

# Appendix C. Availability of Historical Occupational Employment Statistics Survey Data Nationally and from State Agencies

The Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) program first collected employment and wage data in 1996 to produce occupational estimates for all industries and also to produce occupational wage data for all States and metropolitan areas each year. Prior to 1996, the OES survey collected data from specified industries in 1 of 3 years in the survey round, as indicated in the table below.

States also produce occupational estimates by industry. Prior to 1983, not all States participated in the OES program in all survey years. Starting with the 1991 OES survey, certain States also collected wage data. In 1996, all States began collecting wage data. Check with the State Employment Security Agencies listed on the inside back cover of this publication regarding the availability of State data on occupational employment and wages.

<i>Industry</i>	<i>1987 SIC code</i>	<i>Years collected</i>
Agricultural services	07	1992, 1995
Mining	10-14	1978, 1981, 1984, 1987, 1990, 1993
Construction	15-17	1978, 1981, 1984, 1987, 1990, 1993
Manufacturing	20-39	1977, 1980, 1983, 1986, 1989, 1992, 1995
Transportation and public utilities	40-49	1979, 1982, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994
Wholesale trade	50-51	1979, 1982, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994
Retail trade	52-59	1979, 1982, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994
Finance, insurance, and real estate	60-67	1978, 1981, 1984, 1987, 1990, 1993
Services	70-87, 89	1978, 1981, 1984, 1987, 1990, 1993
Hospitals	806	1980, 1983, 1986, 1989, 1992, 1995
Educational services	82	1978, 1981, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994
State government		1979, 1982, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994
Local government		1979, 1982, 1985, 1988, 1991, 1994