

A-20. Employed persons by occupation, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and sex

(Percent distribution)

Occupation, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Total		Men		Women	
	July 2008	July 2009	July 2008	July 2009	July 2008	July 2009
<b>TOTAL</b>						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands) .....	146,867	141,055	78,991	74,861	67,876	66,194
Percent .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	35.9	36.7	33.4	34.0	38.7	39.8
Management, business, and financial operations occupations .....	15.4	15.5	16.4	16.7	14.2	14.1
Professional and related occupations .....	20.5	21.2	17.0	17.3	24.5	25.7
Service occupations .....	17.4	18.3	14.0	15.3	21.5	21.7
Sales and office occupations .....	23.9	24.2	16.2	17.0	32.8	32.2
Sales and related occupations .....	10.9	11.4	10.2	10.8	11.6	11.9
Office and administrative support occupations .....	13.0	12.8	6.0	6.2	21.2	20.3
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations .....	10.5	9.6	18.7	17.1	1.0	1.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	.7	.7	1.1	1.1	.3	.4
Construction and extraction occupations .....	6.2	5.3	11.2	9.7	.4	.3
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....	3.6	3.5	6.4	6.3	.3	.3
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	12.3	11.2	17.8	16.6	6.0	5.2
Production occupations .....	6.1	5.4	8.0	7.4	4.0	3.3
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	6.2	5.8	9.8	9.2	2.0	2.0
<b>White</b>						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands) .....	120,357	115,861	65,920	62,612	54,437	53,249
Percent .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	36.4	37.3	33.7	34.5	39.6	40.7
Management, business, and financial operations occupations .....	16.1	16.3	17.3	17.7	14.5	14.6
Professional and related occupations .....	20.3	21.1	16.4	16.8	25.1	26.1
Service occupations .....	16.3	17.2	13.1	14.4	20.3	20.4
Sales and office occupations .....	24.1	24.2	16.2	16.8	33.6	33.0
Sales and related occupations .....	11.1	11.4	10.6	11.0	11.8	11.9
Office and administrative support occupations .....	12.9	12.8	5.6	5.8	21.9	21.1
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations .....	11.3	10.2	19.8	18.1	1.0	1.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	.8	.8	1.2	1.2	.4	.4
Construction and extraction occupations .....	6.8	5.7	12.1	10.4	.4	.3
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....	3.7	3.7	6.5	6.5	.3	.3
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	11.9	11.0	17.3	16.2	5.4	4.9
Production occupations .....	6.0	5.4	8.0	7.5	3.6	3.1
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	5.9	5.6	9.3	8.7	1.8	1.9
<b>Black or African American</b>						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands) .....	16,132	15,218	7,500	6,943	8,632	8,275
Percent .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	28.4	28.9	24.8	23.6	31.5	33.4
Management, business, and financial operations occupations .....	11.1	10.6	10.6	9.8	11.5	11.3
Professional and related occupations .....	17.3	18.3	14.2	13.9	20.0	22.1
Service occupations .....	24.8	25.9	20.2	21.7	28.8	29.5
Sales and office occupations .....	24.1	24.8	16.5	18.7	30.7	29.9
Sales and related occupations .....	9.4	10.4	7.5	8.8	11.1	11.8
Office and administrative support occupations .....	14.7	14.3	9.0	9.9	19.6	18.1
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations .....	6.7	6.8	13.5	13.6	.7	1.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	.3	.3	.6	.6	.1	.1
Construction and extraction occupations .....	3.3	3.6	6.8	7.5	.4	.3
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....	3.0	2.8	6.2	5.5	.3	.6
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	16.1	13.6	25.0	22.4	8.3	6.3
Production occupations .....	6.5	5.4	8.3	7.7	4.9	3.5
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	9.6	8.2	16.7	14.7	3.4	2.8

See footnotes at end of table.

A-20. Employed persons by occupation, race, Hispanic or Latino ethnicity, and sex—Continued

(Percent distribution)

Occupation, race, and Hispanic or Latino ethnicity	Total		Men		Women	
	July 2008	July 2009	July 2008	July 2009	July 2008	July 2009
<b>Asian</b>						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands) .....	7,030	6,780	3,812	3,620	3,219	3,159
Percent .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	47.7	47.5	48.9	49.1	46.3	45.7
Management, business, and financial operations occupations .....	15.9	14.7	14.8	15.6	17.2	13.7
Professional and related occupations .....	31.8	32.8	34.1	33.4	29.2	32.1
Service occupations .....	17.2	18.2	14.7	14.8	20.2	22.2
Sales and office occupations .....	20.2	21.6	16.4	18.3	24.7	25.4
Sales and related occupations .....	10.2	12.3	9.5	12.4	11.0	12.2
Office and administrative support occupations .....	10.0	9.3	7.0	6.0	13.7	13.2
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations .....	4.4	3.8	7.6	7.0	.6	.2
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	.4	.1	.4	.1	.3	—
Construction and extraction occupations .....	2.0	1.3	3.4	2.4	.3	—
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....	2.1	2.4	3.8	4.4	—	.2
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	10.5	8.9	12.3	10.9	8.2	6.6
Production occupations .....	7.1	5.8	7.0	5.7	7.2	5.9
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	3.4	3.0	5.3	5.1	1.0	.6
<b>Hispanic or Latino ethnicity</b>						
Total, 16 years and over (thousands) .....	20,505	19,849	12,445	11,872	8,060	7,977
Percent .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Management, professional, and related occupations .....	17.1	18.3	13.6	14.6	22.5	23.9
Management, business, and financial operations occupations .....	8.1	8.1	7.4	7.3	9.3	9.3
Professional and related occupations .....	8.9	10.2	6.2	7.2	13.2	14.6
Service occupations .....	25.0	26.9	19.9	23.3	32.8	32.2
Sales and office occupations .....	20.7	21.1	13.7	14.3	31.4	31.3
Sales and related occupations .....	9.0	9.5	7.6	7.7	11.1	12.3
Office and administrative support occupations .....	11.7	11.6	6.2	6.6	20.3	19.0
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations .....	18.7	16.4	29.9	26.1	1.3	1.9
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations .....	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.8	.6	1.2
Construction and extraction occupations .....	13.0	10.8	21.1	17.8	.4	.3
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations .....	3.9	3.4	6.2	5.5	.3	.4
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations .....	18.6	17.3	22.9	21.7	12.0	10.7
Production occupations .....	9.7	9.1	10.6	10.4	8.3	7.2
Transportation and material moving occupations .....	8.9	8.2	12.3	11.4	3.7	3.5

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. Persons whose ethnicity is identified as Hispanic or Latino may be of any race. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data. Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.