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Preface

The National Compensation Survey (NCS) provides comprehensive measures of occupational earnings, compensation cost trends, benefit incidence, and detailed benefit provisions. This bulletin focuses on occupational earnings.

The NCS replaced the Occupational Compensation Survey. The major difference between these two surveys is that the Occupational Compensation Survey used the same preselected list of occupations for all localities. The NCS uses a probability-based sample of establishments and occupations that are intended to represent more fully the employment patterns and occupational mix of every locality.

This bulletin presents aggregated pay data from the metropolitan and nonmetropolitan local area surveys conducted in the New England census division. (See Technical Note.) It provides estimates of occupational pay for the census division, as well as selected data by worker and establishment characteristics.

NCS bulletins are published for each of the nine census divisions: New England, Middle Atlantic, East North Central, West North Central, South Atlantic, East South Central, West South Central, Mountain, and Pacific.

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Occupational Wages in the New England Census Division, 2000

This bulletin provides 2000 National Compensation Survey (NCS) estimates of occupational pay in the New England census division. The bulletin highlights average (mean) hourly pay for workers by seven characteristics:

- Private industry and State and local government
- Metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas
- Selected occupations and major occupational groups
- Full-time and part-time status
- Bargaining status
- Size of establishment
- Work level

Wages in the New England census division averaged \$17.45 per hour during 2000. Workers in private industry in the New England region averaged \$16.82 per hour, while pay of workers in State and local government averaged \$22.75 per hour. The nationwide hourly average for all workers covered by the survey was \$15.80.

Table 1 in this bulletin provides an overview of average pay for workers in private industry and State and local government by selected worker and establishment characteristics. For example, white-collar workers in private industry averaged \$22.24 per hour; blue-collar workers averaged \$12.75; and service workers, \$8.84. Corresponding averages in State and local government were \$25.80, \$17.72, and \$16.52. Generally, average hourly earnings for private industry workers were lower than those for State and local government workers. Part of this difference can be explained by differences in the occupational and industrial mix of the two sectors. For example, professional specialty and technical occupations are more prevalent in State and local government than in private industry. Conversely, few State and local government workers are in goods-producing industries other than construction.

Full-time workers in the New England region averaged \$18.39 per hour, while part-time workers averaged \$10.91. In private industry, full-time workers averaged \$17.75 an hour and part-time workers averaged \$10.83. For workers in State and local government, average hourly pay was \$23.27 and \$12.72, respectively. Full-time or part-time designation is based on the employer's definition of those terms.

Workers in the New England region in establishments with 1,000 to 2,499 employees had average hourly pay of \$22.67. Workers in the smallest establishment-size cate-

gory studied (1 to 99 employees) averaged \$14.47.

Table 2 shows that workers in metropolitan areas averaged \$17.63 per hour, more than the average pay for workers in nonmetropolitan areas, \$14.97. Table 2 also shows that, for many of the worker and establishment characteristics presented, average pay for metropolitan area workers was higher than for their counterparts in nonmetropolitan areas. See the Technical Note for definitions of metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas.

Among the nine census divisions, average earnings were generally highest in the Middle Atlantic, New England, and Pacific regions. Average earnings for all census divisions, and for other characteristics, can be seen in tables 1 and 2.

Full-time, part-time, and combined average pay rates for occupations in private industry and in State and local governments are shown in tables 3, 4, and 5. These tables contain wage rates and mean weekly hours for individual occupations and for major occupational groups. All registered nurses, for example, averaged \$23.63 per hour (table 3). Registered nurses in private industry averaged \$23.54 (table 4), while their counterparts in State and local government averaged \$24.80 per hour (table 5). Laborers, except construction, averaged \$10.55 in private industry and \$14.93 in State and local governments. Janitors and cleaners, a service occupation, averaged \$10.13 in private industry and \$12.83 in State and local government.

Earnings by occupational group and levels are shown in table 6. In determining the work level, the Bureau applies an "occupational leveling" technique to all occupations selected during the collection process, using 10 criteria to level occupations. Usually, the levels tend to show higher pay at higher levels. In this region, average hourly earnings of white-collar workers ranged from \$7.08 for work level 1 to \$55.82 for level 14. Average earnings of blue-collar workers ranged from \$9.09 for level 1 to \$24.93 at level 9; service workers average earnings ranged from \$7.70 for level 1 to \$27.46 for level 10. The Technical Note has more information on occupational leveling.

Table A in the Technical Note shows the number of workers represented by the surveys in the New England census division by major occupational group, such as professional specialty and technical, sales, and transportation and material moving. Table B shows the number of establishments studied in the New England census division by employment size; more establishments were studied in the group having 100 to 499 workers than in any other size category.

TABLE 1. Summary, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,² 2000

Worker and establishment characteristics, and geographic areas	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)	
Total	\$17.45	1.7	35.4	\$16.82	2.6	35.4	\$22.75	1.8	35.6
Worker characteristics:⁴									
White-collar occupations ⁵	22.74	7.0	35.7	22.24	8.6	35.9	25.80	2.9	34.9
Professional specialty and technical ...	25.85	2.6	35.8	24.43	2.9	36.2	30.93	3.3	34.7
Executive, administrative, and managerial	33.16	7.2	41.7	33.52	7.5	42.3	29.87	5.3	37.2
Sales	13.38	6.7	28.9	13.38	6.8	28.9	14.82	11.7	35.2
Administrative support	13.97	3.0	35.1	13.96	3.7	35.4	14.06	4.6	33.9
Blue-collar occupations ⁵	12.87	7.9	38.2	12.75	7.8	38.1	17.72	3.6	39.4
Precision production, craft, and repair Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	17.28	6.1	40.1	17.19	6.3	40.1	18.77	5.0	39.9
Transportation and material moving ...	11.45	4.5	39.0	11.41	4.4	39.0	17.67	8.4	38.7
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	14.06	12.3	36.2	13.90	12.9	36.1	18.32	3.9	38.5
Service occupations ⁵	10.13	5.0	36.5	10.05	4.8	36.4	14.32	4.1	39.2
Incentive	10.44	4.6	28.4	8.84	5.2	26.8	16.52	1.9	36.2
Full time	18.39	1.3	39.9	17.75	1.6	40.3	23.27	1.7	37.4
Part time	10.91	8.4	19.8	10.83	8.8	19.9	12.72	4.9	18.0
Union	20.41	1.6	35.6	17.54	3.8	34.8	22.83	1.9	36.4
Nonunion	16.86	2.7	35.3	16.75	2.9	35.4	22.32	9.4	31.6
Time	17.45	1.6	35.4	16.79	2.5	35.4	22.75	1.8	35.6
Incentive	17.51	13.1	35.4	17.51	13.1	35.4	-	-	-
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	17.66	2.3	40.4	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
Service producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	16.18	3.4	32.3	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
1 to 99 workers ⁷	14.47	5.6	32.6	14.44	5.7	32.6	16.64	5.3	32.8
100 to 499 workers	17.57	1.5	37.5	17.17	2.2	37.7	21.94	4.4	35.1
500 to 999 workers	21.21	3.5	36.3	20.73	4.8	36.6	22.79	3.8	35.1
1,000 to 2,499 workers	22.67	3.9	36.2	21.89	5.0	36.7	25.36	4.2	34.5
2,500 workers or more	22.62	2.6	37.0	22.02	3.2	37.1	23.51	3.7	36.9
Geographic areas:⁸									
Metropolitan	17.63	1.7	35.5	16.99	2.4	35.5	23.34	1.7	35.4
Nonmetropolitan	14.97	3.5	34.4	14.22	8.3	33.9	18.32	3.6	36.8
New England	17.45	1.7	35.4	16.82	2.6	35.4	22.75	1.8	35.6
Middle Atlantic	18.25	3.1	34.7	17.40	3.8	34.6	23.02	1.8	35.3
East North Central	15.75	2.4	35.8	15.03	2.5	35.8	20.91	2.1	35.9
West North Central	14.99	3.3	35.3	14.22	3.3	35.0	19.19	2.8	37.2
South Atlantic	14.90	2.8	36.5	14.38	3.6	36.2	17.52	1.6	38.1
East South Central	12.64	7.3	37.0	12.08	7.8	37.0	16.93	1.7	36.7
West South Central	14.57	3.3	36.8	14.08	3.8	36.6	16.95	1.9	38.3
Mountain	14.67	3.0	35.6	13.81	3.4	35.3	19.51	2.6	36.9
Pacific	17.15	1.4	35.6	16.11	1.7	35.5	22.84	1.4	35.7

¹ 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, weighted by hours.

² In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April 2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

³ 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 Technical Note.

⁴ Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Union workers are those whose wages are determined through collective bargaining. Wages of time workers are based solely on hourly rate or salary; incentive workers are those whose wages

are at least partially based on productivity payments such as piece rates, commissions, and production bonuses.

⁵ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See Technical Note for more information.

⁶ Classification of establishments into goods-producing and service-producing industries applies to private industry only.

⁷ Estimates include private establishments employing 1 to 99 workers and State and local government establishments employing 50 to 99 workers.

⁸ Data are presented for metropolitan and nonmetropolitan area divisions as well as nine census divisions. See Technical Note for a list of survey areas in each census division and the States comprising the nine census divisions.

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TABLE 2. Summary, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000

Worker and establishment characteristics, and geographic areas	Total			Metropolitan areas			Nonmetropolitan areas		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Total	\$17.45	1.7	35.4	\$17.63	1.7	35.5	\$14.97	3.5	34.4
Private Industry	16.82	2.6	35.4	16.99	2.4	35.5	14.22	8.3	33.9
State and local government	22.75	1.8	35.6	23.34	1.7	35.4	18.32	3.6	36.8
Worker characteristics:⁵									
White-collar occupations ⁶	22.74	7.0	35.7	22.99	7.4	35.7	19.57	1.3	36.1
Professional specialty and technical ...	25.85	2.6	35.8	26.26	2.8	36.0	22.37	3.8	35.0
Executive, administrative, and managerial	33.16	7.2	41.7	33.54	7.4	41.7	25.17	8.6	43.1
Sales	13.38	6.7	28.9	13.28	6.9	28.8	16.61	15.1	34.1
Administrative support	13.97	3.0	35.1	14.18	3.2	35.1	11.29	11.8	35.4
Blue-collar occupations ⁶	12.87	7.9	38.2	13.01	8.6	38.2	10.51	12.3	37.9
Precision production, craft, and repair	17.28	6.1	40.1	17.39	6.3	40.1	14.20	2.1	40.5
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	11.45	4.5	39.0	11.59	4.9	39.1	10.05	12.5	38.3
Transportation and material moving ...	14.06	12.3	36.2	14.05	12.4	36.2	-	-	-
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.13	5.0	36.5	10.20	6.1	36.5	8.60	11.4	35.6
Service occupations ⁶	10.44	4.6	28.4	10.60	5.1	28.6	8.85	3.3	26.6
Full time	18.39	1.3	39.9	18.58	1.4	39.9	15.73	5.3	39.8
Part time	10.91	8.4	19.8	10.87	9.2	19.7	11.31	9.8	20.7
Union	20.41	1.6	35.6	20.57	1.7	35.5	18.34	2.7	37.9
Nonunion	16.86	2.7	35.3	17.05	2.6	35.5	14.24	7.4	33.7
Time	17.45	1.6	35.4	17.63	1.6	35.5	15.08	3.1	34.4
Incentive	17.51	13.1	35.4	17.77	13.1	35.5	-	-	-
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing ⁷	17.66	2.3	40.4	17.92	2.0	40.5	13.30	27.7	39.3
Service producing ⁷	16.18	3.4	32.3	16.27	3.5	32.4	14.83	10.7	31.0
1 to 99 workers ⁸	14.47	5.6	32.6	14.71	5.6	32.6	10.63	9.7	32.7
100 to 499 workers	17.57	1.5	37.5	17.76	1.8	37.8	15.20	13.1	33.7
500 to 999 workers	21.21	3.5	36.3	21.23	4.1	35.8	-	-	-
1,000 to 2,499 workers	22.67	3.9	36.2	22.67	3.9	36.2	-	-	-
2,500 workers or more	22.62	2.6	37.0	22.85	2.5	37.0	-	-	-
Geographic areas:⁹									
New England	17.45	1.7	35.4	17.63	1.7	35.5	14.97	3.5	34.4
Middle Atlantic	18.25	3.1	34.7	18.33	3.2	34.7	15.48	2.2	35.8
East North Central	15.75	2.4	35.8	15.90	2.6	35.7	14.47	5.3	37.1
West North Central	14.99	3.3	35.3	15.36	3.7	35.1	13.20	5.0	36.4
South Atlantic	14.90	2.8	36.5	15.13	2.9	36.4	12.98	6.2	37.5
East South Central	12.64	7.3	37.0	13.96	2.8	36.5	10.07	9.4	38.0
West South Central	14.57	3.3	36.8	14.59	3.6	36.9	14.33	5.0	36.7
Mountain	14.67	3.0	35.6	14.54	3.1	35.5	15.96	5.6	36.2
Pacific	17.15	1.4	35.6	17.19	1.4	35.5	16.02	7.3	37.0

¹ 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, weighted by hours.

² Metropolitan areas can be a Metropolitan Statistical Area or Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area as defined by the Office of Management and Budget, 1994. Nonmetropolitan areas are counties that do not fit the definitions above. For more information, see Technical Note.

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TABLE 3. Selected occupations, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$17.45	1.7	35.4	\$18.39	1.3	39.9	\$10.91	8.4	19.8
All, excluding sales	17.74	1.7	36.0	18.45	1.3	39.9	11.90	9.0	19.9
White collar	22.74	7.0	35.7	24.01	6.6	39.9	13.23	7.9	20.0
White collar, excluding sales	24.20	6.2	37.1	24.73	6.4	39.8	17.94	4.7	20.4
Professional specialty and technical	25.85	2.6	35.8	26.15	2.7	39.1	22.97	5.0	20.1
Professional specialty	27.34	3.7	35.8	27.62	3.7	39.0	24.59	5.8	19.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aerospace engineers	36.40	6.9	40.0	36.40	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Chemical engineers	27.72	12.6	40.0	27.72	12.6	40.0	—	—	—
Civil engineers	28.61	6.0	38.7	28.61	6.0	38.7	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	35.03	4.2	40.2	35.03	4.2	40.2	—	—	—
Industrial engineers	27.13	5.5	40.1	27.13	5.5	40.1	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	32.85	4.2	39.2	32.85	4.2	39.2	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	30.60	4.1	39.7	30.60	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.07	4.8	39.7	31.07	4.8	39.8	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	23.76	8.1	39.3	23.76	8.1	39.3	—	—	—
Actuaries	37.38	11.1	39.4	37.38	11.1	39.4	—	—	—
Natural scientists	31.44	10.1	37.8	31.28	10.2	38.8	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	34.73	28.1	38.5	34.73	28.1	38.5	—	—	—
Medical scientists	29.57	16.3	36.2	28.92	16.9	39.6	—	—	—
Health related	24.84	3.7	30.7	24.97	4.3	39.5	24.55	7.3	20.8
Physicians	41.59	13.4	41.2	39.72	15.7	45.7	—	—	—
Registered nurses	23.63	2.2	28.2	23.79	1.8	38.7	23.42	5.4	20.8
Pharmacists	31.03	3.1	36.9	30.52	3.5	39.9	—	—	—
Respiratory therapists	20.44	3.2	39.3	20.47	3.4	39.6	—	—	—
Occupational therapists	25.53	12.3	32.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	40.67	4.3	33.4	41.09	4.4	37.6	35.28	13.4	13.7
Medical science teachers	40.90	8.3	31.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	30.57	10.1	25.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers ..	52.72	20.0	35.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	36.55	7.7	35.1	38.38	6.2	37.8	—	—	—
Education teachers	47.99	12.9	36.5	47.99	12.9	36.5	—	—	—
English teachers	38.00	20.9	37.3	38.00	20.9	37.3	—	—	—
Trade and industrial teachers	31.92	5.3	37.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	38.18	4.1	32.6	38.44	4.0	36.9	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	27.34	10.7	35.1	27.54	10.9	36.1	15.49	12.1	13.4
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	21.56	20.6	36.3	21.59	20.8	36.3	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	34.24	3.0	34.4	34.23	3.0	34.5	—	—	—
Secondary school teachers	31.47	6.0	35.7	31.54	6.1	35.8	22.11	.4	24.6
Teachers, special education	28.71	8.1	35.5	28.63	8.1	35.6	—	—	—
Teachers, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	15.30	19.1	14.0
Substitute teachers	11.90	13.0	13.9	—	—	—	9.29	4.0	9.2
Vocational and educational counselors	29.87	10.0	36.6	30.86	10.2	36.5	—	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	28.19	13.0	34.9	28.50	13.3	36.5	—	—	—
Librarians	28.32	13.0	35.9	28.50	13.3	36.5	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	27.38	8.8	33.5	26.21	11.9	38.0	—	—	—
Psychologists	26.90	16.9	26.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	18.69	3.8	36.2	18.71	3.7	37.6	—	—	—
Social workers	18.80	3.9	36.1	18.82	3.8	37.6	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	33.93	7.2	39.1	33.91	7.2	39.2	—	—	—
Lawyers	33.06	6.9	39.2	33.04	6.9	39.3	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	22.66	9.0	36.5	23.02	9.8	38.7	17.67	21.1	20.6
Designers	24.79	9.7	38.9	25.11	10.2	39.9	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	23.38	20.4	39.8	23.38	20.4	39.8	—	—	—
Public relations specialists	26.13	14.4	37.7	26.20	14.5	38.0	—	—	—
Professional, n.e.c.	31.55	10.7	39.9	31.55	10.7	39.9	—	—	—
Technical	18.86	3.0	36.0	19.15	3.6	39.4	16.55	4.5	21.1
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.83	5.6	34.6	17.08	6.2	38.9	15.01	8.7	19.3
Radiological technicians	21.89	3.7	29.2	22.89	4.2	38.9	18.86	2.2	16.7
Licensed practical nurses	16.34	1.7	30.2	16.58	2.1	38.9	15.96	3.8	22.2

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TABLE 3. Selected occupations, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Professional specialty and technical —Continued									
Technical—Continued									
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	\$15.27	3.1	35.0	\$15.35	3.4	39.5	\$14.79	9.1	20.3
Electrical and electronic technicians	18.97	4.0	39.7	18.97	4.0	39.7	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	22.79	5.7	37.5	22.96	5.4	39.8	—	—	—
Drafters	18.75	7.6	39.8	18.75	7.6	39.8	—	—	—
Science technicians, n.e.c.	18.58	11.1	38.2	18.15	12.0	39.3	—	—	—
Computer programmers	25.97	7.1	38.7	26.10	6.9	39.1	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	18.23	9.5	39.8	18.23	9.5	39.8	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	33.16	7.2	41.7	33.23	7.2	42.0	21.94	11.5	18.4
Executives, administrators, and managers	36.47	4.5	42.5	36.53	4.4	42.8	19.25	18.0	13.7
Administrators and officials, public administration	31.25	11.1	37.7	31.26	11.1	38.5	—	—	—
Financial managers	28.47	8.2	40.1	28.56	8.3	40.3	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	39.85	7.8	41.3	39.85	7.8	41.3	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	34.09	8.5	38.6	34.41	8.6	39.9	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	22.97	11.1	46.3	22.97	11.1	46.3	—	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	21.69	16.2	39.5	21.69	16.2	39.5	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	45.74	9.5	43.9	45.74	9.5	43.9	—	—	—
Management related	22.07	3.0	39.3	22.04	3.0	39.5	24.53	13.4	27.3
Accountants and auditors	20.17	4.5	38.5	20.16	4.6	38.7	—	—	—
Underwriters	26.11	9.6	40.0	26.11	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	21.09	9.8	40.0	21.09	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
Management analysts	26.24	6.5	39.5	26.24	6.5	39.5	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	23.47	4.6	39.9	23.47	4.6	39.9	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	27.69	9.6	41.6	27.69	9.6	41.6	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	22.36	8.5	40.0	22.36	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	20.61	15.9	36.9	20.41	16.7	40.4	—	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	21.67	3.7	39.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	22.05	7.5	39.1	21.85	7.5	39.3	—	—	—
Sales	13.38	6.7	28.9	17.24	7.7	40.9	6.93	3.1	19.5
Supervisors, sales	19.21	10.4	41.4	19.21	10.4	41.4	—	—	—
Insurance sales	20.71	10.2	39.2	20.71	10.2	39.2	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	24.24	6.1	41.7	24.24	6.1	41.7	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	27.18	10.6	40.9	27.18	10.6	40.9	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	22.49	17.7	41.5	22.49	17.7	41.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	9.94	13.7	25.5	14.40	17.1	39.1	6.75	5.3	20.4
Sales counter clerks	9.71	7.2	29.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cashiers	7.29	3.4	21.4	8.47	7.2	39.2	6.89	3.4	18.6
Sales support, n.e.c.	18.67	18.0	39.2	18.91	18.1	39.9	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	13.97	3.0	35.1	14.17	3.2	38.8	12.50	4.0	20.8
Supervisors, general office	17.43	2.7	41.3	17.43	2.7	41.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	20.71	6.0	39.2	20.71	6.0	39.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	21.99	16.7	39.3	21.99	16.7	39.3	—	—	—
Computer operators	16.23	8.3	37.5	16.23	8.7	39.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	15.52	2.5	35.3	15.83	2.5	38.6	—	—	—
Typists	13.80	2.9	33.2	14.26	1.9	35.8	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.05	6.7	32.5	11.34	7.4	37.8	10.26	5.1	23.4
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	14.98	4.4	36.5	15.11	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Receptionists	10.52	4.3	35.5	10.69	4.1	38.4	8.87	5.5	20.6
Order clerks	13.46	4.2	38.1	13.58	4.5	39.3	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	\$16.19	8.2	36.6	\$16.42	8.2	39.0	—	—	—
Library clerks	13.34	7.3	30.6	13.59	8.6	35.4	\$12.17	6.3	18.5
Records clerks, n.e.c.	11.81	5.4	37.3	11.87	6.2	39.4	11.22	5.4	24.5
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	13.40	3.7	32.5	13.40	2.9	39.2	13.45	19.2	15.7
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.63	13.3	36.5	16.29	12.5	39.0	—	—	—
Billing clerks	11.33	6.2	39.2	11.29	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone operators	9.53	5.3	23.0	9.87	7.8	40.0	9.20	6.1	16.2
Mail clerks, except postal service	9.97	5.7	36.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	10.24	7.4	39.2	10.24	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Production coordinators	17.72	6.3	39.9	17.72	6.3	39.9	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	14.11	5.4	39.4	14.13	5.4	39.5	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	15.07	3.9	38.8	15.20	3.5	39.3	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	17.55	7.9	38.3	17.25	8.5	38.9	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	14.07	7.8	37.6	13.98	7.8	39.1	15.75	13.2	22.7
Bill and account collectors	15.20	10.4	39.4	15.20	10.4	39.4	—	—	—
General office clerks	12.86	3.4	31.9	13.33	4.2	38.4	11.08	4.6	19.5
Bank tellers	11.25	8.0	33.9	11.95	8.5	37.7	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	12.88	7.4	35.9	12.82	10.3	38.8	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	13.34	5.8	31.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	10.50	7.3	32.6	10.37	7.3	34.2	12.35	18.9	19.4
Administrative support, n.e.c.	14.07	5.7	35.2	14.70	6.6	39.0	9.70	11.9	20.7
Blue collar	12.87	7.9	38.2	12.89	8.4	40.1	12.56	22.0	21.1
Precision production, craft, and repair									
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	16.70	8.9	40.9	16.70	8.9	40.9	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	18.22	9.7	40.2	18.22	9.7	40.2	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.47	3.2	39.9	16.47	3.2	39.9	—	—	—
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	20.95	8.3	36.0	20.83	9.9	37.3	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.24	7.4	39.8	16.24	7.4	39.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	29.33	10.4	40.0	29.33	10.4	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	19.84	11.3	41.3	19.84	11.3	41.3	—	—	—
Carpenters	18.37	4.9	39.9	18.37	4.9	39.9	—	—	—
Electricians	24.46	10.0	40.0	24.46	10.0	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	25.73	4.6	40.0	25.73	4.6	40.0	—	—	—
Painters, construction and maintenance	15.48	4.9	40.0	15.48	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	18.93	10.1	40.0	18.93	10.1	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.13	7.0	39.9	13.13	7.0	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	18.91	3.9	41.5	18.91	3.9	41.5	—	—	—
Machinists	18.05	3.9	40.0	18.05	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters	12.48	11.8	38.6	12.39	11.9	40.0	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders	15.54	6.9	39.9	15.55	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors									
Lathe and turning machine operators	18.30	3.5	40.0	18.30	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Milling and planing machine operators	14.86	6.9	40.0	14.86	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.29	3.6	39.4	11.27	3.7	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.80	7.6	40.0	13.80	7.6	40.0	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	14.31	4.3	40.0	14.31	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	12.04	9.0	40.0	12.04	9.0	40.0	—	—	—
Metal plating machine operators	12.70	6.7	40.0	12.70	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Heat treating equipment operators	14.83	8.3	40.0	14.83	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Printing press operators	16.32	4.5	39.8	16.32	4.5	39.8	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	16.65	10.8	39.3	16.65	10.8	39.3	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	13.56	10.9	38.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	10.61	.0	40.0	10.61	.0	40.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors—Continued									
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	\$8.71	6.8	31.5	\$9.29	9.4	40.0	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	10.80	9.7	39.2	10.80	9.7	39.2	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	12.33	9.6	40.0	12.33	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	17.14	3.6	40.0	17.14	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	13.19	3.6	40.0	13.19	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	11.14	10.7	40.0	11.14	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	16.36	3.4	40.0	16.36	3.4	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers	10.98	10.3	34.0	11.29	10.3	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	9.02	7.1	40.0	9.02	7.1	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	14.33	7.3	40.0	14.33	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
Production testers	12.51	3.8	40.0	12.51	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	14.06	12.3	36.2	13.10	12.0	41.0	\$18.36	18.4	23.7
Truck drivers	13.54	17.7	37.1	11.79	15.3	41.2	—	—	—
Bus drivers	15.60	5.0	32.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	17.61	5.3	43.4	17.61	5.3	43.4	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	13.87	3.9	39.3	13.94	3.8	39.8	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.13	5.0	36.5	—	—	—	8.57	3.0	19.6
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	18.73	6.2	39.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Construction laborers	18.22	10.2	38.7	18.81	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Production helpers	9.81	14.3	35.6	10.02	14.8	40.0	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	9.46	2.8	28.3	11.01	2.9	39.6	7.07	2.0	19.7
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	12.81	5.8	32.3	13.09	6.8	39.8	—	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.61	4.9	18.9
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	11.23	5.0	37.4	11.48	6.4	39.3	9.15	6.1	26.8
Service	10.44	4.6	28.4	12.23	4.1	39.2	7.25	3.5	19.0
Protective service	15.83	4.8	36.1	17.03	4.9	40.1	9.11	6.2	23.2
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	23.13	2.5	42.0	23.13	2.5	42.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	26.21	11.5	39.6	26.21	11.5	39.6	—	—	—
Firefighting	18.84	2.8	41.6	18.85	2.8	42.0	—	—	—
Police and detectives, public service	18.32	3.4	38.6	18.52	3.4	39.7	—	—	—
Crossing guards	14.55	13.6	12.5	—	—	—	14.55	13.6	12.5
Guards and police, except public service	9.78	4.0	33.6	10.27	5.3	39.9	8.76	3.1	25.5
Protective service, n.e.c.	8.53	8.9	22.4	—	—	—	8.53	8.9	22.4
Food service	7.40	8.4	24.9	8.90	12.6	39.4	5.89	2.6	18.2
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	4.33	4.7	22.4	4.72	9.9	38.4	4.01	8.1	16.7
Waiters and waitresses	3.69	4.6	20.7	3.50	18.0	38.2	3.79	11.3	17.0
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	6.18	13.2	17.8	—	—	—	5.65	10.3	12.8
Other food service	9.28	3.9	26.7	11.07	2.4	39.9	7.26	3.5	19.5
Supervisors, food preparation and service	12.19	7.9	41.9	12.42	9.3	44.9	—	—	—
Cooks	10.45	4.6	30.8	11.22	5.0	36.9	8.24	2.2	20.9
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.92	1.7	26.9	8.85	5.2	39.6	7.21	2.3	21.6
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.60	5.1	21.0	9.47	3.6	38.4	6.72	2.8	17.4
Health service	11.38	5.9	31.0	11.84	7.0	39.0	10.10	3.1	19.7
Health aides, except nursing	13.07	16.8	26.9	14.94	17.1	39.5	9.53	3.5	16.7
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	10.76	1.6	32.6	10.87	1.5	38.8	10.39	3.9	21.6
Cleaning and building service	10.46	3.4	32.5	11.51	4.5	38.6	7.91	4.1	23.4
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	19.03	13.2	39.4	20.13	12.8	40.0	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	7.89	4.6	31.5	8.23	5.3	35.5	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	10.72	3.7	32.4	11.60	3.4	39.3	8.10	3.3	21.2
Personal service	9.32	9.1	21.3	11.72	12.7	37.0	7.55	2.1	16.2
Supervisors, personal service	14.97	9.4	38.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Welfare service aides	10.87	7.6	23.5	12.65	.8	39.5	8.23	5.3	14.7

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, New England: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Personal service—Continued									
Child care workers, n.e.c.	\$9.75	16.5	25.8	\$13.06	12.1	37.7	\$7.36	4.3	21.0
Service, n.e.c.	—	—	—	12.26	7.1	38.6	—	—	—

¹ 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, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April

2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ 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 Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, New England, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$16.82	2.6	35.4	\$17.75	1.6	40.3	\$10.83	8.8	19.9
All, excluding sales	17.09	2.4	36.0	17.78	1.6	40.2	11.85	9.5	20.0
White collar	22.24	8.6	35.9	23.60	8.1	40.7	13.16	8.3	20.1
White collar, excluding sales	23.88	7.7	37.6	24.41	7.9	40.6	18.21	5.1	20.7
Professional specialty and technical	24.43	2.9	36.2	24.57	3.1	40.2	23.31	5.6	20.4
Professional specialty	25.93	4.2	36.2	26.06	4.3	40.4	24.95	6.6	20.3
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Aerospace engineers	36.40	6.9	40.0	36.40	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Chemical engineers	27.72	12.6	40.0	27.72	12.6	40.0	—	—	—
Civil engineers	25.66	5.3	41.4	25.66	5.3	41.4	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	35.03	4.2	40.2	35.03	4.2	40.2	—	—	—
Industrial engineers	27.13	5.5	40.1	27.13	5.5	40.1	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	34.01	5.3	40.0	34.01	5.3	40.0	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	30.89	4.1	39.7	30.89	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.33	4.9	39.8	31.34	4.9	39.9	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	24.03	8.7	39.5	24.03	8.7	39.5	—	—	—
Actuaries	37.38	11.1	39.4	37.38	11.1	39.4	—	—	—
Natural scientists	31.74	11.8	38.2	31.55	12.0	39.5	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	34.98	28.9	38.4	34.98	28.9	38.4	—	—	—
Medical scientists	29.97	17.0	36.0	29.30	17.5	39.6	—	—	—
Health related	24.74	3.9	30.4	24.86	4.7	39.6	24.50	7.4	20.8
Physicians	43.36	13.6	40.6	41.54	15.7	44.4	—	—	—
Registered nurses	23.54	2.3	27.8	23.66	2.1	38.8	23.40	5.5	20.8
Pharmacists	31.03	3.1	36.9	30.52	3.5	39.9	—	—	—
Respiratory therapists	20.44	3.2	39.3	20.47	3.4	39.6	—	—	—
Occupational therapists	22.95	8.1	32.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	43.23	4.4	31.4	43.49	4.5	37.4	40.55	13.1	12.1
Medical science teachers	40.90	8.3	31.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	36.30	7.4	34.5	36.19	8.0	38.6	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	39.81	7.2	27.9	40.51	7.1	35.7	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	16.79	14.8	37.9	—	—	—	18.48	17.7	16.5
Secondary school teachers	28.10	6.6	35.3	28.56	6.6	36.5	22.11	4	24.6
Teachers, special education	20.66	31.7	39.1	20.66	31.7	39.1	—	—	—
Teachers, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	15.70	23.6	13.7
Librarians, archivists, and curators	26.73	8.5	33.4	27.23	8.7	37.2	—	—	—
Librarians	27.05	8.1	35.9	27.23	8.7	37.2	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	27.13	12.8	32.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Psychologists	25.49	18.4	26.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	15.80	4.7	35.6	15.60	4.8	37.9	—	—	—
Social workers	15.58	4.5	35.4	15.33	4.5	38.0	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	36.70	5.8	45.2	36.70	5.8	45.2	—	—	—
Lawyers	36.70	5.8	45.2	36.70	5.8	45.2	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	23.01	9.9	37.3	23.20	10.4	38.7	19.79	22.2	22.9
Designers	24.79	9.7	38.9	25.11	10.2	39.9	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	23.38	20.4	39.8	23.38	20.4	39.8	—	—	—
Public relations specialists	27.80	13.9	38.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Professional, n.e.c.	31.55	10.7	39.9	31.55	10.7	39.9	—	—	—
Technical	18.88	3.1	36.0	19.15	3.8	39.5	16.71	4.7	21.0
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.87	6.0	34.6	17.14	6.6	39.0	15.03	8.9	19.3
Radiological technicians	21.89	3.7	29.2	22.89	4.2	38.9	18.86	2.2	16.7
Licensed practical nurses	16.42	1.9	29.5	16.72	2.1	38.7	15.99	3.9	22.1
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.12	2.9	35.8	15.12	3.2	39.6	15.11	9.4	19.6
Electrical and electronic technicians	18.95	4.1	39.8	18.95	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	22.87	5.9	37.4	23.06	5.6	39.9	—	—	—
Drafters	18.75	7.6	39.8	18.75	7.6	39.8	—	—	—
Science technicians, n.e.c.	19.96	6.5	38.4	19.45	7.3	39.7	—	—	—
Computer programmers	25.97	7.1	38.7	26.10	6.9	39.1	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	18.23	9.5	39.8	18.23	9.5	39.8	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	33.52	7.5	42.3	33.57	7.4	42.5	21.16	14.6	21.5

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, New England, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued									
Executives, administrators, and managers	\$36.77	4.5	43.1	\$36.82	4.4	43.3	—	—	—
Financial managers	27.86	9.1	40.2	27.96	9.2	40.4	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	39.85	7.8	41.3	39.85	7.8	41.3	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	31.25	10.8	38.4	31.53	11.1	39.9	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	22.97	11.1	46.3	22.97	11.1	46.3	—	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	21.79	16.5	39.5	21.79	16.5	39.5	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	46.02	9.4	44.1	46.02	9.4	44.1	—	—	—
Management related	22.25	3.1	39.7	22.22	3.1	39.9	—	—	—
Accountants and auditors	20.19	5.1	38.6	20.17	5.2	38.9	—	—	—
Underwriters	26.11	9.6	40.0	26.11	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	21.09	9.8	40.0	21.09	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
Management analysts	26.44	6.9	39.6	26.44	6.9	39.6	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	24.04	4.1	40.4	24.04	4.1	40.4	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	27.69	9.6	41.6	27.69	9.6	41.6	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	22.36	8.5	40.0	22.36	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	22.47	7.2	39.9	22.22	7.3	40.1	—	—	—
Sales	13.38	6.8	28.9	17.25	7.8	40.9	\$6.92	3.1	19.4
Supervisors, sales	19.27	10.7	41.5	19.27	10.7	41.5	—	—	—
Insurance sales	20.71	10.2	39.2	20.71	10.2	39.2	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	24.24	6.1	41.7	24.24	6.1	41.7	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	27.18	10.6	40.9	27.18	10.6	40.9	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	22.49	17.7	41.5	22.49	17.7	41.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	9.94	13.7	25.5	14.40	17.1	39.1	6.75	5.3	20.4
Sales counter clerks	9.71	7.2	29.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cashiers	7.17	3.1	21.3	8.04	5.0	39.2	6.88	3.4	18.5
Sales support, n.e.c.	18.67	18.0	39.2	18.91	18.1	39.9	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	13.96	3.7	35.4	14.16	3.9	39.3	12.59	4.3	21.1
Supervisors, general office	17.43	2.7	41.3	17.43	2.7	41.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	20.71	6.0	39.2	20.71	6.0	39.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	21.99	16.7	39.3	21.99	16.7	39.3	—	—	—
Computer operators	16.27	8.5	37.5	16.27	8.9	39.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	15.09	2.3	35.2	15.37	2.3	38.8	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.14	8.0	32.8	11.34	7.8	37.8	10.58	8.2	23.7
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	14.98	4.4	36.5	15.11	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Receptionists	10.59	4.4	36.2	10.73	4.1	38.5	8.99	6.7	21.6
Order clerks	13.46	4.2	38.1	13.58	4.5	39.3	—	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	16.04	9.7	36.9	16.30	9.8	39.7	—	—	—
Library clerks	12.98	11.0	36.0	13.02	11.1	36.4	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	11.78	5.6	37.8	11.86	6.2	39.4	—	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	13.25	4.2	31.9	13.24	3.2	39.5	13.31	20.9	15.1
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.25	15.6	36.2	16.30	16.3	39.3	—	—	—
Billing clerks	11.33	6.2	39.2	11.29	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone operators	9.30	6.2	25.6	9.84	8.0	40.0	8.52	4.1	16.8
Mail clerks, except postal service	9.97	5.7	36.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Production coordinators	17.72	6.3	39.9	17.72	6.3	39.9	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	14.11	5.4	39.4	14.13	5.4	39.5	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	14.60	3.4	39.3	14.73	3.0	39.9	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	17.55	7.9	38.3	17.25	8.5	38.9	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	14.07	7.8	37.6	13.98	7.8	39.1	15.75	13.2	22.7
Bill and account collectors	15.20	10.4	39.4	15.20	10.4	39.4	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, New England, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
General office clerks	\$12.11	3.7	30.5	\$12.51	5.0	38.9	\$11.07	4.7	19.5
Bank tellers	11.25	8.0	33.9	11.95	8.5	37.7	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	12.89	9.4	35.8	12.65	13.5	39.3	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	13.42	5.9	31.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Administrative support, n.e.c.	13.37	7.4	35.2	13.95	7.5	39.6	9.23	11.9	19.6
Blue collar	12.75	7.8	38.1	12.76	8.3	40.1	12.58	22.2	21.1
Precision production, craft, and repair									
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	16.47	8.6	40.9	16.47	8.6	40.9	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	17.97	10.1	40.2	17.97	10.1	40.2	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.47	3.2	39.9	16.47	3.2	39.9	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.09	9.0	39.8	16.09	9.0	39.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	29.42	10.7	40.0	29.42	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	20.23	12.8	41.4	20.23	12.8	41.4	—	—	—
Carpenters	18.20	5.0	39.9	18.20	5.0	39.9	—	—	—
Electricians	25.16	10.3	40.0	25.16	10.3	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	25.64	5.6	40.0	25.64	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	19.72	13.1	40.0	19.72	13.1	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	18.91	3.9	41.5	18.91	3.9	41.5	—	—	—
Machinists	18.05	3.9	40.0	18.05	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters	12.48	11.8	38.6	12.39	11.9	40.0	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders	15.55	6.9	40.0	15.55	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors									
Lathe and turning machine operators	18.30	3.5	40.0	18.30	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Milling and planing machine operators	14.86	6.9	40.0	14.86	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.29	3.6	39.4	11.27	3.7	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.80	7.6	40.0	13.80	7.6	40.0	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	14.31	4.3	40.0	14.31	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	12.04	9.0	40.0	12.04	9.0	40.0	—	—	—
Metal plating machine operators	12.70	6.7	40.0	12.70	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Heat treating equipment operators	14.83	8.3	40.0	14.83	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Printing press operators	16.32	4.5	39.8	16.32	4.5	39.8	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	16.65	10.8	39.3	16.65	10.8	39.3	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	13.56	10.9	38.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	10.61	.0	40.0	10.61	.0	40.0	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	8.38	5.8	30.9	8.85	8.2	40.0	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	10.80	9.7	39.2	10.80	9.7	39.2	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	12.33	9.6	40.0	12.33	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	17.14	3.6	40.0	17.14	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	13.19	3.6	40.0	13.19	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	11.14	10.7	40.0	11.14	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	16.23	4.0	40.0	16.23	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers	10.98	10.3	34.0	11.29	10.3	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	9.02	7.1	40.0	9.02	7.1	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	14.33	7.3	40.0	14.33	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
Production testers	12.51	3.8	40.0	12.51	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving									
Truck drivers	13.53	17.8	37.1	11.75	15.4	41.2	18.44	18.5	23.7
Bus drivers	14.11	6.6	31.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	17.61	5.3	43.4	17.61	5.3	43.4	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	13.86	3.9	39.3	13.93	3.8	39.8	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers									
	10.05	4.8	36.4	—	—	—	8.57	3.0	19.6

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, New England, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar —Continued									
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers —Continued									
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	\$18.73	6.2	39.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Construction laborers	19.64	10.0	38.3	\$20.57	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Production helpers	9.81	14.3	35.6	10.02	14.8	40.0	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	9.46	2.8	28.3	11.01	2.9	39.6	\$7.07	2.0	19.7
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	12.80	5.8	32.3	13.09	6.8	39.8	—	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.61	4.9	18.9
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	10.55	5.2	37.3	10.69	6.4	39.2	9.32	7.6	26.6
Service									
Protective service	8.84	5.2	26.8	10.17	5.6	38.9	7.09	3.3	19.0
Guards and police, except public service	9.71	3.8	33.4	10.20	5.6	39.9	8.71	3.0	25.1
Food service	9.59	3.7	33.5	10.01	5.4	39.9	8.74	3.2	25.5
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	7.25	8.3	24.7	8.71	12.8	39.5	5.83	2.5	18.2
Waiters and waitresses	4.33	4.7	22.4	4.72	9.9	38.4	4.01	8.1	16.7
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	3.69	4.6	20.7	3.50	18.0	38.2	3.79	11.3	17.0
Other food service	6.18	13.2	17.8	—	—	—	5.65	10.3	12.8
Supervisors, food preparation and service	9.15	3.9	26.6	10.96	2.4	40.2	7.19	3.7	19.5
Cooks	12.14	7.8	41.9	12.37	9.3	44.9	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	10.19	4.9	30.3	11.01	5.6	37.2	8.18	2.1	20.8
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.86	1.7	27.3	8.85	5.2	39.6	7.03	2.3	21.7
Health service	7.45	4.6	20.8	9.26	3.9	38.3	6.63	3.0	17.3
Health aides, except nursing	11.21	7.2	30.2	11.78	8.9	38.9	9.86	2.2	19.7
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	13.14	17.5	26.7	15.10	17.6	39.7	9.50	3.7	16.7
Cleaning and building service	10.36	1.8	31.7	10.48	1.9	38.5	10.05	2.5	21.7
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	9.64	3.7	31.5	10.61	4.8	38.2	7.82	3.9	23.7
Maids and housemen	15.94	9.1	38.7	17.88	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	7.86	4.5	31.4	8.19	5.3	35.4	—	—	—
Personal service	10.13	4.5	31.3	11.08	4.5	39.2	7.97	3.3	21.6
Welfare service aides	8.86	7.5	20.9	10.96	17.2	36.9	7.47	1.7	16.2
Child care workers, n.e.c.	9.99	7.8	21.1	—	—	—	8.23	5.3	14.7
Service, n.e.c.	8.38	11.5	30.4	10.79	5.4	40.2	—	—	—
	—	—	—	11.36	3.2	39.1	—	—	—

¹ 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, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April

2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ 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 Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, New England, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$22.75	1.8	35.6	\$23.27	1.7	37.4	\$12.72	4.9	18.0
All, excluding sales	22.78	1.8	35.6	23.29	1.7	37.4	12.79	4.9	17.9
White collar	25.80	2.9	34.9	26.25	2.9	36.4	14.70	5.8	17.2
White collar, excluding sales	25.87	2.9	34.9	26.30	2.9	36.4	14.91	5.9	17.0
Professional specialty and technical	30.93	3.3	34.7	31.29	3.3	35.9	18.00	10.9	16.4
Professional specialty	31.52	3.3	34.7	31.80	3.3	35.8	19.06	12.9	15.1
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	30.64	3.6	37.0	30.64	3.6	37.0	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Natural scientists	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Health related	26.11	5.5	36.4	25.97	5.7	38.6	28.49	11.7	18.7
Registered nurses	24.80	4.7	35.9	24.77	4.9	38.1	25.19	12.8	18.3
Teachers, college and university	37.35	6.6	36.3	38.11	7.0	37.9	22.32	2.8	19.9
Other post-secondary teachers	37.34	4.4	35.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	32.79	4.4	33.8	33.09	4.5	34.8	13.47	18.7	11.9
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	38.14	8.5	33.8	38.14	8.5	33.8	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	34.72	3.4	34.1	34.70	3.4	34.1	—	—	—
Secondary school teachers	31.85	7.1	35.7	31.85	7.1	35.7	—	—	—
Teachers, special education	29.75	7.3	35.1	29.66	7.4	35.2	—	—	—
Teachers, n.e.c.	33.33	22.5	31.8	35.01	22.4	34.8	—	—	—
Substitute teachers	11.90	13.0	13.9	—	—	—	9.29	4.0	9.2
Vocational and educational counselors	30.11	10.9	36.6	31.19	11.1	36.4	—	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	29.05	19.3	35.9	29.20	19.4	36.1	—	—	—
Librarians	29.05	19.3	35.9	29.20	19.4	36.1	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	23.07	5.3	37.1	23.07	5.3	37.1	—	—	—
Social workers	23.07	5.3	37.1	23.07	5.3	37.1	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	32.77	10.3	37.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Technical	18.51	11.7	34.8	19.17	12.4	38.0	14.47	13.8	22.9
Licensed practical nurses	15.80	3.4	37.2	15.87	3.9	39.7	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.87	5.3	37.2	29.95	5.3	38.3	24.24	3.6	12.8
Executives, administrators, and managers	33.48	6.2	37.6	33.62	6.1	38.9	24.60	4.5	12.3
Administrators and officials, public administration	31.25	11.1	37.7	31.26	11.1	38.5	—	—	—
Financial managers	33.54	3.9	39.6	33.54	3.9	39.6	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	35.80	9.7	38.8	36.15	9.9	39.9	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	33.33	7.5	35.7	33.33	7.5	35.7	—	—	—
Management related	20.72	5.1	36.3	20.70	5.1	36.8	—	—	—
Accountants and auditors	20.09	5.9	37.7	20.08	5.9	37.8	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	24.76	6.7	31.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	20.19	12.2	36.1	20.20	12.3	36.3	—	—	—
Sales	14.82	11.7	35.2	16.58	10.2	40.0	—	—	—
Cashiers	14.65	15.7	33.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	14.06	4.6	33.9	14.25	4.9	36.2	11.55	6.3	18.1
Secretaries	17.64	4.5	35.8	17.74	4.5	37.8	—	—	—
Typists	14.17	1.6	34.8	14.30	2.0	35.7	—	—	—
Library clerks	13.77	8.2	25.9	—	—	—	12.27	6.3	18.5
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	14.44	4.9	37.0	14.37	5.3	37.6	—	—	—
Dispatchers	16.50	7.0	36.7	16.66	6.8	39.7	—	—	—
General office clerks	15.09	3.3	37.2	15.09	3.3	37.3	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	10.48	7.3	32.6	10.35	7.3	34.2	12.35	18.9	19.4
Administrative support, n.e.c.	17.67	4.6	35.1	18.52	6.9	36.4	—	—	—
Blue collar	17.72	3.6	39.4	17.87	3.9	39.9	11.05	17.2	25.9
Precision production, craft, and repair	18.77	5.0	39.9	18.78	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.92	9.9	39.8	16.92	9.9	39.8	—	—	—
Electricians	21.47	12.4	40.0	21.47	12.4	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.12	10.0	39.9	13.12	10.0	39.9	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, New England, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ 2000—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	\$17.67	8.4	38.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	18.32	3.9	38.5	\$18.77	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Truck drivers	14.32	9.3	36.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	14.32	4.1	39.2	14.59	4.4	39.9	—	—	—
Construction laborers	14.00	4.1	40.0	14.00	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	14.93	8.7	38.0	15.77	8.9	39.8	—	—	—
Service	16.52	1.9	36.2	17.08	1.8	39.7	\$10.49	7.2	18.5
Protective service	19.01	2.1	37.7	19.55	1.8	40.1	10.29	13.7	19.1
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	23.13	2.5	42.0	23.13	2.5	42.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	26.21	11.5	39.6	26.21	11.5	39.6	—	—	—
Firefighting	18.84	2.8	41.6	18.85	2.8	42.0	—	—	—
Police and detectives, public service	18.32	3.4	38.6	18.52	3.4	39.7	—	—	—
Crossing guards	14.55	13.6	12.5	—	—	—	14.55	13.6	12.5
Guards and police, except public service	16.21	8.4	38.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Protective service, n.e.c.	8.67	11.4	23.3	—	—	—	8.67	11.4	23.3
Food service	11.37	4.5	29.2	12.46	2.4	36.7	8.85	3.2	19.9
Other food service	11.37	4.5	29.2	12.46	2.4	36.7	8.85	3.2	19.9
Cooks	12.40	3.0	35.5	12.41	3.1	35.6	—	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	9.97	9.0	24.5	11.71	9.7	39.2	8.50	3.6	18.6
Health service	12.27	3.1	35.8	12.09	2.5	39.3	13.95	13.2	19.6
Health aides, except nursing	11.69	6.6	29.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	12.32	3.2	36.5	12.09	2.6	39.5	14.85	11.5	19.6
Cleaning and building service	13.98	7.1	37.6	14.09	7.4	39.8	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	12.83	3.8	37.2	12.92	4.3	39.7	—	—	—
Personal service	13.98	6.2	26.7	15.99	5.8	37.3	9.12	7.2	15.8
Child care workers, n.e.c.	13.72	19.4	18.0	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹ 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, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April

2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ 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 Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$17.45	1.7	35.4	\$16.82	2.6	35.4	\$22.75	1.8	35.6
All, excluding sales	17.74	1.7	36.0	17.09	2.4	36.0	22.78	1.8	35.6
White collar	22.74	7.0	35.7	22.24	8.6	35.9	25.80	2.9	34.9
1	7.08	3.0	20.3	6.99	2.4	20.3	11.04	6.5	20.7
2	8.46	4.6	28.7	8.01	5.5	27.5	9.72	5.8	32.5
3	11.11	6.1	30.9	10.88	6.8	30.7	13.00	2.2	33.0
4	13.91	4.7	36.0	13.87	5.2	36.2	14.29	2.6	34.9
5	14.76	3.2	36.3	14.60	3.2	36.7	17.04	3.0	30.9
6	17.41	2.3	37.1	17.04	2.3	37.6	19.46	2.9	34.5
7	20.71	3.3	34.6	19.33	2.6	34.5	27.12	7.8	34.9
8	24.04	2.1	36.5	23.51	3.5	37.0	27.27	13.4	33.8
9	26.96	3.4	39.6	25.70	3.7	40.9	31.60	4.8	35.5
10	28.22	2.4	37.7	28.08	2.6	37.2	28.85	7.9	40.1
11	30.72	4.2	41.3	30.16	4.1	42.0	33.99	3.1	37.9
12	42.85	3.4	39.0	43.45	3.9	39.0	39.59	4.6	38.8
13	—	—	—	—	—	—	55.38	7.0	36.0
14	55.82	4.9	40.4	56.77	5.2	39.8	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	23.42	9.0	36.0	22.51	13.1	37.3	25.12	9.6	33.7
White collar, excluding sales	24.20	6.2	37.1	23.88	7.7	37.6	25.87	2.9	34.9
1	8.00	8.6	30.8	7.66	2.4	32.5	11.12	6.1	20.8
2	8.96	6.9	32.2	8.50	9.9	32.0	9.74	6.1	32.6
3	12.15	2.7	32.8	12.03	3.2	32.8	12.82	2.1	32.8
4	14.15	5.0	37.0	14.13	5.6	37.3	14.31	2.6	34.9
5	14.81	2.6	34.2	14.58	2.6	34.6	17.04	3.0	30.9
6	17.28	2.3	36.9	16.84	2.1	37.4	19.52	2.9	34.5
7	20.81	3.4	34.4	19.38	2.5	34.3	27.16	7.8	34.9
8	24.21	2.2	36.2	23.66	3.5	36.7	27.27	13.4	33.8
9	26.93	3.5	39.6	25.58	3.8	41.0	31.60	4.8	35.5
10	28.35	2.4	37.6	28.23	2.8	37.0	28.85	7.9	40.1
11	30.45	3.9	41.4	29.82	3.6	42.0	33.99	3.1	37.9
12	42.83	3.5	39.0	43.45	4.0	39.0	39.59	4.6	38.8
13	—	—	—	—	—	—	55.38	7.0	36.0
14	55.82	4.9	40.4	56.77	5.2	39.8	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	23.14	9.1	35.9	22.04	13.3	37.3	25.12	9.6	33.7
Professional specialty and technical	25.85	2.6	35.8	24.43	2.9	36.2	30.93	3.3	34.7
Professional specialty	27.34	3.7	35.8	25.93	4.2	36.2	31.52	3.3	34.7
5	—	—	—	—	—	—	10.80	8.5	11.4
6	20.25	8.7	32.4	18.38	10.5	33.2	24.97	8.6	30.5
7	23.37	5.8	30.3	20.57	4.1	29.0	30.35	8.5	34.3
8	25.37	4.4	34.1	24.51	3.7	34.1	28.08	14.9	34.2
9	27.08	4.3	38.5	24.73	1.8	40.1	32.26	5.3	35.4
10	28.04	3.5	36.4	27.68	3.1	35.7	29.82	14.0	40.1
11	32.90	2.5	38.3	32.87	2.6	38.7	32.98	4.1	37.1
12	41.10	3.1	37.0	40.84	3.5	36.8	—	—	—
13	51.34	3.6	35.8	50.41	3.1	35.8	—	—	—
14	58.58	8.7	38.0	58.67	9.0	37.9	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	21.46	10.2	35.3	19.42	11.9	36.2	26.28	12.9	33.5
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	—	—	—	—	—	—	30.64	3.6	37.0
7	22.49	3.4	40.7	22.49	3.4	40.7	—	—	—
10	28.67	5.4	40.3	28.67	5.4	40.3	—	—	—
11	32.65	2.6	39.2	33.20	4.2	40.3	—	—	—
12	37.62	4.2	39.9	37.62	4.2	39.9	—	—	—
13	47.47	4.6	40.0	47.47	4.6	40.0	—	—	—
Aerospace engineers	36.40	6.9	40.0	36.40	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
12	39.72	8.1	40.0	39.72	8.1	40.0	—	—	—
Chemical engineers	27.72	12.6	40.0	27.72	12.6	40.0	—	—	—
Civil engineers	28.61	6.0	38.7	25.66	5.3	41.4	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	35.03	4.2	40.2	35.03	4.2	40.2	—	—	—
9	29.40	7.1	40.7	29.40	7.1	40.7	—	—	—
11	35.16	3.5	40.0	35.16	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial engineers	27.13	5.5	40.1	27.13	5.5	40.1	—	—	—
9	26.12	7.1	40.0	26.12	7.1	40.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Engineers, architects, and surveyors—Continued									
Engineers, n.e.c.	\$32.85	4.2	39.2	\$34.01	5.3	40.0	—	—	—
11	33.13	5.8	38.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	30.60	4.1	39.7	30.89	4.1	39.7	—	—	—
7	20.40	5.3	39.5	20.40	5.3	39.5	—	—	—
9	26.82	2.5	39.5	27.35	2.2	39.8	—	—	—
10	33.92	5.5	41.2	33.92	5.5	41.2	—	—	—
11	33.40	3.4	40.8	33.40	3.4	40.8	—	—	—
12	36.49	4.2	37.1	36.49	4.2	37.1	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.07	4.8	39.7	31.33	4.9	39.8	—	—	—
7	20.31	5.4	39.4	20.31	5.4	39.4	—	—	—
9	26.84	2.7	39.7	27.32	2.3	40.0	—	—	—
10	33.53	6.9	41.6	33.53	6.9	41.6	—	—	—
11	33.32	3.4	40.8	33.32	3.4	40.8	—	—	—
12	36.67	4.5	36.8	36.67	4.5	36.8	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	23.76	8.1	39.3	24.03	8.7	39.5	—	—	—
9	24.53	4.8	38.5	25.22	4.3	38.7	—	—	—
Actuaries	37.38	11.1	39.4	37.38	11.1	39.4	—	—	—
Natural scientists	31.44	10.1	37.8	31.74	11.8	38.2	—	—	—
13	49.51	7.3	36.6	49.51	7.3	36.6	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	34.73	28.1	38.5	34.98	28.9	38.4	—	—	—
Medical scientists	29.57	16.3	36.2	29.97	17.0	36.0	—	—	—
Health related	24.84	3.7	30.7	24.74	3.9	30.4	\$26.11	5.5	36.4
6	20.73	7.6	34.0	20.93	7.9	33.6	—	—	—
7	21.25	5.1	26.4	21.10	5.3	26.2	26.91	2.2	35.9
8	24.78	3.1	32.1	24.66	3.2	32.1	26.72	10.2	31.8
9	24.48	2.4	33.1	23.97	2.3	32.7	27.38	7.1	35.7
10	24.76	7.0	40.4	25.96	5.6	38.8	—	—	—
11	28.94	6.6	38.0	29.14	7.5	38.4	—	—	—
14	72.59	7.3	35.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	26.25	18.9	36.2	26.39	18.9	36.2	—	—	—
Physicians	41.59	13.4	41.2	43.36	13.6	40.6	—	—	—
14	72.59	7.3	35.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Registered nurses	23.63	2.2	28.2	23.54	2.3	27.8	24.80	4.7	35.9
6	21.13	8.6	33.6	21.40	8.9	33.1	—	—	—
7	22.15	5.6	22.7	22.00	6.0	22.4	26.28	1.5	35.6
8	24.90	3.3	31.8	24.78	3.4	31.8	26.72	10.2	31.8
9	23.54	2.0	31.9	23.46	2.2	31.3	24.10	3.8	36.6
10	26.29	2.2	36.4	26.29	2.2	36.4	—	—	—
11	28.62	4.6	36.8	29.15	5.1	36.2	—	—	—
Pharmacists	31.03	3.1	36.9	31.03	3.1	36.9	—	—	—
Respiratory therapists	20.44	3.2	39.3	20.44	3.2	39.3	—	—	—
Occupational therapists	25.53	12.3	32.3	22.95	8.1	32.0	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	40.67	4.3	33.4	43.23	4.4	31.4	37.35	6.6	36.3
9	33.03	3.6	27.5	36.41	12.6	12.0	32.41	1.9	35.9
10	33.19	9.5	26.0	29.37	12.2	19.4	—	—	—
11	36.67	4.0	36.3	37.06	4.0	35.8	36.03	7.3	37.2
12	51.13	4.2	33.8	55.09	4.1	32.0	—	—	—
13	56.25	5.7	35.5	53.96	5.2	35.6	—	—	—
Medical science teachers	40.90	8.3	31.5	40.90	8.3	31.5	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	30.57	10.1	25.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers ..	52.72	20.0	35.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	36.55	7.7	35.1	36.30	7.4	34.5	—	—	—
10	46.40	5.3	25.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Education teachers	47.99	12.9	36.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
English teachers	38.00	20.9	37.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trade and industrial teachers	31.92	5.3	37.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	38.18	4.1	32.6	39.81	7.2	27.9	37.34	4.4	35.7

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Teachers, college and university—Continued									
Other post-secondary teachers—Continued									
10	\$34.53	5.4	17.2	\$34.53	5.4	17.2	—	—	—
11	36.35	8.0	36.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	27.34	10.7	35.1	16.79	14.8	37.9	\$32.79	4.4	33.8
5	—	—	—	—	—	—	9.99	7.1	10.4
6	22.92	17.6	27.5	13.38	7.3	30.7	—	—	—
7	32.65	8.5	34.0	28.00	8.4	36.6	32.89	8.8	33.9
8	33.71	10.1	33.6	24.61	7.0	30.2	34.76	9.5	34.0
9	32.49	5.6	35.4	28.43	6.8	36.5	33.09	6.9	35.2
10	33.41	12.8	37.0	33.41	12.8	37.0	—	—	—
11	27.37	17.4	36.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	21.56	20.6	36.3	—	—	—	38.14	8.5	33.8
9	38.68	10.0	34.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	34.24	3.0	34.4	—	—	—	34.72	3.4	34.1
7	34.58	8.7	33.6	—	—	—	34.68	9.0	33.5
9	33.85	3.5	34.9	—	—	—	34.48	4.5	34.5
Secondary school teachers	31.47	6.0	35.7	28.10	6.6	35.3	31.85	7.1	35.7
7	32.67	9.6	34.1	—	—	—	32.76	9.9	34.1
8	36.16	6.7	32.8	24.56	7.8	32.7	—	—	—
9	30.65	7.4	36.6	28.93	7.9	35.8	30.87	9.0	36.7
Teachers, special education	28.71	8.1	35.5	20.66	31.7	39.1	29.75	7.3	35.1
9	29.01	9.1	35.5	—	—	—	29.69	8.7	35.3
Teachers, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	33.33	22.5	31.8
9	34.71	21.5	32.7	—	—	—	35.01	22.4	34.8
Substitute teachers	11.90	13.0	13.9	—	—	—	11.90	13.0	13.9
5	9.37	4.5	9.8	—	—	—	9.37	4.5	9.8
Vocational and educational counselors	29.87	10.0	36.6	—	—	—	30.11	10.9	36.6
Librarians, archivists, and curators	28.19	13.0	34.9	26.73	8.5	33.4	29.05	19.3	35.9
9	34.95	12.9	35.7	—	—	—	39.02	8.3	34.5
Librarians	28.32	13.0	35.9	27.05	8.1	35.9	29.05	19.3	35.9
9	34.95	12.9	35.7	—	—	—	39.02	8.3	34.5
Social scientists and urban planners	27.38	8.8	33.5	27.13	12.8	32.9	—	—	—
Psychologists	26.90	16.9	26.2	25.49	18.4	26.4	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	18.69	3.8	36.2	15.80	4.7	35.6	23.07	5.3	37.1
7	16.63	6.5	37.2	14.08	7.4	37.1	20.74	7.6	37.2
8	19.13	15.3	38.0	17.07	14.9	40.0	—	—	—
9	22.71	8.2	34.2	19.62	7.4	31.9	—	—	—
Social workers	18.80	3.9	36.1	15.58	4.5	35.4	23.07	5.3	37.1
7	16.67	7.1	37.0	13.82	7.1	36.8	20.74	7.6	37.2
8	18.60	18.6	37.6	15.35	15.2	40.0	—	—	—
9	22.71	8.2	34.2	19.62	7.4	31.9	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	33.93	7.2	39.1	36.70	5.8	45.2	32.77	10.3	37.1
Lawyers	33.06	6.9	39.2	36.70	5.8	45.2	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	22.66	9.0	36.5	23.01	9.9	37.3	—	—	—
8	25.29	13.6	38.2	26.64	13.0	38.4	—	—	—
9	21.47	4.8	38.3	21.47	4.9	38.4	—	—	—
12	39.11	5.1	38.1	39.11	5.1	38.1	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	13.94	8.4	32.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Designers	24.79	9.7	38.9	24.79	9.7	38.9	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	23.38	20.4	39.8	23.38	20.4	39.8	—	—	—
Public relations specialists	26.13	14.4	37.7	27.80	13.9	38.0	—	—	—
Professional, n.e.c.	31.55	10.7	39.9	31.55	10.7	39.9	—	—	—
Technical	18.86	3.0	36.0	18.88	3.1	36.0	18.51	11.7	34.8
3	11.99	5.1	28.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	14.39	3.9	35.2	14.34	4.2	35.2	15.25	2.4	35.1
5	16.84	3.1	30.9	16.74	3.3	30.5	18.28	4.8	37.5
6	17.53	2.9	37.0	17.48	3.1	37.0	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Technical—Continued									
7	\$19.19	4.3	38.1	\$19.38	4.7	38.2	—	—	—
8	20.51	5.5	37.8	20.53	5.8	38.9	—	—	—
9	24.35	3.1	39.1	24.41	3.1	39.1	—	—	—
11	35.72	18.7	36.3	39.19	24.4	35.7	—	—	—
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.83	5.6	34.6	16.87	6.0	34.6	—	—	—
5	13.15	4.9	35.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	18.62	11.3	33.7	18.62	11.3	33.7	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	21.89	3.7	29.2	21.89	3.7	29.2	—	—	—
6	21.68	6.4	31.5	21.68	6.4	31.5	—	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	16.34	1.7	30.2	16.42	1.9	29.5	\$15.80	3.4	37.2
4	15.93	2.5	34.0	16.03	2.6	33.5	—	—	—
5	16.39	3.1	27.7	16.32	3.3	27.2	—	—	—
6	18.13	6.5	31.4	18.34	6.3	30.8	—	—	—
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.27	3.1	35.0	15.12	2.9	35.8	—	—	—
4	12.23	2.9	35.5	12.22	2.9	35.5	—	—	—
5	16.65	4.4	36.2	15.94	1.9	36.0	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	18.97	4.0	39.7	18.95	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
6	18.85	1.8	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	18.81	4.5	39.9	18.81	4.5	39.9	—	—	—
8	24.98	7.5	37.9	24.98	7.5	37.9	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	22.79	5.7	37.5	22.87	5.9	37.4	—	—	—
7	24.29	6.0	40.0	24.48	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Drafters	18.75	7.6	39.8	18.75	7.6	39.8	—	—	—
5	19.88	8.7	40.0	19.88	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
Science technicians, n.e.c.	18.58	11.1	38.2	19.96	6.5	38.4	—	—	—
Computer programmers	25.97	7.1	38.7	25.97	7.1	38.7	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	18.23	9.5	39.8	18.23	9.5	39.8	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	33.16	7.2	41.7	33.52	7.5	42.3	29.87	5.3	37.2
5	16.06	5.8	38.1	14.59	2.6	38.6	—	—	—
6	16.14	3.8	39.3	15.57	5.7	42.2	—	—	—
7	18.04	4.0	37.8	17.79	4.3	38.3	19.83	9.5	35.2
8	23.69	7.0	39.4	23.74	7.4	39.7	22.92	3.8	34.4
9	26.84	6.0	42.1	27.00	6.2	42.6	24.27	3.6	35.8
10	28.32	3.6	39.7	28.52	4.7	39.6	27.77	3.7	40.0
11	—	—	—	—	—	—	36.29	7.0	39.5
12	43.91	5.0	40.3	45.16	5.7	40.6	38.07	5.0	39.0
14	53.42	5.1	42.7	54.85	5.4	41.9	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	33.27	16.1	35.9	39.74	25.7	40.9	27.55	8.1	32.3
Executives, administrators, and managers	36.47	4.5	42.5	36.77	4.5	43.1	33.48	6.2	37.6
7	18.56	7.0	36.8	18.65	8.4	37.1	—	—	—
8	26.41	8.4	40.5	26.60	8.1	40.5	—	—	—
9	28.11	6.3	42.7	28.32	6.4	43.3	24.37	3.1	34.4
10	28.70	4.4	40.1	29.10	6.1	40.1	27.88	3.8	40.1
11	—	—	—	—	—	—	36.48	7.2	39.4
12	45.00	5.5	40.6	46.79	6.3	41.0	38.07	5.0	39.0
14	53.43	5.1	42.8	54.87	5.5	41.9	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	37.39	18.8	34.6	53.24	23.5	40.7	28.69	7.3	31.9
Administrators and officials, public administration	31.25	11.1	37.7	—	—	—	31.25	11.1	37.7
9	25.33	3.3	36.8	—	—	—	25.33	3.3	36.8
Financial managers	28.47	8.2	40.1	27.86	9.1	40.2	33.54	3.9	39.6
7	19.09	12.5	38.8	19.09	12.5	38.8	—	—	—
9	24.58	2.9	39.5	24.58	2.9	39.5	—	—	—
11	31.62	4.3	41.7	30.66	4.7	42.3	—	—	—
12	34.42	6.0	42.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	39.85	7.8	41.3	39.85	7.8	41.3	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial—Continued									
Executives, administrators, and managers—Continued									
Administrators, education and related fields	\$34.09	8.5	38.6	\$31.25	10.8	38.4	\$35.80	9.7	38.8
9	22.08	3.7	32.5	21.82	5.6	33.9	—	—	—
10	30.74	14.7	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	33.84	10.7	42.0	—	—	—	38.22	14.0	42.0
12	44.72	5.1	37.7	43.88	8.7	39.4	—	—	—
Managers, medicine and health									
11	31.51	9.2	39.9	31.62	11.1	39.9	—	—	—
12	40.00	7.1	41.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	22.97	11.1	46.3	22.97	11.1	46.3	—	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	21.69	16.2	39.5	21.79	16.5	39.5	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	45.74	9.5	43.9	46.02	9.4	44.1	33.33	7.5	35.7
7	21.63	5.0	37.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	28.31	6.4	40.6	28.31	6.4	40.6	—	—	—
9	28.05	4.7	49.7	28.08	4.7	49.9	—	—	—
10	32.08	6.3	40.3	32.23	6.4	40.3	—	—	—
11	34.54	3.9	39.5	33.62	5.8	41.4	—	—	—
12	50.57	9.2	41.3	50.57	9.2	41.3	—	—	—
14	55.62	9.6	41.3	55.57	10.5	41.4	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	55.33	23.3	40.7	55.33	23.3	40.7	—	—	—
Management related	22.07	3.0	39.3	22.25	3.1	39.7	20.72	5.1	36.3
5	16.19	5.9	38.1	14.71	2.6	38.5	—	—	—
6	15.94	4.8	37.8	14.77	9.5	40.7	—	—	—
7	17.70	4.5	38.6	17.26	4.4	39.0	21.62	6.5	35.3
8	21.65	2.9	38.7	21.47	3.2	39.2	23.84	1.2	33.3
9	23.66	2.2	40.8	23.62	2.3	41.0	24.10	8.6	38.7
11	28.89	3.4	40.7	28.86	3.5	40.7	—	—	—
12	37.09	5.2	38.6	37.09	5.2	38.6	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	20.74	9.3	40.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Accountants and auditors	20.17	4.5	38.5	20.19	5.1	38.6	20.09	5.9	37.7
7	17.94	4.7	38.3	17.98	4.8	38.3	—	—	—
8	22.30	5.8	38.8	22.10	6.0	38.8	—	—	—
9	23.58	4.8	40.0	23.58	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Underwriters	26.11	9.6	40.0	26.11	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	21.09	9.8	40.0	21.09	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
8	24.31	3.0	37.3	24.31	3.0	37.3	—	—	—
Management analysts	26.24	6.5	39.5	26.44	6.9	39.6	—	—	—
8	21.98	5.7	40.0	21.98	5.7	40.0	—	—	—
9	24.15	5.4	39.7	24.26	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	23.47	4.6	39.9	24.04	4.1	40.4	—	—	—
7	17.81	8.2	40.8	17.81	8.2	40.8	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	27.69	9.6	41.6	27.69	9.6	41.6	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	22.36	8.5	40.0	22.36	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
9	21.71	10.5	40.0	21.71	10.5	40.0	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	20.61	15.9	36.9	—	—	—	24.76	6.7	31.0
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	21.67	3.7	39.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	22.05	7.5	39.1	22.47	7.2	39.9	20.19	12.2	36.1
5	15.04	2.7	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	14.75	12.4	36.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	18.12	6.8	38.0	17.45	9.1	39.7	—	—	—
8	19.45	5.3	39.3	18.35	5.0	40.0	—	—	—
9	25.79	5.2	40.7	25.59	5.9	40.8	—	—	—
11	27.96	5.9	39.1	27.96	5.9	39.1	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Sales	\$13.38	6.7	28.9	\$13.38	6.8	28.9	\$14.82	11.7	35.2
1	6.81	2.8	18.4	6.81	2.8	18.4	—	—	—
2	7.33	2.5	22.9	7.31	2.6	22.9	—	—	—
3	8.85	14.6	27.5	8.74	14.7	27.4	—	—	—
4	12.52	9.2	31.4	12.52	9.2	31.3	—	—	—
5	14.65	8.7	43.0	14.65	8.7	43.0	—	—	—
6	18.72	9.4	39.3	18.81	9.6	39.3	—	—	—
7	18.24	7.7	40.1	18.27	7.9	40.1	—	—	—
8	21.86	7.4	40.1	21.86	7.4	40.1	—	—	—
9	27.74	4.4	40.0	27.74	4.4	40.0	—	—	—
10	26.56	7.8	39.8	26.56	7.8	39.8	—	—	—
11	37.83	21.8	41.1	37.83	21.8	41.1	—	—	—
12	43.52	14.3	40.0	43.52	14.3	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, sales	19.21	10.4	41.4	19.27	10.7	41.5	—	—	—
5	14.41	2.1	43.8	14.41	2.1	43.8	—	—	—
6	16.24	4.4	39.9	16.37	4.9	39.9	—	—	—
8	18.55	9.7	41.2	18.55	9.7	41.2	—	—	—
Insurance sales	20.71	10.2	39.2	20.71	10.2	39.2	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	24.24	6.1	41.7	24.24	6.1	41.7	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	27.18	10.6	40.9	27.18	10.6	40.9	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	22.49	17.7	41.5	22.49	17.7	41.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	9.94	13.7	25.5	9.94	13.7	25.5	—	—	—
1	7.21	5.6	18.9	7.21	5.6	18.9	—	—	—
2	7.59	3.3	22.7	7.59	3.3	22.7	—	—	—
3	7.62	14.5	25.1	7.62	14.5	25.1	—	—	—
4	12.00	9.2	31.3	12.00	9.2	31.3	—	—	—
Sales counter clerks	9.71	7.2	29.5	9.71	7.2	29.5	—	—	—
Cashiers	7.29	3.4	21.4	7.17	3.1	21.3	14.65	15.7	33.9
1	6.65	3.8	18.0	6.64	3.8	18.0	—	—	—
2	7.00	2.2	22.7	6.95	2.3	22.6	—	—	—
3	8.44	8.3	32.5	8.06	6.2	32.3	—	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c.	18.67	18.0	39.2	18.67	18.0	39.2	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	13.97	3.0	35.1	13.96	3.7	35.4	14.06	4.6	33.9
1	8.00	8.6	30.8	7.66	2.4	32.5	11.12	6.1	20.8
2	8.95	6.9	32.3	8.50	9.9	32.1	9.72	6.0	32.6
3	12.15	2.7	32.8	12.02	3.3	32.8	12.85	2.1	33.0
4	14.12	5.7	37.3	14.10	6.4	37.6	14.25	2.7	34.9
5	15.02	2.6	33.7	14.84	2.8	33.5	16.69	4.0	35.5
6	16.77	2.6	37.6	16.46	2.6	38.0	18.51	2.6	35.7
7	19.16	2.2	39.7	18.80	2.6	40.0	21.39	1.8	37.5
8	20.49	2.0	39.8	20.49	2.0	39.8	—	—	—
9	26.41	7.6	39.7	26.41	7.6	39.7	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	16.45	5.6	38.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, general office	17.43	2.7	41.3	17.43	2.7	41.3	—	—	—
7	17.22	3.1	43.7	17.22	3.1	43.7	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	20.71	6.0	39.2	20.71	6.0	39.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	21.99	16.7	39.3	21.99	16.7	39.3	—	—	—
Computer operators	16.23	8.3	37.5	16.27	8.5	37.5	—	—	—
4	13.17	11.8	38.8	13.16	11.9	38.8	—	—	—
Secretaries	15.52	2.5	35.3	15.09	2.3	35.2	17.64	4.5	35.8
2	11.37	.4	32.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	14.06	2.5	37.8	13.95	2.4	38.9	14.85	11.2	31.7
5	14.85	3.7	36.6	14.46	3.2	36.8	17.20	6.4	35.7
6	16.64	3.8	36.8	15.95	2.9	36.6	18.68	2.5	37.6
7	20.30	4.5	38.2	20.00	5.5	37.8	—	—	—
Typists	13.80	2.9	33.2	—	—	—	14.17	1.6	34.8
3	13.26	4.8	30.8	—	—	—	13.83	2.1	32.8
Interviewers	11.05	6.7	32.5	11.14	8.0	32.8	—	—	—

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Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical—Continued									
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	\$14.98	4.4	36.5	\$14.98	4.4	36.5	—	—	—
Receptionists	10.52	4.3	35.5	10.59	4.4	36.2	—	—	—
2	9.43	4.0	35.6	9.56	4.2	38.9	—	—	—
3	10.21	6.9	35.7	10.26	7.3	35.9	—	—	—
4	11.79	8.4	35.7	11.79	8.4	35.7	—	—	—
Order clerks	13.46	4.2	38.1	13.46	4.2	38.1	—	—	—
3	11.91	5.6	35.2	11.91	5.6	35.2	—	—	—
4	12.85	3.0	37.9	12.85	3.0	37.9	—	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	16.19	8.2	36.6	16.04	9.7	36.9	—	—	—
4	14.38	5.7	36.8	13.40	5.3	37.4	—	—	—
Library clerks	13.34	7.3	30.6	12.98	11.0	36.0	\$13.77	8.2	25.9
3	10.96	4.5	27.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	11.81	5.4	37.3	11.78	5.6	37.8	—	—	—
2	9.41	9.6	34.3	9.41	9.6	34.3	—	—	—
3	10.36	4.3	38.0	10.34	4.3	38.1	—	—	—
4	13.92	8.1	39.7	13.92	8.1	39.7	—	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	13.40	3.7	32.5	13.25	4.2	31.9	14.44	4.9	37.0
2	9.62	5.8	31.2	9.62	5.8	31.2	—	—	—
3	11.52	3.2	35.4	11.52	3.2	35.4	—	—	—
4	12.89	3.2	37.5	12.83	4.1	37.5	13.15	4.1	37.5
5	14.06	11.8	21.7	14.00	12.6	21.3	—	—	—
6	15.68	9.4	39.9	15.57	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
7	21.92	3.6	37.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.63	13.3	36.5	14.25	15.6	36.2	—	—	—
4	14.66	7.7	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Billing clerks	11.33	6.2	39.2	11.33	6.2	39.2	—	—	—
3	12.28	7.7	40.0	12.28	7.7	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone operators	9.53	5.3	23.0	9.30	6.2	25.6	—	—	—
3	9.71	6.4	21.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mail clerks, except postal service	9.97	5.7	36.2	9.97	5.7	36.2	—	—	—
Dispatchers	10.24	7.4	39.2	—	—	—	16.50	7.0	36.7
4	13.30	2.2	37.3	—	—	—	14.15	4.9	30.8
5	15.86	3.8	40.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Production coordinators	17.72	6.3	39.9	17.72	6.3	39.9	—	—	—
7	19.66	8.6	40.0	19.66	8.6	40.0	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	14.11	5.4	39.4	14.11	5.4	39.4	—	—	—
3	13.52	7.6	39.9	13.52	7.6	39.9	—	—	—
4	12.53	5.6	39.5	12.53	5.6	39.5	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	15.07	3.9	38.8	14.60	3.4	39.3	—	—	—
3	12.92	7.8	39.7	12.93	8.1	39.7	—	—	—
4	15.17	7.2	39.8	15.20	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
5	16.24	5.1	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	17.55	7.9	38.3	17.55	7.9	38.3	—	—	—
4	15.98	9.3	37.1	15.98	9.3	37.1	—	—	—
5	13.57	2.3	38.0	13.57	2.3	38.0	—	—	—
7	18.73	3.7	39.5	18.73	3.7	39.5	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	14.07	7.8	37.6	14.07	7.8	37.6	—	—	—
3	10.55	4.0	38.4	10.55	4.0	38.4	—	—	—
4	12.25	14.7	38.5	12.25	14.7	38.5	—	—	—
5	15.51	7.5	36.4	15.51	7.5	36.4	—	—	—
6	16.80	6.4	40.0	16.80	6.4	40.0	—	—	—
Bill and account collectors	15.20	10.4	39.4	15.20	10.4	39.4	—	—	—
General office clerks	12.86	3.4	31.9	12.11	3.7	30.5	15.09	3.3	37.2
2	9.73	9.0	30.2	9.01	8.6	28.9	—	—	—
3	12.30	3.8	30.4	—	—	—	13.81	2.3	37.2
4	13.09	4.0	33.1	12.19	4.0	31.7	15.61	3.0	37.8
5	14.97	3.6	34.3	14.11	2.7	33.9	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical									
—Continued									
Bank tellers	\$11.25	8.0	33.9	\$11.25	8.0	33.9	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	12.88	7.4	35.9	12.89	9.4	35.8	—	—	—
2	9.01	5.2	37.3	9.01	5.2	37.3	—	—	—
3	12.99	8.8	35.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	13.34	5.8	31.6	13.42	5.9	31.7	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	10.50	7.3	32.6	—	—	—	\$10.48	7.3	32.6
2	9.12	4.2	35.1	—	—	—	9.12	4.2	35.1
3	11.94	6.4	30.3	—	—	—	11.95	6.5	30.2
4	12.42	1.5	31.3	—	—	—	12.34	1.6	31.1
Administrative support, n.e.c.	14.07	5.7	35.2	13.37	7.4	35.2	17.67	4.6	35.1
4	13.66	5.7	35.6	13.86	6.8	35.3	—	—	—
5	15.69	5.6	38.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Blue collar	12.87	7.9	38.2	12.75	7.8	38.1	17.72	3.6	39.4
1	9.09	6.7	30.4	9.06	6.8	30.4	11.48	12.4	32.4
2	8.82	11.9	37.2	8.81	12.0	37.1	10.87	4.4	39.0
3	—	—	—	—	—	—	14.05	6.5	39.8
4	12.24	7.3	40.2	12.17	7.4	40.2	15.20	5.5	39.8
5	16.97	3.2	38.7	16.92	3.3	38.7	17.94	4.9	39.6
6	16.93	3.7	39.8	16.83	3.9	39.8	18.76	8.6	39.8
7	19.81	2.5	39.8	19.74	2.6	39.8	20.31	5.3	39.8
8	20.29	6.4	40.1	20.21	6.4	40.1	—	—	—
9	24.93	9.1	40.9	25.28	9.2	40.9	—	—	—
Precision production, craft, and repair	17.28	6.1	40.1	17.19	6.3	40.1	18.77	5.0	39.9
1	12.90	8.0	40.0	12.90	8.0	40.0	—	—	—
2	10.76	7.8	40.0	10.97	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.84	2.2	40.0	11.94	2.4	40.0	—	—	—
5	17.50	4.8	40.1	17.54	5.0	40.1	16.69	6.7	40.0
6	16.89	5.3	40.0	16.81	5.5	40.0	19.59	10.5	39.6
7	20.21	2.9	40.1	20.11	3.1	40.1	20.96	5.6	39.9
8	22.10	6.9	40.2	22.01	7.1	40.2	—	—	—
9	24.72	9.6	40.9	25.07	9.8	40.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	16.70	8.9	40.9	16.47	8.6	40.9	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	18.22	9.7	40.2	17.97	10.1	40.2	—	—	—
7	22.40	6.9	40.0	22.51	8.1	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.47	3.2	39.9	16.47	3.2	39.9	—	—	—
7	17.69	7.4	39.7	17.69	7.4	39.7	—	—	—
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	20.95	8.3	36.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	20.16	5.8	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.24	7.4	39.8	16.09	9.0	39.8	16.92	9.9	39.8
6	13.09	16.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	19.93	7.4	39.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	29.33	10.4	40.0	29.42	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	19.84	11.3	41.3	20.23	12.8	41.4	—	—	—
Carpenters	18.37	4.9	39.9	18.20	5.0	39.9	—	—	—
7	20.58	6.1	40.0	20.64	6.6	40.0	—	—	—
Electricians	24.46	10.0	40.0	25.16	10.3	40.0	21.47	12.4	40.0
7	19.84	5.2	40.0	18.88	2.5	40.0	21.01	11.7	40.0
Electrical power installers and repairers	25.73	4.6	40.0	25.64	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
7	25.73	4.6	40.0	25.64	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Painters, construction and maintenance	15.48	4.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	18.93	10.1	40.0	19.72	13.1	40.0	—	—	—
7	20.19	10.4	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.13	7.0	39.9	—	—	—	13.12	10.0	39.9

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair—Continued									
Supervisors, production	\$18.91	3.9	41.5	\$18.91	3.9	41.5	—	—	—
7	19.70	2.6	41.4	19.70	2.6	41.4	—	—	—
9	20.51	11.4	42.7	20.51	11.4	42.7	—	—	—
Tool and die makers									
7	18.67	2.4	40.0	18.67	2.4	40.0	—	—	—
Machinists	18.05	3.9	40.0	18.05	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	16.94	6.7	40.0	16.94	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
8	21.01	3.0	40.0	21.01	3.0	40.0	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters	12.48	11.8	38.6	12.48	11.8	38.6	—	—	—
7	19.50	3.2	34.4	19.50	3.2	34.4	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders	15.54	6.9	39.9	15.55	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	11.45	4.5	39.0	11.41	4.4	39.0	\$17.67	8.4	38.7
1	8.39	5.7	32.1	8.39	5.7	32.1	—	—	—
2	10.44	3.5	40.0	10.43	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
4	12.82	3.8	39.9	12.81	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
5	15.22	2.2	39.9	15.22	2.2	39.9	—	—	—
6	15.69	1.7	39.1	15.69	1.7	39.1	—	—	—
7	17.59	3.5	39.7	17.42	3.7	39.8	—	—	—
Lathe and turning machine operators	18.30	3.5	40.0	18.30	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Milling and planing machine operators	14.86	6.9	40.0	14.86	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.29	3.6	39.4	11.29	3.6	39.4	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.80	7.6	40.0	13.80	7.6	40.0	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	14.31	4.3	40.0	14.31	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	12.04	9.0	40.0	12.04	9.0	40.0	—	—	—
Metal plating machine operators	12.70	6.7	40.0	12.70	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Heat treating equipment operators	14.83	8.3	40.0	14.83	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Printing press operators	16.32	4.5	39.8	16.32	4.5	39.8	—	—	—
7	18.51	5.2	39.8	18.51	5.2	39.8	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	16.65	10.8	39.3	16.65	10.8	39.3	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	13.56	10.9	38.1	13.56	10.9	38.1	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	10.61	.0	40.0	10.61	.0	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.06	.0	40.0	11.06	.0	40.0	—	—	—
Laundry and dry cleaning machine operators	8.71	6.8	31.5	8.38	5.8	30.9	—	—	—
1	8.09	7.4	29.1	8.09	7.4	29.1	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	10.80	9.7	39.2	10.80	9.7	39.2	—	—	—
3	12.63	8.9	40.0	12.63	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	12.33	9.6	40.0	12.33	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	17.14	3.6	40.0	17.14	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	13.19	3.6	40.0	13.19	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	11.14	10.7	40.0	11.14	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.									
2	9.66	4.4	40.0	9.66	4.4	40.0	—	—	—
4	12.65	4.7	40.0	12.65	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
5	13.31	2.8	40.0	13.31	2.8	40.0	—	—	—
6	14.48	4.1	40.0	14.48	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	16.36	3.4	40.0	16.23	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
5	16.99	5.5	40.0	16.99	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers	10.98	10.3	34.0	10.98	10.3	34.0	—	—	—
1	7.65	5.6	26.6	7.65	5.6	26.6	—	—	—
2	10.57	9.9	40.0	10.57	9.9	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.46	5.7	40.0	11.46	5.7	40.0	—	—	—
4	13.81	7.6	40.0	13.81	7.6	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	9.02	7.1	40.0	9.02	7.1	40.0	—	—	—
1	8.07	9.3	40.0	8.07	9.3	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	14.33	7.3	40.0	14.33	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
3	12.04	9.1	40.0	12.04	9.1	40.0	—	—	—
Production testers	12.51	3.8	40.0	12.51	3.8	40.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Transportation and material moving	\$14.06	12.3	36.2	\$13.90	12.9	36.1	\$18.32	3.9	38.5
2	11.18	4.3	32.0	11.16	4.3	31.9	—	—	—
3	16.85	16.2	35.0	16.87	16.2	34.9	—	—	—
4	11.06	16.3	41.2	10.99	16.3	41.2	—	—	—
5	18.62	6.4	32.7	18.34	7.3	32.0	—	—	—
6	19.43	6.9	40.0	19.88	7.6	40.0	18.16	8.5	40.0
7	19.87	8.9	41.4	19.87	8.9	41.4	—	—	—
Truck drivers	13.54	17.7	37.1	13.53	17.8	37.1	14.32	9.3	36.8
3	17.65	16.7	34.2	17.68	16.8	34.2	—	—	—
5	19.60	7.1	39.7	19.60	7.1	39.7	—	—	—
6	20.42	8.3	40.0	20.40	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Bus drivers	15.60	5.0	32.4	14.11	6.6	31.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	17.61	5.3	43.4	17.61	5.3	43.4	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	13.87	3.9	39.3	13.86	3.9	39.3	—	—	—
3	12.76	8.0	39.5	12.76	8.0	39.5	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.13	5.0	36.5	10.05	4.8	36.4	14.32	4.1	39.2
1	9.09	11.8	29.8	9.03	12.1	29.7	12.11	11.2	36.0
2	7.83	12.2	36.2	7.81	12.1	36.2	—	—	—
3	—	—	—	—	—	—	15.00	8.3	39.7
4	13.23	4.5	38.0	12.95	4.9	37.7	14.97	8.5	39.7
5	13.35	8.0	39.3	13.20	8.5	39.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	18.73	6.2	39.2	18.73	6.2	39.2	—	—	—
Construction laborers	18.22	10.2	38.7	19.64	10.0	38.3	14.00	4.1	40.0
4	15.98	5.0	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Production helpers	9.81	14.3	35.6	9.81	14.3	35.6	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	9.46	2.8	28.3	9.46	2.8	28.3	—	—	—
1	7.77	4.9	23.5	7.77	4.9	23.5	—	—	—
2	8.51	4.7	26.4	8.51	4.7	26.4	—	—	—
3	10.72	5.8	36.1	10.72	5.8	36.1	—	—	—
4	12.44	7.4	39.3	12.44	7.4	39.3	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	12.81	5.8	32.3	12.80	5.8	32.3	—	—	—
1	9.27	5.2	29.8	9.27	5.2	29.8	—	—	—
2	12.60	7.3	30.5	12.60	7.3	30.5	—	—	—
3	12.35	9.1	35.4	12.35	9.1	35.4	—	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	7.79	6.3	27.5	7.79	6.3	27.5	—	—	—
1	7.79	6.3	27.5	7.79	6.3	27.5	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	11.23	5.0	37.4	10.55	5.2	37.3	14.93	8.7	38.0
1	8.79	9.3	35.5	8.09	7.1	35.4	12.21	11.0	36.1
2	10.74	2.6	36.0	10.74	2.6	36.0	—	—	—
3	13.49	5.9	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	12.37	8.7	38.5	11.51	5.4	38.4	—	—	—
Service	10.44	4.6	28.4	8.84	5.2	26.8	16.52	1.9	36.2
1	7.70	2.4	23.8	7.42	2.5	23.5	10.98	5.0	29.0
2	7.35	9.8	25.9	6.79	9.5	25.0	11.36	2.9	34.2
3	9.68	4.3	28.7	9.33	3.9	28.0	12.61	4.6	35.7
4	10.89	4.3	30.2	10.42	4.3	30.7	13.70	4.7	27.3
5	15.37	4.6	39.2	12.42	8.2	39.3	17.38	2.9	39.1
6	16.83	5.0	39.5	13.48	4.9	38.8	19.73	3.7	40.2
7	19.96	3.3	40.3	18.20	9.5	40.4	21.45	2.1	40.2
8	19.49	3.7	41.8	19.84	3.3	43.6	19.24	5.1	40.6
9	25.21	6.2	39.7	—	—	—	25.61	6.5	39.7
10	27.46	15.2	40.5	—	—	—	27.46	15.2	40.5
Protective service	15.83	4.8	36.1	9.71	3.8	33.4	19.01	2.1	37.7
1	8.22	3.4	33.7	8.26	3.0	35.1	—	—	—
2	9.64	10.0	27.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	9.47	3.7	31.3	9.35	3.4	31.6	10.62	10.1	28.1

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Protective service—Continued									
4	\$13.20	4.3	27.1	\$12.76	4.7	29.8	\$13.74	6.1	24.5
5	17.24	3.2	39.0	11.61	9.3	37.3	17.61	3.0	39.1
6	19.47	3.6	40.2	—	—	—	19.68	3.7	40.2
7	21.36	2.0	40.2	—	—	—	21.40	2.0	40.2
8	19.57	4.9	40.5	—	—	—	19.24	5.1	40.6
9	24.09	5.6	39.5	—	—	—	24.09	5.6	39.5
10	27.46	15.2	40.5	—	—	—	27.46	15.2	40.5
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	23.13	2.5	42.0	—	—	—	23.13	2.5	42.0
Supervisors, police and detectives	26.21	11.5	39.6	—	—	—	26.21	11.5	39.6
Firefighting	18.84	2.8	41.6	—	—	—	18.84	2.8	41.6
5	18.20	4.3	41.9	—	—	—	18.20	4.3	41.9
6	19.27	4.8	41.7	—	—	—	19.27	4.8	41.7
Police and detectives, public service	18.32	3.4	38.6	—	—	—	18.32	3.4	38.6
5	17.17	5.7	38.4	—	—	—	17.17	5.7	38.4
6	19.21	5.5	39.5	—	—	—	19.21	5.5	39.5
7	20.85	1.5	39.9	—	—	—	20.85	1.5	39.9
Crossing guards	14.55	13.6	12.5	—	—	—	14.55	13.6	12.5
Guards and police, except public service	9.78	4.0	33.6	9.59	3.7	33.5	16.21	8.4	38.3
1	8.26	3.0	35.1	8.26	3.0	35.1	—	—	—
3	9.51	4.1	32.4	9.36	3.5	32.3	—	—	—
5	13.84	8.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Protective service, n.e.c.	8.53	8.9	22.4	—	—	—	8.67	11.4	23.3
3	9.45	8.3	12.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Food service	7.40	8.4	24.9	7.25	8.3	24.7	11.37	4.5	29.2
1	6.60	3.5	20.4	6.54	3.5	20.5	8.65	1.7	18.7
2	5.50	6.9	23.0	5.28	5.4	22.8	11.33	5.1	31.7
3	7.96	5.5	27.3	7.86	5.5	27.2	—	—	—
4	9.50	8.2	32.9	9.18	8.3	32.8	—	—	—
5	11.61	4.3	43.3	11.57	4.5	43.3	—	—	—
7	13.85	6.8	44.1	13.85	6.8	44.1	—	—	—
8	19.34	2.5	44.6	19.34	2.5	44.6	—	—	—
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	4.33	4.7	22.4	4.33	4.7	22.4	—	—	—
1	4.44	9.0	21.5	4.44	9.0	21.5	—	—	—
2	4.20	6.7	22.5	4.20	6.7	22.5	—	—	—
3	4.76	19.1	22.8	4.76	19.1	22.8	—	—	—
Bartenders									
3	8.19	10.0	27.0	8.19	10.0	27.0	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	3.69	4.6	20.7	3.69	4.6	20.7	—	—	—
1	3.74	11.5	24.0	3.74	11.5	24.0	—	—	—
2	3.73	5.8	19.5	3.73	5.8	19.5	—	—	—
3	3.57	15.2	21.8	3.57	15.2	21.8	—	—	—
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	6.18	13.2	17.8	6.18	13.2	17.8	—	—	—
1	6.36	15.4	16.6	6.36	15.4	16.6	—	—	—
Other food service	9.28	3.9	26.7	9.15	3.9	26.6	11.37	4.5	29.2
1	7.51	2.3	20.0	7.47	2.3	20.1	8.65	1.7	18.7
2	7.51	6.3	24.0	7.12	4.3	23.4	11.33	5.1	31.7
3	9.63	3.7	30.5	9.56	3.9	30.4	—	—	—
4	9.99	8.3	33.7	9.69	8.4	33.7	—	—	—
7	13.85	6.8	44.1	13.85	6.8	44.1	—	—	—
8	19.34	2.5	44.6	19.34	2.5	44.6	—	—	—
Supervisors, food preparation and service	12.19	7.9	41.9	12.14	7.8	41.9	—	—	—
7	13.93	6.9	44.3	13.93	6.9	44.3	—	—	—
Cooks	10.45	4.6	30.8	10.19	4.9	30.3	12.40	3.0	35.5
2	10.40	11.7	27.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	9.75	5.6	29.8	9.66	5.8	29.6	—	—	—
4	11.49	4.4	33.0	11.40	5.2	33.0	—	—	—
Food counter, fountain, and related	7.81	5.8	24.3	7.81	5.8	24.3	—	—	—
1	7.11	4.1	23.8	7.11	4.2	23.8	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.92	1.7	26.9	7.86	1.7	27.3	—	—	—
1	6.80	3.5	21.4	6.80	3.6	22.0	—	—	—
2	8.09	4.1	27.7	7.83	4.7	28.2	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² New England: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ 2000—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Food service—Continued									
Other food service—Continued									
Food preparation, n.e.c.	\$7.60	5.1	21.0	\$7.45	4.6	20.8	\$9.97	9.0	24.5
1	7.90	3.5	17.8	7.84	3.8	17.7	8.74	1.7	19.9
2	7.04	7.2	23.3	6.80	5.0	23.0	11.23	5.7	30.6
3	9.70	8.7	28.3	9.69	9.1	27.9	—	—	—
Health service	11.38	5.9	31.0	11.21	7.2	30.2	12.27	3.1	35.8
1	8.92	3.1	20.9	8.95	3.0	20.5	—	—	—
2	10.26	2.7	33.8	9.77	3.4	32.0	11.36	1.4	38.7
3	10.72	2.1	30.1	10.32	2.9	28.9	12.30	4.9	36.6
4	10.94	3.4	28.6	10.74	2.9	29.1	14.82	11.0	22.2
5	11.68	7.5	39.0	10.89	8.2	39.1	—	—	—
6	12.16	7.2	34.9	11.72	5.3	34.9	—	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	13.07	16.8	26.9	13.14	17.5	26.7	11.69	6.6	29.3
1	8.93	3.0	20.0	8.93	3.0	20.0	—	—	—
2	9.47	5.0	22.6	9.43	5.0	22.8	—	—	—
3	9.99	7.9	28.2	9.61	8.4	29.1	—	—	—
5	11.70	5.9	38.7	11.45	6.1	38.6	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	10.76	1.6	32.6	10.36	1.8	31.7	12.32	3.2	36.5
2	10.30	2.9	34.8	9.80	3.8	33.1	11.35	1.4	38.8
3	10.79	2.0	30.4	10.38	2.6	28.9	12.57	4.6	39.2
4	10.95	3.1	33.3	10.66	2.1	34.5	14.82	11.0	22.2
Cleaning and building service	10.46	3.4	32.5	9.64	3.7	31.5	13.98	7.1	37.6
1	8.60	4.2	29.0	8.09	2.8	27.9	11.84	6.0	38.4
2	10.43	3.9	35.7	10.01	3.6	35.7	12.12	7.7	35.6
3	12.49	6.0	39.4	12.31	7.1	39.3	13.52	6.5	40.0
4	14.16	5.1	35.5	14.03	9.0	39.3	—	—	—
5	14.12	6.3	40.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	19.03	13.2	39.4	15.94	9.1	38.7	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	7.89	4.6	31.5	7.86	4.5	31.4	—	—	—
1	7.37	3.4	31.1	7.35	3.2	31.0	—	—	—
2	10.25	4.5	32.0	10.27	4.8	31.4	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	10.72	3.7	32.4	10.13	4.5	31.3	12.83	3.8	37.2
1	9.31	3.3	27.9	8.62	3.3	26.1	11.95	6.4	38.4
2	10.45	4.2	36.4	9.96	4.0	36.7	12.24	8.1	35.4
3	12.68	6.4	39.9	12.51	7.8	39.9	13.56	6.6	40.0
4	13.14	2.5	34.2	12.42	3.1	39.0	—	—	—
5	13.42	7.4	40.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Personal service	9.32	9.1	21.3	8.86	7.5	20.9	13.98	6.2	26.7
1	6.95	9.0	17.4	6.77	8.0	17.6	10.10	13.3	13.9
2	8.37	8.4	22.1	8.38	8.5	21.9	—	—	—
4	9.17	15.6	30.1	8.01	11.1	32.6	—	—	—
6	13.43	6.4	35.2	13.43	6.4	35.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, personal service	14.97	9.4	38.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Welfare service aides	10.87	7.6	23.5	9.99	7.8	21.1	—	—	—
2	10.23	5.5	22.9	10.23	5.5	22.9	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	9.75	16.5	25.8	8.38	11.5	30.4	13.72	19.4	18.0
1	9.92	12.2	12.5	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

² Each occupation for which data are collected in an establishment is evaluated based on 10 factors, including knowledge, complexity, work environment, etc. Points are assigned based on the occupation's rank within each factor. The points are summed to determine the overall level of the occupation. See the Technical Note for more information.

³ 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,

weighted by hours.

⁴ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April 2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

⁵ 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 Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

Technical Note

The data in this bulletin are based on the National Compensation Survey (NCS) conducted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics throughout the year. The surveys are locality-based and cover establishments in private industry and State and local governments. Bulletins are issued for individual localities when sufficient data meet publication standards. Agriculture, private households, and the Federal Government are excluded from the scope of the survey.

Survey scope. In the New England census division, the NCS studied 908 establishments representing approximately 4,618,700 workers within the scope of the survey. Beginning with the 1999 NCS, private sector establishments with one or more workers are included in the survey. State and local governments with 50 or more workers also are included. The number of workers represented by the survey is shown in table A, and the number of establishments is shown in table B. For purposes of this survey, an establishment is an economic unit that produces goods or services, a central administrative office, or an auxiliary unit providing support services to a company. For private industries in this survey, the establishment is usually at a single physical location. For State and local governments, an establishment is defined as all locations of a government entity.

Sampling frame. The list of establishments from which the survey sample was selected (sampling frame) was developed from the State unemployment insurance reports. The reference month for the public sector is June 1994. Due to the volatility of industries within the private sector, sampling frames were developed using the most recent month of reference available at the time the sample was selected. The reference month for the private sector varied by area.

Sample design and data collection. The sample for this survey was selected using a three-stage design. The first stage consisted of the selection of areas. The nationwide NCS sample consists of 154 metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas that represent the Nation's 326 metropolitan statistical areas and the remaining portions of the 50 States. Metropolitan areas are designated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA) or Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (CMSA), as defined in 1994 by the Office of Management and Budget. Nonmetropolitan areas are counties that do not fit the metropolitan area definition.

The NCS locality areas that contribute to the New England census division are:

Boston-Worcester-Lawrence, MA-NH-ME-CT, CMSA
Cheshire County, NH

Grafton County, NH
Hartford, CT, MSA
Orange County, VT
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA, MSA
Springfield, MA, MSA

In the second stage, the sample of establishments was drawn by first stratifying the sampling frame by ownership and industry. The number of sample establishments allocated to each stratum is approximately proportional to the stratum employment. Each sampled establishment is selected within a stratum with a probability proportional to its employment. Use of this technique means that the larger an establishment's employment, the greater the establishment's chance of selection. Weights were applied to each establishment when the data were tabulated so that the establishment represents similar units (by industry and employment size) in the economy that were not selected for collection.

The third stage of sample selection was a probability sample of occupations within a sampled establishment. In the New England region, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April 2001 with an average reference period of August 2000.

Occupational selection and classification. Identification of the occupations for which wage data were collected was a four-step process:

1. Probability-proportional-to-size selection of establishment jobs
2. Classification of jobs into occupations based on the Census of Population system
3. Characterization of jobs as full-time vs. part-time, union vs. nonunion, and time vs. incentive
4. Determination of the level of work of each job

For each occupation, wage data were collected for those workers who met all the criteria identified in the last three steps. Special procedures were developed for jobs for which a correct classification or level could not be determined.

In step one, the jobs to be sampled were selected at each establishment by the BLS field economist during a personal visit. A complete list of employees was used for sampling, with each selected worker representing a job within the establishment. As with the selection of establishments, the selection of a job was based on probability proportional to its size in the establishment. The greater the number of people working in a job in the establishment, the greater its chance of selection.

The second step of the process entailed classifying the selected jobs into occupations based on their duties. The National Compensation Survey occupational classification system is based on the 1990 Census of Population. A selected job may fall into any one of about 480 occupational classifications, from accountant to wood lathe operator. For cases where a job's duties overlapped two or more census classification codes, the duties used to set the wage level were used to classify the job. Classification by primary duties was the fallback.

In step three, certain other job characteristics of the chosen workers were identified. First, the worker was identified as holding either a full-time or part-time job, based on the establishment's definition of those terms. Then the worker was classified as having a time versus incentive job, depending on whether any part of pay was directly based on the actual production of the workers, rather than solely on hours worked. Finally, the worker was identified as being in a union or a nonunion job.

The fourth step in the job classification procedure was to determine the work level of each of the establishment's selected jobs, using an "*occupational leveling*" process. This process, involving discussions between the Bureau's field economist and the respondent, ranks and compares all selected establishment occupations using 10 leveling factors. For more information on occupational leveling and an example of how to use the criteria for leveling a job, see appendixes C and D of any published NCS locality bulletin or <http://www.bls.gov/ncs/ocs/compub.htm>. The Web site also has a link to the NCS job descriptions.

Data reliability. The data in this bulletin are estimates from a scientifically selected probability sample. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey, sampling and nonsampling.

Sampling errors occur because observations come only from a sample and not from an entire population. The sample used for this survey is one of a number of possible samples of the same size that could have been selected using the sample design. Estimates derived from the different samples would differ from each other.

A measure of the variation among these differing estimates is called the standard error or sampling error. It indicates the precision with which an estimate from a particular sample approximates the average result of all

possible samples. The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error divided by the estimate. Tables in this bulletin provide RSE data for indicated series.

The relative standard error can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. As an example, suppose the mean hourly earnings for all workers were \$15.80 per hour, with a relative standard error of 1.2 percent for this estimate. At the 90-percent level, the confidence interval for this estimate is \$15.49 to \$16.11 ($\$15.80 \times 1.645 \times 0.012 = \0.312 , round to \$0.31); $\$15.80 - .31 = \15.49 ; $\$15.80 + .31 = \16.11). If all possible samples were selected to estimate the population value, the interval from each sample would include the true population value approximately 90 percent of the time.

Nonsampling errors also affect survey results. They can stem from many sources, such as inability to obtain information for some establishments, difficulties with survey definitions, inability of the respondents to provide correct information, or mistakes in recording or coding the data obtained. A Technical Reinterview Program done in all survey areas will be used in the development of a formal quality assessment process to help compute nonsampling error. Although they also were not specifically measured, efforts were made to minimize nonsampling errors by the extensive training of field economists who gathered survey data by personal visit, computer editing of the data, and detailed data review.

Census area divisions. Data are tabulated by census divisions defined as follows: **New England**—Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, and Rhode Island; **Middle Atlantic**—New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; **East North Central**—Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin; **West North Central**—Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Nebraska; **South Atlantic**—Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia; **East South Central**—Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee; **West South Central**—Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; **Mountain**—Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, and Nevada; and **Pacific**—Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii, and Alaska. Some census divisions include CMSAs and MSAs that cross State lines.

TABLE A. Number of workers¹ represented by the survey, by occupational group,² New England, National Compensation Survey,³ 2000

Occupational group	All industries	Private industry	State and local government
All	4,618,700	4,066,200	552,500
All, excluding sales	4,249,400	3,698,700	550,600
White collar	2,301,100	1,910,900	390,200
White collar, excluding sales	1,931,800	1,543,500	388,300
Professional specialty and technical	848,100	620,500	227,600
Professional specialty occupations	712,000	492,600	219,500
Technical occupations	136,100	127,900	8,200
Executive, administrative, and managerial	456,400	405,400	51,000
Sales	369,300	367,500	1,800
Administrative support, including clerical	627,300	517,500	109,700
Blue collar	1,576,300	1,537,900	38,400
Precision production, craft, and repair	368,200	348,000	20,200
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	530,100	526,700	3,400
Transportation and material moving	222,500	215,500	7,000
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	455,400	447,700	7,700
Service	741,300	617,400	123,900

¹ Number of workers represented by the survey are rounded to the nearest 100. Estimates of the number of workers provide a description of size and composition of the labor force included in the survey. Estimates are not intended, however, for comparison with other statistical series to measure employment trends or levels. Both full-time and part-time workers were included in the survey.

² A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

³ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April 2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

TABLE B. Number of establishments studied by industry group and establishment employment size, New England, National Compensation Survey,¹ 2000

Industry division	Number of establishments studied						
	Total	1 to 99 workers ²	100 to 499 workers	500 to 999 workers	1,000 to 2,499 workers	2,500 to 4,999 workers	5,000 or more workers
All	908	308	378	97	66	32	27
Private Industry	800	294	329	78	56	21	22
Goods-producing industries	211	74	92	27	14	3	1
Mining	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Construction	33	23	7	3	-	-	-
Manufacturing	177	51	84	24	14	3	1
Durable goods	125	31	57	21	12	3	1
Nondurable goods	52	20	27	3	2	-	-
Service-producing industries	589	220	237	51	42	18	21
Transportation and utilities	45	19	16	4	4	2	-
Wholesale trade	38	20	14	1	3	-	-
Retail trade	139	65	67	3	3	1	-
Finance, insurance and real estate	82	31	26	9	5	3	8
Services	285	85	114	34	27	12	13
State and local government	108	14	49	19	10	11	5

¹ In this census division, collection was conducted between November 1999 and April 2001. The average reference period was August 2000.

² Estimates include private establishments employing 1 to 99 workers and State and local government establishments employing 50 to 99 workers.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported. Overall industry and industry groups may include data for categories not shown separately.