500
Female .....	31,400	34,000	S	33,000	S	S
Biological scientists .....	32,000	30,000	S	39,000	32,000	37,000
Male .....	35,000	33,000	S	40,000	38,000	39,000
Female .....	30,000	30,000	S	38,000	S	32,200
Environmental life scientists .....	37,000	37,000	S	40,000	S	37,000
Male .....	39,000	S	S	41,000	S	38,000
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S

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<b>Bachelor's — continued</b>						
Postsecondary teachers- life/related sciences .....	\$28,000	\$13,500	\$30,000	S	S	S
Male .....	30,000	S	30,000	S	S	S
Female .....	15,000	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Physical/related scientists, total ...</b>	<b>40,000</b>	<b>40,000</b>	<b>23,000</b>	<b>\$43,000</b>	<b>\$37,600</b>	<b>\$40,000</b>
Male .....	41,500	42,000	24,000	46,500	38,000	40,000
Female .....	34,700	33,000	14,000	37,500	34,200	34,000
Chemistry, except biochemistry .....	40,000	41,000	S	43,000	38,000	36,000
Male .....	43,000	44,000	S	46,500	38,000	38,000
Female .....	35,500	33,000	S	37,500	38,000	33,000
Earth scientists/geologists/ oceanographers .....	40,000	40,000	S	46,600	38,400	40,000
Male .....	42,000	41,100	S	47,500	38,400	40,000
Female .....	35,800	33,000	S	38,500	33,000	S
Physicists/astronomers .....	42,000	42,000	S	S	37,500	S
Male .....	42,000	42,000	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Other physical/related scientists .....	37,400	33,000	S	40,000	S	S
Male .....	37,400	32,000	S	S	S	S
Female .....	42,600	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- physical/related sci .....	14,000	12,000	16,000	S	S	S
Male .....	14,000	12,000	24,000	S	S	S
Female .....	14,500	S	13,000	S	S	S
<b>Social/related scientists, total .....</b>	<b>27,000</b>	<b>27,000</b>	<b>19,000</b>	<b>28,000</b>	<b>30,000</b>	<b>25,600</b>
Male .....	31,000	30,000	S	35,000	31,000	30,000
Female .....	22,000	22,500	19,000	23,000	24,000	21,000
Economists .....	42,000	40,000	S	45,000	S	S
Male .....	37,500	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Political/related scientists .....	27,000	S	S	S	S	S
Male .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Psychologists .....	22,000	22,000	22,000	19,000	S	23,000
Male .....	28,000	S	S	S	S	28,000
Female .....	20,000	20,000	S	18,000	S	20,000
Sociologists/anthropologists .....	27,000	27,000	S	S	S	S
Male .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S

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Other social/related scientists .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Male .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers-social/related sci .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Male .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Engineers, total</b> .....	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$52,000	\$48,000	\$51,000
Male .....	51,300	51,000	50,000	54,000	49,000	52,000
Female .....	44,800	45,000	S	46,000	41,400	47,600
Aerospace/related engineers .....	55,000	53,700	S	64,000	54,600	56,000
Male .....	56,000	54,000	S	64,300	55,000	57,700
Female .....	45,600	44,600	S	S	40,000	S
Chemical engineers .....	55,000	55,000	S	60,000	55,000	57,000
Male .....	58,000	57,000	S	60,000	55,000	58,400
Female .....	47,500	48,000	S	47,500	S	S
Civil/architectural engineers .....	48,000	47,000	S	50,000	41,000	50,000
Male .....	50,000	48,000	S	50,900	41,000	50,000
Female .....	42,000	38,500	S	46,000	39,600	42,000
Electrical/related engineers .....	52,700	52,500	S	56,400	50,000	52,000
Male .....	53,000	53,000	S	57,300	50,000	52,500
Female .....	45,300	45,500	S	48,000	40,000	45,600
Industrial engineers .....	48,000	48,000	S	49,000	47,000	47,000
Male .....	49,700	48,000	S	49,700	48,000	49,000
Female .....	42,600	44,600	S	43,000	37,700	40,000
Mechanical engineers .....	50,000	50,000	S	53,000	47,000	51,000
Male .....	50,700	50,000	S	54,000	48,000	52,000
Female .....	46,000	46,800	S	47,000	43,000	48,000
Other engineers .....	50,000	50,000	55,800	51,000	48,800	51,000
Male .....	50,000	50,000	S	52,000	49,600	52,000
Female .....	43,500	40,000	S	45,000	42,000	49,800
Postsecondary teachers-engineers .....	40,000	S	40,000	S	S	S
Male .....	40,000	S	40,000	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Non-S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	36,000	38,000	29,000	39,000	37,000	33,000
Male .....	41,900	41,600	32,200	45,000	42,000	36,000
Female .....	30,000	31,000	26,000	30,000	30,000	28,400

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<b>Bachelor's — continued</b>						
Managers/administrators .....	\$51,000	\$60,000	\$35,000	\$52,000	\$46,000	\$46,500
Male .....	56,000	60,100	38,000	57,500	50,400	50,700
Female .....	39,000	43,000	30,000	39,800	36,000	36,500
Health and related .....	35,000	32,300	34,000	38,000	33,000	35,000
Male .....	40,000	38,000	35,000	41,600	33,700	40,000
Female .....	33,200	31,000	33,700	36,000	32,000	33,000
Teachers, except S&E postsecondary .....	28,000	28,500	28,000	30,000	30,000	28,000
Male .....	31,700	31,000	31,700	34,000	29,000	32,200
Female .....	26,000	27,000	26,000	27,300	31,000	25,000
Sales/marketing .....	36,400	41,000	33,000	36,000	35,000	36,000
Male .....	40,000	45,500	40,000	40,500	41,600	40,000
Female .....	28,000	36,000	S	28,000	25,000	30,000
Other non-S&E occupations .....	30,000	34,800	25,000	30,000	35,000	30,000
Male .....	35,000	36,000	30,100	35,000	40,000	32,000
Female .....	25,200	30,000	22,000	24,800	29,000	25,000
<b>Master's</b>						
<b>All occupations, total</b> <sup>2</sup> .....	\$50,000	\$52,000	\$39,000	\$54,000	\$51,000	\$42,000
Male .....	55,000	56,000	42,500	60,000	55,000	47,000
Female .....	40,000	41,000	35,000	43,000	43,000	38,000
<b>S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	53,700	55,000	39,000	58,000	54,000	48,000
Male .....	56,000	57,000	42,000	60,000	55,900	51,000
Female .....	43,600	44,000	32,000	48,500	48,000	40,300
<b>Scientists, total</b> .....	49,000	49,500	36,000	53,500	52,200	42,000
Male .....	52,000	52,000	40,000	57,200	55,000	45,000
Female .....	41,500	41,000	32,000	47,000	47,900	39,500
<b>Computer/math sci, total</b> .....	55,000	55,000	36,000	59,000	55,000	53,000
Male .....	57,500	58,000	40,000	60,000	57,000	57,000
Female .....	50,000	50,000	30,000	54,000	50,000	50,000
Computer/information scientists .....	57,200	57,400	52,000	60,000	55,000	55,000
Male .....	59,000	58,000	51,000	60,000	58,000	59,000
Female .....	53,000	54,000	S	55,500	50,000	50,000
Mathematical scientists .....	55,000	55,000	S	58,300	50,000	S
Male .....	60,000	60,000	S	63,000	56,000	S
Female .....	50,000	48,600	S	S	43,200	S
Postsecondary teachers-computer math sci .....	32,800	37,000	32,000	30,000	35,000	S
Male .....	36,200	40,000	34,000	39,400	34,000	S
Female .....	28,400	28,200	28,300	S	35,000	S

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**Table G-7. Median annual salaries of U.S. scientists and engineers, by highest degree attained, occupation, sex, and primary/secondary work activity : 1995**

Highest degree, occupation, and sex	Employed S&Es, total	Primary/secondary work activity				
		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Master's — continued</b>						
<b>Life/related scientists, total</b> .....	\$40,000	\$39,000	\$34,000	\$44,000	\$36,000	\$44,000
Male .....	44,000	43,500	40,000	46,000	39,000	45,000
Female .....	35,000	35,000	32,000	40,500	33,000	43,000
Agricultural/food scientists .....	37,300	40,000	S	42,000	S	S
Male .....	48,000	49,000	S	48,000	S	S
Female .....	30,000	30,000	S	S	S	S
Biological scientists .....	40,900	40,000	S	47,000	35,000	46,000
Male .....	44,000	43,500	S	48,000	35,000	46,000
Female .....	38,600	36,300	S	42,000	35,000	49,000
Environmental life scientists .....	43,000	45,000	S	41,000	S	S
Male .....	45,000	45,000	S	41,000	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- life/related sciences .....	35,000	30,000	35,000	42,000	S	S
Male .....	40,000	30,000	42,000	42,000	S	S
Female .....	32,000	S	32,000	S	S	S
<b>Physical/related scientists, total</b> ...	48,100	48,500	39,000	56,500	43,000	46,600
Male .....	50,000	50,000	43,000	57,800	43,000	46,600
Female .....	42,000	40,000	31,500	51,000	40,500	45,000
Chemistry, except biochemistry .....	50,000	53,000	S	55,000	44,400	40,100
Male .....	53,500	59,000	S	56,500	50,000	39,000
Female .....	41,000	40,000	S	49,000	S	55,000
Earth scientists/geologists/ oceanographers .....	49,100	45,000	S	57,800	42,500	52,000
Male .....	50,000	46,300	S	57,800	42,500	52,000
Female .....	44,000	39,000	S	52,500	37,000	55,000
Physicists/astronomers .....	52,000	44,000	S	68,000	16,000	62,000
Male .....	53,300	43,000	S	70,000	15,500	S
Female .....	52,000	52,000	S	S	S	S
Other physical/related scientists .....	48,000	52,000	S	48,000	S	46,600
Male .....	48,000	53,000	S	48,000	S	45,000
Female .....	45,000	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- physical/related sci .....	42,000	31,000	42,000	58,000	S	S
Male .....	43,000	34,000	43,000	S	S	S
Female .....	42,000	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Social/related scientists, total</b> .....	39,200	39,300	36,000	41,500	36,100	38,000
Male .....	41,000	40,000	40,000	48,600	38,000	40,000
Female .....	36,000	39,200	34,000	37,000	33,000	35,000

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**Table G-7. Median annual salaries of U.S. scientists and engineers, by highest degree attained, occupation, sex, and primary/secondary work activity : 1995**

Highest degree, occupation, and sex	Employed S&Es, total	Primary/secondary work activity				
		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Master's — continued</b>						
Economists .....	\$59,900	\$55,000	S	\$75,000	\$50,000	\$63,000
Male .....	60,000	50,000	S	80,000	52,200	66,000
Female .....	55,000	74,000	S	S	S	S
Political/related scientists .....	36,000	35,000	S	S	S	S
Male .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Psychologists .....	37,000	37,000	\$34,000	37,000	35,500	36,100
Male .....	40,000	40,000	38,000	40,000	S	40,000
Female .....	35,000	36,000	33,000	35,000	S	35,000
Sociologists/anthropologists .....	32,000	28,600	S	S	S	S
Male .....	27,000	25,000	S	S	S	S
Female .....	40,300	S	S	S	S	S
Other social/related scientists .....	39,200	39,200	S	S	S	S
Male .....	40,000	S	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- social/related sci .....	37,600	36,000	36,000	S	S	40,000
Male .....	40,000	36,000	40,000	S	S	S
Female .....	33,000	36,000	32,000	S	S	S
<b>Engineers, total</b> .....	59,600	60,000	51,000	60,000	56,500	57,500
Male .....	60,000	60,000	52,000	60,000	57,500	58,000
Female .....	52,000	52,400	35,000	53,300	48,000	52,000
Aerospace/related engineers .....	60,000	60,000	S	66,600	56,000	65,000
Male .....	61,400	60,000	S	69,000	56,000	67,000
Female .....	54,000	59,000	S	S	S	S
Chemical engineers .....	64,000	64,000	S	65,000	60,000	65,000
Male .....	65,000	65,000	S	65,000	60,000	65,000
Female .....	56,000	57,500	S	S	S	S
Civil/architectural engineers .....	55,000	52,000	S	59,000	50,000	53,300
Male .....	55,200	52,000	S	59,000	50,000	54,000
Female .....	50,000	49,500	S	60,000	43,200	51,000
Electrical/related engineers .....	62,000	62,000	S	65,000	60,000	60,000
Male .....	62,000	62,000	S	66,000	60,000	60,300
Female .....	53,300	54,000	S	53,600	54,000	S
Industrial engineers .....	51,700	52,000	S	52,000	50,000	54,000
Male .....	52,000	53,500	S	52,000	52,000	50,000
Female .....	48,200	47,800	S	55,000	S	S
Mechanical engineers .....	57,000	56,000	S	60,000	51,000	55,000
Male .....	57,500	57,000	S	60,000	51,000	55,000
Female .....	48,000	47,800	S	48,000	58,400	S

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Highest degree, occupation, and sex	Employed S&Es, total	Primary/secondary work activity				
		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Master's — continued</b>						
Other engineers .....	\$59,500	\$58,600	\$59,000	\$60,000	\$57,800	\$57,000
Male .....	60,000	59,500	S	60,000	58,000	57,300
Female .....	53,000	58,400	S	49,500	48,000	57,000
Postsecondary teachers-engineers	44,000	46,000	42,000	45,000	S	S
Male .....	45,000	56,000	45,000	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
<b>Non-S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	47,000	48,500	39,300	52,000	48,000	40,000
Male .....	53,000	55,000	42,500	60,000	55,000	45,000
Female .....	40,000	38,000	36,600	42,000	40,000	37,000
Managers/administrators .....	61,500	65,000	49,000	62,000	60,000	55,000
Male .....	67,000	70,000	51,000	68,000	65,000	62,000
Female .....	50,000	48,000	41,000	50,000	47,000	48,000
Health and related .....	40,000	38,000	38,000	42,000	30,000	40,000
Male .....	45,200	40,000	S	50,000	S	45,000
Female .....	38,000	32,800	39,000	39,000	S	38,000
Teachers, except S&E postsecondary .....	40,000	38,100	39,300	39,700	40,000	39,000
Male .....	42,000	46,000	42,000	41,000	43,000	40,000
Female .....	36,600	34,000	36,300	37,000	38,000	34,500
Sales/marketing .....	50,000	55,000	S	50,000	50,000	52,000
Male .....	56,000	60,000	S	55,000	60,000	54,500
Female .....	40,000	35,000	S	41,700	32,000	50,000
Other non-S&E occupations .....	37,300	40,000	35,000	39,000	45,000	35,000
Male .....	40,000	42,000	37,800	42,000	50,000	36,000
Female .....	35,000	36,300	34,000	34,500	39,000	34,900
<b>Doctorate</b>						
<b>All occupations, total</b> <sup>2</sup> .....	\$59,000	\$60,000	\$50,000	\$65,000	\$58,000	\$55,000
Male .....	62,000	63,000	53,400	70,000	60,000	60,000
Female .....	47,600	48,500	42,000	51,500	45,000	50,000
<b>S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	58,000	59,000	52,000	61,100	60,000	56,000
Male .....	60,000	60,000	54,100	65,000	60,000	60,000
Female .....	47,600	47,500	44,800	53,600	47,000	50,000
<b>Scientists, total</b> .....	55,000	56,000	50,500	60,000	56,000	55,000
Male .....	58,000	59,500	53,000	63,000	60,000	60,000
Female .....	46,000	46,000	44,000	53,600	45,000	48,000
<b>Computer/math sci, total</b> .....	58,000	60,000	50,900	61,500	60,000	59,000
Male .....	60,000	62,000	53,000	66,000	61,000	60,000
Female .....	50,000	50,000	45,000	60,000	49,000	50,000
Computer/information scientists .....	65,000	67,000	S	68,000	61,000	70,000
Male .....	67,600	68,000	S	70,000	65,000	74,800
Female .....	50,000	48,700	S	60,000	49,000	S

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Highest degree, occupation, and sex	Employed S&Es, total	Primary/secondary work activity				
		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Doctorate — continued</b>						
Mathematical scientists .....	\$65,000	\$66,000	\$55,000	\$72,000	\$60,200	\$65,000
Male .....	67,000	68,000	S	74,000	60,200	67,000
Female .....	63,300	63,300	S	S	61,000	S
Postsecondary teachers- computer math sci .....	50,500	52,500	50,500	55,400	48,000	42,200
Male .....	53,000	55,000	52,500	57,000	48,000	50,000
Female .....	44,000	48,000	44,000	47,000	43,200	S
<b>Life/related scientists, total .....</b>	<b>53,000</b>	<b>53,000</b>	<b>53,100</b>	<b>60,000</b>	<b>43,000</b>	<b>56,500</b>
Male .....	56,000	56,200	55,000	60,000	45,000	60,000
Female .....	43,000	43,000	47,000	54,600	35,000	46,400
Agricultural/food scientists .....	54,000	54,000	S	55,000	51,500	48,000
Male .....	54,000	54,000	S	55,000	52,000	48,000
Female .....	54,000	54,000	S	60,000	S	S
Biological scientists .....	52,000	51,000	54,400	60,000	41,000	60,000
Male .....	57,000	56,000	60,000	63,800	43,100	62,000
Female .....	38,000	37,000	35,700	51,000	33,000	49,000
Environmental life scientists .....	59,000	59,000	S	S	S	S
Male .....	62,000	62,000	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- life/related sciences .....	54,500	55,000	53,000	57,000	43,700	56,000
Male .....	55,500	57,800	55,000	58,600	48,000	60,000
Female .....	49,900	50,000	47,800	54,600	S	44,000
<b>Physical/related scientists, total ...</b>	<b>60,000</b>	<b>61,000</b>	<b>50,300</b>	<b>66,900</b>	<b>58,000</b>	<b>59,600</b>
Male .....	61,000	63,000	52,000	68,500	60,000	61,900
Female .....	50,000	53,600	40,000	60,000	44,000	47,600
Chemistry, except biochemistry .....	64,500	65,000	S	70,000	63,100	60,000
Male .....	67,000	67,000	S	70,900	65,900	67,000
Female .....	58,800	59,000	S	65,000	53,000	54,100
Earth scientists/geologists/ oceanographers .....	62,000	62,500	65,000	71,000	59,500	51,400
Male .....	64,800	65,000	S	72,000	60,000	51,400
Female .....	57,000	57,000	S	S	S	S
Physicists/astronomers .....	65,000	63,000	50,000	74,300	60,000	72,000
Male .....	65,000	64,000	S	74,300	60,000	73,000
Female .....	51,000	51,000	S	S	S	S
Other physical/related scientists .....	63,500	60,900	S	53,000	S	S
Male .....	64,500	60,900	S	55,000	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- physical/related sci .....	50,000	52,000	50,000	53,400	46,500	47,000
Male .....	52,000	53,100	52,000	54,000	50,000	50,200
Female .....	40,000	41,000	39,000	43,000	S	S

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		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Doctorate — continued</b>						
<b>Social/related scientists, total</b> .....	\$52,000	\$51,000	\$50,000	\$57,400	\$51,000	\$55,000
Male .....	55,000	54,800	52,000	60,000	54,000	60,000
Female .....	46,000	45,000	44,000	50,800	40,000	48,000
Economists .....	75,000	75,000	S	92,000	61,000	85,000
Male .....	76,000	75,000	S	96,000	72,000	90,000
Female .....	70,000	74,900	S	79,300	S	65,000
Political/related scientists .....	60,000	60,000	S	S	S	S
Male .....	60,000	51,000	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Psychologists .....	55,000	51,600	55,000	58,000	45,000	55,000
Male .....	60,000	56,700	60,000	60,000	52,000	60,000
Female .....	48,000	42,200	48,000	51,000	S	49,500
Sociologists/anthropologists .....	50,000	52,000	S	49,000	S	47,500
Male .....	54,000	52,000	S	59,000	S	S
Female .....	47,500	50,000	S	S	S	S
Other social/related scientists .....	53,700	55,000	S	55,000	53,000	72,000
Male .....	55,000	56,000	S	55,000	S	S
Female .....	52,000	53,000	S	S	S	S
Postsecondary teachers- social/related sci .....	50,000	50,000	49,600	53,000	51,000	48,500
Male .....	52,000	52,000	51,400	55,000	51,000	52,000
Female .....	43,300	44,000	43,000	48,000	S	41,000
<b>Engineers, total</b> .....	65,000	65,000	60,000	70,000	63,000	64,000
Male .....	65,700	66,000	60,000	70,000	64,000	68,000
Female .....	58,200	57,000	52,000	60,000	60,000	60,000
Aerospace/related engineers .....	70,000	70,000	S	75,000	62,000	S
Male .....	70,000	70,000	S	74,000	62,000	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Chemical engineers .....	70,000	70,000	S	72,000	66,700	73,800
Male .....	70,000	70,000	S	72,000	67,000	S
Female .....	60,000	60,000	S	S	S	S
Civil/architectural engineers .....	60,000	56,300	S	75,000	54,000	65,000
Male .....	60,000	58,000	S	75,800	55,000	60,300
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Electrical/related engineers .....	70,300	70,000	S	75,000	70,000	75,000
Male .....	71,000	70,300	S	75,000	70,000	75,000
Female .....	62,000	61,000	S	S	52,000	S
Industrial engineers .....	65,000	60,000	S	74,000	S	S
Male .....	66,300	62,900	S	S	S	S
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S

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		Research and development	Teaching	Management, sales, admin	Computer applications	Professional services/ other
<b>Doctorate — continued</b>						
Mechanical engineers .....	\$62,000	\$63,000	S	\$72,400	\$60,000	\$60,000
Male .....	63,500	63,000	S	72,000	60,000	84,000
Female .....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Other engineers .....	65,000	65,000	S	65,000	65,900	61,100
Male .....	65,000	66,000	S	65,000	66,000	62,000
Female .....	58,000	59,400	S	56,000	S	S
Postsecondary teachers-engineers	60,000	60,000	\$60,000	65,000	57,800	62,000
Male .....	60,000	60,000	60,000	66,000	57,800	62,000
Female .....	52,000	54,000	52,000	S	S	S
<b>Non-S&amp;E occupations, total</b> .....	60,000	66,000	47,000	68,400	53,000	55,000
Male .....	67,000	72,000	51,000	74,000	60,000	60,000
Female .....	47,500	50,000	40,000	50,000	40,000	50,000
Managers/administrators .....	76,600	84,000	61,000	77,000	72,000	71,000
Male .....	80,000	86,000	70,000	80,000	77,000	75,600
Female .....	63,000	70,000	47,500	64,000	51,000	59,000
Health and related .....	63,100	68,000	49,000	77,000	65,000	63,100
Male .....	75,000	75,000	46,000	90,000	78,000	78,000
Female .....	50,500	50,000	50,000	51,000	S	53,400
Teachers, except S&E postsecondary .....	47,000	52,000	46,000	42,300	45,700	48,000
Male .....	51,000	58,000	50,000	50,000	48,800	50,000
Female .....	40,000	44,400	39,400	32,000	45,000	41,500
Sales/marketing .....	60,000	70,000	S	55,000	60,000	60,000
Male .....	60,000	70,000	S	60,000	60,000	50,000
Female .....	26,000	S	S	25,000	S	S
Other non-S&E occupations .....	46,000	55,000	42,000	44,000	48,000	44,000
Male .....	50,000	60,000	41,500	50,000	54,000	46,000
Female .....	30,000	49,900	42,000	30,000	26,000	40,000

- 1 Includes professional degrees
- 2 Total excludes 49,100 individuals who reported never having worked.

**NOTES:** The term "Scientists and Engineers" (S&Es) includes all persons who have ever received a bachelor's degree or higher in a science or engineering (S&E) field, plus persons holding a non-S&E bachelor's or higher degree who were employed in a S&E occupation during either the 1993 or 1995 SESTAT surveys.  
 Figures are rounded to nearest hundred. Details may not add to total because of rounding.  
 Sum of primary/secondary work activity categories exceeds total because of multiple responses.

**KEY:** S = Suppressed for reasons of confidentiality and/or data reliability

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/Science Resources Studies Division, 1995 SESTAT (Scientists and Engineers Statistical Data System)