

RSE Table 4

**Full-time private industry workers: Relative standard errors  
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All workers .....	\$19.76	1.3%	\$785	1.3%	\$40,553	1.3%
Management occupations .....	40.39	1.6	1,645	1.7	85,470	1.7
Chief executives .....	103.76	26.9	4,633	27.8	240,903	27.8
General and operations managers .....	44.00	2.7	1,861	2.8	96,777	2.8
Advertising and promotions managers .....	32.38	6.5	1,289	6.8	67,018	6.8
Marketing and sales managers .....	47.03	4.6	1,933	4.8	100,491	4.8
Marketing managers .....	51.39	6.6	2,081	7.2	108,190	7.2
Sales managers .....	42.51	4.9	1,774	4.7	92,259	4.7
Public relations managers .....	41.51	13.9	1,645	13.9	85,548	13.9
Administrative services managers .....	28.99	3.9	1,168	4.1	60,698	4.1
Computer and information systems managers .....	50.53	2.6	2,041	2.7	106,087	2.7
Financial managers .....	41.30	2.4	1,669	2.3	86,794	2.3
Human resources managers .....	33.80	9.2	1,356	9.2	70,492	9.2
Compensation and benefits managers .....	38.27	7.0	1,560	6.7	81,106	6.7
Training and development managers .....	30.61	16.6	1,222	16.3	63,563	16.3
Industrial production managers .....	38.62	2.8	1,587	2.5	82,513	2.5
Purchasing managers .....	40.42	4.6	1,627	4.7	84,626	4.7
Transportation, storage, and distribution managers .....	33.86	4.8	1,375	5.1	71,512	5.1
Construction managers .....	35.04	3.8	1,450	3.5	75,202	3.5
Education administrators .....	27.57	4.3	1,092	4.3	56,104	4.3
Education administrators, preschool and child care center/program .....	20.19	13.8	821	13.1	42,090	13.1
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school .....	30.89	7.2	1,223	7.2	62,570	7.2
Education administrators, postsecondary .....	34.31	4.0	1,314	4.1	67,752	4.1
Engineering managers .....	53.48	2.4	2,181	2.4	113,388	2.4
Food service managers .....	23.76	6.8	1,058	9.6	54,742	9.6
Funeral directors .....	22.11	15.1	918	13.7	47,725	13.7
Lodging managers .....	23.20	19.5	1,002	19.1	52,124	19.1
Medical and health services managers .....	36.42	2.9	1,468	3.0	76,354	3.0
Natural sciences managers .....	45.32	8.6	1,812	10.2	94,225	10.2
Property, real estate, and community association managers .....	24.61	5.1	988	5.1	51,359	5.1
Social and community service managers .....	24.51	6.6	952	7.1	49,182	7.1
Business and financial operations occupations .....	29.03	.9	1,165	.9	60,404	.9
Buyers and purchasing agents .....	27.02	2.0	1,093	2.0	56,859	2.0
Claims adjusters, appraisers, examiners, and investigators .....	25.16	2.4	981	2.5	51,009	2.5
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators .....	25.06	2.6	976	2.6	50,757	2.6

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Insurance appraisers, auto damage .....	\$26.37	7.0%	\$1,041	7.6%	\$54,110	7.6%
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation .....	26.17	10.1	1,085	8.1	56,422	8.1
Cost estimators .....	29.55	5.0	1,201	5.1	62,428	5.1
Human resources, training, and labor relations specialists .....	26.62	3.0	1,062	3.0	53,938	3.0
Employment, recruitment, and placement specialists .....	28.86	6.7	1,138	6.7	59,161	6.7
Compensation, benefits, and job analysis specialists .....	26.08	3.8	1,046	3.5	54,401	3.5
Training and development specialists .....	24.69	5.9	989	5.7	48,280	5.7
Logisticians .....	30.78	7.5	1,230	7.5	63,950	7.5
Management analysts .....	35.25	3.3	1,416	3.5	73,640	3.5
Meeting and convention planners .....	22.44	5.7	885	5.8	46,023	5.8
Accountants and auditors .....	27.63	2.4	1,107	2.3	57,554	2.3
Appraisers and assessors of real estate .....	23.55	13.3	932	13.3	48,443	13.3
Budget analysts .....	31.11	8.1	1,275	9.3	66,318	9.3
Credit analysts .....	26.51	5.2	1,055	5.0	54,883	5.0
Financial analysts and advisors .....	33.28	3.3	1,329	3.1	69,091	3.1
Financial analysts .....	36.02	3.7	1,460	3.7	75,926	3.7
Personal financial advisors .....	27.43	8.0	1,088	7.9	56,575	7.9
Insurance underwriters .....	30.52	6.1	1,179	6.0	61,332	6.0
Financial examiners .....	30.96	7.2	1,240	7.4	64,473	7.4
Loan counselors and officers .....	31.45	7.7	1,260	7.7	65,517	7.7
Loan counselors .....	20.78	23.2	822	23.1	42,730	23.1
Loan officers .....	31.88	8.2	1,278	8.2	66,451	8.2
<b>Computer and mathematical science occupations .....</b>						
Computer and information scientists, research .....	35.07	1.8	1,407	1.8	73,163	1.8
Computer programmers .....	44.83	6.5	1,793	6.5	93,256	6.5
Computer software engineers .....	32.50	3.5	1,305	3.3	67,840	3.3
Computer software engineers, applications .....	41.22	1.7	1,667	1.7	86,668	1.7
Computer software engineers, systems software .....	40.79	2.3	1,652	2.2	85,893	2.2
Computer support specialists .....	41.69	2.4	1,683	2.5	87,526	2.5
Computer systems analysts .....	25.43	3.9	1,012	4.0	52,602	4.0
Database administrators .....	37.68	1.8	1,508	1.8	78,419	1.8
Network and computer systems administrators .....	31.46	4.5	1,259	4.7	65,465	4.7
Network systems and data communications analysts .....	30.68	2.7	1,230	2.3	63,803	2.3
Actuaries .....	32.69	5.0	1,307	4.9	67,956	4.9

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Operations research analysts .....	\$36.57	5.3%	\$1,442	5.6%	\$75,006	5.6%
Statisticians .....	31.67	16.2	1,251	16.1	65,028	16.1
Miscellaneous mathematical scientists .....	20.31	5.4	813	5.4	42,252	5.4
<b>Architecture and engineering occupations ....</b>	<b>31.85</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1,286</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>66,833</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Architects, except naval .....	31.77	5.8	1,301	5.7	67,667	5.7
Architects, except landscape and naval ....	31.91	5.9	1,308	5.8	68,005	5.8
Surveyors, cartographers, and photogrammetrists .....	26.65	12.1	1,069	11.8	55,601	11.8
Cartographers and photogrammetrists .....	18.31	12.6	732	12.6	38,082	12.6
Surveyors .....	30.18	12.5	1,212	11.7	63,032	11.7
Engineers .....	37.63	1.1	1,527	1.0	79,381	1.0
Aerospace engineers .....	47.06	4.7	1,885	4.7	98,030	4.7
Chemical engineers .....	38.87	6.4	1,559	6.3	81,080	6.3
Civil engineers .....	33.13	3.3	1,370	3.1	71,221	3.1
Computer hardware engineers .....	41.60	6.1	1,723	7.1	89,586	7.1
Electrical and electronics engineers .....	37.77	2.5	1,534	2.2	79,774	2.2
Electrical engineers .....	37.51	4.1	1,524	3.8	79,255	3.8
Electronics engineers, except computer .....	37.99	2.9	1,543	2.9	80,219	2.9
Environmental engineers .....	41.75	6.3	1,672	6.3	86,157	6.3
Industrial engineers, including health and safety .....	34.95	2.6	1,425	2.6	74,103	2.6
Health and safety engineers, except mining safety engineers and inspectors .....	39.52	10.8	1,601	11.2	83,243	11.2
Industrial engineers .....	33.83	2.0	1,382	2.0	71,845	2.0
Marine engineers and naval architects .....	30.77	5.8	1,231	5.8	64,011	5.8
Materials engineers .....	36.00	7.8	1,468	7.0	76,335	7.0
Mechanical engineers .....	33.67	1.5	1,375	1.8	71,488	1.8
Nuclear engineers .....	41.82	4.5	1,673	4.5	86,992	4.5
Petroleum engineers .....	48.39	15.3	1,935	15.3	99,834	15.3
Drafters .....	22.67	1.8	904	1.8	47,004	1.8
Architectural and civil drafters .....	23.50	3.0	940	3.0	48,884	3.0
Electrical and electronics drafters .....	21.50	5.1	860	5.1	44,729	5.1
Mechanical drafters .....	22.20	4.6	888	4.6	46,174	4.6
Engineering technicians, except drafters .....	22.84	4.3	914	4.3	47,435	4.3
Aerospace engineering and operations technicians .....	25.23	5.2	1,014	5.3	52,750	5.3
Civil engineering technicians .....	16.28	19.6	651	19.6	33,867	19.6
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians .....	22.09	6.9	884	6.9	45,966	6.9
Electro-mechanical technicians .....	24.83	4.6	1,000	4.5	52,006	4.5
Environmental engineering technicians ....	29.85	18.7	1,194	18.7	61,080	18.7
Industrial engineering technicians .....	24.00	3.3	963	3.4	50,054	3.4
Mechanical engineering technicians .....	22.71	8.6	909	8.6	47,213	8.6

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Surveying and mapping technicians .....	\$18.57	11.2%	\$743	11.2%	\$38,634	11.2%
<b>Life, physical, and social science occupations</b>						
Life scientists .....	30.32	2.6	1,207	2.8	62,588	2.8
Agricultural and food scientists .....	34.02	5.8	1,326	6.0	68,821	6.0
Food scientists and technologists .....	34.68	11.8	1,369	11.7	69,832	11.7
Biological scientists .....	35.43	10.5	1,386	10.6	72,081	10.6
Biochemists and biophysicists .....	33.87	6.9	1,301	7.6	67,573	7.6
Microbiologists .....	35.84	8.5	1,359	10.1	70,658	10.1
Conservation scientists and foresters .....	28.43	11.9	1,150	11.4	59,782	11.4
Foresters .....	26.27	19.1	1,094	16.5	56,888	16.5
Medical scientists .....	26.27	19.1	1,094	16.5	56,888	16.5
Physical scientists .....	34.18	11.2	1,352	10.8	70,286	10.8
Astronomers and physicists .....	34.37	4.1	1,382	4.2	71,660	4.2
Physicists .....	46.33	9.8	1,840	10.1	95,659	10.1
Chemists and materials scientists .....	46.33	9.8	1,840	10.1	95,659	10.1
Chemists .....	32.82	8.5	1,316	8.5	68,409	8.5
Materials scientists .....	31.30	7.7	1,255	7.7	65,266	7.7
Environmental scientists and geoscientists .....	40.49	9.4	1,619	9.4	84,211	9.4
Environmental scientists and geoscientists .....	35.38	5.2	1,452	5.7	75,508	5.7
Environmental scientists and specialists, including health .....	32.09	8.3	1,326	9.3	68,956	9.3
Geoscientists, except hydrologists and geographers .....	43.04	7.0	1,745	6.7	90,728	6.7
Economists .....	36.77	19.8	1,530	19.7	79,585	19.7
Market and survey researchers .....	33.86	5.0	1,383	5.5	71,915	5.5
Market research analysts .....	33.87	5.0	1,383	5.5	71,927	5.5
Psychologists .....	28.37	15.4	1,085	14.3	54,515	14.3
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists .....	30.27	17.6	1,157	16.1	57,744	16.1
Miscellaneous social scientists and related workers .....	34.49	8.4	1,337	8.3	69,507	8.3
Agricultural and food science technicians .....	16.62	21.5	662	21.2	34,417	21.2
Biological technicians .....	19.21	4.9	758	5.2	39,420	5.2
Chemical technicians .....	22.35	6.5	890	6.7	46,186	6.7
Geological and petroleum technicians .....	38.86	8.2	1,555	8.2	80,835	8.2
Nuclear technicians .....	35.23	5.8	1,409	5.8	73,271	5.8
Social science research assistants .....	21.18	5.7	840	5.6	43,000	5.6
Miscellaneous life, physical, and social science technicians .....	21.16	9.9	842	10.0	43,692	10.0
Environmental science and protection technicians, including health .....	25.70	12.0	1,026	12.1	53,330	12.1
<b>Community and social services occupations</b>						
Counselors .....	17.28	2.8	679	2.9	35,048	2.9
Counselors .....	17.77	4.1	690	4.0	35,534	4.0

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Substance abuse and behavioral disorder counselors .....	\$16.06	5.2%	\$639	4.9%	\$33,215	4.9%
Educational, vocational, and school counselors .....	20.69	8.6	782	8.2	39,636	8.2
Mental health counselors .....	18.17	4.9	721	5.1	37,497	5.1
Rehabilitation counselors .....	14.12	5.6	551	5.9	28,650	5.9
Social workers .....	18.87	2.6	734	2.6	37,918	2.6
Child, family, and school social workers ..	17.04	3.0	656	2.4	33,407	2.4
Medical and public health social workers ..	22.47	3.8	867	4.4	45,110	4.4
Mental health and substance abuse social workers .....	17.66	4.4	696	3.5	36,186	3.5
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists .....	14.70	4.0	574	4.2	29,631	4.2
Health educators .....	31.93	13.0	1,276	13.1	66,351	13.1
Social and human service assistants .....	12.61	2.8	496	2.9	25,523	2.9
Clergy .....	15.35	8.6	741	6.0	38,429	6.0
Directors, religious activities and education	23.18	12.4	890	12.6	46,269	12.6
<b>Legal occupations</b> .....	40.32	8.5	1,641	8.9	85,302	8.9
Lawyers .....	58.07	5.3	2,433	5.8	126,530	5.8
Paralegals and legal assistants .....	22.11	6.5	870	6.1	45,227	6.1
Miscellaneous legal support workers .....	22.31	4.5	901	4.4	46,594	4.4
Title examiners, abstractors, and searchers .....	22.29	4.7	909	4.8	47,242	4.8
<b>Education, training, and library occupations</b> .....	25.89	4.4	992	4.6	44,416	4.6
Postsecondary teachers .....	45.83	4.9	1,787	4.9	75,645	4.9
Business teachers, postsecondary .....	54.99	8.7	2,092	8.1	80,980	8.1
Math and computer teachers, postsecondary .....	36.57	8.9	1,421	8.6	58,915	8.6
Computer science teachers, postsecondary .....	28.81	7.5	1,104	7.5	53,080	7.5
Mathematical science teachers, postsecondary .....	42.40	11.6	1,665	11.2	62,418	11.2
Engineering and architecture teachers, postsecondary .....	70.87	8.9	2,768	8.3	104,665	8.3
Engineering teachers, postsecondary .....	70.89	9.1	2,767	8.5	105,136	8.5
Life sciences teachers, postsecondary .....	59.58	20.1	2,493	20.7	113,616	20.7
Biological science teachers, postsecondary .....	59.69	20.4	2,503	21.0	114,311	21.0
Physical sciences teachers, postsecondary .....	54.11	7.2	2,058	7.0	83,632	7.0
Chemistry teachers, postsecondary .....	53.29	6.4	1,982	6.0	74,259	6.0
Physics teachers, postsecondary .....	60.33	13.1	2,342	11.5	103,211	11.5
Social sciences teachers, postsecondary .....	44.54	6.2	1,683	5.9	67,237	5.9
Economics teachers, postsecondary .....	54.24	11.7	1,932	9.6	71,391	9.6

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Political science teachers, postsecondary .....	\$39.96	7.5%	\$1,575	6.6%	\$74,740	6.6%
Psychology teachers, postsecondary .....	45.22	8.8	1,717	8.7	68,019	8.7
Sociology teachers, postsecondary .....	48.11	19.6	1,814	16.9	69,225	16.9
Health teachers, postsecondary .....	62.53	8.6	2,473	8.8	109,188	8.8
Health specialties teachers, postsecondary .....	74.30	9.2	2,944	10.0	126,595	10.0
Nursing instructors and teachers, postsecondary .....	32.82	2.0	1,292	1.9	61,140	1.9
Education and library science teachers, postsecondary .....	40.08	8.2	1,549	7.5	58,930	7.5
Education teachers, postsecondary .....	40.08	8.2	1,549	7.5	58,930	7.5
Law, criminal justice, and social work teachers, postsecondary .....	58.65	16.9	2,292	15.6	95,735	15.6
Law teachers, postsecondary .....	74.63	10.8	2,950	7.5	117,819	7.5
Arts, communications, and humanities teachers, postsecondary .....	40.40	4.4	1,549	3.8	60,473	3.8
Art, drama, and music teachers, postsecondary .....	38.20	5.9	1,460	6.1	56,262	6.1
Communications teachers, postsecondary .....	39.50	25.7	1,530	24.5	58,194	24.5
English language and literature teachers, postsecondary .....	41.77	5.2	1,596	4.9	64,102	4.9
Foreign language and literature teachers, postsecondary .....	46.95	9.3	1,725	9.2	65,460	9.2
History teachers, postsecondary .....	39.22	9.7	1,556	8.6	59,874	8.6
Philosophy and religion teachers, postsecondary .....	39.97	10.3	1,545	8.6	61,692	8.6
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers .....	34.74	7.6	1,356	7.4	62,756	7.4
Recreation and fitness studies teachers, postsecondary .....	29.46	3.6	1,168	3.5	48,529	3.5
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary .....	22.15	4.1	891	5.2	46,225	5.2
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers .....	20.84	3.5	786	3.6	33,676	3.6
Preschool and kindergarten teachers .....	13.93	7.7	526	5.3	25,449	5.3
Preschool teachers, except special education .....	13.65	8.5	515	5.5	24,982	5.5
Kindergarten teachers, except special education .....	16.67	8.6	637	8.0	29,960	8.0
Elementary and middle school teachers ....	24.76	4.6	941	5.0	36,174	5.0
Elementary school teachers, except special education .....	24.49	5.1	927	5.5	35,705	5.5
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education .....	25.95	7.3	1,004	7.0	38,262	7.0

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Secondary school teachers .....	\$31.30	4.1%	\$1,180	3.3%	\$45,307	3.3%
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education .....	31.74	4.0	1,195	3.2	45,552	3.2
Special education teachers .....	26.00	7.9	932	9.4	39,957	9.4
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school .....	23.66	6.2	849	9.3	37,569	9.3
Special education teachers, secondary school .....	34.46	18.6	1,201	18.4	46,899	18.4
Other teachers and instructors .....	26.21	13.0	1,014	12.1	48,728	12.1
Adult literacy, remedial education, and GED teachers and instructors .....	19.57	5.9	665	11.1	30,075	11.1
Archivists, curators, and museum technicians .....	27.48	10.3	1,037	6.0	53,904	6.0
Librarians .....	30.26	11.0	1,132	11.7	56,782	11.7
Library technicians .....	18.68	10.2	725	10.8	37,456	10.8
Instructional coordinators .....	25.74	9.4	991	8.8	50,236	8.8
Teacher assistants .....	10.06	3.9	392	3.8	19,409	3.8
<b>Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations .....</b>						
Artists and related workers .....	25.67	4.0	1,016	3.8	52,465	3.8
Art directors .....	24.92	9.0	997	9.4	51,600	9.4
Multi-media artists and animators .....	28.84	11.1	1,164	11.9	60,530	11.9
Designers .....	24.32	10.4	970	10.6	50,426	10.6
Commercial and industrial designers .....	22.69	3.5	902	3.4	46,886	3.4
Fashion designers .....	32.44	3.4	1,301	3.4	67,644	3.4
Floral designers .....	45.65	27.8	1,913	17.4	99,471	17.4
Graphic designers .....	11.15	7.4	435	6.6	22,622	6.6
Interior designers .....	20.61	3.2	818	3.2	42,550	3.2
Merchandise displayers and window trimmers .....	23.46	7.1	920	6.4	47,859	6.4
Set and exhibit designers .....	16.15	12.4	646	12.5	33,569	12.5
Actors, producers, and directors .....	35.32	23.2	1,413	23.2	73,456	23.2
Producers and directors .....	37.40	25.7	1,503	25.8	78,104	25.8
Athletes, coaches, umpires, and related workers .....	23.94	25.8	1,512	25.9	78,571	25.9
Coaches and scouts .....	24.20	12.9	937	13.0	46,759	13.0
Musicians, singers, and related workers .....	35.14	14.7	916	14.8	45,304	14.8
Musicians and singers .....	39.27	14.5	1,358	12.9	59,914	12.9
Announcers .....	40.87	24.1	1,516	13.0	63,954	13.0
Announcers .....	42.00	23.0	1,633	24.1	84,919	24.1
Radio and television announcers .....	31.76	13.6	1,678	23.1	87,255	23.1
News analysts, reporters and correspondents .....	27.14	5.8	1,233	13.6	64,001	13.6
Reporters and correspondents .....	26.80	4.6	1,051	5.6	54,573	5.6
Public relations specialists .....	26.69	4.5	1,060	4.5	55,119	4.5
Writers and editors .....	26.69	4.5	1,053	4.2	54,591	4.2

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Editors .....	\$25.43	6.0%	\$996	5.5%	\$51,815	5.5%
Technical writers .....	30.07	6.7	1,204	6.7	62,592	6.7
Writers and authors .....	22.86	19.6	902	18.1	44,995	18.1
Miscellaneous media and communication workers .....	22.23	9.4	804	10.8	41,800	10.8
Interpreters and translators .....	20.21	16.8	648	12.0	33,711	12.0
Broadcast and sound engineering technicians and radio operators .....	22.57	10.8	923	12.4	48,007	12.4
Audio and video equipment technicians ....	22.51	21.7	897	22.8	46,648	22.8
Broadcast technicians .....	20.64	12.5	836	14.5	43,482	14.5
Photographers .....	14.61	11.7	587	12.5	28,867	12.5
Television, video, and motion picture camera operators and editors .....	21.49	11.9	860	11.9	44,709	11.9
Camera operators, television, video, and motion picture .....	20.84	17.4	834	17.4	43,353	17.4
<b>Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations</b>						
Dentists .....	27.91	1.9	1,093	1.9	56,834	1.9
Dentists .....	65.82	20.4	2,573	18.1	133,777	18.1
Dentists, general .....	69.17	22.2	2,697	19.6	140,243	19.6
Dietitians and nutritionists .....	22.70	4.8	906	5.0	47,086	5.0
Optometrists .....	51.30	10.1	1,931	12.2	100,419	12.2
Pharmacists .....	47.09	1.0	1,872	1.1	97,334	1.1
Physicians and surgeons .....	66.59	5.1	2,690	5.7	139,849	5.7
Anesthesiologists .....	80.79	17.4	3,433	19.5	178,493	19.5
Family and general practitioners .....	69.52	9.2	2,744	9.4	142,674	9.4
Internists, general .....	61.40	24.4	2,508	23.6	130,405	23.6
Pediatricians, general .....	57.57	25.0	2,365	25.7	122,967	25.7
Surgeons .....	88.12	29.2	3,428	30.8	177,052	30.8
Physician assistants .....	37.96	7.0	1,515	6.9	78,786	6.9
Registered nurses .....	29.43	1.1	1,143	1.1	59,407	1.1
Therapists .....	27.22	2.8	1,066	2.7	55,133	2.7
Occupational therapists .....	28.73	6.3	1,140	6.4	59,055	6.4
Physical therapists .....	32.21	4.3	1,262	4.2	65,270	4.2
Radiation therapists .....	33.79	7.1	1,330	6.1	69,161	6.1
Recreational therapists .....	16.69	8.6	661	8.8	34,365	8.8
Respiratory therapists .....	22.77	2.0	887	2.5	46,121	2.5
Speech-language pathologists .....	27.18	6.1	1,054	5.4	53,372	5.4
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	18.89	2.5	753	2.5	39,136	2.5
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists .....	22.72	3.1	914	2.5	47,518	2.5
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians .....	16.37	3.4	648	3.2	33,709	3.2
Dental hygienists .....	30.24	5.1	1,041	4.3	54,133	4.3

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians .....	\$25.43	3.3%	\$1,003	3.1%	\$52,182	3.1%
Cardiovascular technologists and technicians .....	24.66	10.6	964	10.0	50,144	10.0
Diagnostic medical sonographers .....	30.44	4.0	1,185	4.8	61,628	4.8
Nuclear medicine technologists .....	32.82	7.9	1,313	7.9	68,255	7.9
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	24.44	2.7	967	2.8	50,279	2.8
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics .....	14.92	7.8	606	7.1	31,535	7.1
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians .....	15.91	2.4	629	2.3	32,680	2.3
Pharmacy technicians .....	14.09	2.6	557	2.6	28,974	2.6
Psychiatric technicians .....	12.09	7.9	477	7.9	24,786	7.9
Respiratory therapy technicians .....	21.49	3.8	848	4.1	44,108	4.1
Surgical technologists .....	18.38	2.8	726	2.7	37,751	2.7
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses .....	18.34	1.6	714	1.4	37,117	1.4
Medical records and health information technicians .....	15.30	3.8	605	4.0	31,459	4.0
Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians .....	18.66	8.1	741	8.3	38,535	8.3
Occupational health and safety specialists and technicians .....	25.60	5.3	1,035	5.2	53,827	5.2
Occupational health and safety specialists	24.63	8.9	1,003	8.8	52,180	8.8
Miscellaneous healthcare practitioner and technical workers .....	26.93	13.2	1,061	13.8	55,058	13.8
<b>Healthcare support occupations .....</b>	<b>12.10</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>24,189</b>	<b>1.4</b>
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	10.74	1.2	414	1.6	21,542	1.6
Home health aides .....	9.77	3.5	362	4.2	18,845	4.2
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants ....	10.98	1.3	427	1.4	22,215	1.4
Psychiatric aides .....	10.35	2.8	401	2.9	20,852	2.9
Occupational therapist assistants and aides ...	14.11	12.7	564	12.7	29,324	12.7
Occupational therapist assistants .....	16.25	19.6	649	19.6	33,732	19.6
Occupational therapist aides .....	12.36	10.6	494	10.6	25,708	10.6
Physical therapist assistants and aides .....	17.04	12.2	671	12.4	34,900	12.4
Physical therapist assistants .....	23.02	10.5	917	10.6	47,677	10.6
Physical therapist aides .....	10.81	5.5	421	4.7	21,891	4.7
Massage therapists .....	20.71	16.3	796	18.3	41,386	18.3
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations .....	13.57	1.7	519	1.6	26,962	1.6
Dental assistants .....	16.14	2.5	574	3.0	29,851	3.0
Medical assistants .....	13.02	2.5	509	2.3	26,466	2.3
Medical equipment preparers .....	13.56	5.0	533	5.5	27,708	5.5
Medical transcriptionists .....	14.77	4.7	577	5.7	30,001	5.7

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<b>Occupation<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hourly earnings<sup>2</sup></b>		<b>Weekly earnings<sup>4</sup></b>		<b>Annual earnings<sup>5</sup></b>	
	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>
Pharmacy aides .....	\$11.46	4.0%	\$434	4.2%	\$22,567	4.2%
Veterinary assistants and laboratory animal caretakers .....	11.73	9.2	465	8.6	24,184	8.6
<b>Protective service occupations .....</b>	<b>11.33</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>23,075</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Fire fighters .....	19.25	11.7	940	11.7	48,880	11.7
Police officers .....	18.42	6.6	734	6.7	38,185	6.7
Police and sheriff's patrol officers .....	18.42	6.6	734	6.7	38,185	6.7
Security guards and gaming surveillance officers .....	10.60	2.2	419	2.2	21,772	2.2
Security guards .....	10.57	2.2	418	2.2	21,724	2.2
Miscellaneous protective service workers .....	12.33	10.4	454	11.1	13,929	11.1
Lifeguards, ski patrol, and other recreational protective service workers	9.22	5.9	349	5.3	7,296	5.3
<b>Food preparation and serving related occupations .....</b>	<b>8.86</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>17,569</b>	<b>1.6</b>
First-line supervisors/managers, food preparation and serving workers .....	14.72	1.8	614	1.7	31,534	1.7
Chefs and head cooks .....	17.18	5.4	702	6.6	35,288	6.6
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers .....	14.36	2.0	601	1.9	30,966	1.9
Cooks .....	10.16	1.1	393	1.2	20,375	1.2
Cooks, fast food .....	7.99	3.5	302	4.5	15,724	4.5
Cooks, institution and cafeteria .....	11.10	1.7	433	2.0	22,340	2.0
Cooks, restaurant .....	10.40	1.4	402	1.4	20,823	1.4
Cooks, short order .....	9.25	3.2	359	3.9	18,690	3.9
Food preparation workers .....	9.43	2.4	364	2.7	18,767	2.7
Food service, tipped .....	5.44	2.6	200	3.1	10,353	3.1
Bartenders .....	7.03	4.3	257	5.1	13,322	5.1
Waiters and waitresses .....	4.67	4.0	171	5.1	8,831	5.1
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers .....	7.10	3.6	271	3.7	14,029	3.7
Fast food and counter workers .....	8.31	2.1	317	2.2	16,398	2.2
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food .....	8.29	2.6	316	2.8	16,384	2.8
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop .....	8.35	2.6	320	3.2	16,446	3.2
Food servers, nonrestaurant .....	8.45	5.4	328	5.7	17,026	5.7
Dishwashers .....	8.24	1.8	320	1.6	16,523	1.6
Hosts and hostesses, restaurant, lounge, and coffee shop .....	8.90	8.1	321	8.6	16,567	8.6
<b>Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations .....</b>	<b>11.38</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>23,015</b>	<b>3.1</b>

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**Full-time private industry workers: Relative standard errors  
of mean hourly, weekly, and annual earnings — Continued**

Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
First-line supervisors/managers, building and grounds cleaning and maintenance workers .....	\$18.28	6.4%	\$735	6.3%	\$38,187	6.3%
First-line supervisors/managers of housekeeping and janitorial workers ...	16.39	3.2	656	3.1	34,107	3.1
First-line supervisors/managers of landscaping, lawn service, and groundskeeping workers .....	22.49	12.6	914	12.6	47,387	12.6
Building cleaning workers .....	10.44	3.5	410	3.5	21,182	3.5
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	10.92	4.1	432	4.1	22,324	4.1
Maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	8.90	2.4	344	2.2	17,733	2.2
Pest control workers .....	15.85	3.8	631	3.5	32,837	3.5
Grounds maintenance workers .....	11.28	3.7	447	3.6	21,653	3.6
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers	10.99	3.9	436	3.8	21,078	3.8
Tree trimmers and pruners .....	16.95	10.9	601	14.9	30,254	14.9
<b>Personal care and service occupations .....</b>	<b>10.92</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>20,911</b>	<b>5.9</b>
First-line supervisors/managers of gaming workers .....	14.08	3.6	570	3.4	29,614	3.4
Gaming supervisors .....	16.03	7.2	654	8.0	33,995	8.0
Slot key persons .....	11.10	1.5	444	1.4	23,079	1.4
First-line supervisors/managers of personal service workers .....	15.19	4.2	609	4.5	29,636	4.5
Nonfarm animal caretakers .....	9.83	4.0	387	3.9	20,102	3.9
Gaming services workers .....	6.43	4.9	255	3.8	13,267	3.8
Gaming dealers .....	6.30	2.4	250	1.6	13,025	1.6
Gaming and sports book writers and runners .....	8.59	7.0	305	2.5	15,857	2.5
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers ...	13.49	11.2	540	11.2	27,716	11.2
Miscellaneous entertainment attendants and related workers .....	9.60	7.6	372	7.7	16,549	7.7
Amusement and recreation attendants .....	9.02	10.7	349	10.6	14,685	10.6
Locker room, coatroom, and dressing room attendants .....	10.98	11.0	428	13.0	22,088	13.0
Barbers and cosmetologists .....	12.47	5.6	465	6.4	24,191	6.4
Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists .....	12.57	5.8	470	6.7	24,450	6.7
Miscellaneous personal appearance workers	13.27	16.1	510	17.9	26,531	17.9
Manicurists and pedicurists .....	10.75	13.2	412	15.1	21,409	15.1
Baggage porters, bellhops, and concierges ...	9.99	10.8	388	10.8	20,086	10.8
Baggage porters and bellhops .....	8.02	5.1	308	6.0	15,940	6.0
Concierges .....	13.73	9.8	542	10.2	28,205	10.2
Tour and travel guides .....	11.79	10.9	419	9.9	14,905	9.9
Tour guides and escorts .....	11.66	11.2	411	10.2	14,270	10.2

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	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Transportation attendants .....	\$31.27	4.6%	\$644	3.4%	\$33,447	3.4%
Flight attendants .....	34.11	3.8	653	3.7	33,957	3.7
Transportation attendants, except flight attendants and baggage porters .....	13.24	11.5	529	11.5	26,864	11.5
Child care workers .....	8.73	2.1	345	2.1	17,797	2.1
Personal and home care aides .....	9.92	3.2	387	3.5	20,150	3.5
Recreation and fitness workers .....	13.63	5.2	531	5.1	21,685	5.1
Fitness trainers and aerobics instructors ....	15.80	9.5	601	9.7	31,244	9.7
Recreation workers .....	12.85	5.3	506	5.5	19,119	5.5
Residential advisors .....	9.18	18.5	373	19.4	16,850	19.4
<b>Sales and related occupations .....</b>	19.23	1.7	771	1.7	40,007	1.7
First-line supervisors/managers, sales workers .....	20.20	3.5	839	3.6	43,616	3.6
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers .....	17.31	2.2	720	2.3	37,444	2.3
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	30.01	7.8	1,242	7.9	64,467	7.9
Retail sales workers .....	12.61	2.1	501	2.1	25,971	2.1
Cashiers, all workers .....	9.66	1.6	379	1.7	19,680	1.7
Cashiers .....	9.54	1.2	374	1.2	19,408	1.2
Gaming change persons and booth cashiers .....	11.38	6.2	455	6.2	23,661	6.2
Counter and rental clerks and parts salespersons .....	13.36	3.4	538	3.6	27,923	3.6
Counter and rental clerks .....	11.57	6.7	462	6.7	23,961	6.7
Parts salespersons .....	15.05	3.2	610	3.5	31,706	3.5
Retail salespersons .....	14.42	3.1	576	3.1	29,831	3.1
Advertising sales agents .....	23.28	10.7	917	10.5	47,665	10.5
Insurance sales agents .....	26.06	6.3	1,033	6.1	53,721	6.1
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents .....	53.54	8.7	2,141	9.0	111,338	9.0
Travel agents .....	14.13	11.3	549	11.8	28,528	11.8
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing .....	30.07	3.4	1,216	3.3	63,206	3.3
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	35.55	6.7	1,426	6.5	74,073	6.5
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	28.04	3.0	1,138	2.9	59,121	2.9
Models, demonstrators, and product promoters .....	16.83	7.9	672	8.0	34,968	8.0
Demonstrators and product promoters .....	16.83	7.9	672	8.0	34,968	8.0
Real estate brokers and sales agents .....	27.38	11.5	1,095	11.1	56,945	11.1

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	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Real estate brokers .....	\$24.58	13.9%	\$1,018	14.7%	\$52,945	14.7%
Real estate sales agents .....	28.27	14.0	1,118	13.3	58,160	13.3
Sales engineers .....	34.33	4.9	1,407	5.0	73,186	5.0
Telemarketers .....	11.49	10.1	438	10.0	22,764	10.0
Miscellaneous sales and related workers .....	17.00	7.3	674	7.3	34,786	7.3
Door-to-door sales workers, news and street vendors, and related workers .....	21.42	9.7	857	9.7	44,550	9.7
<b>Office and administrative support occupations</b> .....	15.08	.8	596	.7	30,936	.7
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers .....	21.94	1.5	873	1.5	45,360	1.5
Switchboard operators, including answering service .....	11.78	4.5	462	4.4	24,034	4.4
Telephone operators .....	14.70	9.3	570	8.3	29,616	8.3
Financial clerks .....	14.34	1.3	567	1.2	29,493	1.2
Bill and account collectors .....	14.35	5.5	571	5.5	29,663	5.5
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators .....	14.22	1.7	562	1.6	29,198	1.6
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	15.21	1.4	600	1.2	31,205	1.2
Payroll and timekeeping clerks .....	16.83	1.6	669	1.6	34,795	1.6
Procurement clerks .....	16.00	3.9	636	3.7	33,089	3.7
Tellers .....	11.48	1.1	455	1.1	23,671	1.1
Brokerage clerks .....	18.19	5.2	709	5.0	36,870	5.0
Correspondence clerks .....	15.14	4.2	604	4.2	31,390	4.2
Credit authorizers, checkers, and clerks .....	14.53	3.5	578	3.6	30,055	3.6
Customer service representatives .....	15.36	1.8	610	1.8	31,655	1.8
Eligibility interviewers, government programs .....	17.72	8.1	707	8.2	36,740	8.2
File clerks .....	12.05	4.0	475	4.2	24,705	4.2
Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks .....	9.49	1.7	374	1.8	19,208	1.8
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan .....	13.03	3.9	509	4.5	26,482	4.5
Library assistants, clerical .....	13.61	5.7	513	6.9	25,766	6.9
Loan interviewers and clerks .....	15.17	2.2	602	2.2	31,305	2.2
New accounts clerks .....	13.02	2.5	517	2.5	26,887	2.5
Order clerks .....	14.35	3.1	573	3.1	29,723	3.1
Human resources assistants, except payroll and timekeeping .....	16.96	4.5	674	4.2	35,052	4.2
Receptionists and information clerks .....	12.33	1.6	486	1.5	25,225	1.5
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks .....	13.82	7.9	543	8.9	28,227	8.9
Cargo and freight agents .....	21.46	16.4	858	16.4	44,623	16.4
Couriers and messengers .....	11.01	3.0	423	3.7	22,011	3.7
Dispatchers .....	16.72	2.9	678	3.0	35,234	3.0

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers ....	\$13.91	13.7%	\$556	13.7%	\$28,821	13.7%
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance .....	16.88	2.8	686	2.9	35,606	2.9
Meter readers, utilities .....	17.09	7.5	684	7.5	35,557	7.5
Production, planning, and expediting clerks .....	18.88	2.7	755	2.7	39,250	2.7
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks .....	12.94	1.6	517	1.5	26,861	1.5
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	12.54	1.7	499	1.7	25,944	1.7
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers, recordkeeping .....	13.75	4.4	550	4.4	28,602	4.4
Secretaries and administrative assistants .....	17.96	1.2	703	1.2	36,444	1.2
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	20.44	1.7	807	1.6	41,954	1.6
Legal secretaries .....	20.60	6.5	795	6.0	41,321	6.0
Medical secretaries .....	14.34	3.6	560	3.6	29,084	3.6
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	16.08	1.7	630	1.4	32,476	1.4
Computer operators .....	16.79	2.8	668	2.9	34,741	2.9
Data entry and information processing workers .....	13.19	2.1	518	2.0	26,881	2.0
Data entry keyers .....	12.45	1.2	490	1.5	25,390	1.5
Word processors and typists .....	16.57	7.4	650	7.0	33,784	7.0
Desktop publishers .....	18.11	7.0	695	6.2	36,137	6.2
Insurance claims and policy processing clerks .....	15.33	2.4	600	2.3	31,191	2.3
Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service .....	11.81	5.1	464	4.8	24,119	4.8
Office clerks, general .....	13.83	1.4	543	1.4	28,185	1.4
Office machine operators, except computer .....	12.26	3.1	485	3.0	25,043	3.0
Proofreaders and copy markers .....	12.89	5.5	516	5.5	26,814	5.5
Statistical assistants .....	17.03	6.2	665	5.3	34,554	5.3
<b>Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations ..</b>	<b>11.89</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>21,878</b>	<b>9.2</b>
Graders and sorters, agricultural products .....	9.37	9.9	369	9.6	18,709	9.6
Miscellaneous agricultural workers .....	9.61	6.5	384	6.5	16,304	6.5
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse .....	9.95	7.6	398	7.6	15,497	7.6
Logging workers .....	15.85	16.5	634	16.5	32,959	16.5
<b>Construction and extraction occupations .....</b>	<b>19.49</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>778</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>39,753</b>	<b>1.7</b>
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers .....	26.93	3.3	1,096	3.5	56,761	3.5
Boilermakers .....	21.36	7.0	854	7.0	44,430	7.0
Brickmasons, blockmasons, and stonemasons .....	25.22	6.4	1,006	6.5	50,364	6.5

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Brickmasons and blockmasons .....	\$25.77	6.1%	\$1,027	6.2%	\$51,334	6.2%
Carpenters .....	20.37	3.1	808	2.9	41,534	2.9
Carpet, floor, and tile installers and finishers .....	19.46	9.4	770	9.4	39,975	9.4
Carpet installers .....	22.31	17.3	892	17.3	46,407	17.3
Tile and marble setters .....	18.11	8.3	716	8.1	37,145	8.1
Cement masons, concrete finishers, and terrazzo workers .....	19.21	3.8	766	4.0	38,890	4.0
Cement masons and concrete finishers .....	19.18	3.7	765	3.9	38,828	3.9
Construction laborers .....	14.93	5.3	593	5.2	29,832	5.2
Construction equipment operators .....	19.36	5.0	773	5.1	37,889	5.1
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators .....	15.53	6.6	617	6.4	29,242	6.4
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators .....	20.72	5.6	829	5.8	41,121	5.8
Drywall installers, ceiling tile installers, and tapers .....	17.67	5.3	706	5.3	36,554	5.3
Drywall and ceiling tile installers .....	17.40	6.5	695	6.5	36,008	6.5
Tapers .....	18.72	6.8	749	6.8	38,700	6.8
Electricians .....	22.94	4.2	913	4.1	47,454	4.1
Glaziers .....	17.05	18.3	682	18.3	35,468	18.3
Insulation workers .....	16.36	7.4	654	7.4	34,026	7.4
Insulation workers, floor, ceiling, and wall .....	14.20	5.7	568	5.7	29,539	5.7
Insulation workers, mechanical .....	17.84	10.6	714	10.6	37,115	10.6
Painters and paperhangers .....	14.91	4.1	591	4.3	30,409	4.3
Painters, construction and maintenance ....	14.83	4.1	588	4.4	30,241	4.4
Pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	22.74	7.4	908	7.4	47,058	7.4
Pipelayers .....	16.26	8.0	650	8.0	33,803	8.0
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters ....	23.31	6.7	931	6.7	48,220	6.7
Plasterers and stucco masons .....	15.84	3.6	628	3.8	32,615	3.8
Reinforcing iron and rebar workers .....	17.02	13.3	681	13.3	34,896	13.3
Roofers .....	16.01	7.7	638	7.6	30,627	7.6
Sheet metal workers .....	19.72	7.8	773	8.1	39,832	8.1
Structural iron and steel workers .....	27.88	14.2	1,115	14.2	57,899	14.2
Helpers, construction trades .....	12.56	2.6	501	2.6	25,547	2.6
Helpers--brickmasons, blockmasons, stonemasons, and tile and marble setters .....	15.77	12.4	623	12.7	31,575	12.7
Helpers--carpenters .....	12.75	5.5	510	5.5	26,490	5.5
Helpers--electricians .....	10.45	3.7	418	3.7	21,717	3.7
Helpers--painters, paperhangers, plasterers, and stucco masons .....	10.19	4.2	408	4.2	21,192	4.2
Helpers--pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	12.17	3.3	487	3.3	25,317	3.3
Helpers--roofers .....	9.68	6.1	387	6.1	19,217	6.1

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	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Construction and building inspectors .....	\$25.90	7.3%	\$1,040	7.2%	\$54,101	7.2%
Elevator installers and repairers .....	38.05	14.2	1,522	14.2	79,144	14.2
Hazardous materials removal workers .....	18.99	24.8	760	24.8	38,530	24.8
Rail-track laying and maintenance equipment operators .....	20.83	10.7	833	10.7	43,327	10.7
Septic tank servicers and sewer pipe cleaners .....	17.53	12.6	777	18.9	40,420	18.9
Miscellaneous construction and related workers .....	16.14	5.3	643	5.3	32,901	5.3
Derrick, rotary drill, and service unit operators, oil, gas, and mining .....	19.37	19.7	775	19.7	40,284	19.7
Service unit operators, oil, gas, and mining .....	18.34	13.5	734	13.5	38,142	13.5
Earth drillers, except oil and gas .....	16.94	9.3	677	9.3	35,225	9.3
Mining machine operators .....	20.77	7.1	831	7.1	43,169	7.1
Mine cutting and channeling machine operators .....	18.09	6.2	723	6.2	37,453	6.2
Roustabouts, oil and gas .....	18.47	7.9	739	7.9	38,421	7.9
Helpers--extraction workers .....	11.67	8.0	467	8.0	24,263	8.0
<b>Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....</b>	<b>19.75</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>41,162</b>	<b>1.8</b>
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers .....	26.51	3.7	1,087	4.3	56,519	4.3
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers .....	17.01	6.2	680	6.3	35,368	6.3
Radio and telecommunications equipment installers and repairers .....	25.49	2.8	1,019	2.8	53,011	2.8
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers .....	25.49	2.8	1,019	2.8	53,011	2.8
Miscellaneous electrical and electronic equipment mechanics, installers, and repairers .....	18.70	5.4	748	5.4	38,909	5.4
Electric motor, power tool, and related repairers .....	13.79	7.7	552	7.7	28,686	7.7
Electrical and electronics installers and repairers, transportation equipment .....	22.57	10.3	903	10.3	46,940	10.3
Electrical and electronics repairers, commercial and industrial equipment .....	21.71	6.1	868	6.1	45,094	6.1
Electrical and electronics repairers, powerhouse, substation, and relay .....	29.34	6.7	1,174	6.7	61,034	6.7
Electronic equipment installers and repairers, motor vehicles .....	15.37	3.5	623	3.6	32,403	3.6
Electronic home entertainment equipment installers and repairers .....	14.42	6.2	577	6.2	29,991	6.2
Security and fire alarm systems installers .....	19.13	4.4	763	4.4	39,701	4.4

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians ..	\$26.86	7.4%	\$1,080	7.4%	\$55,892	7.4%
Automotive technicians and repairers .....	17.98	3.0	727	3.1	37,805	3.1
Automotive body and related repairers .....	16.98	8.9	687	9.3	35,744	9.3
Automotive glass installers and repairers ..	16.73	5.3	669	5.3	34,790	5.3
Automotive service technicians and mechanics .....	18.28	3.2	739	3.2	38,442	3.2
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists .....	19.50	2.2	782	2.2	40,681	2.2
Heavy vehicle and mobile equipment service technicians and mechanics .....	18.58	2.2	750	2.4	38,996	2.4
Farm equipment mechanics .....	15.74	6.2	656	8.6	34,130	8.6
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines .....	19.22	2.3	769	2.3	39,965	2.3
Rail car repairers .....	21.66	4.2	866	4.2	45,052	4.2
Small engine mechanics .....	15.68	5.4	625	5.3	32,183	5.3
Motorboat mechanics .....	15.40	12.7	610	12.9	30,970	12.9
Motorcycle mechanics .....	16.65	13.5	664	13.3	34,095	13.3
Outdoor power equipment and other small engine mechanics .....	15.44	3.7	618	3.7	32,112	3.7
Miscellaneous vehicle and mobile equipment mechanic, installers, and repairers .....	10.71	4.9	426	5.1	22,172	5.1
Tire repairers and changers .....	10.51	5.2	418	5.5	21,738	5.5
Control and valve installers and repairers ....	21.05	7.1	842	7.1	43,758	7.1
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door .....	23.13	5.0	925	5.0	48,093	5.0
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers .....	19.54	4.0	786	4.3	40,846	4.3
Home appliance repairers .....	18.29	6.8	740	6.3	38,503	6.3
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers .....	19.13	2.2	764	2.2	39,588	2.2
Industrial machinery mechanics .....	22.06	1.8	880	1.8	45,693	1.8
Maintenance and repair workers, general ..	16.80	3.2	670	3.1	34,662	3.1
Maintenance workers, machinery .....	17.03	4.4	682	4.5	35,395	4.5
Millwrights .....	22.21	5.6	888	5.6	46,137	5.6
Refractory materials repairers, except brickmasons .....	19.00	6.2	760	6.2	39,526	6.2
Line installers and repairers .....	25.42	2.6	1,017	2.6	52,733	2.6
Electrical power-line installers and repairers .....	26.87	3.9	1,075	3.9	55,896	3.9
Telecommunications line installers and repairers .....	24.58	3.7	983	3.7	50,920	3.7
Precision instrument and equipment repairers .....	21.07	5.7	841	5.7	43,747	5.7
Medical equipment repairers .....	19.76	11.3	790	11.3	41,099	11.3

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<b>Occupation<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hourly earnings<sup>2</sup></b>		<b>Weekly earnings<sup>4</sup></b>		<b>Annual earnings<sup>5</sup></b>	
	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>Relative error<sup>3</sup></b>
Miscellaneous installation, maintenance, and repair workers .....	\$14.66	2.8%	\$583	2.8%	\$30,097	2.8%
Coin, vending, and amusement machine servicers and repairers .....	14.18	8.6	564	8.4	29,282	8.4
Locksmiths and safe repairers .....	18.08	10.1	725	8.6	37,676	8.6
Manufactured building and mobile home installers .....	12.14	8.6	486	8.6	25,253	8.6
Riggers .....	17.39	19.7	696	19.7	36,167	19.7
Signal and track switch repairers .....	23.88	3.4	955	3.4	49,672	3.4
Helpers--installation, maintenance, and repair workers .....	11.86	3.3	472	3.4	24,195	3.4
<b>Production occupations</b> .....	<b>15.19</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>31,422</b>	<b>1.2</b>
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	22.92	1.9	931	1.9	48,392	1.9
Aircraft structure, surfaces, rigging, and systems assemblers .....	23.26	4.0	930	4.0	48,345	4.0
Electrical, electronics, and electromechanical assemblers .....	13.30	3.0	530	3.1	27,576	3.1
Coil winders, tapers, and finishers .....	11.39	8.2	447	7.5	23,260	7.5
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	13.24	3.1	529	3.1	27,496	3.1
Electromechanical equipment assemblers .....	14.03	5.8	560	5.9	29,106	5.9
Engine and other machine assemblers .....	19.09	10.2	762	10.3	39,629	10.3
Structural metal fabricators and fitters .....	15.80	6.6	630	6.3	32,567	6.3
Miscellaneous assemblers and fabricators .....	15.08	3.6	602	3.6	31,249	3.6
Fiberglass laminators and fabricators .....	12.87	5.8	515	5.8	26,771	5.8
Team assemblers .....	18.06	9.0	720	9.1	37,356	9.1
Bakers .....	12.56	6.6	493	6.7	25,641	6.7
Butchers and other meat, poultry, and fish processing workers .....	12.08	4.7	477	4.8	24,826	4.8
Butchers and meat cutters .....	15.03	5.1	588	5.8	30,564	5.8
Meat, poultry, and fish cutters and trimmers .....	9.52	7.4	378	7.5	19,651	7.5
Slaughterers and meat packers .....	10.97	4.2	438	4.3	22,761	4.3
Miscellaneous food processing workers .....	12.58	3.8	501	3.8	26,037	3.8
Food and tobacco roasting, baking, and drying machine operators and tenders .....	12.20	9.3	488	9.3	25,381	9.3
Food batchmakers .....	13.59	3.9	540	4.0	28,034	4.0
Food cooking machine operators and tenders .....	10.85	9.0	433	9.0	22,528	9.0
Computer control programmers and operators .....	17.37	4.2	697	4.2	36,242	4.2
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic .....	16.37	3.4	657	3.5	34,166	3.5

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	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Numerical tool and process control programmers .....	\$23.69	6.9%	\$950	6.9%	\$49,384	6.9%
Forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	14.69	4.8	582	4.8	30,251	4.8
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	14.01	4.3	554	4.3	28,792	4.3
Forging machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	13.36	7.7	534	7.7	27,626	7.7
Rolling machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16.67	8.9	661	8.9	34,366	8.9
Machine tool cutting setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	14.47	2.3	578	2.2	30,031	2.2
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	14.22	2.9	567	2.9	29,476	2.9
Drilling and boring machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	13.60	9.5	543	9.4	28,215	9.4
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	13.79	4.0	551	4.0	28,636	4.0
Lathe and turning machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16.39	5.5	655	5.5	34,071	5.5
Milling and planing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16.63	9.2	665	9.2	34,552	9.2
Machinists .....	20.16	1.7	805	1.7	41,877	1.7
Metal furnace and kiln operators and tenders	17.62	5.3	705	5.4	36,529	5.4
Metal-refining furnace operators and tenders .....	17.89	7.6	716	7.6	37,191	7.6
Pourers and casters, metal .....	17.04	8.0	682	8.0	35,109	8.0
Model makers and patternmakers, metal and plastic .....	22.21	6.9	888	6.9	45,996	6.9
Model makers, metal and plastic .....	23.48	8.0	939	8.0	48,610	8.0
Patternmakers, metal and plastic .....	17.98	11.0	719	11.0	37,312	11.0
Molders and molding machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	13.02	3.3	519	3.3	26,957	3.3
Foundry mold and coremakers .....	16.72	8.9	669	8.9	34,779	8.9
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	12.77	3.4	509	3.4	26,430	3.4
Multiple machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16.41	3.8	651	4.1	33,829	4.1

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Tool and die makers .....	\$23.89	1.8%	\$955	1.8%	\$49,596	1.8%
Welding, soldering, and brazing workers .....	16.35	2.4	652	2.4	33,900	2.4
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers ....	16.45	2.7	657	2.7	34,171	2.7
Welding, soldering, and brazing machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	15.63	5.6	619	5.6	32,090	5.6
Miscellaneous metalworkers and plastic workers .....	14.94	5.4	598	5.4	31,054	5.4
Heat treating equipment setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16.63	10.2	665	10.2	34,444	10.2
Lay-out workers, metal and plastic .....	17.23	15.2	689	15.2	35,845	15.2
Plating and coating machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	14.88	6.9	592	7.0	30,774	7.0
Tool grinders, filers, and sharpeners .....	18.02	5.7	723	5.6	37,589	5.6
Bookbinders and bindery workers .....	13.01	4.1	508	3.7	26,380	3.7
Bindery workers .....	12.94	4.2	505	3.8	26,257	3.8
Printers .....	16.24	3.5	643	3.4	33,438	3.4
Job printers .....	16.86	5.5	660	5.1	34,320	5.1
Prepress technicians and workers .....	16.72	3.2	661	3.2	34,361	3.2
Printing machine operators .....	15.97	4.9	634	4.8	32,963	4.8
Laundry and dry-cleaning workers .....	9.80	4.0	386	4.2	20,061	4.2
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials .....	9.10	5.0	354	5.4	18,394	5.4
Sewing machine operators .....	10.58	8.1	418	8.4	21,704	8.4
Tailors, dressmakers, and sewers .....	14.31	8.6	541	8.7	28,158	8.7
Sewers, hand .....	15.11	21.3	605	21.3	31,436	21.3
Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers ..	14.23	8.0	536	8.1	27,872	8.1
Textile machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	11.79	3.4	467	3.6	24,266	3.6
Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders .....	12.70	9.6	508	9.6	26,391	9.6
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	11.07	4.8	431	5.4	22,413	5.4
Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	12.18	6.4	487	6.4	25,336	6.4
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders	11.87	4.7	471	5.0	24,483	5.0
Miscellaneous textile, apparel, and furnishings workers .....	12.96	7.2	515	7.1	26,747	7.1
Extruding and forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, synthetic and glass fibers .....	15.65	7.6	616	7.6	32,024	7.6
Fabric and apparel patternmakers .....	18.73	9.3	724	11.0	37,668	11.0
Upholsterers .....	14.85	12.5	592	12.5	30,778	12.5
Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters .....	13.37	4.8	534	4.6	27,699	4.6

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Occupation <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
Furniture finishers .....	\$12.71	8.5%	\$508	8.5%	\$26,431	8.5%
Model makers and patternmakers, wood .....	18.60	12.6	744	12.6	38,685	12.6
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	12.25	3.3	489	3.3	25,383	3.3
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood .....	11.66	6.0	466	6.0	24,115	6.0
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing .....	12.75	3.3	509	3.4	26,456	3.4
Power plant operators, distributors, and dispatchers .....	29.80	3.7	1,192	3.7	62,003	3.7
Power distributors and dispatchers .....	32.90	7.9	1,323	8.0	68,779	8.0
Power plant operators .....	27.82	5.7	1,113	5.7	57,871	5.7
Stationary engineers and boiler operators ....	24.28	5.4	959	5.3	49,859	5.3
Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators .....	22.07	7.5	883	7.5	45,904	7.5
Miscellaneous plant and system operators ....	24.24	4.9	960	5.1	49,937	5.1
Chemical plant and system operators .....	23.33	4.5	910	3.9	47,338	3.9
Gas plant operators .....	27.94	6.1	1,117	6.1	58,107	6.1
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers .....	25.54	7.1	1,021	7.1	53,067	7.1
Chemical processing machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	19.22	6.0	767	6.0	39,858	6.0
Chemical equipment operators and tenders .....	17.79	8.0	708	8.0	36,817	8.0
Separating, filtering, clarifying, precipitating, and still machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	20.39	8.7	815	8.7	42,359	8.7
Crushing, grinding, polishing, mixing, and blending workers .....	15.48	4.1	618	4.0	31,729	4.0
Crushing, grinding, and polishing machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	16.24	8.9	649	8.9	33,365	8.9
Grinding and polishing workers, hand .....	12.55	5.9	502	5.9	25,701	5.9
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	16.42	4.3	654	4.3	33,649	4.3
Cutting workers .....	13.29	3.0	529	3.0	27,130	3.0
Cutters and trimmers, hand .....	13.04	6.2	520	6.3	26,931	6.3
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	13.38	3.4	532	3.2	27,196	3.2
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	14.01	7.3	559	7.2	29,053	7.2
Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders .....	14.91	11.5	597	11.5	31,019	11.5
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	15.62	2.7	623	2.7	32,330	2.7

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Medical, dental, and ophthalmic laboratory technicians .....	\$14.97	3.8%	\$594	4.0%	\$30,894	4.0%
Dental laboratory technicians .....	15.57	7.9	612	8.3	31,823	8.3
Medical appliance technicians .....	15.32	2.2	613	2.2	31,856	2.2
Ophthalmic laboratory technicians .....	13.13	9.1	525	9.1	27,309	9.1
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	14.59	6.0	582	5.9	30,199	5.9
Painting workers .....	15.02	4.3	601	4.3	31,228	4.3
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	14.01	3.6	559	3.5	29,069	3.5
Painters, transportation equipment .....	18.65	10.5	750	10.9	39,000	10.9
Painting, coating, and decorating workers .....	12.49	7.1	498	7.1	25,920	7.1
Photographic process workers and processing machine operators .....	12.87	8.0	504	7.3	26,123	7.3
Photographic process workers .....	14.40	15.5	562	14.0	29,105	14.0
Photographic processing machine operators .....	11.80	6.2	463	5.6	24,028	5.6
Semiconductor processors .....	16.27	5.3	648	5.4	33,696	5.4
Miscellaneous production workers .....	12.95	2.9	516	2.9	26,719	2.9
Cementing and gluing machine operators and tenders .....	12.61	5.7	504	5.7	26,222	5.7
Cleaning, washing, and metal pickling equipment operators and tenders .....	17.17	22.1	687	22.1	35,723	22.1
Etchers and engravers .....	17.36	13.6	679	11.8	35,297	11.8
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic .....	12.51	6.7	500	6.7	26,017	6.7
Paper goods machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	16.30	9.2	649	9.2	33,743	9.2
Tire builders .....	16.34	9.0	653	9.0	33,969	9.0
Helpers--production workers .....	11.23	1.8	446	1.8	23,133	1.8
<b>Transportation and material moving occupations .....</b>						
First-line supervisors/managers of helpers, laborers, and material movers, hand .....	15.03	1.3	605	1.5	31,231	1.5
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	19.32	4.1	793	4.9	41,118	4.9
Aircraft pilots and flight engineers .....	23.00	3.1	958	3.2	49,834	3.2
Airline pilots, copilots, and flight engineers .....	95.31	13.8	2,327	5.8	120,505	5.8
Ambulance drivers and attendants, except emergency medical technicians .....	111.15	9.2	2,464	3.8	128,122	3.8
Bus drivers .....	10.79	9.1	432	9.1	22,442	9.1
Bus drivers, transit and intercity .....	14.17	14.5	542	13.4	26,804	13.4
	14.59	16.9	580	16.8	30,046	16.8

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Bus drivers, school .....	\$12.26	9.6%	\$402	8.6%	\$16,931	8.6%
Driver/sales workers and truck drivers .....	16.13	1.4	669	1.7	34,529	1.7
Driver/sales workers .....	16.01	5.1	649	5.2	33,760	5.2
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer .....	16.96	1.7	719	2.1	36,992	2.1
Truck drivers, light or delivery services ....	14.47	2.7	578	2.8	29,957	2.8
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs .....	10.19	9.3	392	8.9	20,366	8.9
Locomotive engineers and operators .....	27.40	22.1	1,161	18.3	59,385	18.3
Locomotive engineers .....	27.84	22.8	1,187	18.4	61,702	18.4
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators .....	25.06	11.5	1,003	11.5	52,130	11.5
Sailors and marine oilers .....	12.48	5.7	551	7.0	27,407	7.0
Ship and boat captains and operators .....	19.45	15.6	967	21.9	45,441	21.9
Captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels .....	19.45	15.6	967	21.9	45,441	21.9
Ship engineers .....	30.16	17.3	1,322	4.7	59,047	4.7
Parking lot attendants .....	7.72	4.0	302	4.5	15,713	4.5
Service station attendants .....	10.32	7.5	410	7.5	21,319	7.5
Transportation inspectors .....	26.26	15.5	1,095	14.4	56,932	14.4
Conveyor operators and tenders .....	15.13	15.1	605	15.1	31,464	15.1
Crane and tower operators .....	18.53	6.9	741	6.9	38,453	6.9
Dredge, excavating, and loading machine operators .....	15.96	3.6	637	3.6	32,505	3.6
Excavating and loading machine and dragline operators .....	15.85	3.7	633	3.7	32,282	3.7
Hoist and winch operators .....	14.70	19.9	585	20.3	30,410	20.3
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	14.25	2.0	569	2.0	29,405	2.0
Laborers and material movers, hand .....	11.22	1.1	445	1.1	23,015	1.1
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment .....	10.32	2.6	412	2.7	21,398	2.7
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	11.83	1.4	469	1.4	24,229	1.4
Machine feeders and offbearers .....	11.42	2.8	454	2.8	23,598	2.8
Packers and packagers, hand .....	10.04	1.9	398	2.0	20,544	2.0
Pumping station operators .....	21.10	5.5	844	5.5	43,138	5.5
Refuse and recyclable material collectors ....	11.04	7.0	476	5.8	24,757	5.8
Tank car, truck, and ship loaders .....	21.74	9.7	909	8.7	45,238	8.7

<sup>1</sup> A classification system including about 800 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

<sup>2</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, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighed by hours.

<sup>3</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.

<sup>4</sup> Mean weekly earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees.

<sup>5</sup> Mean annual earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.