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Introduction

The tables in this bulletin summarize the NCS results for the New York–Northern New Jersey–Long Island, NY–NJ–CT–PA, metropolitan area. Data were collected between September 2004 and October 2005; the average reference month is March 2005. Tabulations provide information on earnings of workers in a variety of occupations and at different work levels. Also contained in this bulletin are information on the program, a technical note describing survey procedures, and an appendix with detailed information on occupational classifications.

Most of the earnings estimates in this bulletin are presented as mean hourly earnings. Mean weekly and annual earnings, and the corresponding hours, also are provided for full-time employees in specific occupations. Some occupations, such as teachers and firefighters, typically have shorter or longer work schedules than do the majority of full-time workers. The weekly and annual estimates are useful for comparing the earnings of occupations having different work schedules.

NCS products

The Bureau's National Compensation Survey provides comprehensive measures of occupational earnings, compensation cost trends, benefit incidence, and detailed plan provisions. The Employment Cost Index, a quarterly measure of the change in employer costs for wages and benefits, is derived from the NCS. Another product, Employer Costs for Employee Compensation, measures employers' average hourly costs for total compensation, that is, wages and benefits. Still another NCS product measures the incidence and provisions of benefit plans. This bulletin is limited to data on occupational wages and salaries.

About the tables

The tables that follow present data on straight-time occupational earnings, which include wages and salaries, incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. These earnings exclude premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. About 480 detailed occupations are used to describe all occupations in the civilian nonfarm economy (excluding the Federal Government and private households). Data are not shown for any occupations if they would raise concerns about the confidentiality of the survey respondents or if the data are insufficient to support reliable estimates.

Table 1–1 presents an overview of all tables in this bulletin. Mean hourly earnings, weekly hours, and relative standard errors are given for all industries, private industry, and State and local government for selected worker and establishment characteristics. The worker characteristics include major occupational group, full-time or part-time status, union or nonunion status, and time or incentive pay. Establishment characteristics include goods and service producing and size of establishment.

Table 2–1 presents estimates of mean hourly earnings, and the relative standard errors associated with them, for detailed occupations within all industries, private industry, and State and local government. Table 2–2 presents the same type of information for full-time workers only. Table 2–3 provides similar data for workers designated as part-time.

Table 3–1 provides mean weekly earnings data, with relative standard errors, and weekly hours for full-time employees in specific occupations across all industries, private industry, and State and local government. Table 3–2 provides annual earnings, relative standard errors, and annual hours for full-time employees in specific occupations.

Table 4–1 provides mean hourly earnings data by work level for occupational groups and for detailed occupations. Separate data are also shown for private industry and government workers. Table 4–2 provides work level data for full-time workers. Table 4–3 provides similar data for workers designated as part-time.

Table 5–1 presents mean hourly earnings data for selected worker characteristics by major occupational group. The worker characteristics include full-time or part-time designation, union or nonunion status, and time or incentive pay. Table 5–2 presents mean hourly earnings data for major industry divisions by occupational group; these estimates are limited to the private sector. Table 5–3 presents mean hourly earnings data for establishment employment sizes by major occupational group in the private sector.

Tables 6–1 through 6–5 present hourly wage percentiles that describe the distribution of hourly earnings for individual workers within each published occupation. Data are provided for the 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles for detailed occupations within all industries, private industry, State and local government, full-time workers, and part-time workers.

Table 1-1. Summary: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Worker and establishment characteristics	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³
	Mean	Relative error ² (percent)		Mean	Relative error ² (percent)		Mean	Relative error ² (percent)	
Total	\$26.20	2.6	35.4	\$25.47	3.3	35.5	\$28.89	1.1	35.2
Worker characteristics:⁴									
White-collar occupations ⁵	31.86	3.0	35.4	31.62	3.9	35.7	32.71	1.4	34.1
Professional specialty and technical	38.10	2.9	35.0	37.44	4.1	35.3	39.74	2.3	34.1
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.38	8.4	38.1	47.90	10.0	38.6	34.94	5.6	35.9
Sales	20.44	9.6	31.8	20.44	9.7	31.7	—	—	—
Administrative support	18.29	1.9	35.6	18.13	2.3	36.3	18.89	2.8	33.0
Blue-collar occupations ⁵	20.34	2.9	37.8	19.83	3.2	37.6	23.97	3.1	39.0
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.12	2.6	39.3	28.29	2.9	39.3	26.97	1.0	39.4
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.63	4.2	39.7	14.62	4.2	39.8	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	18.21	4.8	35.0	16.82	5.8	34.1	24.03	4.1	38.9
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	15.01	8.0	36.1	14.05	9.6	35.6	20.02	3.6	39.0
Service occupations ⁵	16.09	2.5	33.6	13.27	5.4	32.6	22.90	2.5	36.1
Full time	27.25	2.8	38.1	26.55	3.7	38.5	29.73	1.1	36.9
Part time	14.25	10.2	19.6	14.10	12.1	19.6	15.10	6.1	20.0
Union	25.78	2.2	35.7	22.88	3.0	35.3	29.07	1.6	36.0
Nonunion	26.52	3.9	35.2	26.54	4.0	35.6	25.73	15.4	24.6
Time	25.77	2.0	35.5	24.89	2.6	35.5	28.89	1.1	35.2
Incentive	47.57	40.8	33.9	47.57	40.8	33.9	—	—	—
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	—	—	—	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
Service producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	—	—	—	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
50-99 workers ⁷	20.79	5.1	35.1	20.79	5.1	35.1	13.37	5.7	15.6
100-499 workers	23.15	4.2	35.6	22.87	4.5	35.9	27.52	7.4	31.9
500 workers or more	29.62	3.6	35.4	29.95	5.6	35.2	29.05	1.6	35.6

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 The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

³ Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

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 appendix B for more information.

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

⁷ Establishments classified with 50-99 workers may contain establishments with fewer than 50 due to staff reductions between survey sampling and collection.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria.

Table 2-1. Mean hourly earnings,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$26.20	2.6	\$25.47	3.3	\$28.89	1.1
All excluding sales	26.56	2.7	25.86	3.5	28.91	1.1
White collar	31.86	3.0	31.62	3.9	32.71	1.4
White collar excluding sales	33.10	2.9	33.21	3.8	32.76	1.4
Professional specialty and technical	38.10	2.9	37.44	4.1	39.74	2.3
Professional specialty	39.55	2.9	38.80	4.3	41.20	2.5
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	37.33	5.7	39.06	5.0	29.27	6.0
Architects	35.57	12.3	—	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	39.99	6.6	39.99	6.6	—	—
Mechanical engineers	35.38	16.1	—	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	42.26	9.0	45.25	1.6	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	42.56	9.8	42.60	9.8	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	42.21	10.4	42.25	10.3	—	—
Natural scientists	37.63	9.5	37.75	9.7	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	33.91	18.1	33.91	18.1	—	—
Health related	34.77	2.6	35.90	2.2	27.25	9.0
Physicians	34.39	11.9	40.58	10.3	22.39	16.7
Registered nurses	35.22	1.7	35.54	1.5	31.89	6.9
Pharmacists	41.27	4.4	43.22	.8	—	—
Dietitians	26.97	10.2	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	55.67	7.8	57.52	14.5	53.74	6.2
Psychology teachers	52.42	6.5	—	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	64.76	7.3	—	—	—	—
English teachers	59.22	5.3	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	53.83	6.1	59.66	8.1	52.24	8.0
Teachers, except college and university	42.25	4.4	26.59	13.6	45.62	3.6
Elementary school teachers	44.72	3.9	29.53	16.9	47.58	4.4
Secondary school teachers	48.89	3.1	—	—	49.40	3.0
Teachers, special education	47.26	4.1	—	—	48.55	2.1
Teachers, n.e.c.	41.52	7.2	—	—	45.25	3.0
Vocational and educational counselors	35.55	18.9	25.52	16.2	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	38.55	10.6	36.83	14.1	44.59	5.6
Librarians	39.93	13.7	38.21	19.2	44.59	5.6
Social scientists and urban planners	40.67	17.3	37.95	28.2	44.09	16.2
Psychologists	38.89	16.5	30.34	22.5	44.09	16.2
Social, recreation, and religious workers	25.34	5.1	23.53	3.1	27.93	11.4
Social workers	25.64	5.3	23.87	3.7	28.05	11.2
Lawyers and judges	52.32	16.2	65.04	11.6	40.15	10.4
Lawyers	52.32	16.2	65.04	11.6	40.15	10.4
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	45.37	9.0	45.65	9.0	—	—
Designers	33.79	13.6	33.79	13.6	—	—
Editors and reporters	51.30	21.1	51.30	21.1	—	—
Athletes	37.05	26.2	37.05	26.2	—	—
Technical	30.12	5.6	31.49	6.0	21.58	7.4
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	21.50	9.5	20.87	9.6	26.28	14.1
Radiological technicians	25.72	4.0	25.72	4.0	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	22.35	1.5	22.58	1.7	20.80	3.9
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	20.44	9.7	21.78	1.7	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	29.65	3.6	29.65	3.6	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	150.27	5.1	150.27	5.1	—	—
Computer programmers	31.11	10.9	31.94	12.1	—	—
Legal assistants	32.59	9.1	—	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	31.12	7.9	—	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.38	8.4	47.90	10.0	34.94	5.6
Executives, administrators, and managers	54.45	12.2	55.60	14.1	47.76	7.2
Administrators and officials, public administration	38.80	1.1	—	—	38.80	1.1
Financial managers	51.60	6.1	52.70	6.1	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	56.24	11.6	56.24	11.6	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	48.45	7.3	48.45	7.3	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	55.30	11.0	39.27	10.2	67.41	7.7
Managers, medicine and health	43.53	11.9	49.38	15.2	31.95	3.3

See footnotes at end of table.

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
White collar –Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial –Continued						
Executives, administrators, and managers –Continued						
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	\$43.66	28.2	\$43.75	28.2	–	–
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	62.48	21.5	64.01	22.4	–	–
Management related	33.42	3.6	36.23	4.5	\$25.32	4.7
Accountants and auditors	30.85	4.6	31.16	5.1	–	–
Other financial officers	49.02	7.3	51.83	6.4	–	–
Management analysts	31.44	10.4	31.61	10.9	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.50	7.2	27.09	9.1	24.87	8.6
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	30.22	24.5	–	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.32	6.9	–	–	20.64	8.0
Management related, n.e.c.	27.84	5.4	27.68	6.9	28.37	3.1
Sales	20.44	9.6	20.44	9.7	–	–
Supervisors, sales	23.56	14.6	23.56	14.6	–	–
Securities and financial services sales	51.16	6.5	51.16	6.5	–	–
Sales, other business services	25.13	14.5	25.13	14.5	–	–
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	36.55	10.4	36.55	10.4	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	16.04	19.4	16.04	19.4	–	–
Cashiers	9.63	4.7	9.28	3.7	–	–
Sales support, n.e.c.	15.96	19.5	15.96	19.5	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical	18.29	1.9	18.13	2.3	18.89	2.8
Supervisors, general office	24.17	9.4	24.57	11.1	22.38	7.1
Supervisors, financial records processing	34.70	24.3	36.06	25.9	–	–
Secretaries	21.35	3.2	21.58	3.6	20.51	7.1
Stenographers	21.99	2.9	–	–	–	–
Typists	15.88	1.8	–	–	15.83	1.5
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	19.32	3.3	18.52	3.9	–	–
Receptionists	15.28	13.4	15.37	13.7	–	–
Information clerks, n.e.c.	15.52	8.1	15.52	8.1	–	–
Order clerks	22.62	14.2	22.62	14.2	–	–
Library clerks	14.07	4.6	–	–	13.26	9.1
File clerks	11.97	4.8	11.97	4.8	–	–
Records clerks, n.e.c.	19.26	5.4	19.94	5.7	–	–
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	17.31	6.8	16.80	7.0	23.17	3.3
Billing clerks	16.13	4.9	16.13	4.9	–	–
Telephone operators	16.27	6.3	16.44	6.4	–	–
Dispatchers	23.78	15.0	22.30	19.9	–	–
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	15.28	5.1	15.03	5.3	–	–
Stock and inventory clerks	13.08	11.4	13.08	11.4	–	–
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	20.63	1.6	20.63	1.6	–	–
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	17.10	7.0	16.29	6.6	–	–
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	17.74	2.3	–	–	17.93	3.4
General office clerks	16.09	4.0	15.91	3.0	16.41	10.3
Bank tellers	12.59	3.6	12.59	3.6	–	–
Data entry keyers	14.74	4.2	14.71	5.1	–	–
Statistical clerks	18.04	13.8	17.83	15.2	–	–
Teachers' aides	18.21	4.9	–	–	19.01	4.1
Administrative support, n.e.c.	17.51	3.1	17.61	4.3	17.28	2.2
Blue collar	20.34	2.9	19.83	3.2	23.97	3.1
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.12	2.6	28.29	2.9	26.97	1.0
Automobile mechanics	27.97	.7	–	–	27.97	.7
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	21.80	5.2	21.18	6.2	–	–
Carpenters	23.51	12.7	–	–	–	–
Electricians	37.18	7.8	37.98	7.6	–	–

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued						
Electrician apprentices	\$17.55	20.5	\$17.55	20.5	—	—
Supervisors, production	23.25	4.4	23.25	4.4	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	14.67	5.1	14.67	5.1	—	—
Stationary engineers	28.06	4.7	—	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors						
Packaging and filling machine operators	14.63	4.2	14.62	4.2	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	19.78	4.6	19.78	4.6	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	15.65	3.2	15.65	3.2	—	—
Assemblers	14.14	2.4	14.14	2.4	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.86	14.5	12.86	14.5	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.73	6.6	12.73	6.6	—	—
Transportation and material moving						
Truck drivers	18.21	4.8	16.82	5.8	\$24.03	4.1
Bus drivers	18.75	8.4	17.75	8.6	—	—
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	19.89	7.1	—	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	12.63	18.6	10.31	9.6	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	15.71	6.0	15.71	6.0	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers						
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	15.01	8.0	14.05	9.6	20.02	3.6
Stock handlers and baggers	16.35	8.0	—	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	10.73	29.3	10.72	29.4	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	16.41	11.2	16.41	11.2	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.31	23.7	12.31	23.7	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.82	16.9	10.69	20.5	18.51	3.3
Service						
Protective service	16.09	2.5	13.27	5.4	22.90	2.5
Supervisors, police and detectives	25.74	3.0	15.89	11.9	28.34	1.6
Police and detectives, public service	38.54	8.9	—	—	38.54	8.9
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	28.66	2.7	—	—	28.66	2.7
Correctional institution officers	26.68	6.7	—	—	26.68	6.7
Guards and police, except public service	25.58	2.4	—	—	25.58	2.4
Protective service, n.e.c.	13.99	8.5	13.79	9.6	15.70	3.9
Food service	16.57	13.4	—	—	—	—
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	10.85	5.1	10.62	5.5	13.08	1.3
Waiters/waitresses	7.13	21.9	6.93	22.7	—	—
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	6.68	28.6	6.68	28.6	—	—
Other food service	7.32	29.9	6.03	31.3	—	—
Supervisors, food preparation and service	12.06	5.7	11.94	6.2	12.95	1.5
Cooks	19.73	.7	19.73	.7	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	12.90	4.4	12.82	4.7	14.48	8.7
Food preparation, n.e.c.	13.35	10.3	13.35	10.8	—	—
Health service	9.34	15.8	8.48	16.3	12.70	.6
Health aides, except nursing	12.38	3.0	11.82	3.4	16.27	3.1
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	13.84	3.5	12.86	3.9	16.23	.9
Cleaning and building service	12.19	3.2	11.71	3.5	16.29	4.1
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	14.77	10.0	14.21	14.2	17.12	5.3
Maids and housemen	22.08	6.6	—	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	12.27	2.0	12.27	2.0	—	—
Personal service	14.92	11.4	14.54	16.3	16.30	3.6
Public transportation attendants	17.06	7.0	18.37	8.3	13.30	6.4
Early childhood teachers' assistants	35.56	5.7	37.45	4.9	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.19	2.1	10.92	3.4	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	11.86	4.6	10.99	4.6	12.33	4.2
Service, n.e.c.	14.97	7.4	14.99	8.7	—	—

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$27.25	2.8	\$26.55	3.7	\$29.73	1.1
All excluding sales	27.38	2.9	26.67	3.8	29.75	1.1
White collar	32.87	3.0	32.72	3.8	33.40	1.6
White collar excluding sales	33.58	2.9	33.62	3.8	33.45	1.6
Professional specialty and technical	38.26	2.9	37.59	4.2	39.87	2.3
Professional specialty	39.71	2.9	38.94	4.4	41.29	2.6
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	37.40	5.6	39.15	4.9	29.27	6.0
Architects	35.57	12.3	—	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	39.99	6.6	39.99	6.6	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	42.26	9.0	45.25	1.6	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	42.91	8.9	42.95	8.8	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	42.58	9.4	42.62	9.4	—	—
Natural scientists	37.63	9.5	37.75	9.7	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	33.91	18.1	33.91	18.1	—	—
Health related	33.98	1.9	35.18	1.1	27.19	9.0
Physicians	28.86	13.0	32.85	12.6	22.39	16.7
Registered nurses	35.37	1.9	35.77	1.6	31.89	7.1
Pharmacists	41.27	4.4	43.22	.8	—	—
Dietitians	26.97	10.2	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	56.34	8.3	58.08	15.7	54.51	5.9
Psychology teachers	52.42	6.5	—	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	64.76	7.3	—	—	—	—
English teachers	59.22	5.3	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	53.92	6.1	60.11	8.6	52.24	8.0
Teachers, except college and university	42.49	4.6	26.67	15.1	45.79	3.6
Elementary school teachers	44.94	3.7	29.73	17.5	47.74	4.2
Secondary school teachers	49.20	2.9	—	—	49.40	3.0
Teachers, special education	47.28	4.1	—	—	48.55	2.1
Teachers, n.e.c.	41.57	7.3	—	—	45.27	3.0
Vocational and educational counselors	36.32	19.0	26.42	16.5	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	38.66	10.6	36.83	14.1	45.29	6.0
Librarians	40.07	13.8	38.21	19.2	45.29	6.0
Social scientists and urban planners	41.14	18.4	38.48	32.1	44.09	16.2
Psychologists	39.38	17.9	—	—	44.09	16.2
Social, recreation, and religious workers	25.56	5.3	23.76	3.6	28.02	11.2
Social workers	25.62	5.3	23.82	3.8	28.05	11.2
Lawyers and judges	52.00	16.1	65.04	11.6	—	—
Lawyers	52.00	16.1	65.04	11.6	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	46.02	9.2	46.32	9.2	—	—
Designers	33.79	13.6	33.79	13.6	—	—
Editors and reporters	51.30	21.1	51.30	21.1	—	—
Technical	30.40	5.6	31.82	6.0	21.53	7.7
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	21.54	8.8	20.88	8.7	26.28	14.1
Radiological technicians	25.61	3.5	25.61	3.5	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	22.11	2.0	22.37	2.3	20.00	4.1
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	20.23	10.1	21.44	.1	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	29.65	3.6	29.65	3.6	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	150.27	5.1	150.27	5.1	—	—
Computer programmers	31.11	10.9	31.94	12.1	—	—
Legal assistants	32.59	9.1	—	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	31.39	7.5	—	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.48	8.4	47.98	10.0	35.07	5.9
Executives, administrators, and managers	54.48	12.3	55.64	14.1	47.76	7.2
Administrators and officials, public administration	38.80	1.1	—	—	38.80	1.1
Financial managers	51.60	6.1	52.70	6.1	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	56.24	11.6	56.24	11.6	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	48.45	7.3	48.45	7.3	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	55.52	11.1	39.09	10.5	67.41	7.7
Managers, medicine and health	43.32	12.1	49.45	16.5	31.95	3.3
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	43.66	28.2	43.75	28.2	—	—

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
White collar –Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial –Continued						
Executives, administrators, and managers –Continued						
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	\$62.48	21.5	\$64.01	22.4	–	–
Management related	33.52	3.6	36.32	4.6	\$25.35	4.7
Accountants and auditors	31.03	4.7	31.16	5.1	–	–
Other financial officers	49.11	7.4	51.96	6.6	–	–
Management analysts	31.44	10.4	31.61	10.9	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.69	7.4	27.38	9.4	24.87	8.6
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	30.22	24.5	–	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.32	6.9	–	–	20.64	8.0
Management related, n.e.c.	27.86	5.4	27.70	7.0	28.37	3.1
Sales	24.48	10.7	24.52	10.8	–	–
Supervisors, sales	24.51	15.5	24.51	15.5	–	–
Securities and financial services sales	51.16	6.5	51.16	6.5	–	–
Sales, other business services	25.13	14.5	25.13	14.5	–	–
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	36.55	10.4	36.55	10.4	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	18.72	22.7	18.72	22.7	–	–
Cashiers	10.88	7.4	10.30	5.3	–	–
Sales support, n.e.c.	19.59	16.0	19.59	16.0	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical	18.70	2.1	18.53	2.6	19.37	1.7
Supervisors, general office	24.17	9.4	24.57	11.1	22.38	7.1
Supervisors, financial records processing	34.70	24.3	36.06	25.9	–	–
Secretaries	21.41	3.3	21.59	3.6	20.73	7.7
Stenographers	21.99	2.9	–	–	–	–
Typists	16.15	3.2	–	–	16.22	4.0
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	19.65	5.8	–	–	–	–
Receptionists	15.89	14.9	15.89	14.9	–	–
Information clerks, n.e.c.	15.52	8.1	15.52	8.1	–	–
Order clerks	23.11	13.1	23.11	13.1	–	–
Library clerks	15.87	9.3	–	–	–	–
File clerks	12.91	7.2	12.91	7.2	–	–
Records clerks, n.e.c.	19.26	5.4	19.94	5.7	–	–
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	17.51	6.9	17.01	7.0	23.19	3.4
Billing clerks	16.26	5.1	16.26	5.1	–	–
Telephone operators	16.64	6.4	–	–	–	–
Dispatchers	23.78	15.0	22.30	19.9	–	–
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	15.42	4.9	15.18	5.2	–	–
Stock and inventory clerks	15.33	8.2	15.33	8.2	–	–
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	20.76	2.1	20.76	2.1	–	–
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	17.33	7.3	16.50	7.2	–	–
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	17.74	2.3	–	–	17.93	3.4
General office clerks	17.01	3.2	16.30	3.5	18.39	4.7
Bank tellers	12.59	3.6	12.59	3.6	–	–
Data entry keyers	15.11	4.9	15.19	6.2	–	–
Statistical clerks	18.04	13.8	17.83	15.2	–	–
Teachers' aides	15.52	6.8	–	–	16.27	2.1
Administrative support, n.e.c.	17.76	3.0	17.99	4.2	17.28	2.2
Blue collar	20.84	3.2	20.37	3.6	24.07	3.3
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.13	2.6	28.31	2.9	26.97	1.0
Automobile mechanics	27.97	.7	–	–	27.97	.7
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	21.80	5.2	21.18	6.2	–	–
Carpenters	23.51	12.7	–	–	–	–
Electricians	37.18	7.8	37.98	7.6	–	–

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued						
Electrician apprentices	\$17.55	20.5	\$17.55	20.5	—	—
Supervisors, production	23.25	4.4	23.25	4.4	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	14.67	5.1	14.67	5.1	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors						
Packaging and filling machine operators	14.69	4.1	14.67	4.2	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	19.78	4.6	19.78	4.6	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	15.65	3.2	15.65	3.2	—	—
Assemblers	14.31	2.3	14.31	2.3	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.86	14.5	12.86	14.5	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.73	6.6	12.73	6.6	—	—
Transportation and material moving						
Truck drivers	19.23	6.0	17.88	7.1	\$24.14	4.2
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	18.89	8.5	17.87	8.7	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	15.71	6.0	15.71	6.0	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers						
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	15.56	7.9	14.58	9.7	20.12	3.3
Stock handlers and baggers	16.37	8.1	—	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	12.02	35.3	12.00	35.4	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	16.93	13.4	16.93	13.4	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.35	24.5	12.35	24.5	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.78	17.1	10.69	20.5	18.71	4.1
Service						
Protective service	17.08	1.6	14.02	4.0	24.06	3.0
Supervisors, police and detectives	26.36	3.3	16.31	13.4	28.93	.9
Police and detectives, public service	38.54	8.9	—	—	38.54	8.9
Correctional institution officers	28.66	2.7	—	—	28.66	2.7
Guards and police, except public service	25.58	2.4	—	—	25.58	2.4
Food service	14.22	9.0	13.99	10.1	16.30	1.4
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	11.94	4.6	11.80	4.9	14.20	4.9
Waiters and waitresses	7.94	25.1	7.63	27.2	—	—
Other food service	7.41	31.6	7.41	31.6	—	—
Supervisors, food preparation and service	12.92	4.8	12.85	5.1	14.07	5.3
Cooks	19.73	.7	19.73	.7	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	12.95	4.6	12.86	4.7	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	14.12	7.9	14.16	8.4	—	—
Health service	9.59	17.8	9.04	18.7	13.72	5.8
Health aides, except nursing	12.71	2.6	12.12	2.7	16.28	3.1
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	13.88	3.2	12.89	3.7	16.25	.9
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	12.54	2.8	12.03	2.8	16.29	4.2
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	15.28	6.5	14.78	9.8	17.12	5.3
Maids and housemen	22.08	6.6	—	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	12.09	2.0	12.09	2.0	—	—
Personal service	15.63	6.3	15.41	9.6	16.30	3.6
Public transportation attendants	18.92	6.9	19.70	7.7	14.71	10.5
Early childhood teachers' assistants	35.56	5.7	37.45	4.9	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.58	2.7	—	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	11.87	5.8	—	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	15.20	8.7	15.26	10.1	—	—

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Table 2-3. Mean hourly earnings,¹ part-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$14.25	10.2	\$14.10	12.1	\$15.10	6.1
All excluding sales	15.46	11.5	15.54	14.1	15.10	6.1
White collar	18.19	13.8	18.29	15.8	17.57	12.1
White collar excluding sales	23.61	14.1	25.31	16.0	17.57	12.1
Professional specialty and technical	34.85	8.7	35.29	8.8	28.50	16.5
Professional specialty	36.50	9.0	36.82	9.1	30.77	20.6
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mathematical and computer scientists	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health related	39.64	7.5	39.72	7.5	-	-
Physicians	79.72	.0	79.72	.0	-	-
Registered nurses	34.46	2.3	34.49	2.3	-	-
Teachers, college and university	32.13	10.4	37.25	6.4	-	-
Teachers, except college and university	21.81	19.4	24.66	26.3	17.68	13.0
Librarians, archivists, and curators	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social scientists and urban planners	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social, recreation, and religious workers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lawyers and judges	-	-	-	-	-	-
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	34.79	44.0	-	-	-	-
Technical	23.45	6.1	23.55	7.2	-	-
Executive, administrative, and managerial	31.30	16.1	-	-	-	-
Executives, administrators, and managers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Management related	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales	9.03	1.4	9.03	1.4	-	-
Sales workers, other commodities	9.88	6.6	9.88	6.6	-	-
Cashiers	8.14	2.3	8.14	2.3	-	-
Sales support, n.e.c.	8.19	10.6	8.19	10.6	-	-
Administrative support, including clerical	13.15	7.6	11.92	6.4	15.43	14.8
Receptionists	11.80	9.7	-	-	-	-
Library clerks	11.76	7.2	-	-	9.32	9.1
General office clerks	9.23	25.6	-	-	-	-
Blue collar	11.10	11.1	10.82	11.7	-	-
Precision production, craft, and repair	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation and material moving	11.54	16.2	11.13	18.3	-	-
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.44	11.2	10.30	11.1	-	-
Stock handlers and baggers	7.98	1.1	7.98	1.1	-	-
Service	9.96	8.1	9.19	9.8	12.74	2.7
Protective service	13.32	8.5	10.11	7.3	14.70	8.4
Guards and police, except public service	10.46	9.8	-	-	-	-
Food service	7.93	8.4	6.93	6.8	12.19	2.1
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	5.98	9.0	5.98	9.0	-	-
Waiters and waitresses	5.62	19.3	5.62	19.3	-	-
Other food service	9.09	10.9	7.75	7.7	12.19	2.1
Food preparation, n.e.c.	8.96	13.3	7.40	6.2	12.16	2.0
Health service	10.02	12.2	10.00	12.2	-	-
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.96	12.3	9.95	12.3	-	-

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Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Service —Continued						
Cleaning and building service	\$10.51	30.5	\$10.51	30.5	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	10.10	32.7	10.10	32.7	—	—
Personal service	11.33	3.5	10.33	5.4	\$12.09	3.7
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.86	4.7	—	—	12.23	4.4

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Table 3-1. Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
All	\$1,038	2.9	38.1	\$1,021	3.7	38.5	\$1,096	1.4	36.9
All excluding sales	1,042	2.9	38.0	1,025	3.8	38.4	1,096	1.4	36.8
White collar	1,239	3.1	37.7	1,257	4.0	38.4	1,181	1.6	35.4
White collar excluding sales	1,262	3.0	37.6	1,289	3.9	38.3	1,182	1.6	35.3
Professional specialty and technical	1,422	3.1	37.2	1,434	4.3	38.1	1,397	2.8	35.0
Professional specialty	1,479	3.3	37.2	1,501	4.5	38.5	1,437	3.1	34.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	1,508	5.8	40.3	1,597	5.0	40.8	1,120	2.2	38.3
Architects	1,430	10.1	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electrical and electronic engineers	1,599	6.6	40.0	1,599	6.6	40.0	-	-	-
Engineers, n.e.c.	1,690	9.0	40.0	1,810	1.6	40.0	-	-	-
Mathematical and computer scientists	1,682	8.8	39.2	1,684	8.7	39.2	-	-	-
Computer systems analysts and scientists	1,669	9.2	39.2	1,671	9.2	39.2	-	-	-
Natural scientists	1,500	9.6	39.9	1,505	9.7	39.9	-	-	-
Chemists, except biochemists	1,357	18.1	40.0	1,357	18.1	40.0	-	-	-
Health related	1,316	1.3	38.7	1,332	1.1	37.9	1,208	5.3	44.4
Physicians	1,321	7.4	45.8	1,302	9.4	39.6	1,366	15.4	61.0
Registered nurses	1,327	2.1	37.5	1,342	2.0	37.5	1,193	6.1	37.4
Pharmacists	1,604	4.3	38.9	1,676	.5	38.8	-	-	-
Dietitians	1,032	12.8	38.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teachers, college and university	2,038	8.0	36.2	2,079	14.5	35.8	1,995	6.8	36.6
Psychology teachers	1,925	6.7	36.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health specialties teachers	2,299	6.1	35.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
English teachers	2,107	4.9	35.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other post-secondary teachers	1,995	7.5	37.0	2,208	9.8	36.7	1,937	9.8	37.1
Teachers, except college and university	1,418	4.5	33.4	984	16.0	36.9	1,498	4.3	32.7
Elementary school teachers ...	1,546	3.3	34.4	1,186	17.6	39.9	1,602	4.0	33.6
Secondary school teachers ...	1,701	.7	34.6	-	-	-	1,690	.6	34.2
Teachers, special education ...	1,514	1.9	32.0	-	-	-	1,539	.2	31.7
Teachers, n.e.c.	1,363	6.8	32.8	-	-	-	1,454	3.5	32.1
Vocational and educational counselors	1,228	16.2	33.8	930	16.4	35.2	-	-	-
Librarians, archivists, and curators	1,363	10.0	35.3	1,301	13.3	35.3	1,587	6.0	35.0
Librarians	1,415	13.1	35.3	1,353	18.3	35.4	1,587	6.0	35.0
Social scientists and urban planners	1,497	16.0	36.4	1,481	30.9	38.5	1,513	11.4	34.3
Psychologists	1,407	13.6	35.7	-	-	-	1,513	11.4	34.3
Social, recreation, and religious workers	921	6.2	36.0	852	4.4	35.9	1,015	12.5	36.2
Social workers	923	6.2	36.0	854	4.7	35.9	1,016	12.6	36.2
Lawyers and judges	2,036	20.8	39.1	2,861	10.0	44.0	-	-	-
Lawyers	2,036	20.8	39.1	2,861	10.0	44.0	-	-	-
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	1,757	8.7	38.2	1,767	8.7	38.1	-	-	-
Designers	1,382	22.3	40.9	1,382	22.3	40.9	-	-	-
Editors and reporters	1,801	20.5	35.1	1,801	20.5	35.1	-	-	-
Technical	1,119	5.0	36.8	1,164	5.4	36.6	825	6.6	38.3
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	838	7.4	38.9	816	7.2	39.1	983	11.0	37.4
Radiological technicians	964	3.3	37.6	964	3.3	37.6	-	-	-
Licensed practical nurses	845	2.9	38.2	854	3.5	38.2	765	5.4	38.3

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Table 3-1. Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar –Continued									
Professional specialty and technical –Continued									
Technical –Continued									
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	\$784	8.6	38.8	\$811	0.8	37.8	–	–	–
Electrical and electronic technicians	1,188	3.5	40.1	1,188	3.5	40.1	–	–	–
Airplane pilots and navigators	2,688	11.1	17.9	2,688	11.1	17.9	–	–	–
Computer programmers	1,226	10.9	39.4	1,272	12.0	39.8	–	–	–
Legal assistants	1,226	11.2	37.6	–	–	–	–	–	–
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	1,191	10.6	37.9	–	–	–	–	–	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial	1,742	8.6	38.3	1,861	10.2	38.8	\$1,277	6.0	36.4
Executives, administrators, and managers	2,109	12.3	38.7	2,181	14.2	39.2	1,728	7.4	36.2
Administrators and officials, public administration	1,417	1.8	36.5	–	–	–	1,417	1.8	36.5
Financial managers	2,006	7.6	38.9	2,074	7.4	39.3	–	–	–
Personnel and labor relations managers	2,029	11.5	36.1	2,029	11.5	36.1	–	–	–
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	1,949	9.5	40.2	1,949	9.5	40.2	–	–	–
Administrators, education and related fields	2,021	11.1	36.4	1,433	12.2	36.7	2,441	7.1	36.2
Managers, medicine and health	1,584	12.1	36.6	1,848	16.0	37.4	1,123	3.2	35.2
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	1,638	31.5	37.5	1,642	31.5	37.5	–	–	–
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	2,466	21.8	39.5	2,537	22.6	39.6	–	–	–
Management related	1,266	3.6	37.8	1,387	4.5	38.2	928	4.7	36.6
Accountants and auditors	1,174	4.8	37.8	1,182	5.3	37.9	–	–	–
Other financial officers	1,825	7.7	37.2	1,951	5.8	37.5	–	–	–
Management analysts	1,202	10.3	38.2	1,215	10.7	38.4	–	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	1,032	9.5	38.7	1,090	11.6	39.8	893	11.3	35.9
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	1,147	24.4	38.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	827	9.0	37.0	–	–	–	771	10.9	37.4
Management related, n.e.c.	1,070	5.0	38.4	1,085	6.6	39.2	1,027	4.4	36.2
Sales	955	11.0	39.0	957	11.1	39.0	–	–	–
Supervisors, sales	985	15.7	40.2	985	15.7	40.2	–	–	–
Securities and financial services sales	1,989	5.4	38.9	1,989	5.4	38.9	–	–	–
Sales, other business services	985	13.5	39.2	985	13.5	39.2	–	–	–
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	1,455	10.0	39.8	1,455	10.0	39.8	–	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	704	21.9	37.6	704	21.9	37.6	–	–	–
Cashiers	422	8.2	38.8	398	6.0	38.7	–	–	–
Sales support, n.e.c.	762	15.1	38.9	762	15.1	38.9	–	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical	703	2.1	37.6	709	2.6	38.3	683	1.9	35.3

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Table 3-1. Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Supervisors, general office	\$903	8.8	37.3	\$929	10.5	37.8	\$791	0.5	35.3
Supervisors, financial records processing	1,278	25.6	36.8	1,335	27.5	37.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	792	3.4	37.0	810	3.7	37.5	725	7.0	35.0
Stenographers	793	4.7	36.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Typists	576	4.2	35.7	—	—	—	555	6.0	34.2
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	786	5.8	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Receptionists	595	15.5	37.5	595	15.5	37.5	—	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	601	6.9	38.7	601	6.9	38.7	—	—	—
Order clerks	881	10.3	38.1	881	10.3	38.1	—	—	—
Library clerks	523	11.3	33.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
File clerks	496	6.3	38.4	496	6.3	38.4	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	738	6.2	38.3	765	6.8	38.4	—	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	680	6.4	38.8	667	6.8	39.2	806	3.2	34.7
Billing clerks	629	6.6	38.7	629	6.6	38.7	—	—	—
Telephone operators	614	8.9	36.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	933	15.2	39.3	868	19.9	38.9	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	610	5.2	39.5	603	5.6	39.7	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	593	7.5	38.7	593	7.5	38.7	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	801	.3	38.6	801	.3	38.6	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	684	7.2	39.5	649	7.0	39.3	—	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	628	2.3	35.4	—	—	—	628	2.9	35.0
General office clerks	626	3.0	36.8	616	3.5	37.8	643	5.0	35.0
Bank tellers	496	6.0	39.4	496	6.0	39.4	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	582	4.3	38.5	579	5.3	38.1	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	647	12.5	35.8	640	13.7	35.9	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	469	6.3	30.2	—	—	—	473	4.7	29.1
Administrative support, n.e.c.	652	3.1	36.7	676	4.0	37.6	606	2.3	35.1
Blue collar	827	3.3	39.7	809	3.6	39.7	952	3.8	39.5
Precision production, craft, and repair									
Automobile mechanics	1,111	2.6	39.5	1,118	3.0	39.5	1,062	1.8	39.4
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	861	4.9	39.5	835	5.9	39.4	—	—	—
Carpenters	905	9.7	38.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electricians	1,416	7.2	38.1	1,445	7.0	38.0	—	—	—
Electrician apprentices	676	24.1	38.5	676	24.1	38.5	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	930	4.4	40.0	930	4.4	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	587	5.1	40.0	587	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors									
Packaging and filling machine operators	586	4.2	39.9	586	4.2	39.9	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	791	4.6	40.0	791	4.6	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	626	3.2	40.0	626	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers	569	2.3	39.8	569	2.3	39.8	—	—	—
	514	14.5	40.0	514	14.5	40.0	—	—	—

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Table 3-1. Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Blue collar –Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors –Continued									
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ...	\$509	6.6	40.0	\$509	6.6	40.0	–	–	–
Transportation and material moving	762	6.1	39.6	709	7.2	39.7	\$955	4.7	39.6
Truck drivers	752	8.5	39.8	711	8.6	39.8	–	–	–
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	628	6.0	40.0	628	6.0	40.0	–	–	–
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	619	7.9	39.8	580	9.8	39.8	801	3.4	39.8
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	651	8.0	39.8	–	–	–	–	–	–
Stock handlers and baggers ...	481	35.3	40.0	480	35.4	40.0	–	–	–
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	676	13.5	39.9	676	13.5	39.9	–	–	–
Hand packers and packagers	489	24.9	39.6	489	24.9	39.6	–	–	–
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	505	17.0	39.5	421	20.1	39.4	748	4.1	40.0
Service	645	2.0	37.7	520	4.7	37.1	947	3.6	39.4
Protective service	1,047	3.4	39.7	645	13.5	39.6	1,150	1.3	39.7
Supervisors, police and detectives	1,547	9.7	40.1	–	–	–	1,547	9.7	40.1
Police and detectives, public service	1,129	1.7	39.4	–	–	–	1,129	1.7	39.4
Correctional institution officers	1,022	2.2	39.9	–	–	–	1,022	2.2	39.9
Guards and police, except public service	558	8.8	39.2	551	9.9	39.4	616	1.9	37.8
Food service	469	5.0	39.3	465	5.3	39.4	523	2.7	36.8
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	305	26.1	38.4	295	28.3	38.6	–	–	–
Waiters and waitresses	285	33.4	38.4	285	33.4	38.4	–	–	–
Other food service	510	4.1	39.5	509	4.4	39.6	523	3.0	37.2
Supervisors, food preparation and service	820	.3	41.6	820	.3	41.6	–	–	–
Cooks	512	4.7	39.5	509	4.9	39.6	–	–	–
Kitchen workers, food preparation	544	7.8	38.5	544	8.2	38.4	–	–	–
Food preparation, n.e.c.	375	16.4	39.1	357	17.6	39.5	503	1.7	36.7
Health service	475	2.6	37.4	450	2.7	37.1	637	3.1	39.1
Health aides, except nursing ..	539	3.7	38.8	496	4.6	38.5	645	1.0	39.7
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	466	2.8	37.2	444	3.0	37.0	634	4.2	38.9

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Table 3-1. **Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Cleaning and building service	\$604	6.8	39.5	\$585	10.2	39.6	\$672	6.0	39.2
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	881	6.7	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	473	2.1	39.1	473	2.1	39.1	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	619	6.7	39.6	612	9.9	39.7	639	4.2	39.2
Personal service	559	2.4	29.6	560	2.2	28.4	551	12.5	37.4
Public transportation attendants	675	3.7	19.0	664	2.9	17.7	—	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	430	4.8	37.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	452	5.0	38.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	602	8.8	39.6	610	10.1	40.0	—	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, 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 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 A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to

cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁴ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

⁵ Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

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 3-2. Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
All	\$52,758	2.9	1,936	\$52,826	3.7	1,990	\$52,545	1.4	1,767
All excluding sales	52,901	2.9	1,932	53,013	3.8	1,988	52,565	1.4	1,767
White collar	62,134	3.1	1,890	64,870	4.0	1,983	54,374	1.6	1,628
White collar excluding sales	63,110	3.0	1,879	66,497	3.9	1,978	54,411	1.6	1,627
Professional specialty and technical	68,694	3.1	1,795	73,225	4.3	1,948	60,337	2.8	1,513
Professional specialty	70,492	3.3	1,775	76,296	4.5	1,959	61,369	3.1	1,486
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	78,429	5.8	2,097	83,057	5.0	2,122	58,243	2.2	1,990
Architects	74,378	10.1	2,091	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electrical and electronic engineers	83,170	6.6	2,080	83,170	6.6	2,080	-	-	-
Engineers, n.e.c.	87,894	9.0	2,080	94,115	1.6	2,080	-	-	-
Mathematical and computer scientists	87,483	8.8	2,039	87,593	8.7	2,040	-	-	-
Computer systems analysts and scientists	86,775	9.2	2,038	86,895	9.2	2,039	-	-	-
Natural scientists	78,025	9.6	2,074	78,280	9.7	2,073	-	-	-
Chemists, except biochemists	70,541	18.1	2,080	70,541	18.1	2,080	-	-	-
Health related	67,849	1.3	1,997	68,892	1.1	1,959	61,051	5.3	2,245
Physicians	68,668	7.4	2,379	67,724	9.4	2,061	71,019	15.4	3,172
Registered nurses	68,601	2.1	1,940	69,781	2.0	1,951	58,908	6.1	1,847
Pharmacists	83,388	4.3	2,020	87,161	.5	2,017	-	-	-
Dietitians	53,650	12.8	1,990	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teachers, college and university	83,768	8.0	1,487	81,563	14.5	1,404	86,375	6.8	1,584
Psychology teachers	69,556	6.7	1,327	-	-	-	-	-	-
Health specialties teachers	103,921	6.1	1,605	-	-	-	-	-	-
English teachers	89,727	4.9	1,515	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other post-secondary teachers	86,710	7.5	1,608	89,673	9.8	1,492	85,825	9.8	1,643
Teachers, except college and university	57,074	4.5	1,343	44,735	16.0	1,678	59,050	4.3	1,290
Elementary school teachers ...	61,273	3.3	1,363	51,215	17.6	1,722	62,684	4.0	1,313
Secondary school teachers ...	68,620	.7	1,395	-	-	-	67,121	.6	1,359
Teachers, special education ...	60,168	1.9	1,273	-	-	-	60,795	.2	1,252
Teachers, n.e.c.	54,849	6.8	1,319	-	-	-	58,080	3.5	1,283
Vocational and educational counselors	56,343	16.2	1,551	48,368	16.4	1,830	-	-	-
Librarians, archivists, and curators	66,801	10.0	1,728	67,627	13.3	1,836	64,485	6.0	1,424
Librarians	68,503	13.1	1,709	70,353	18.3	1,841	64,485	6.0	1,424
Social scientists and urban planners	69,809	16.0	1,697	73,356	30.9	1,906	66,684	11.4	1,512
Psychologists	62,902	13.6	1,597	-	-	-	66,684	11.4	1,512
Social, recreation, and religious workers	47,702	6.2	1,866	44,303	4.4	1,865	52,336	12.5	1,868
Social workers	47,804	6.2	1,866	44,418	4.7	1,865	52,393	12.6	1,868
Lawyers and judges	105,853	20.8	2,036	148,783	10.0	2,288	-	-	-
Lawyers	105,853	20.8	2,036	148,783	10.0	2,288	-	-	-
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	91,345	8.7	1,985	91,858	8.7	1,983	-	-	-
Designers	71,866	22.3	2,127	71,866	22.3	2,127	-	-	-
Editors and reporters	93,654	20.5	1,826	93,654	20.5	1,826	-	-	-
Technical	58,155	5.0	1,913	60,534	5.4	1,903	42,637	6.6	1,981
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	43,566	7.4	2,022	42,455	7.2	2,033	51,133	11.0	1,946
Radiological technicians	50,121	3.3	1,957	50,121	3.3	1,957	-	-	-
Licensed practical nurses	43,924	2.9	1,987	44,429	3.5	1,986	39,783	5.4	1,990

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Table 3-2. Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar –Continued									
Professional specialty and technical –Continued									
Technical –Continued									
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	\$40,787	8.6	2,016	\$42,185	0.8	1,967	–	–	–
Electrical and electronic technicians	61,788	3.5	2,084	61,788	3.5	2,084	–	–	–
Airplane pilots and navigators	139,759	11.1	930	139,759	11.1	930	–	–	–
Computer programmers	63,775	10.9	2,050	66,128	12.0	2,070	–	–	–
Legal assistants	63,733	11.2	1,956	–	–	–	–	–	–
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	59,846	10.6	1,906	–	–	–	–	–	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
Executives, administrators, and managers	108,465	12.3	1,991	113,292	14.2	2,036	84,228	7.4	1,764
Administrators and officials, public administration	73,677	1.8	1,899	–	–	–	73,677	1.8	1,899
Financial managers	104,291	7.6	2,021	107,828	7.4	2,046	–	–	–
Personnel and labor relations managers	105,488	11.5	1,876	105,488	11.5	1,876	–	–	–
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	101,335	9.5	2,091	101,335	9.5	2,091	–	–	–
Administrators, education and related fields	93,435	11.1	1,683	72,955	12.2	1,867	105,911	7.1	1,571
Managers, medicine and health	82,374	12.1	1,902	96,119	16.0	1,944	58,414	3.2	1,828
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	85,195	31.5	1,951	85,407	31.5	1,952	–	–	–
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	128,258	21.8	2,053	131,944	22.6	2,061	–	–	–
Management related	65,825	3.6	1,964	72,119	4.5	1,986	48,236	4.7	1,903
Accountants and auditors	61,034	4.8	1,967	61,480	5.3	1,973	–	–	–
Other financial officers	94,893	7.7	1,932	101,429	5.8	1,952	–	–	–
Management analysts	62,516	10.3	1,989	63,177	10.7	1,999	–	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	53,657	9.5	2,011	56,673	11.6	2,070	46,458	11.3	1,868
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	59,635	24.4	1,973	–	–	–	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	42,990	9.0	1,926	–	–	–	40,117	10.9	1,944
Management related, n.e.c.	55,647	5.0	1,998	56,397	6.6	2,036	53,418	4.4	1,883
Sales									
Supervisors, sales	51,197	15.7	2,089	51,197	15.7	2,089	–	–	–
Securities and financial services sales	103,453	5.4	2,022	103,453	5.4	2,022	–	–	–
Sales, other business services	51,205	13.5	2,038	51,205	13.5	2,038	–	–	–
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	75,683	10.0	2,071	75,683	10.0	2,071	–	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	36,627	21.9	1,957	36,627	21.9	1,957	–	–	–
Cashiers	21,929	8.2	2,016	20,715	6.0	2,012	–	–	–
Sales support, n.e.c.	39,615	15.1	2,022	39,615	15.1	2,022	–	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical									
	36,201	2.1	1,936	36,835	2.6	1,988	33,999	1.9	1,755

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Table 3-2. Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Supervisors, general office	\$46,933	8.8	1,942	\$48,330	10.5	1,967	\$41,123	0.5	1,838
Supervisors, financial records processing	66,455	25.6	1,915	69,446	27.5	1,926	—	—	—
Secretaries	40,571	3.4	1,895	42,126	3.7	1,951	35,336	7.0	1,704
Stenographers	41,250	4.7	1,876	—	—	—	—	—	—
Typists	29,190	4.2	1,808	—	—	—	27,772	6.0	1,712
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	40,882	5.8	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Receptionists	30,953	15.5	1,948	30,953	15.5	1,948	—	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	31,263	6.9	2,015	31,263	6.9	2,015	—	—	—
Order clerks	45,827	10.3	1,983	45,827	10.3	1,983	—	—	—
Library clerks	24,264	11.3	1,529	—	—	—	—	—	—
File clerks	25,781	6.3	1,996	25,781	6.3	1,996	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	38,386	6.2	1,993	39,790	6.8	1,996	—	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	35,262	6.4	2,014	34,611	6.8	2,035	41,835	3.2	1,804
Billing clerks	32,683	6.6	2,010	32,683	6.6	2,010	—	—	—
Telephone operators	31,916	8.9	1,918	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	48,536	15.2	2,041	45,134	19.9	2,024	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	31,704	5.2	2,056	31,331	5.6	2,064	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	30,815	7.5	2,010	30,815	7.5	2,010	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	41,652	.3	2,007	41,652	.3	2,007	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	35,557	7.2	2,052	33,741	7.0	2,045	—	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	32,634	2.3	1,840	—	—	—	32,655	2.9	1,821
General office clerks	32,420	3.0	1,906	32,038	3.5	1,966	33,104	5.0	1,800
Bank tellers	25,807	6.0	2,050	25,807	6.0	2,050	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	30,253	4.3	2,002	30,091	5.3	1,981	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	33,621	12.5	1,864	33,287	13.7	1,867	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	18,932	6.3	1,220	—	—	—	18,398	4.7	1,131
Administrative support, n.e.c.	33,928	3.1	1,910	35,133	4.0	1,953	31,517	2.3	1,824
Blue collar	42,909	3.3	2,059	41,975	3.6	2,060	49,359	3.8	2,050
Precision production, craft, and repair	57,624	2.6	2,048	57,989	3.0	2,049	55,205	1.8	2,047
Automobile mechanics	57,791	1.7	2,066	—	—	—	57,791	1.7	2,066
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	44,786	4.9	2,054	43,397	5.9	2,049	—	—	—
Carpenters	47,052	9.7	2,001	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electricians	73,626	7.2	1,980	75,119	7.0	1,978	—	—	—
Electrician apprentices	35,170	24.1	2,004	35,170	24.1	2,004	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	48,355	4.4	2,080	48,355	4.4	2,080	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	30,520	5.1	2,080	30,520	5.1	2,080	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	30,484	4.2	2,075	30,461	4.2	2,076	—	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	41,146	4.6	2,080	41,146	4.6	2,080	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	32,550	3.2	2,080	32,550	3.2	2,080	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	29,612	2.3	2,069	29,612	2.3	2,069	—	—	—
Assemblers	26,754	14.5	2,080	26,754	14.5	2,080	—	—	—

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Table 3-2. Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Blue collar –Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors –Continued									
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ...	\$26,486	6.6	2,080	\$26,486	6.6	2,080	–	–	–
Transportation and material moving	39,571	6.1	2,058	36,873	7.2	2,063	\$49,246	4.7	2,040
Truck drivers	39,122	8.5	2,071	36,983	8.6	2,070	–	–	–
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	32,649	6.0	2,078	32,649	6.0	2,078	–	–	–
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	32,068	7.9	2,061	30,019	9.8	2,059	41,639	3.4	2,070
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	30,942	8.0	1,890	–	–	–	–	–	–
Stock handlers and baggers ...	24,994	35.3	2,079	24,968	35.4	2,080	–	–	–
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	35,158	13.5	2,076	35,158	13.5	2,076	–	–	–
Hand packers and packagers	25,412	24.9	2,058	25,412	24.9	2,058	–	–	–
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	26,264	17.0	2,055	21,882	20.1	2,046	38,883	4.1	2,078
Service	33,422	2.0	1,957	27,002	4.7	1,926	48,860	3.6	2,031
Protective service	54,420	3.4	2,065	33,554	13.5	2,057	59,789	1.3	2,067
Supervisors, police and detectives	80,462	9.7	2,088	–	–	–	80,462	9.7	2,088
Police and detectives, public service	58,715	1.7	2,048	–	–	–	58,715	1.7	2,048
Correctional institution officers	53,123	2.2	2,076	–	–	–	53,123	2.2	2,076
Guards and police, except public service	29,012	8.8	2,040	28,665	9.9	2,049	32,058	1.9	1,967
Food service	24,151	5.0	2,023	24,103	5.3	2,042	24,853	2.7	1,750
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	15,554	26.1	1,959	15,220	28.3	1,994	–	–	–
Waiters and waitresses	14,682	33.4	1,980	14,682	33.4	1,980	–	–	–
Other food service	26,359	4.1	2,040	26,399	4.4	2,054	25,784	3.0	1,832
Supervisors, food preparation and service	42,625	.3	2,161	42,625	.3	2,161	–	–	–
Cooks	26,402	4.7	2,038	26,249	4.9	2,040	–	–	–
Kitchen workers, food preparation	28,281	7.8	2,003	28,292	8.2	1,998	–	–	–
Food preparation, n.e.c.	19,317	16.4	2,014	18,545	17.6	2,052	24,312	1.7	1,772
Health service	24,700	2.6	1,943	23,383	2.7	1,930	32,983	3.1	2,026
Health aides, except nursing ..	28,030	3.7	2,019	25,802	4.6	2,001	33,543	1.0	2,064
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	24,227	2.8	1,932	23,107	3.0	1,921	32,785	4.2	2,013

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Table 3-2. **Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Cleaning and building service	\$31,358	6.8	2,052	\$30,418	10.2	2,058	\$34,771	6.0	2,031
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	45,814	6.7	2,075	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	24,584	2.1	2,033	24,584	2.1	2,033	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	32,138	6.7	2,056	31,839	9.9	2,066	33,035	4.2	2,026
Personal service	28,711	2.4	1,518	29,081	2.2	1,476	26,303	12.5	1,788
Public transportation attendants	35,074	3.7	986	34,538	2.9	922	—	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	21,200	4.8	1,831	—	—	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	21,559	5.0	1,816	—	—	—	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	31,324	8.8	2,061	31,737	10.1	2,080	—	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, 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 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 A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to

cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁴ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

⁵ Mean annual hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a year, exclusive of overtime.

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 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
All	\$26.20	2.6	\$25.47	3.3	\$28.89	1.1
All excluding sales	26.56	2.7	25.86	3.5	28.91	1.1
White collar	31.86	3.0	31.62	3.9	32.71	1.4
1	8.47	10.4	9.18	7.7	—	—
2	11.54	5.3	11.29	5.4	14.57	4.8
3	12.97	2.8	12.36	3.0	17.74	5.0
4	16.97	3.8	16.87	4.2	17.70	5.9
5	19.90	1.7	19.70	2.0	20.36	3.1
6	20.94	2.6	21.24	3.1	19.59	1.8
7	27.01	4.2	26.72	4.6	27.90	8.9
8	33.18	3.8	31.29	2.9	37.86	12.0
9	37.01	2.3	33.77	2.9	41.66	4.2
10	41.75	8.8	45.03	10.1	31.56	3.6
11	41.63	3.7	42.93	4.1	33.65	1.2
12	52.58	3.7	53.40	4.1	45.76	2.8
13	63.24	8.7	63.52	10.3	61.63	2.7
14	75.85	3.0	79.74	4.4	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	42.81	9.0	44.59	10.6	34.57	6.9
White collar excluding sales	33.10	2.9	33.21	3.8	32.76	1.4
1	9.10	31.8	13.90	10.0	—	—
2	13.47	3.8	13.30	4.3	14.57	4.8
3	13.64	3.3	13.07	3.6	17.43	5.5
4	17.07	3.8	16.95	4.3	17.70	5.9
5	19.92	1.7	19.73	2.1	20.36	3.1
6	20.94	2.5	21.28	3.1	19.59	1.8
7	27.17	4.1	26.92	4.6	27.90	8.9
8	33.24	4.1	31.18	3.0	37.86	12.0
9	36.96	2.3	33.57	2.9	41.66	4.2
10	39.40	10.0	42.24	12.0	31.56	3.6
11	41.62	3.7	42.93	4.1	33.65	1.2
12	52.38	3.8	53.20	4.2	45.76	2.8
13	63.24	8.7	63.52	10.3	61.63	2.7
14	75.85	3.0	79.74	4.4	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	44.22	9.2	46.57	10.9	34.57	6.9
Professional specialty and technical	38.10	2.9	37.44	4.1	39.74	2.3
Professional specialty	39.55	2.9	38.80	4.3	41.20	2.5
5	14.69	9.7	—	—	—	—
6	21.08	5.3	20.66	5.7	—	—
7	29.48	5.1	28.53	5.9	31.19	6.0
8	37.38	4.1	32.91	3.5	46.14	7.1
9	38.32	2.3	33.83	2.2	42.47	4.5
10	35.06	2.2	35.95	1.6	31.78	6.5
11	39.38	3.5	40.52	3.8	30.73	5.3
12	49.98	4.9	50.27	5.4	47.56	2.9
13	62.75	11.2	63.00	13.9	61.63	2.7
14	75.49	4.3	83.54	8.5	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	44.00	4.5	45.42	4.8	37.88	5.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	37.33	5.7	39.06	5.0	29.27	6.0
9	31.60	8.4	34.46	6.9	—	—
11	36.56	7.1	36.56	7.1	—	—
12	41.73	9.2	41.48	9.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	47.85	10.4	47.85	10.4	—	—
Architects	35.57	12.3	—	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	39.99	6.6	39.99	6.6	—	—
Mechanical engineers	35.38	16.1	—	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	42.26	9.0	45.25	1.6	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	42.56	9.8	42.60	9.8	—	—
7	32.11	14.2	32.11	14.2	—	—
9	34.05	3.5	34.05	3.5	—	—
10	37.83	2.7	37.83	2.7	—	—
11	42.64	4.3	42.71	4.3	—	—
13	62.26	6.6	62.26	6.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	44.85	3.4	44.85	3.4	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	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						
Mathematical and computer scientists —Continued						
Computer systems analysts and scientists	\$42.21	10.4	\$42.25	10.3	—	—
7	32.11	14.2	32.11	14.2	—	—
9	33.96	3.5	33.96	3.5	—	—
10	37.83	2.7	37.83	2.7	—	—
11	42.92	4.5	42.99	4.5	—	—
13	62.26	6.6	62.26	6.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	42.95	4.0	42.95	4.0	—	—
Natural scientists	37.63	9.5	37.75	9.7	—	—
12	47.74	10.9	47.74	10.9	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	33.91	18.1	33.91	18.1	—	—
Health related	34.77	2.6	35.90	2.2	\$27.25	9.0
7	30.48	4.2	30.53	4.4	29.81	9.5
8	32.73	4.2	32.90	4.3	—	—
9	33.09	1.9	34.31	.9	26.75	7.5
10	30.50	8.2	33.39	6.6	—	—
11	39.57	7.1	41.82	7.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	38.63	15.7	42.18	10.3	25.46	30.0
Physicians	34.39	11.9	40.58	10.3	22.39	16.7
9	17.38	16.3	—	—	—	—
10	20.00	2.8	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	37.15	36.7	48.23	30.0	—	—
Registered nurses	35.22	1.7	35.54	1.5	31.89	6.9
7	31.36	2.9	31.21	3.2	—	—
8	32.66	5.1	32.82	5.2	—	—
9	34.68	2.4	35.44	1.5	30.12	8.2
10	34.72	2.4	34.72	2.4	—	—
11	43.85	4.0	44.08	3.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	39.66	.6	39.38	.5	—	—
Pharmacists	41.27	4.4	43.22	.8	—	—
Dietitians	26.97	10.2	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	55.67	7.8	57.52	14.5	53.74	6.2
9	31.67	2.2	—	—	—	—
10	39.57	12.6	43.58	5.1	—	—
11	40.97	7.6	45.82	15.6	36.12	5.5
12	51.09	5.8	59.86	14.2	47.95	5.8
13	62.95	3.0	68.01	4.0	62.00	3.2
14	74.49	6.8	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	60.24	14.1	60.16	18.1	—	—
Psychology teachers	52.42	6.5	—	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	64.76	7.3	—	—	—	—
English teachers	59.22	5.3	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	53.83	6.1	59.66	8.1	52.24	8.0
12	46.24	8.2	—	—	44.12	10.9
14	68.02	4.9	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	61.17	2.8	—	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	42.25	4.4	26.59	13.6	45.62	3.6
7	31.30	5.3	29.73	9.9	31.56	5.6
8	48.76	7.1	—	—	50.11	7.5
9	47.75	1.5	—	—	48.13	1.4
Elementary school teachers	44.72	3.9	29.53	16.9	47.58	4.4
7	42.43	6.4	—	—	—	—
8	45.03	4.5	—	—	45.12	3.2
9	50.05	7.9	—	—	50.05	7.9
Secondary school teachers	48.89	3.1	—	—	49.40	3.0
8	53.57	8.1	—	—	53.77	9.0
9	46.07	3.7	—	—	46.07	3.7
Teachers, special education	47.26	4.1	—	—	48.55	2.1
9	45.88	3.2	—	—	47.37	.3
Teachers, n.e.c.	41.52	7.2	—	—	45.25	3.0

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Table 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	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, except college and university —Continued						
Teachers, n.e.c. —Continued						
9	\$47.94	1.5	—	—	\$47.98	1.5
Vocational and educational counselors	35.55	18.9	\$25.52	16.2	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	38.55	10.6	36.83	14.1	44.59	5.6
7	21.22	8.2	—	—	—	—
Librarians	39.93	13.7	38.21	19.2	44.59	5.6
7	21.22	8.2	—	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	40.67	17.3	37.95	28.2	44.09	16.2
9	46.26	15.1	—	—	—	—
Psychologists	38.89	16.5	30.34	22.5	44.09	16.2
9	46.26	15.1	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	25.34	5.1	23.53	3.1	27.93	11.4
7	18.70	4.4	18.69	4.5	—	—
8	26.07	6.8	—	—	27.04	18.2
9	27.19	8.7	27.31	1.5	27.16	11.5
Social workers	25.64	5.3	23.87	3.7	28.05	11.2
7	19.04	5.4	19.04	5.5	—	—
8	26.87	5.6	—	—	28.27	14.5
9	27.19	8.7	27.31	1.5	27.16	11.5
Lawyers and judges	52.32	16.2	65.04	11.6	40.15	10.4
Lawyers	52.32	16.2	65.04	11.6	40.15	10.4
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	45.37	9.0	45.65	9.0	—	—
9	41.76	21.2	43.33	22.5	—	—
11	41.45	3.8	41.45	3.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	46.17	10.0	46.19	10.1	—	—
Designers	33.79	13.6	33.79	13.6	—	—
Editors and reporters	51.30	21.1	51.30	21.1	—	—
Athletes	37.05	26.2	37.05	26.2	—	—
Not able to be leveled	37.05	26.2	37.05	26.2	—	—
Technical	30.12	5.6	31.49	6.0	21.58	7.4
4	16.49	4.6	16.51	4.7	—	—
5	21.34	3.1	21.42	3.6	20.86	3.4
6	21.00	7.1	22.97	3.9	—	—
7	28.98	19.0	30.04	21.1	22.34	9.3
8	28.13	3.5	27.79	3.6	—	—
9	51.61	26.4	53.03	27.4	—	—
10	100.85	39.8	100.85	39.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	34.34	16.7	34.31	17.0	—	—
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	21.50	9.5	20.87	9.6	26.28	14.1
7	23.72	8.3	25.07	8.2	—	—
Radiological technicians	25.72	4.0	25.72	4.0	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	22.35	1.5	22.58	1.7	20.80	3.9
5	22.19	3.1	22.57	3.7	20.40	4.2
6	21.64	3.7	—	—	—	—
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	20.44	9.7	21.78	1.7	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	29.65	3.6	29.65	3.6	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	150.27	5.1	150.27	5.1	—	—
Computer programmers	31.11	10.9	31.94	12.1	—	—
Legal assistants	32.59	9.1	—	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	31.12	7.9	—	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.38	8.4	47.90	10.0	34.94	5.6
5	22.77	4.7	—	—	—	—
6	20.05	5.6	21.09	6.3	—	—
7	24.46	3.8	24.62	4.4	23.88	8.3
8	26.67	6.7	29.01	3.5	22.61	9.9
9	30.59	3.1	30.85	3.5	28.61	4.4
10	37.72	13.0	41.93	16.4	—	—

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Table 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued						
11	\$44.75	6.6	\$46.50	6.8	\$36.44	4.3
12	55.11	4.9	56.80	4.9	42.82	1.3
13	65.06	3.0	65.06	3.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	61.23	14.7	63.07	16.8	51.38	8.5
Executives, administrators, and managers	54.45	12.2	55.60	14.1	47.76	7.2
7	26.00	3.4	25.29	2.2	—	—
9	30.35	7.8	30.13	8.2	—	—
10	37.64	11.9	37.62	12.0	—	—
11	45.26	5.7	46.53	6.2	—	—
12	55.89	6.3	57.86	6.4	43.19	1.2
Not able to be leveled	65.01	18.3	67.95	21.4	52.12	8.7
Administrators and officials, public administration	38.80	1.1	—	—	38.80	1.1
Financial managers	51.60	6.1	52.70	6.1	—	—
11	45.92	8.9	47.91	8.8	—	—
12	53.66	3.0	53.66	3.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	57.10	5.8	57.38	6.0	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	56.24	11.6	56.24	11.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	63.93	8.2	63.93	8.2	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	48.45	7.3	48.45	7.3	—	—
Not able to be leveled	48.05	12.2	48.05	12.2	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	55.30	11.0	39.27	10.2	67.41	7.7
Not able to be leveled	64.08	9.1	36.86	18.0	70.25	4.1
Managers, medicine and health	43.53	11.9	49.38	15.2	31.95	3.3
Not able to be leveled	41.15	17.6	50.79	28.8	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	43.66	28.2	43.75	28.2	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	62.48	21.5	64.01	22.4	—	—
9	31.70	6.9	31.70	6.9	—	—
11	43.84	9.7	43.84	9.7	—	—
12	54.12	8.3	56.88	8.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	80.73	29.9	83.20	30.5	—	—
Management related	33.42	3.6	36.23	4.5	25.32	4.7
5	22.77	4.7	—	—	—	—
6	20.07	5.7	21.15	6.5	—	—
7	23.79	4.5	24.26	6.3	22.61	1.1
8	25.99	6.7	28.37	2.8	22.49	9.8
9	30.77	2.2	31.45	2.6	27.24	2.2
10	37.76	19.7	46.72	28.2	—	—
11	43.37	14.9	46.41	16.2	—	—
12	52.01	4.5	52.89	5.4	—	—
Not able to be leveled	45.92	10.4	46.27	10.8	—	—
Accountants and auditors	30.85	4.6	31.16	5.1	—	—
9	29.58	5.2	30.01	5.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	33.59	8.7	33.59	8.7	—	—
Other financial officers	49.02	7.3	51.83	6.4	—	—
7	23.32	4.1	23.32	4.1	—	—
9	38.18	1.2	38.18	1.2	—	—
11	69.83	29.4	69.83	29.4	—	—
12	60.19	5.9	60.19	5.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	65.37	9.1	65.37	9.1	—	—
Management analysts	31.44	10.4	31.61	10.9	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.50	7.2	27.09	9.1	24.87	8.6
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	30.22	24.5	—	—	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.32	6.9	—	—	20.64	8.0
Management related, n.e.c.	27.84	5.4	27.68	6.9	28.37	3.1
6	22.44	5.4	—	—	—	—
7	22.82	10.9	23.09	12.2	—	—
8	29.25	3.0	—	—	—	—
9	26.51	8.3	—	—	—	—

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Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued						
Management related —Continued						
Management related, n.e.c. —Continued						
Not able to be leveled	\$35.82	3.6	\$35.17	1.2	—	—
Sales						
1	20.44	9.6	20.44	9.7	—	—
2	8.17	3.7	8.17	3.7	—	—
3	9.06	2.2	9.06	2.2	—	—
4	10.73	6.4	10.18	4.7	—	—
6	16.59	11.9	16.59	11.9	—	—
8	20.85	7.8	20.85	7.8	—	—
9	32.32	14.6	32.32	14.6	—	—
12	39.68	12.5	39.68	12.5	—	—
Not able to be leveled	60.18	7.9	60.18	7.9	—	—
Supervisors, sales	29.73	15.5	29.73	15.5	—	—
Not able to be leveled	23.56	14.6	23.56	14.6	—	—
Securities and financial services sales	24.20	29.1	24.20	29.1	—	—
12	51.16	6.5	51.16	6.5	—	—
Not able to be leveled	62.32	9.0	62.32	9.0	—	—
Sales, other business services	52.09	10.8	52.09	10.8	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	25.13	14.5	25.13	14.5	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	36.55	10.4	36.55	10.4	—	—
2	16.04	19.4	16.04	19.4	—	—
3	9.36	2.7	9.36	2.7	—	—
4	12.68	9.1	12.68	9.1	—	—
Cashiers	14.88	7.5	14.88	7.5	—	—
1	9.63	4.7	9.28	3.7	—	—
2	7.98	5.6	7.98	5.6	—	—
3	9.09	2.4	9.09	2.4	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c.	10.61	11.3	9.67	8.3	—	—
15.96	19.5	15.96	19.5	—	—	
Administrative support, including clerical						
1	18.29	1.9	18.13	2.3	\$18.89	2.8
2	9.10	31.8	13.90	10.0	—	—
3	13.47	3.8	13.30	4.3	14.57	4.8
4	13.65	3.4	13.07	3.7	17.42	5.5
5	17.11	4.0	16.99	4.6	17.71	5.9
6	19.63	2.1	19.34	2.7	20.17	3.4
7	21.13	4.2	21.08	4.7	21.51	5.4
8	25.38	4.1	25.40	4.5	25.33	10.8
Not able to be leveled	31.83	28.0	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, general office	19.08	4.2	19.46	5.9	18.22	3.4
8	24.17	9.4	24.57	11.1	22.38	7.1
Supervisors, financial records processing	22.94	4.2	—	—	—	—
Secretaries	34.70	24.3	36.06	25.9	—	—
3	21.35	3.2	21.58	3.6	20.51	7.1
4	15.70	3.2	15.62	3.2	—	—
5	18.35	5.2	18.11	5.2	—	—
6	22.58	4.2	21.56	4.6	—	—
7	20.92	6.3	20.94	7.4	—	—
Not able to be leveled	26.19	3.8	26.79	3.2	—	—
Stenographers	21.65	7.6	23.38	6.4	—	—
3	21.99	2.9	—	—	—	—
Typists	15.88	1.8	—	—	15.83	1.5
3	16.11	2.7	—	—	16.11	2.7
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	19.32	3.3	18.52	3.9	—	—
Receptionists	15.28	13.4	15.37	13.7	—	—
4	20.18	18.3	20.88	18.0	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	15.52	8.1	15.52	8.1	—	—
Order clerks	22.62	14.2	22.62	14.2	—	—
Library clerks	14.07	4.6	—	—	13.26	9.1

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Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued						
Library clerks —Continued						
2	\$8.37	0.0	—	—	\$8.37	0.0
File clerks	11.97	4.8	\$11.97	4.8	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	19.26	5.4	19.94	5.7	—	—
4	18.71	5.2	18.71	5.2	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	17.31	6.8	16.80	7.0	23.17	3.3
3	13.00	5.7	13.00	5.7	—	—
4	15.19	3.8	15.19	3.8	—	—
5	21.16	1.5	—	—	—	—
6	22.39	3.7	—	—	—	—
7	20.76	8.3	19.19	8.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	15.94	15.5	15.94	15.5	—	—
Billing clerks	16.13	4.9	16.13	4.9	—	—
Telephone operators	16.27	6.3	16.44	6.4	—	—
Dispatchers	23.78	15.0	22.30	19.9	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	15.28	5.1	15.03	5.3	—	—
3	12.90	9.5	12.90	9.5	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	13.08	11.4	13.08	11.4	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	20.63	1.6	20.63	1.6	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	17.10	7.0	16.29	6.6	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	17.74	2.3	—	—	17.93	3.4
General office clerks	16.09	4.0	15.91	3.0	16.41	10.3
2	14.61	3.8	—	—	—	—
3	13.91	3.9	13.89	5.0	13.97	4.6
4	15.01	6.1	14.59	7.2	16.84	2.0
5	19.18	3.5	18.81	4.9	19.71	5.3
Not able to be leveled	18.04	7.4	16.16	8.1	—	—
Bank tellers	12.59	3.6	12.59	3.6	—	—
Data entry keyers	14.74	4.2	14.71	5.1	—	—
4	16.43	5.3	—	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	18.04	13.8	17.83	15.2	—	—
Teachers' aides	18.21	4.9	—	—	19.01	4.1
4	14.40	7.7	—	—	15.64	5.4
Administrative support, n.e.c.	17.51	3.1	17.61	4.3	17.28	2.2
4	16.16	5.6	—	—	—	—
5	17.27	8.1	—	—	—	—
6	19.01	7.6	19.08	8.3	—	—
Not able to be leveled	17.72	2.8	—	—	—	—
Blue collar	20.34	2.9	19.83	3.2	23.97	3.1
1	9.66	7.4	9.09	8.3	18.17	4.3
2	11.79	8.7	11.30	8.7	—	—
3	16.16	3.8	15.82	3.4	21.65	5.3
4	18.95	3.3	18.13	4.0	21.97	2.8
5	19.44	4.0	19.26	4.5	20.84	5.8
6	21.91	8.2	21.33	9.6	24.81	4.7
7	30.63	2.9	32.02	3.2	26.92	1.5
8	31.57	7.8	31.81	8.1	—	—
9	34.16	13.3	33.75	15.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	30.42	8.9	30.45	9.4	—	—
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.12	2.6	28.29	2.9	26.97	1.0
3	14.18	10.6	14.24	11.0	—	—
4	15.05	7.0	14.09	6.8	—	—
5	19.05	5.4	18.81	5.5	—	—
6	23.27	12.0	22.88	14.0	25.70	11.3
7	31.09	2.6	32.41	3.0	27.04	1.9
8	31.80	8.3	32.06	8.6	—	—
9	34.16	13.3	33.75	15.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	33.20	5.6	33.43	5.8	—	—

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Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Precision production, craft, and repair —Continued						
Automobile mechanics	\$27.97	0.7	—	—	\$27.97	0.7
7	28.18	.5	—	—	28.18	.5
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	21.80	5.2	\$21.18	6.2	—	—
Carpenters	23.51	12.7	—	—	—	—
7	26.38	9.6	—	—	—	—
Electricians	37.18	7.8	37.98	7.6	—	—
7	39.37	3.9	40.82	3.4	—	—
Electrician apprentices	17.55	20.5	17.55	20.5	—	—
Supervisors, production	23.25	4.4	23.25	4.4	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	14.67	5.1	14.67	5.1	—	—
Stationary engineers	28.06	4.7	—	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.63	4.2	14.62	4.2	—	—
1	9.47	8.1	9.35	8.6	—	—
2	11.30	5.0	11.30	5.0	—	—
3	14.36	1.7	14.36	1.7	—	—
4	17.67	5.6	17.65	5.7	—	—
5	16.72	7.3	16.71	7.5	—	—
6	17.18	5.6	17.18	5.6	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	19.78	4.6	19.78	4.6	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	15.65	3.2	15.65	3.2	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	14.14	2.4	14.14	2.4	—	—
Assemblers	12.86	14.5	12.86	14.5	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.73	6.6	12.73	6.6	—	—
Transportation and material moving	18.21	4.8	16.82	5.8	24.03	4.1
2	9.86	16.0	8.77	14.2	—	—
3	18.31	5.9	17.35	2.6	—	—
4	19.39	4.8	18.45	5.8	22.64	2.7
5	26.28	11.5	28.52	13.7	—	—
Truck drivers	18.75	8.4	17.75	8.6	—	—
3	19.52	8.6	17.85	6.7	—	—
4	16.06	6.8	16.06	7.1	—	—
Bus drivers	19.89	7.1	—	—	—	—
4	19.43	6.1	—	—	—	—
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	12.63	18.6	10.31	9.6	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	15.71	6.0	15.71	6.0	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	15.01	8.0	14.05	9.6	20.02	3.6
1	9.78	10.1	9.07	11.2	18.64	4.1
2	15.40	22.8	14.90	26.4	—	—
3	17.40	10.6	17.60	12.4	16.11	2.1
4	20.73	4.5	20.36	8.1	—	—
5	19.85	5.1	—	—	—	—
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	16.35	8.0	—	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	10.73	29.3	10.72	29.4	—	—
1	9.69	34.3	9.69	34.3	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	16.41	11.2	16.41	11.2	—	—
1	8.61	12.4	8.61	12.4	—	—
3	19.36	5.0	19.36	5.0	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	12.31	23.7	12.31	23.7	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.82	16.9	10.69	20.5	18.51	3.3
1	10.44	23.4	—	—	—	—
Service	16.09	2.5	13.27	5.4	22.90	2.5
1	12.61	15.3	12.51	17.1	13.68	7.1
2	11.07	6.6	10.92	7.5	12.26	.6
3	12.74	3.3	11.87	3.8	15.62	5.6
4	16.55	9.3	16.57	12.0	16.50	6.3
5	18.26	9.2	18.68	13.6	17.49	5.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Service—Continued						
6	\$22.08	9.9	\$17.20	4.4	\$26.02	0.9
7	28.53	6.1	29.41	24.6	28.29	3.0
8	24.79	7.1	—	—	24.79	7.1
9	34.70	7.4	—	—	34.86	8.4
Not able to be leveled	16.32	10.3	14.20	9.5	26.78	16.7
Protective service	25.74	3.0	15.89	11.9	28.34	1.6
2	11.76	8.1	11.68	8.6	—	—
3	13.66	8.4	12.37	12.0	15.53	11.8
4	17.98	14.1	—	—	—	—
5	18.74	13.5	—	—	19.62	10.2
6	26.11	.6	—	—	26.23	.6
7	28.84	3.3	—	—	29.17	3.5
8	24.73	7.6	—	—	24.73	7.6
9	34.70	7.4	—	—	34.86	8.4
Not able to be leveled	22.26	19.1	15.89	10.0	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	38.54	8.9	—	—	38.54	8.9
Police and detectives, public service	28.66	2.7	—	—	28.66	2.7
7	34.24	5.7	—	—	34.24	5.7
9	32.12	8.7	—	—	32.12	8.7
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	26.68	6.7	—	—	26.68	6.7
Correctional institution officers	25.58	2.4	—	—	25.58	2.4
Guards and police, except public service	13.99	8.5	13.79	9.6	15.70	3.9
3	12.94	10.0	12.37	12.0	16.55	2.4
5	17.83	16.7	—	—	—	—
Protective service, n.e.c.	16.57	13.4	—	—	—	—
Food service	10.85	5.1	10.62	5.5	13.08	1.3
1	7.21	11.7	6.82	9.4	—	—
2	9.05	16.5	7.81	21.1	12.68	3.3
3	10.92	7.6	10.82	8.0	13.14	5.8
4	12.08	4.4	—	—	13.66	3.6
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	7.13	21.9	6.93	22.7	—	—
2	6.67	32.1	6.03	33.6	—	—
3	7.59	24.4	7.59	24.4	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	6.68	28.6	6.68	28.6	—	—
2	6.01	35.7	6.01	35.7	—	—
3	7.27	29.4	7.27	29.4	—	—
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	7.32	29.9	6.03	31.3	—	—
Other food service	12.06	5.7	11.94	6.2	12.95	1.5
1	7.57	11.6	7.15	9.2	—	—
2	10.75	14.3	9.73	21.6	—	—
3	12.78	7.0	12.75	7.6	13.14	5.8
4	11.69	2.9	—	—	13.66	3.6
Supervisors, food preparation and service	19.73	.7	19.73	.7	—	—
Cooks	12.90	4.4	12.82	4.7	14.48	8.7
3	12.13	11.9	—	—	—	—
4	11.58	3.0	—	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	13.35	10.3	13.35	10.8	—	—
3	14.20	8.3	14.20	8.3	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	9.34	15.8	8.48	16.3	12.70	.6
1	7.50	13.6	7.09	10.4	—	—
2	10.79	15.4	—	—	—	—
3	12.22	9.9	—	—	12.83	3.6
Health service	12.38	3.0	11.82	3.4	16.27	3.1
2	10.78	7.5	10.78	7.5	—	—
3	12.30	5.2	12.02	6.3	14.36	4.0
4	13.41	9.0	12.94	10.3	—	—
5	16.05	3.4	15.85	5.7	—	—
Not able to be leveled	17.32	5.4	16.20	3.5	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	13.84	3.5	12.86	3.9	16.23	.9
3	12.39	4.3	12.24	4.8	—	—
4	15.18	2.4	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4-1. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² all workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Service—Continued						
Health service—Continued						
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	\$12.19	3.2	\$11.71	3.5	\$16.29	4.1
2	10.64	7.9	10.63	7.9	—	—
3	12.28	5.8	11.99	7.2	14.33	4.2
4	12.96	10.7	12.90	10.9	—	—
5	15.97	3.5	15.85	5.7	—	—
Not able to be leveled	17.32	5.4	16.20	3.5	—	—
Cleaning and building service	14.77	10.0	14.21	14.2	17.12	5.3
1	15.05	9.3	15.18	9.9	13.92	13.4
2	12.45	23.6	12.41	24.3	—	—
3	15.02	6.5	13.60	7.0	16.52	8.2
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers						
	22.08	6.6	—	—	—	—
Maids and housemen						
	12.27	2.0	12.27	2.0	—	—
1	11.08	4.1	11.08	4.1	—	—
3	13.17	2.7	13.17	2.7	—	—
Janitors and cleaners						
	14.92	11.4	14.54	16.3	16.30	3.6
1	15.48	8.4	15.69	8.5	13.92	13.4
2	11.24	33.9	11.10	35.9	—	—
3	15.43	7.2	13.83	10.2	16.52	8.2
Personal service						
	17.06	7.0	18.37	8.3	13.30	6.4
2	11.13	2.1	10.60	3.9	11.81	1.2
3	—	—	—	—	13.98	3.6
4	22.13	11.5	24.38	12.8	—	—
Public transportation attendants						
	35.56	5.7	37.45	4.9	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants						
	11.19	2.1	10.92	3.4	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.						
	11.86	4.6	10.99	4.6	12.33	4.2
Service, n.e.c.						
	14.97	7.4	14.99	8.7	—	—

¹ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

² Each occupation for which data are collected in an establishment is evaluated based on four factors, including knowledge, job controls and complexity, contacts, and physical environment. The knowledge factor is tailored to 24 families of closely related jobs. 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 appendix A for more information.

³ All workers include full-time and part-time workers.

⁴ 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, 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.

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 appendix A.

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 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
All	\$27.25	2.8	\$26.55	3.7	\$29.73	1.1
All excluding sales	27.38	2.9	26.67	3.8	29.75	1.1
White collar	32.87	3.0	32.72	3.8	33.40	1.6
1	11.23	13.9	11.23	13.9	—	—
2	12.63	6.0	12.39	6.4	15.17	6.5
3	13.90	2.8	13.23	3.2	17.78	5.1
4	17.22	3.9	17.09	4.5	18.21	4.0
5	19.85	1.8	19.76	1.9	20.11	4.0
6	20.97	2.7	21.27	3.2	19.62	1.7
7	27.05	4.3	26.74	4.7	28.02	9.0
8	33.33	4.0	31.34	2.9	38.02	12.2
9	37.15	2.4	33.61	3.1	41.79	4.2
10	41.89	9.0	45.30	10.3	31.56	3.6
11	41.70	3.8	43.03	4.1	33.65	1.2
12	52.45	3.8	53.36	4.1	44.71	3.7
13	63.19	8.8	63.45	10.4	61.63	2.7
14	75.98	3.1	80.21	4.9	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	43.06	9.4	44.95	11.2	34.57	6.9
White collar excluding sales	33.58	2.9	33.62	3.8	33.45	1.6
2	14.04	4.6	13.87	5.2	15.17	6.5
3	14.08	3.0	13.48	3.6	17.47	5.7
4	17.19	3.8	17.01	4.4	18.21	4.0
5	19.88	1.8	19.79	2.0	20.11	4.0
6	20.98	2.6	21.32	3.2	19.62	1.7
7	27.22	4.2	26.95	4.7	28.02	9.0
8	33.41	4.3	31.23	3.1	38.02	12.2
9	37.10	2.4	33.38	3.2	41.79	4.2
10	39.50	10.2	42.46	12.4	31.56	3.6
11	41.69	3.8	43.04	4.1	33.65	1.2
12	52.24	3.9	53.15	4.3	44.71	3.7
13	63.19	8.8	63.45	10.4	61.63	2.7
14	75.98	3.1	80.21	4.9	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	44.32	9.7	46.77	11.5	34.57	6.9
Professional specialty and technical	38.26	2.9	37.59	4.2	39.87	2.3
Professional specialty	39.71	2.9	38.94	4.4	41.29	2.6
6	21.25	5.6	20.78	6.2	—	—
7	29.70	5.3	28.68	6.2	31.44	6.0
8	37.84	4.2	33.05	3.3	46.33	7.3
9	38.57	2.5	33.54	2.6	42.52	4.6
10	35.14	2.2	36.09	1.5	31.78	6.5
11	39.52	3.5	40.70	3.7	30.73	5.3
12	49.75	5.2	50.18	5.6	45.92	5.0
13	62.67	11.3	62.91	14.1	61.63	2.7
14	75.68	4.4	85.19	9.4	69.80	3.8
Not able to be leveled	43.39	4.4	44.73	5.0	37.89	5.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	37.40	5.6	39.15	4.9	29.27	6.0
9	31.60	8.4	34.46	6.9	—	—
11	36.56	7.1	36.56	7.1	—	—
12	41.73	9.2	41.48	9.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	47.85	10.4	47.85	10.4	—	—
Architects	35.57	12.3	—	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	39.99	6.6	39.99	6.6	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	42.26	9.0	45.25	1.6	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	42.91	8.9	42.95	8.8	—	—
7	32.11	14.2	32.11	14.2	—	—
9	34.01	3.8	34.01	3.8	—	—
10	37.83	2.7	37.83	2.7	—	—
11	42.64	4.3	42.71	4.3	—	—
13	62.26	6.6	62.26	6.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	44.85	3.4	44.85	3.4	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	42.58	9.4	42.62	9.4	—	—
7	32.11	14.2	32.11	14.2	—	—
9	33.90	3.9	33.90	3.9	—	—

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	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						
Mathematical and computer scientists —Continued						
Computer systems analysts and scientists —Continued						
10	\$37.83	2.7	\$37.83	2.7	—	—
11	42.92	4.5	42.99	4.5	—	—
13	62.26	6.6	62.26	6.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	42.95	4.0	42.95	4.0	—	—
Natural scientists	37.63	9.5	37.75	9.7	—	—
12	47.74	10.9	47.74	10.9	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	33.91	18.1	33.91	18.1	—	—
Health related	33.98	1.9	35.18	1.1	\$27.19	9.0
7	30.06	4.7	30.10	4.9	—	—
8	32.91	4.3	33.12	4.4	—	—
9	32.39	2.5	33.88	1.5	26.70	7.3
10	30.32	8.3	33.43	6.5	—	—
11	39.57	7.1	41.82	7.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	34.74	12.9	37.56	7.3	25.46	30.0
Physicians	28.86	13.0	32.85	12.6	22.39	16.7
9	17.38	16.3	—	—	—	—
10	20.00	2.8	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	25.04	21.5	—	—	—	—
Registered nurses	35.37	1.9	35.77	1.6	31.89	7.1
7	31.27	3.0	31.10	3.3	—	—
8	32.85	5.4	33.05	5.5	—	—
9	34.29	3.3	35.33	2.9	30.06	8.2
11	43.85	4.0	44.08	3.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	39.76	.8	39.49	.0	—	—
Pharmacists	41.27	4.4	43.22	.8	—	—
Dietitians	26.97	10.2	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	56.34	8.3	58.08	15.7	54.51	5.9
9	31.67	2.2	—	—	—	—
10	40.54	13.2	45.81	.7	—	—
11	41.07	7.9	46.09	16.5	36.12	5.5
12	51.39	5.3	61.47	11.5	47.95	5.8
13	62.65	3.1	—	—	62.00	3.2
14	74.49	6.8	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	60.65	14.9	60.71	19.2	—	—
Psychology teachers	52.42	6.5	—	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	64.76	7.3	—	—	—	—
English teachers	59.22	5.3	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	53.92	6.1	60.11	8.6	52.24	8.0
12	46.24	8.2	—	—	44.12	10.9
14	68.02	4.9	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	61.47	3.3	—	—	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	42.49	4.6	26.67	15.1	45.79	3.6
7	31.32	5.8	—	—	31.67	5.6
8	48.77	7.1	—	—	50.12	7.5
9	47.85	1.6	—	—	48.22	1.6
Elementary school teachers	44.94	3.7	29.73	17.5	47.74	4.2
7	42.99	6.9	—	—	—	—
8	45.03	4.5	—	—	45.12	3.2
9	50.05	7.9	—	—	50.05	7.9
Secondary school teachers	49.20	2.9	—	—	49.40	3.0
8	53.57	8.1	—	—	53.77	9.0
9	46.07	3.7	—	—	46.07	3.7
Teachers, special education	47.28	4.1	—	—	48.55	2.1
9	45.88	3.2	—	—	47.37	.3
Teachers, n.e.c.	41.57	7.3	—	—	45.27	3.0
9	47.98	1.5	—	—	47.98	1.5
Vocational and educational counselors	36.32	19.0	26.42	16.5	—	—

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	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						
Librarians, archivists, and curators	\$38.66	10.6	\$36.83	14.1	\$45.29	6.0
Librarians	40.07	13.8	38.21	19.2	45.29	6.0
Social scientists and urban planners	41.14	18.4	38.48	32.1	44.09	16.2
Psychologists	39.38	17.9	—	—	44.09	16.2
Social, recreation, and religious workers	25.56	5.3	23.76	3.6	28.02	11.2
7	19.04	5.3	19.04	5.5	—	—
8	26.39	5.7	—	—	28.27	14.5
9	27.17	8.7	—	—	27.16	11.5
Social workers	25.62	5.3	23.82	3.8	28.05	11.2
7	19.04	5.4	19.04	5.5	—	—
8	26.87	5.6	—	—	28.27	14.5
9	27.17	8.7	—	—	27.16	11.5
Lawyers and judges	52.00	16.1	65.04	11.6	—	—
Lawyers	52.00	16.1	65.04	11.6	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	46.02	9.2	46.32	9.2	—	—
9	41.76	21.2	43.33	22.5	—	—
11	41.45	3.8	41.45	3.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	48.56	9.9	48.56	9.9	—	—
Designers	33.79	13.6	33.79	13.6	—	—
Editors and reporters	51.30	21.1	51.30	21.1	—	—
Technical	30.40	5.6	31.82	6.0	21.53	7.7
4	16.46	5.0	16.48	5.1	—	—
5	21.27	2.9	21.33	3.4	20.92	4.3
6	21.00	7.1	22.97	3.9	—	—
7	29.40	20.4	30.42	22.3	22.03	11.4
8	28.06	3.6	27.71	3.7	—	—
9	51.61	26.4	53.03	27.4	—	—
10	100.85	39.8	100.85	39.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	34.95	16.8	34.93	17.1	—	—
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	21.54	8.8	20.88	8.7	26.28	14.1
7	23.72	8.3	25.07	8.2	—	—
Radiological technicians	25.61	3.5	25.61	3.5	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	22.11	2.0	22.37	2.3	20.00	4.1
5	22.08	2.9	—	—	20.27	4.9
6	21.64	3.7	—	—	—	—
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	20.23	10.1	21.44	.1	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	29.65	3.6	29.65	3.6	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	150.27	5.1	150.27	5.1	—	—
Computer programmers	31.11	10.9	31.94	12.1	—	—
Legal assistants	32.59	9.1	—	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	31.39	7.5	—	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.48	8.4	47.98	10.0	35.07	5.9
5	22.77	4.7	—	—	—	—
6	20.05	5.6	21.09	6.3	—	—
7	24.47	3.8	24.64	4.4	23.88	8.3
8	26.76	6.9	29.26	3.3	22.43	10.6
9	30.68	3.1	30.86	3.5	29.24	4.0
10	37.63	13.3	41.89	16.9	—	—
11	44.71	6.7	46.47	6.9	36.44	4.3
12	55.11	4.9	56.80	4.9	42.82	1.3
13	65.06	3.0	65.06	3.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	61.23	14.7	63.07	16.8	51.38	8.5
Executives, administrators, and managers	54.48	12.3	55.64	14.1	47.76	7.2
7	26.00	3.4	25.29	2.2	—	—
9	30.35	7.8	30.13	8.2	—	—
10	37.34	12.5	37.32	12.7	—	—
11	45.21	5.9	46.50	6.3	—	—
12	55.89	6.3	57.86	6.4	43.19	1.2

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	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						
Not able to be leveled	\$65.01	18.3	\$67.95	21.4	\$52.12	8.7
Administrators and officials, public administration	38.80	1.1	—	—	38.80	1.1
Financial managers	51.60	6.1	52.70	6.1	—	—
11	45.92	8.9	47.91	8.8	—	—
12	53.66	3.0	53.66	3.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	57.10	5.8	57.38	6.0	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	56.24	11.6	56.24	11.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	63.93	8.2	63.93	8.2	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	48.45	7.3	48.45	7.3	—	—
Not able to be leveled	48.05	12.2	48.05	12.2	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	55.52	11.1	39.09	10.5	67.41	7.7
Not able to be leveled	64.08	9.1	36.86	18.0	70.25	4.1
Managers, medicine and health	43.32	12.1	49.45	16.5	31.95	3.3
Not able to be leveled	41.15	17.6	50.79	28.8	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	43.66	28.2	43.75	28.2	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	62.48	21.5	64.01	22.4	—	—
9	31.70	6.9	31.70	6.9	—	—
11	43.84	9.7	43.84	9.7	—	—
12	54.12	8.3	56.88	8.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	80.73	29.9	83.20	30.5	—	—
Management related	33.52	3.6	36.32	4.6	25.35	4.7
5	22.77	4.7	—	—	—	—
6	20.07	5.7	21.15	6.5	—	—
7	23.80	4.5	24.28	6.3	22.61	1.1
8	26.07	7.1	28.65	2.6	22.31	10.6
9	30.93	2.2	31.47	2.6	27.89	.2
10	37.76	19.7	46.72	28.2	—	—
11	43.37	14.9	46.41	16.2	—	—
12	52.01	4.5	52.89	5.4	—	—
Not able to be leveled	45.92	10.4	46.27	10.8	—	—
Accountants and auditors	31.03	4.7	31.16	5.1	—	—
9	30.22	4.8	30.01	5.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	33.59	8.7	33.59	8.7	—	—
Other financial officers	49.11	7.4	51.96	6.6	—	—
7	23.32	4.1	23.32	4.1	—	—
9	38.52	.9	38.52	.9	—	—
11	69.83	29.4	69.83	29.4	—	—
12	60.19	5.9	60.19	5.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	65.37	9.1	65.37	9.1	—	—
Management analysts	31.44	10.4	31.61	10.9	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.69	7.4	27.38	9.4	24.87	8.6
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	30.22	24.5	—	—	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.32	6.9	—	—	20.64	8.0
Management related, n.e.c.	27.86	5.4	27.70	7.0	28.37	3.1
6	22.44	5.4	—	—	—	—
7	22.84	11.0	—	—	—	—
8	29.25	3.0	—	—	—	—
9	26.51	8.3	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	35.82	3.6	35.17	1.2	—	—
Sales	24.48	10.7	24.52	10.8	—	—
3	12.80	9.8	11.82	7.9	—	—
4	17.37	13.3	17.37	13.3	—	—
6	20.85	7.8	20.85	7.8	—	—
8	32.32	14.6	32.32	14.6	—	—
9	39.68	12.5	39.68	12.5	—	—

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Sales —Continued						
12	\$60.18	7.9	\$60.18	7.9	—	—
Not able to be leveled	30.94	15.4	30.94	15.4	—	—
Supervisors, sales	24.51	15.5	24.51	15.5	—	—
Not able to be leveled	24.20	29.1	24.20	29.1	—	—
Securities and financial services sales	51.16	6.5	51.16	6.5	—	—
12	62.32	9.0	62.32	9.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	52.09	10.8	52.09	10.8	—	—
Sales, other business services	25.13	14.5	25.13	14.5	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	36.55	10.4	36.55	10.4	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	18.72	22.7	18.72	22.7	—	—
4	15.03	8.7	15.03	8.7	—	—
Cashiers	10.88	7.4	10.30	5.3	—	—
3	12.58	14.9	11.11	13.6	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c.	19.59	16.0	19.59	16.0	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	18.70	2.1	18.53	2.6	\$19.37	1.7
2	14.04	4.6	13.87	5.2	15.17	6.5
3	14.10	3.1	13.49	3.6	17.46	5.7
4	17.24	4.0	17.06	4.7	18.23	4.0
5	19.50	2.3	19.36	2.7	19.82	4.5
6	21.13	4.2	21.08	4.7	21.51	5.4
7	25.38	4.1	25.40	4.5	25.33	10.8
8	31.83	28.0	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	19.29	4.3	19.77	6.2	18.22	3.4
Supervisors, general office	24.17	9.4	24.57	11.1	22.38	7.1
8	22.94	4.2	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	34.70	24.3	36.06	25.9	—	—
Secretaries	21.41	3.3	21.59	3.6	20.73	7.7
3	15.70	3.2	15.62	3.2	—	—
4	18.54	4.6	18.14	5.3	—	—
5	22.58	4.2	21.56	4.6	—	—
6	20.92	6.3	20.94	7.4	—	—
7	26.19	3.8	26.79	3.2	—	—
Not able to be leveled	21.65	7.6	23.38	6.4	—	—
Stenographers	21.99	2.9	—	—	—	—
Typists	16.15	3.2	—	—	16.22	4.0
3	16.11	2.7	—	—	16.11	2.7
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	19.65	5.8	—	—	—	—
Receptionists	15.89	14.9	15.89	14.9	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	15.52	8.1	15.52	8.1	—	—
Order clerks	23.11	13.1	23.11	13.1	—	—
Library clerks	15.87	9.3	—	—	—	—
File clerks	12.91	7.2	12.91	7.2	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	19.26	5.4	19.94	5.7	—	—
4	18.71	5.2	18.71	5.2	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	17.51	6.9	17.01	7.0	23.19	3.4
3	13.23	5.6	13.23	5.6	—	—
4	15.36	3.8	15.36	3.8	—	—
5	21.22	1.5	—	—	—	—
6	22.39	3.7	—	—	—	—
7	20.76	8.3	19.19	8.6	—	—
Not able to be leveled	15.94	15.5	15.94	15.5	—	—
Billing clerks	16.26	5.1	16.26	5.1	—	—
Telephone operators	16.64	6.4	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	23.78	15.0	22.30	19.9	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	15.42	4.9	15.18	5.2	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	15.33	8.2	15.33	8.2	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	20.76	2.1	20.76	2.1	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	17.33	7.3	16.50	7.2	—	—

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued						
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	\$17.74	2.3	—	—	\$17.93	3.4
General office clerks	17.01	3.2	\$16.30	3.5	18.39	4.7
2	14.58	3.9	—	—	—	—
3	14.52	4.3	14.80	4.9	—	—
4	15.01	6.1	14.59	7.2	16.84	2.0
5	19.18	3.5	18.81	4.9	19.71	5.3
Not able to be leveled	18.15	7.1	16.35	7.8	—	—
Bank tellers	12.59	3.6	12.59	3.6	—	—
Data entry keyers	15.11	4.9	15.19	6.2	—	—
4	16.43	5.3	—	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	18.04	13.8	17.83	15.2	—	—
Teachers' aides	15.52	6.8	—	—	16.27	2.1
4	14.40	7.7	—	—	15.64	5.4
Administrative support, n.e.c.	17.76	3.0	17.99	4.2	17.28	2.2
4	16.16	5.6	—	—	—	—
5	17.27	8.1	—	—	—	—
6	19.01	7.6	19.08	8.3	—	—
Not able to be leveled	17.73	2.9	—	—	—	—
Blue collar	20.84	3.2	20.37	3.6	24.07	3.3
1	9.77	7.8	9.16	9.0	18.53	3.4
2	12.24	8.8	11.70	8.7	—	—
3	16.38	3.6	16.04	3.1	21.77	4.8
4	19.55	3.1	18.77	4.2	21.97	2.8
5	19.43	4.1	19.26	4.5	20.88	6.4
6	21.91	8.3	21.32	9.6	24.81	4.7
7	30.72	2.9	32.15	3.2	26.92	1.5
8	31.57	7.8	31.81	8.1	—	—
9	34.16	13.3	33.75	15.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	30.42	8.9	30.45	9.4	—	—
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.13	2.6	28.31	2.9	26.97	1.0
3	14.18	10.6	14.24	11.0	—	—
4	15.05	7.0	14.09	6.8	—	—
5	19.04	5.4	18.79	5.6	—	—
6	23.29	12.1	22.89	14.1	25.70	11.3
7	31.09	2.6	32.41	3.0	27.04	1.9
8	31.80	8.3	32.06	8.6	—	—
9	34.16	13.3	33.75	15.8	—	—
Not able to be leveled	33.20	5.6	33.43	5.8	—	—
Automobile mechanics	27.97	.7	—	—	27.97	.7
7	28.18	.5	—	—	28.18	.5
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	21.80	5.2	21.18	6.2	—	—
Carpenters	23.51	12.7	—	—	—	—
7	26.38	9.6	—	—	—	—
Electricians	37.18	7.8	37.98	7.6	—	—
7	39.37	3.9	40.82	3.4	—	—
Electrician apprentices	17.55	20.5	17.55	20.5	—	—
Supervisors, production	23.25	4.4	23.25	4.4	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	14.67	5.1	14.67	5.1	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.69	4.1	14.67	4.2	—	—
1	9.44	8.3	9.35	8.6	—	—
2	11.43	5.2	11.43	5.2	—	—
3	14.36	1.7	14.36	1.7	—	—
4	17.67	5.6	17.65	5.7	—	—
5	16.72	7.3	16.71	7.5	—	—
6	17.18	5.6	17.18	5.6	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	19.78	4.6	19.78	4.6	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	15.65	3.2	15.65	3.2	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	14.31	2.3	14.31	2.3	—	—

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Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors						
—Continued						
Assemblers	\$12.86	14.5	\$12.86	14.5	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	12.73	6.6	12.73	6.6	—	—
Transportation and material moving	19.23	6.0	17.88	7.1	\$24.14	4.2
2	10.86	17.2	9.56	15.3	—	—
3	18.31	5.9	17.35	2.6	—	—
4	20.63	3.9	19.82	6.4	22.64	2.7
5	26.69	11.7	28.52	13.7	—	—
Truck drivers	18.89	8.5	17.87	8.7	—	—
3	19.52	8.6	17.85	6.7	—	—
4	16.13	7.3	—	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	15.71	6.0	15.71	6.0	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	15.56	7.9	14.58	9.7	20.12	3.3
1	9.87	10.3	9.10	12.1	—	—
2	15.56	25.4	15.02	30.0	—	—
3	18.97	9.8	19.48	10.9	—	—
4	21.39	5.1	21.58	9.2	—	—
5	19.85	5.1	—	—	—	—
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	16.37	8.1	—	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	12.02	35.3	12.00	35.4	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	16.93	13.4	16.93	13.4	—	—
1	7.60	4.5	7.60	4.5	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	12.35	24.5	12.35	24.5	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	12.78	17.1	10.69	20.5	18.71	4.1
Service	17.08	1.6	14.02	4.0	24.06	3.0
1	13.04	14.6	12.94	16.3	14.05	11.1
2	12.14	6.0	12.10	6.2	13.19	3.2
3	13.16	3.1	12.31	3.2	15.90	4.4
4	16.82	10.0	16.85	12.6	16.72	6.9
5	18.28	9.3	18.72	13.7	17.49	5.2
6	22.35	9.6	17.51	2.6	26.12	.6
7	28.53	6.1	29.41	24.6	28.29	3.0
8	24.79	7.1	—	—	24.79	7.1
9	34.70	7.4	—	—	34.86	8.4
Not able to be leveled	16.48	13.0	13.78	11.7	26.78	16.7
Protective service	26.36	3.3	16.31	13.4	28.93	.9
3	13.72	11.0	12.37	12.0	—	—
5	18.78	13.5	—	—	19.62	10.2
6	26.11	.6	—	—	26.23	.6
7	28.84	3.3	—	—	29.17	3.5
8	24.73	7.6	—	—	24.73	7.6
9	34.70	7.4	—	—	34.86	8.4
Not able to be leveled	22.53	19.7	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	38.54	8.9	—	—	38.54	8.9
Police and detectives, public service	28.66	2.7	—	—	28.66	2.7
7	34.24	5.7	—	—	34.24	5.7
9	32.12	8.7	—	—	32.12	8.7
Correctional institution officers	25.58	2.4	—	—	25.58	2.4
Guards and police, except public service	14.22	9.0	13.99	10.1	16.30	1.4
3	12.94	10.2	12.37	12.0	—	—
5	17.87	16.7	—	—	—	—
Food service	11.94	4.6	11.80	4.9	14.20	4.9
1	7.07	16.2	6.53	13.4	—	—
2	10.86	19.6	10.13	26.0	—	—
3	11.58	6.3	11.51	6.7	13.08	6.0
4	12.01	4.9	—	—	—	—
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	7.94	25.1	7.63	27.2	—	—

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Table 4-2. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² full-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Service—Continued						
Food service—Continued						
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders—Continued						
Waiters and waitresses	\$7.41	31.6	\$7.41	31.6	—	—
Other food service	12.92	4.8	12.85	5.1	\$14.07	5.3
1	7.37	15.8	6.78	12.5	—	—
2	13.42	11.1	—	—	—	—
3	12.94	7.0	12.93	7.5	13.08	6.0
4	11.57	3.0	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, food preparation and service	19.73	.7	19.73	.7	—	—
Cooks	12.95	4.6	12.86	4.7	—	—
3	12.13	11.9	—	—	—	—
4	11.51	3.1	—	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	14.12	7.9	14.16	8.4	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	9.59	17.8	9.04	18.7	13.72	5.8
1	7.44	18.9	6.90	15.2	—	—
3	12.20	10.1	—	—	—	—
Health service	12.71	2.6	12.12	2.7	16.28	3.1
2	11.46	7.5	11.46	7.5	—	—
3	12.53	4.3	12.25	5.5	14.36	4.0
4	13.24	9.6	12.69	10.7	—	—
5	16.06	3.4	—	—	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	13.88	3.2	12.89	3.7	16.25	.9
3	12.47	4.5	12.31	5.0	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	12.54	2.8	12.03	2.8	16.29	4.2
2	11.35	7.9	11.34	7.9	—	—
3	12.53	4.7	12.24	6.3	14.32	4.3
4	12.71	11.1	12.63	11.3	—	—
5	15.99	3.5	—	—	—	—
Cleaning and building service	15.28	6.5	14.78	9.8	17.12	5.3
1	15.09	9.2	15.23	9.7	13.92	13.4
2	14.29	14.8	14.31	15.4	—	—
3	15.18	6.8	13.79	7.7	16.52	8.2
Not able to be leveled	12.71	12.8	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	22.08	6.6	—	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	12.09	2.0	12.09	2.0	—	—
1	11.08	4.1	11.08	4.1	—	—
3	12.70	3.6	12.70	3.6	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	15.63	6.3	15.41	9.6	16.30	3.6
1	15.54	8.2	15.75	8.3	13.92	13.4
2	15.18	19.2	—	—	—	—
3	15.69	7.1	14.37	10.2	16.52	8.2
Personal service	18.92	6.9	19.70	7.7	14.71	10.5
2	11.09	2.2	—	—	—	—
4	23.33	11.0	25.58	10.9	—	—
Public transportation attendants	35.56	5.7	37.45	4.9	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	11.58	2.7	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.87	5.8	—	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	15.20	8.7	15.26	10.1	—	—

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² Each occupation for which data are collected in an establishment is evaluated based on four factors, including knowledge, job controls and complexity, contacts, and physical environment. The knowledge factor is tailored to 24 families of closely related jobs. 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 appendix A for more information.

³ 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.

⁴ 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, 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.

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 appendix A.

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Table 4-3. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² part-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005**

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
All	\$14.25	10.2	\$14.10	12.1	\$15.10	6.1
All excluding sales	15.46	11.5	15.54	14.1	15.10	6.1
White collar	18.19	13.8	18.29	15.8	17.57	12.1
1	7.17	8.0	7.88	2.6	—	—
2	8.95	3.0	8.82	3.0	11.76	9.3
3	10.00	3.0	9.95	3.1	—	—
4	14.31	5.2	14.46	6.0	—	—
5	20.47	3.9	—	—	—	—
7	25.75	10.0	26.16	13.4	24.44	4.1
8	30.12	4.2	30.47	4.8	—	—
9	34.69	1.2	35.38	2.1	—	—
10	34.80	10.0	34.80	10.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	32.92	34.3	32.93	34.3	—	—
White collar excluding sales	23.61	14.1	25.31	16.0	17.57	12.1
2	10.17	6.4	9.88	6.9	11.76	9.3
3	11.16	4.3	11.08	4.0	—	—
4	15.32	7.5	15.98	9.1	—	—
5	20.47	3.9	—	—	—	—
7	25.75	10.0	26.16	13.4	24.44	4.1
8	30.12	4.2	30.47	4.8	—	—
9	34.69	1.2	35.38	2.1	—	—
10	34.80	10.0	34.80	10.0	—	—
Not able to be leveled	39.52	31.4	39.54	31.4	—	—
Professional specialty and technical	34.85	8.7	35.29	8.8	28.50	16.5
Professional specialty	36.50	9.0	36.82	9.1	30.77	20.6
7	26.47	14.6	26.87	18.6	24.96	7.2
8	31.27	4.9	31.59	5.0	—	—
9	35.19	2.0	35.46	2.3	—	—
10	32.01	7.7	32.01	7.7	—	—
Not able to be leveled	58.25	27.0	58.33	27.0	—	—
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	—	—	—	—	—	—
Health related	39.64	7.5	39.72	7.5	—	—
8	31.59	5.0	31.59	5.0	—	—
Physicians	79.72	.0	79.72	.0	—	—
Registered nurses	34.46	2.3	34.49	2.3	—	—
8	31.59	5.0	31.59	5.0	—	—
Teachers, college and university	32.13	10.4	37.25	6.4	—	—
Teachers, except college and university	21.81	19.4	24.66	26.3	17.68	13.0
Librarians, archivists, and curators	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	34.79	44.0	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	34.79	44.0	—	—	—	—
Technical	23.45	6.1	23.55	7.2	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	31.30	16.1	—	—	—	—
Executives, administrators, and managers	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management related	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales	9.03	1.4	9.03	1.4	—	—
1	7.75	2.6	7.75	2.6	—	—
2	8.48	3.4	8.48	3.4	—	—
3	8.89	3.5	8.89	3.5	—	—
4	12.84	2.3	12.84	2.3	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	9.88	6.6	9.88	6.6	—	—
2	9.13	4.5	9.13	4.5	—	—
Cashiers	8.14	2.3	8.14	2.3	—	—
1	7.64	3.2	7.64	3.2	—	—
3	8.18	3.7	8.18	3.7	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c.	8.19	10.6	8.19	10.6	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4-3. **Selected occupations¹ and levels,² part-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005** — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Administrative support, including clerical	\$13.15	7.6	\$11.92	6.4	\$15.43	14.8
2	10.17	6.4	9.88	6.9	11.76	9.3
3	11.16	4.3	11.08	4.0	—	—
4	15.18	8.3	15.87	10.3	—	—
Not able to be leveled	11.28	10.3	11.28	10.3	—	—
Receptionists	11.80	9.7	—	—	—	—
Library clerks	11.76	7.2	—	—	9.32	9.1
2	8.27	1.0	—	—	8.27	1.0
General office clerks	9.23	25.6	—	—	—	—
Blue collar	11.10	11.1	10.82	11.7	—	—
1	8.89	9.2	8.63	8.6	—	—
Precision production, craft, and repair	—	—	—	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	—	—	—	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	11.54	16.2	11.13	18.3	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.44	11.2	10.30	11.1	—	—
1	9.15	9.8	8.90	8.4	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	7.98	1.1	7.98	1.1	—	—
1	8.08	1.1	8.08	1.1	—	—
Service	9.96	8.1	9.19	9.8	12.74	2.7
1	7.77	6.8	7.62	6.9	—	—
2	8.85	6.9	7.77	6.9	11.97	1.0
3	10.20	8.8	9.42	7.3	13.50	.6
4	14.31	8.5	13.60	11.0	15.46	13.2
Protective service	13.32	8.5	10.11	7.3	14.70	8.4
Guards and police, except public service	10.46	9.8	—	—	—	—
Food service	7.93	8.4	6.93	6.8	12.19	2.1
1	7.48	7.0	7.37	7.0	—	—
2	8.21	16.0	6.59	17.3	—	—
3	7.02	17.7	6.90	18.8	—	—
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	5.98	9.0	5.98	9.0	—	—
2	6.03	29.3	6.03	29.3	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	5.62	19.3	5.62	19.3	—	—
2	6.01	31.9	6.01	31.9	—	—
Other food service	9.09	10.9	7.75	7.7	12.19	2.1
1	7.99	5.9	7.89	5.6	—	—
2	9.63	14.7	—	—	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	8.96	13.3	7.40	6.2	12.16	2.0
2	9.63	14.7	—	—	—	—
Health service	10.02	12.2	10.00	12.2	—	—
4	15.36	10.7	15.40	11.0	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.96	12.3	9.95	12.3	—	—
Cleaning and building service	10.51	30.5	10.51	30.5	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	10.10	32.7	10.10	32.7	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4-3. Selected occupations¹ and levels,² part-time workers:³ Mean hourly earnings,⁴ private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation and level	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)
Service—Continued						
Personal service	\$11.33	3.5	\$10.33	5.4	\$12.09	3.7
2	11.19	2.4	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.86	4.7	—	—	12.23	4.4

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where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

⁴ 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, 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.

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 appendix A.

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Table 5-1. **Selected worker characteristics: Mean hourly earnings¹ by occupational group,² National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005**

Occupational group	Private industry and State and local government					
	Full-time workers ³	Part-time workers ³	Union ⁴	Nonunion ⁴	Time ⁵	Incentive ⁵
	Mean					
All occupations	\$27.25	\$14.25	\$25.78	\$26.52	\$25.77	\$47.57
All excluding sales	27.38	15.46	25.95	27.05	26.12	–
White collar	32.87	18.19	31.83	31.88	31.24	53.12
White-collar excluding sales	33.58	23.61	32.52	33.39	32.34	–
Professional specialty and technical	38.26	34.85	40.57	36.48	38.07	–
Professional specialty	39.71	36.50	40.75	38.73	39.52	–
Technical	30.40	23.45	39.43	25.01	30.12	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial	45.48	31.30	34.48	47.61	41.92	269.48
Sales	24.48	9.03	17.02	21.01	18.52	27.50
Administrative support, including clerical	18.70	13.15	19.50	17.65	18.29	18.71
Blue collar	20.84	11.10	24.18	14.59	20.29	–
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.13	–	31.36	20.11	28.12	–
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.69	–	15.83	13.49	14.63	–
Transportation and material moving	19.23	11.54	21.24	12.85	17.80	–
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	15.56	10.44	18.72	11.52	15.02	–
Service	17.08	9.96	18.72	11.93	16.10	–
	Relative error ⁶ (percent)					
All occupations	2.8	10.2	2.2	3.9	2.0	40.8
All excluding sales	2.9	11.5	2.3	4.1	2.0	–
White collar	3.0	13.8	2.2	4.2	2.2	43.6
White-collar excluding sales	2.9	14.1	2.2	4.1	1.8	–
Professional specialty and technical	2.9	8.7	2.3	4.7	2.9	–
Professional specialty	2.9	9.0	2.5	4.5	3.0	–
Technical	5.6	6.1	11.4	5.5	5.6	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial	8.4	16.1	6.1	9.7	2.6	49.6
Sales	10.7	1.4	15.2	11.2	12.6	6.2
Administrative support, including clerical	2.1	7.6	2.0	2.6	1.9	11.5
Blue collar	3.2	11.1	3.3	3.2	3.0	–
Precision production, craft, and repair	2.6	–	2.5	4.5	2.6	–
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	4.1	–	9.0	5.2	4.2	–
Transportation and material moving	6.0	16.2	4.1	8.3	5.9	–
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	7.9	11.2	8.5	12.8	8.0	–
Service	1.6	8.1	2.9	4.9	2.5	–

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⁴ Union workers are those whose wages are determined through collective bargaining.

⁵ Time workers' wages are based solely on an 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.

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Table 5-2. Major industry division: Mean hourly earnings¹ by occupational group,² private industry, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupational group	Full-time and part-time workers									
	All private industries	Goods-producing industries ³				Service-producing industries ⁴				
		Total	Mining	Construction	Manufacturing	Total	Transportation and public utilities	Wholesale and retail trade	Finance, insurance, and real estate	Services
	Mean									
All occupations	\$25.47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All excluding sales	25.86	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White collar	31.62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White-collar excluding sales	33.21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional specialty and technical	37.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional specialty	38.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technical	31.49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Executive, administrative, and managerial	47.90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales	20.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative support, including clerical	18.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blue collar	19.83	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation and material moving	16.82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	14.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service	13.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Relative error ⁵ (percent)									
All occupations	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All excluding sales	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White collar	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White-collar excluding sales	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional specialty and technical	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional specialty	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Technical	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Executive, administrative, and managerial	10.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales	9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative support, including clerical	2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blue collar	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Precision production, craft, and repair	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transportation and material moving	5.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	9.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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³ Goods-producing industries include mining, construction, and manufacturing.

⁴ Service-producing industries include transportation and public utilities; wholesale and retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; and services.

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Table 5-3. Establishment employment size: Mean hourly earnings¹ by occupational group,² private industry, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupational group	Full-time and part-time workers				
	All private industry workers	50 - 99 workers ³	100 workers or more		
			Total	100 - 499 workers	500 workers or more
Mean					
All occupations	\$25.47	\$20.79	\$26.41	\$22.87	\$29.95
All excluding sales	25.86	20.97	26.85	23.36	29.96
White collar	31.62	25.97	32.57	27.64	36.90
White-collar excluding sales	33.21	27.20	34.20	30.02	37.15
Professional specialty and technical	37.44	31.98	37.96	36.26	38.96
Professional specialty	38.80	33.31	39.35	39.90	39.06
Technical	31.49	24.07	32.02	24.99	38.44
Executive, administrative, and managerial	47.90	40.24	49.66	41.80	54.13
Sales	20.44	18.52	20.82	19.39	29.32
Administrative support, including clerical	18.13	15.02	18.79	18.20	19.41
Blue collar	19.83	18.07	20.43	19.82	21.63
Precision production, craft, and repair	28.29	23.81	29.79	30.44	28.88
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	14.62	13.62	14.92	13.61	18.97
Transportation and material moving	16.82	16.13	17.09	18.46	14.13
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	14.05	15.03	13.74	13.70	13.83
Service	13.27	9.95	13.80	11.91	15.22
Relative error ⁴ (percent)					
All occupations	3.3	5.1	4.0	4.5	5.6
All excluding sales	3.5	5.6	4.0	4.6	5.6
White collar	3.9	5.7	4.5	7.1	6.1
White-collar excluding sales	3.8	5.9	4.3	6.7	6.1
Professional specialty and technical	4.1	6.9	4.4	11.1	1.7
Professional specialty	4.3	5.1	4.7	11.5	2.2
Technical	6.0	18.0	5.4	4.9	6.4
Executive, administrative, and managerial	10.0	8.7	12.3	5.8	17.4
Sales	9.7	12.9	10.9	10.9	14.7
Administrative support, including clerical	2.3	4.2	3.0	4.7	2.1
Blue collar	3.2	9.5	3.1	4.2	9.1
Precision production, craft, and repair	2.9	7.0	3.0	3.2	5.3
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.1	10.1
Transportation and material moving	5.8	22.3	8.5	8.2	15.0
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	9.6	19.4	9.2	15.9	23.8
Service	5.4	4.1	5.7	5.0	5.7

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³ Establishments classified with 50-99 workers may contain

establishments with fewer than 50 due to staff reductions between survey sampling and collection.

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Table 6-1. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
All	\$9.65	\$14.00	\$21.08	\$32.50	\$46.86
All excluding sales	10.00	14.47	21.64	32.79	47.00
White collar	12.67	17.58	26.70	39.21	55.53
White collar excluding sales	14.30	18.76	28.21	40.22	56.95
Professional specialty and technical	19.95	26.37	34.55	45.50	59.64
Professional specialty	22.27	29.22	36.18	47.50	60.94
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	26.33	29.10	33.60	45.63	54.33
Architects	22.12	28.00	31.80	36.50	59.00
Electrical and electronic engineers	32.07	35.39	38.32	42.97	48.80
Mechanical engineers	26.33	27.25	28.17	43.86	52.80
Engineers, n.e.c.	26.17	29.01	43.13	51.01	61.68
Mathematical and computer scientists	25.64	32.98	41.41	52.51	61.16
Computer systems analysts and scientists	25.64	32.43	40.87	51.82	61.16
Natural scientists	22.27	28.23	36.89	43.07	51.58
Chemists, except biochemists	20.67	24.39	30.29	42.29	49.76
Health related	23.89	29.00	33.60	39.30	45.27
Physicians	12.12	15.03	25.83	50.03	71.01
Registered nurses	27.00	30.94	35.16	38.89	44.35
Pharmacists	25.06	40.75	42.43	45.18	46.45
Dietitians	19.50	22.01	31.22	31.22	31.22
Teachers, college and university	29.37	39.49	56.23	67.45	79.17
Psychology teachers	41.18	44.08	53.41	59.09	63.18
Health specialties teachers	30.50	43.96	63.10	80.01	103.91
English teachers	38.73	51.20	62.34	64.15	70.27
Other post-secondary teachers	29.70	41.59	53.53	65.84	72.61
Teachers, except college and university	17.65	31.77	39.93	54.79	64.16
Elementary school teachers	29.95	33.73	41.88	56.15	64.91
Secondary school teachers	32.59	37.90	47.63	59.86	66.53
Teachers, special education	31.16	35.55	46.84	58.46	64.16
Teachers, n.e.c.	17.65	31.06	37.74	51.94	64.16
Vocational and educational counselors	18.13	21.22	36.20	47.50	57.60
Librarians, archivists, and curators	21.16	30.50	35.26	49.45	49.87
Librarians	20.16	27.11	45.75	49.45	52.36
Social scientists and urban planners	19.35	24.28	32.22	51.93	64.11
Psychologists	20.09	25.97	35.43	54.43	62.74
Social, recreation, and religious workers	17.71	21.43	24.24	29.15	33.87
Social workers	18.24	22.04	25.14	29.44	33.87
Lawyers and judges	35.72	37.31	42.51	56.73	75.39
Lawyers	35.72	37.31	42.51	56.73	75.39
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	23.56	33.65	46.09	52.70	65.53
Designers	21.64	24.00	33.65	40.39	48.08
Editors and reporters	26.73	41.18	55.23	63.90	69.71
Athletes	10.00	20.59	47.00	52.70	52.70
Technical	16.40	19.57	23.64	29.09	35.51
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	14.12	16.10	19.84	26.01	31.47
Radiological technicians	22.02	23.59	24.72	28.35	30.54
Licensed practical nurses	19.51	20.61	22.77	23.69	24.94
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.28	17.70	18.29	24.63	26.85
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.39	26.53	31.66	33.01	34.10
Airplane pilots and navigators	88.74	120.53	163.71	189.78	189.78
Computer programmers	23.08	25.48	28.27	33.15	49.28
Legal assistants	20.14	24.04	28.85	36.06	56.95
Technical and related, n.e.c.	21.14	25.99	35.10	35.10	35.10
Executive, administrative, and managerial	21.00	26.52	36.13	51.44	72.12
Executives, administrators, and managers	24.73	34.87	44.35	57.69	77.91
Administrators and officials, public administration	34.32	34.62	36.03	43.15	46.08
Financial managers	30.27	38.21	52.75	57.69	78.82
Personnel and labor relations managers	30.77	44.09	57.10	72.06	78.15
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	30.00	36.75	49.04	53.85	69.60
Administrators, education and related fields	22.12	41.20	56.41	73.59	79.57
Managers, medicine and health	28.44	32.22	44.14	48.35	61.76
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	18.55	18.84	23.84	88.94	104.92
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	30.63	34.88	43.37	59.31	80.29
Management related	18.82	22.53	29.13	35.71	50.48

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6-1. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
White collar —Continued					
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued					
Management related —Continued					
Accountants and auditors	\$24.00	\$25.00	\$29.80	\$34.17	\$40.79
Other financial officers	25.96	31.49	40.87	57.69	96.15
Management analysts	18.81	25.53	30.44	35.64	50.49
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	18.82	21.59	25.17	29.59	35.00
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	22.53	22.53	22.53	26.44	32.21
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	16.54	17.19	21.08	23.42	31.86
Management related, n.e.c.	19.19	22.06	26.81	30.23	37.58
Sales	7.40	9.00	14.00	23.46	44.53
Supervisors, sales	10.40	13.81	21.15	28.40	50.00
Securities and financial services sales	16.00	23.07	40.87	62.50	92.96
Sales, other business services	16.09	18.00	19.41	33.65	48.08
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	20.16	30.22	36.06	45.72	51.11
Sales workers, other commodities	8.00	9.00	12.01	18.71	22.77
Cashiers	6.90	7.31	8.75	10.09	12.88
Sales support, n.e.c.	6.00	9.00	12.59	20.88	21.71
Administrative support, including clerical	11.41	14.00	17.08	21.61	26.78
Supervisors, general office	18.25	18.63	23.00	30.83	32.00
Supervisors, financial records processing	18.56	20.72	29.12	37.79	72.12
Secretaries	15.47	17.08	20.23	25.48	29.14
Stenographers	18.77	20.18	21.61	23.47	26.62
Typists	13.28	14.12	14.88	17.79	19.82
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	13.02	16.22	21.62	21.64	21.76
Receptionists	9.00	10.99	12.43	21.01	27.80
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.35	12.29	16.01	17.50	18.96
Order clerks	12.00	13.36	22.29	30.17	30.17
Library clerks	9.02	13.00	13.77	14.37	18.80
File clerks	8.50	9.00	11.50	15.00	16.32
Records clerks, n.e.c.	14.40	15.70	20.16	22.67	24.05
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	11.22	13.63	15.60	20.61	24.00
Billing clerks	13.25	13.64	15.46	18.37	19.71
Telephone operators	10.42	14.21	15.62	20.65	20.65
Dispatchers	12.55	13.39	21.07	31.90	38.23
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	9.10	12.00	15.00	18.81	21.64
Stock and inventory clerks	7.41	8.90	13.12	16.72	19.20
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	15.14	16.51	19.33	22.17	28.52
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	12.62	14.00	15.87	21.01	22.60
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	16.22	16.67	16.83	17.86	20.99
General office clerks	11.06	13.22	15.87	18.93	21.93
Bank tellers	10.52	11.54	12.08	13.37	15.88
Data entry keyers	11.60	12.75	14.39	16.56	18.27
Statistical clerks	9.00	16.43	21.01	21.01	21.23
Teachers' aides	11.91	15.49	18.23	22.41	24.05
Administrative support, n.e.c.	13.44	15.16	16.48	19.31	22.44
Blue collar	8.75	12.24	18.64	26.22	34.00
Precision production, craft, and repair	14.85	21.00	27.64	34.31	42.00
Automobile mechanics	24.63	27.51	28.86	28.86	30.05
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.16	19.00	21.99	24.11	30.02
Carpenters	18.50	18.50	20.00	31.90	31.90
Electricians	20.18	29.20	42.00	42.93	43.00
Electrician apprentices	10.30	12.95	13.25	24.90	24.90
Supervisors, production	12.51	19.02	22.14	26.15	32.05
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	10.61	12.58	14.38	16.65	18.43
Stationary engineers	25.59	26.44	26.44	31.66	34.00
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	9.00	10.75	14.00	16.72	24.15
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.38	16.23	21.20	24.83	24.83

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Table 6-1. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
Blue collar —Continued					
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors					
—Continued					
Mixing and blending machine operators	\$10.75	\$10.75	\$14.95	\$18.45	\$24.10
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	9.00	10.50	13.99	16.50	19.38
Assemblers	6.50	8.50	14.00	14.33	16.50
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	8.68	11.20	12.34	13.84	18.37
Transportation and material moving	8.75	12.50	18.52	23.58	26.83
Truck drivers	10.00	15.09	18.53	21.64	26.54
Bus drivers	13.35	17.17	22.67	23.34	23.58
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	7.10	10.50	10.70	13.10	24.46
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	10.00	12.50	15.60	19.01	19.60
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	7.00	8.00	12.22	20.50	23.56
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	10.20	15.00	18.55	18.75	19.32
Stock handlers and baggers	6.00	6.25	7.00	16.23	22.38
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	8.00	11.65	18.13	20.91	22.18
Hand packers and packagers	7.10	8.12	9.50	12.08	26.30
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	7.00	7.00	11.06	17.18	22.02
Service	8.20	10.00	13.93	18.57	28.60
Protective service	12.89	18.53	25.99	31.55	37.94
Supervisors, police and detectives	30.09	33.32	39.91	43.55	47.47
Police and detectives, public service	18.60	24.78	25.99	32.71	40.86
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	16.51	22.26	27.50	31.98	32.05
Correctional institution officers	18.70	22.57	25.99	31.11	31.39
Guards and police, except public service	9.00	10.25	13.43	16.17	21.56
Protective service, n.e.c.	10.00	13.50	13.50	22.05	26.95
Food service	3.85	6.50	10.00	14.53	19.23
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.00	3.85	5.15	9.55	14.90
Waiters and waitresses	2.90	3.85	4.42	8.35	13.00
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	3.30	3.30	5.15	13.81	14.90
Other food service	6.05	7.85	11.00	14.90	20.78
Supervisors, food preparation and service	10.00	19.23	21.82	23.08	23.27
Cooks	7.00	10.30	11.50	14.75	16.44
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.00	12.21	14.73	14.90	17.45
Food preparation, n.e.c.	6.00	6.50	8.50	11.79	15.06
Health service	9.10	9.40	11.50	14.92	17.27
Health aides, except nursing	9.50	12.00	13.77	16.11	17.10
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.10	9.40	10.90	14.63	17.29
Cleaning and building service	9.00	10.68	14.82	18.57	19.80
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	19.14	20.28	20.28	25.55	25.55
Maids and housemen	9.02	10.50	11.33	14.10	16.06
Janitors and cleaners	8.75	11.07	14.96	18.57	19.24
Personal service	9.00	10.00	11.95	17.94	33.29
Public transportation attendants	21.89	27.84	33.29	44.29	48.44
Early childhood teachers' assistants	7.50	9.74	10.66	12.10	14.89
Child care workers, n.e.c.	10.00	10.93	11.79	12.24	12.68
Service, n.e.c.	10.50	12.50	15.16	17.58	17.94

¹ Percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution and are calculated from individual-worker earnings and the hours they are scheduled to work. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown, and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth are paid the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic. Hourly wages are the straight-time 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.

² All workers include full-time and part-time workers.

³ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

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 6-2. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	Private industry				
	10	25	Median 50	75	90
All	\$9.19	\$12.95	\$19.69	\$31.70	\$45.67
All excluding sales	9.40	13.39	20.18	32.00	45.72
White collar	12.00	17.06	26.28	38.46	54.10
White collar excluding sales	13.94	18.63	27.84	39.85	55.85
Professional specialty and technical	20.09	26.00	33.60	43.71	57.32
Professional specialty	22.66	29.10	35.39	45.27	58.25
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	27.73	29.20	36.40	47.19	55.50
Electrical and electronic engineers	32.07	35.39	38.32	42.97	48.80
Engineers, n.e.c.	28.74	37.11	45.67	52.72	62.55
Mathematical and computer scientists	25.64	32.98	41.50	52.56	61.16
Computer systems analysts and scientists	25.64	32.50	40.87	51.92	61.16
Natural scientists	22.27	28.23	36.89	43.22	51.58
Chemists, except biochemists	20.67	24.39	30.29	42.29	49.76
Health related	26.00	30.32	34.13	39.90	45.33
Physicians	22.66	23.90	27.43	60.10	74.71
Registered nurses	27.68	31.04	35.39	39.18	44.73
Pharmacists	39.33	42.00	43.07	45.40	46.92
Teachers, college and university	30.00	37.90	54.32	72.12	85.71
Other post-secondary teachers	33.27	44.37	57.69	71.48	81.43
Teachers, except college and university	13.98	17.31	24.40	36.20	37.54
Elementary school teachers	13.98	20.25	30.85	33.42	37.21
Vocational and educational counselors	17.39	18.13	23.63	36.20	36.20
Librarians, archivists, and curators	20.16	27.11	32.03	49.45	49.45
Librarians	18.93	24.34	49.38	49.45	49.45
Social scientists and urban planners	19.14	19.35	29.01	37.80	62.74
Psychologists	16.43	20.09	24.28	37.80	62.74
Social, recreation, and religious workers	17.03	18.66	23.94	27.87	30.45
Social workers	17.03	19.23	23.94	27.93	30.45
Lawyers and judges	38.46	42.31	52.16	71.15	98.75
Lawyers	38.46	42.31	52.16	71.15	98.75
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	23.56	33.65	46.27	52.70	65.86
Designers	21.64	24.00	33.65	40.39	48.08
Editors and reporters	26.73	41.18	55.23	63.90	69.71
Athletes	10.00	20.59	47.00	52.70	52.70
Technical	16.83	20.31	23.89	29.52	37.15
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	14.00	15.87	19.23	25.08	30.21
Radiological technicians	22.02	23.59	24.72	28.35	30.54
Licensed practical nurses	20.08	20.65	22.77	23.64	24.94
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	17.70	18.50	22.00	24.63	25.09
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.39	26.53	31.66	33.01	34.10
Airplane pilots and navigators	88.74	120.53	163.71	189.78	189.78
Computer programmers	23.08	25.64	28.27	33.15	53.85
Executive, administrative, and managerial	21.88	28.15	38.25	53.85	74.36
Executives, administrators, and managers	23.77	34.62	45.00	57.69	78.15
Financial managers	31.25	38.21	53.85	57.69	78.82
Personnel and labor relations managers	30.77	44.09	57.10	72.06	78.15
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	30.00	36.75	49.04	53.85	69.60
Administrators, education and related fields	20.45	22.12	42.02	51.04	56.41
Managers, medicine and health	30.77	41.57	47.31	59.00	75.80
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	18.55	18.84	23.84	88.94	104.92
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	30.63	34.88	44.86	60.10	82.29
Management related	20.36	24.00	29.81	40.79	60.10
Accountants and auditors	24.00	24.11	29.80	36.06	43.34
Other financial officers	23.59	31.32	43.96	72.12	96.15
Management analysts	18.81	25.74	30.44	35.64	50.49
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	18.82	21.98	25.17	30.77	35.00
Management related, n.e.c.	18.81	20.43	26.48	29.88	37.64
Sales	7.40	9.00	13.90	24.15	44.69
Supervisors, sales	10.40	13.81	21.15	28.40	50.00
Securities and financial services sales	16.00	23.07	40.87	62.50	92.96

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Table 6-2. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	Private industry				
	10	25	Median 50	75	90
White collar —Continued					
Sales —Continued					
Sales, other business services	\$16.09	\$18.00	\$19.41	\$33.65	\$48.08
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	20.16	30.22	36.06	45.72	51.11
Sales workers, other commodities	8.00	9.00	12.01	18.71	22.77
Cashiers	6.90	7.27	8.75	10.00	12.00
Sales support, n.e.c.	6.00	9.00	12.59	20.88	21.71
Administrative support, including clerical					
Supervisors, general office	11.01	13.63	16.83	21.46	27.47
Supervisors, financial records processing	18.25	18.63	23.74	30.97	32.00
Supervisors, financial records processing	18.56	20.72	29.12	38.46	72.12
Secretaries	15.34	16.89	20.55	26.15	29.35
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	12.75	14.91	19.57	21.68	22.00
Receptionists	9.00	10.99	12.20	21.01	27.80
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.35	12.29	16.01	17.50	18.96
Order clerks	12.00	13.36	22.29	30.17	30.17
File clerks	8.50	9.00	11.50	15.00	16.32
Records clerks, n.e.c.	14.87	16.17	20.63	22.67	24.61
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	11.22	13.57	15.60	20.19	23.43
Billing clerks	13.25	13.64	15.46	18.37	19.71
Telephone operators	10.42	15.20	15.63	20.65	20.65
Dispatchers	12.55	12.55	16.98	28.09	44.28
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	9.10	11.41	15.00	17.41	21.64
Stock and inventory clerks	7.41	8.90	13.12	16.72	19.20
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	15.14	16.51	19.33	22.17	28.52
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	12.50	13.00	14.50	19.50	22.63
General office clerks	11.93	13.00	15.35	18.04	21.65
Bank tellers	10.52	11.54	12.08	13.37	15.88
Data entry keyers	11.60	12.00	14.10	16.94	20.21
Statistical clerks	9.00	16.43	21.01	21.01	21.23
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.98	14.58	16.12	19.61	24.95
Blue collar					
Precision production, craft, and repair					
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	14.45	20.00	27.75	37.26	42.07
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.16	18.00	21.00	22.00	30.02
Electricians	21.91	40.47	42.00	42.93	43.00
Electrician apprentices	10.30	12.95	13.25	24.90	24.90
Supervisors, production	12.51	19.02	22.14	26.15	32.05
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	10.61	12.58	14.38	16.65	18.43
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors					
Packaging and filling machine operators	9.00	10.75	14.00	16.72	24.16
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.38	16.23	21.20	24.83	24.83
Mixing and blending machine operators	10.75	10.75	14.95	18.45	24.10
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	9.00	10.50	13.99	16.50	19.38
Assemblers	6.50	8.50	14.00	14.33	16.50
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	8.68	11.20	12.34	13.84	18.37
Transportation and material moving					
Truck drivers	6.57	11.12	17.08	19.70	25.07
Truck drivers	10.00	13.55	18.53	19.70	22.82
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	7.10	7.10	10.60	11.64	13.10
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	10.00	12.50	15.60	19.01	19.60
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers					
Stock handlers and baggers	6.95	7.10	10.87	19.87	22.36
Stock handlers and baggers	6.00	6.25	7.00	16.23	22.38
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	8.00	11.65	18.13	20.91	22.18
Hand packers and packagers	7.10	8.12	9.50	12.08	26.30
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	7.00	7.00	9.00	11.15	20.00
Service					
Protective service	7.50	9.40	11.50	16.24	18.57
Protective service	9.00	10.25	13.87	18.46	27.99
Guards and police, except public service	9.00	10.00	12.70	16.00	22.15

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6-2. **Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued**

Occupation ³	Private industry				
	10	25	Median 50	75	90
Service —Continued					
Food service	\$3.85	\$6.25	\$9.33	\$14.59	\$19.23
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.00	3.85	5.15	8.62	13.40
Waiters and waitresses	2.90	3.85	4.42	8.35	13.00
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	3.30	3.30	5.00	7.00	13.81
Other food service	6.00	7.50	10.60	14.90	21.82
Supervisors, food preparation and service	10.00	19.23	21.82	23.08	23.27
Cooks	7.00	10.00	11.00	14.75	16.44
Kitchen workers, food preparation	5.75	11.70	14.73	14.90	17.98
Food preparation, n.e.c.	6.00	6.50	7.50	9.40	14.59
Health service	9.07	9.40	10.65	14.05	16.52
Health aides, except nursing	9.17	11.00	12.75	14.49	16.14
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.07	9.40	10.18	13.95	16.55
Cleaning and building service	8.02	10.50	14.23	18.57	18.57
Maids and housemen	9.02	10.50	11.33	14.10	16.06
Janitors and cleaners	8.00	10.58	14.83	18.57	18.57
Personal service	8.50	10.00	11.66	20.25	37.05
Public transportation attendants	24.65	28.79	33.29	47.30	51.01
Early childhood teachers' assistants	7.50	9.63	10.50	11.39	14.83
Child care workers, n.e.c.	10.00	10.00	10.61	12.25	12.52
Service, n.e.c.	10.50	11.32	17.22	17.94	17.94

¹ Percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution and are calculated from individual-worker earnings and the hours they are scheduled to work. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown, and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth of the hours are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth are paid the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic. Hourly wages are the straight-time 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.

² All workers include full-time and part-time workers.

³ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

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Table 6-3. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	State and local government				
	10	25	Median 50	75	90
All	\$14.05	\$17.93	\$25.77	\$34.74	\$50.59
All excluding sales	14.09	17.94	25.84	34.76	50.59
White collar	15.61	19.26	29.49	41.50	59.86
White collar excluding sales	15.65	19.29	29.55	41.54	59.86
Professional specialty and technical	18.29	28.17	36.37	51.94	63.96
Professional specialty	22.04	30.41	37.85	53.74	64.16
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	24.64	26.17	27.69	29.85	35.91
Mathematical and computer scientists	—	—	—	—	—
Natural scientists	—	—	—	—	—
Health related	12.84	15.03	24.06	35.14	42.71
Physicians	11.38	12.73	15.03	15.03	65.44
Registered nurses	22.80	26.74	32.00	37.35	41.01
Teachers, college and university	28.60	41.98	56.91	64.30	70.07
Other post-secondary teachers	28.60	40.15	53.51	64.49	69.88
Teachers, except college and university	30.81	34.84	44.63	57.28	64.16
Elementary school teachers	32.35	35.99	44.75	57.41	65.90
Secondary school teachers	32.23	37.90	48.45	59.86	67.52
Teachers, special education	32.96	37.83	47.97	58.74	64.16
Teachers, n.e.c.	30.81	34.59	43.77	55.53	64.16
Librarians, archivists, and curators	31.83	34.67	45.75	49.87	64.91
Librarians	31.83	34.67	45.75	49.87	64.91
Social scientists and urban planners	26.17	32.22	40.47	57.10	64.11
Psychologists	26.17	32.22	40.47	57.10	64.11
Social, recreation, and religious workers	22.04	22.04	26.72	32.78	34.41
Social workers	22.04	22.05	27.05	32.78	34.61
Lawyers and judges	32.04	35.72	37.31	43.28	52.64
Lawyers	32.04	35.72	37.31	43.28	52.64
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—
Technical	15.28	17.92	18.34	24.44	32.77
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.09	19.57	20.55	35.47	38.76
Licensed practical nurses	17.92	18.14	20.45	23.69	24.04
Executive, administrative, and managerial	17.19	22.57	31.47	40.10	62.78
Executives, administrators, and managers	30.87	35.50	41.94	58.09	77.89
Administrators and officials, public administration	34.32	34.62	36.03	43.15	46.08
Administrators, education and related fields	42.16	58.09	71.64	77.91	81.58
Managers, medicine and health	21.97	28.44	34.51	35.72	37.11
Management related	17.19	20.89	25.24	31.29	31.86
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	19.86	20.72	25.06	28.47	30.53
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	16.04	17.19	21.08	21.19	29.66
Management related, n.e.c.	21.89	25.00	27.06	30.43	35.93
Sales	—	—	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	13.55	15.91	18.23	21.64	25.52
Supervisors, general office	16.35	19.95	22.58	24.98	28.52
Secretaries	17.08	17.08	19.22	24.43	26.36
Typists	12.95	13.87	15.19	18.49	19.82
Library clerks	7.83	10.10	14.12	14.37	16.27
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	17.21	20.82	26.39	26.39	28.31
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	16.22	16.83	16.83	17.88	20.99
General office clerks	5.15	13.83	16.61	20.58	22.99
Teachers' aides	13.49	15.79	18.73	22.41	24.05
Administrative support, n.e.c.	15.16	15.76	17.03	17.49	20.37
Blue collar	17.09	20.48	23.69	28.10	30.05
Precision production, craft, and repair	19.73	24.63	27.51	29.10	32.08
Automobile mechanics	24.63	27.51	28.86	28.86	30.05
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	—	—	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6-3. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, State and local government, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	State and local government				
	10	25	Median 50	75	90
Blue collar –Continued					
Transportation and material moving	\$18.52	\$22.89	\$23.69	\$26.27	\$28.10
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	13.95	15.99	19.98	23.56	24.34
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	14.24	15.18	18.55	21.38	23.55
Service	11.79	14.94	20.73	29.37	35.06
Protective service	17.73	22.33	26.95	32.71	40.19
Supervisors, police and detectives	30.09	33.32	39.91	43.55	47.47
Police and detectives, public service	18.60	24.78	25.99	32.71	40.86
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	16.51	22.26	27.50	31.98	32.05
Correctional institution officers	18.70	22.57	25.99	31.11	31.39
Guards and police, except public service	12.01	14.40	16.50	17.40	18.28
Food service	11.03	11.79	12.47	14.52	15.43
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	—	—	—	—	—
Other food service	11.00	11.79	12.24	13.94	15.65
Cooks	12.32	12.57	12.82	16.00	18.80
Food preparation, n.e.c.	10.69	11.79	11.79	13.61	15.20
Health service	13.04	14.39	16.25	17.90	19.56
Health aides, except nursing	13.48	14.80	16.49	17.04	18.99
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	12.33	14.37	16.08	18.91	19.56
Cleaning and building service	10.84	12.27	14.99	20.55	25.55
Janitors and cleaners	10.84	12.10	14.97	19.98	23.16
Personal service	10.50	11.79	11.95	13.43	21.09
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.01	11.79	11.79	12.24	12.68

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nonproduction bonuses; and tips.

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Table 6-4. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
All	\$10.58	\$15.00	\$22.12	\$33.55	\$47.97
All excluding sales	10.71	15.20	22.35	33.58	47.96
White collar	14.00	18.43	27.80	40.39	56.65
White collar excluding sales	14.90	19.03	28.57	40.87	57.32
Professional specialty and technical	20.00	26.37	34.45	46.06	59.86
Professional specialty	22.36	29.18	36.63	47.97	61.06
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	26.39	29.10	33.60	45.63	54.35
Architects	22.12	28.00	31.80	36.50	59.00
Electrical and electronic engineers	32.07	35.39	38.32	42.97	48.80
Engineers, n.e.c.	26.17	29.01	43.13	51.01	61.68
Mathematical and computer scientists	25.68	33.03	41.88	52.84	61.16
Computer systems analysts and scientists	25.64	32.62	41.16	52.40	61.16
Natural scientists	22.27	28.23	36.89	43.07	51.58
Chemists, except biochemists	20.67	24.39	30.29	42.29	49.76
Health related	22.80	28.06	32.86	39.57	45.18
Physicians	11.83	15.03	23.56	28.28	63.76
Registered nurses	26.74	30.90	34.23	39.67	44.74
Pharmacists	25.06	40.75	42.43	45.18	46.45
Dietitians	19.50	22.01	31.22	31.22	31.22
Teachers, college and university	30.46	41.04	56.98	68.29	79.13
Psychology teachers	41.18	44.08	53.41	59.09	63.18
Health specialties teachers	30.50	43.96	63.10	80.01	103.91
English teachers	38.73	51.20	62.34	64.15	70.27
Other post-secondary teachers	29.70	41.62	53.55	65.84	72.61
Teachers, except college and university	18.13	32.16	40.17	54.89	64.16
Elementary school teachers	30.31	33.80	42.10	56.22	64.91
Secondary school teachers	32.48	38.30	48.45	59.86	66.54
Teachers, special education	31.20	35.55	46.84	58.46	64.16
Teachers, n.e.c.	17.65	31.06	37.84	51.94	64.16
Vocational and educational counselors	18.13	23.63	36.20	49.07	57.60
Librarians, archivists, and curators	21.16	31.14	35.26	49.45	49.87
Librarians	20.41	27.43	45.75	49.45	54.22
Social scientists and urban planners	19.35	24.28	32.31	54.43	64.16
Psychologists	19.14	25.97	35.43	54.99	63.07
Social, recreation, and religious workers	18.13	22.04	24.76	29.22	33.87
Social workers	18.24	22.04	24.96	29.23	33.87
Lawyers and judges	35.72	37.31	42.31	56.11	75.39
Lawyers	35.72	37.31	42.31	56.11	75.39
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	24.71	34.95	46.27	52.70	64.27
Designers	21.64	24.00	33.65	40.39	48.08
Editors and reporters	26.73	41.18	55.23	63.90	69.71
Technical	16.40	19.50	23.56	29.18	36.06
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	14.00	16.09	20.00	25.94	31.47
Radiological technicians	21.88	23.59	24.72	28.31	30.33
Licensed practical nurses	19.50	20.58	22.44	23.50	24.72
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.28	16.90	18.29	24.63	27.02
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.39	26.53	31.66	33.01	34.10
Airplane pilots and navigators	88.74	120.53	163.71	189.78	189.78
Computer programmers	23.08	25.48	28.27	33.15	49.28
Legal assistants	20.14	24.04	28.85	36.06	56.95
Technical and related, n.e.c.	21.19	26.58	35.10	35.10	35.10
Executive, administrative, and managerial	21.08	26.64	36.26	51.92	72.12
Executives, administrators, and managers	24.73	34.87	44.35	57.69	77.91
Administrators and officials, public administration	34.32	34.62	36.03	43.15	46.08
Financial managers	30.27	38.21	52.75	57.69	78.82
Personnel and labor relations managers	30.77	44.09	57.10	72.06	78.15
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	30.00	36.75	49.04	53.85	69.60
Administrators, education and related fields	22.12	41.20	56.41	73.78	79.57
Managers, medicine and health	28.44	32.22	41.13	47.31	61.76
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	18.55	18.84	23.84	88.94	104.92
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	30.63	34.88	43.37	59.31	80.29
Management related	18.82	22.72	29.36	35.90	50.49
Accountants and auditors	24.00	25.00	29.80	35.05	40.79
Other financial officers	25.96	31.49	40.87	58.24	96.15

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6-4. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
White collar —Continued					
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued					
Management related —Continued					
Management analysts	\$18.81	\$25.53	\$30.44	\$35.64	\$50.49
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	18.82	21.98	25.17	29.59	35.00
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	22.53	22.53	22.53	26.44	32.21
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	16.54	17.19	21.08	23.42	31.86
Management related, n.e.c.	19.19	22.06	26.81	30.24	37.58
Sales	9.00	11.35	18.80	31.41	48.08
Supervisors, sales	11.79	15.21	21.25	28.40	50.00
Securities and financial services sales	16.00	23.07	40.87	62.50	92.96
Sales, other business services	16.09	18.00	19.41	33.65	48.08
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	20.16	30.22	36.06	45.72	51.11
Sales workers, other commodities	8.49	10.19	15.00	20.88	51.90
Cashiers	8.00	8.75	9.40	11.55	16.18
Sales support, n.e.c.	10.53	11.35	20.23	20.88	22.61
Administrative support, including clerical	12.01	14.58	17.32	21.64	27.35
Supervisors, general office	18.25	18.63	23.00	30.83	32.00
Supervisors, financial records processing	18.56	20.72	29.12	37.79	72.12
Secretaries	15.64	17.08	20.30	25.50	29.14
Stenographers	18.77	20.18	21.61	23.47	26.62
Typists	13.74	14.39	14.97	17.86	19.82
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	13.42	17.84	21.64	21.64	21.76
Receptionists	10.00	10.99	12.20	21.01	27.80
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.35	12.29	16.01	17.50	18.96
Order clerks	12.20	15.65	26.24	30.17	30.17
Library clerks	13.33	14.12	14.37	16.47	22.52
File clerks	9.00	10.00	12.89	15.28	16.69
Records clerks, n.e.c.	14.40	15.70	20.16	22.67	24.05
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	12.00	13.92	16.11	20.82	24.04
Billing clerks	13.64	13.64	15.46	18.40	19.98
Telephone operators	13.49	15.20	15.63	20.65	20.65
Dispatchers	12.55	13.39	21.07	31.90	38.23
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	9.67	12.67	15.00	18.81	21.64
Stock and inventory clerks	9.37	12.50	16.72	17.02	20.91
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	15.33	16.83	19.64	22.52	28.52
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	12.67	14.00	17.00	21.01	22.60
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	16.22	16.67	16.83	17.86	20.99
General office clerks	12.25	14.00	16.42	19.82	22.34
Bank tellers	10.52	11.54	12.08	13.37	15.88
Data entry keyers	11.60	13.72	14.57	16.89	19.48
Statistical clerks	9.00	16.43	21.01	21.01	21.23
Teachers' aides	10.08	13.01	15.54	17.40	22.41
Administrative support, n.e.c.	14.29	15.30	16.90	19.31	22.84
Blue collar	9.35	12.91	19.35	26.44	34.86
Precision production, craft, and repair	14.85	21.00	27.74	34.41	42.00
Automobile mechanics	24.63	27.51	28.86	28.86	30.05
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.16	19.00	21.99	24.11	30.02
Carpenters	18.50	18.50	20.00	31.90	31.90
Electricians	20.18	29.20	42.00	42.93	43.00
Electrician apprentices	10.30	12.95	13.25	24.90	24.90
Supervisors, production	12.51	19.02	22.14	26.15	32.05
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers ..	10.61	12.58	14.38	16.65	18.43
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	9.00	10.75	14.00	16.75	24.16
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.38	16.23	21.20	24.83	24.83
Mixing and blending machine operators	10.75	10.75	14.95	18.45	24.10
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	9.00	10.91	13.99	16.50	19.38
Assemblers	6.50	8.50	14.00	14.33	16.50

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Table 6-4. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
Blue collar —Continued					
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors					
—Continued					
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	\$8.68	\$11.20	\$12.34	\$13.84	\$18.37
Transportation and material moving	10.00	13.75	19.36	23.69	27.72
Truck drivers	10.00	15.57	18.53	21.71	26.54
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators ..	10.00	12.50	15.60	19.01	19.60
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	7.00	8.00	13.94	20.89	23.56
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	10.20	15.00	18.55	18.75	19.32
Stock handlers and baggers	6.00	6.00	7.00	18.18	22.88
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	8.00	11.65	19.87	21.84	22.19
Hand packers and packagers	7.10	8.11	9.50	12.08	26.30
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	7.00	7.00	11.06	17.96	22.02
Service	9.10	10.54	14.82	19.98	30.09
Protective service	13.98	19.25	25.99	32.05	39.91
Supervisors, police and detectives	30.09	33.32	39.91	43.55	47.47
Police and detectives, public service	18.60	24.78	25.99	32.71	40.86
Correctional institution officers	18.70	22.57	25.99	31.11	31.39
Guards and police, except public service	9.00	10.25	14.40	16.66	22.15
Food service	4.40	7.00	10.85	15.20	20.87
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.85	3.85	6.25	8.91	15.45
Waiters and waitresses	3.85	3.85	5.75	8.35	15.45
Other food service	6.00	8.61	12.25	15.83	21.82
Supervisors, food preparation and service	10.00	19.23	21.82	23.08	23.27
Cooks	7.00	10.30	11.27	14.75	16.49
Kitchen workers, food preparation	5.75	13.39	14.77	15.43	18.10
Food preparation, n.e.c.	5.30	6.50	8.89	13.41	15.60
Health service	9.10	9.40	12.06	15.14	17.33
Health aides, except nursing	9.50	12.00	13.92	16.11	17.13
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.10	9.40	11.49	14.96	17.52
Cleaning and building service	9.85	11.33	14.97	18.57	19.98
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	19.14	20.28	20.28	25.55	25.55
Maids and housemen	9.02	10.50	11.33	14.05	15.75
Janitors and cleaners	10.30	11.79	16.34	18.57	19.40
Personal service	9.00	10.45	12.52	21.89	36.48
Public transportation attendants	21.89	27.84	33.29	44.29	48.44
Early childhood teachers' assistants	9.56	10.06	10.85	12.16	14.89
Child care workers, n.e.c.	10.00	10.61	12.25	12.68	13.01
Service, n.e.c.	10.50	12.50	17.22	17.94	17.94

¹ Percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution and are calculated from individual-worker earnings and the hours they are scheduled to work. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown, and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown, and three-fourths are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth are paid the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic. Hourly wages are the straight-time 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.

² 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 A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

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Table 6-5. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ part-time workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
All	\$6.50	\$7.75	\$10.50	\$15.09	\$30.00
All excluding sales	6.35	8.00	11.79	17.91	33.66
White collar	7.00	8.25	12.32	24.05	35.39
White collar excluding sales	8.15	12.00	20.80	34.91	37.50
Professional specialty and technical	17.30	25.26	34.91	35.39	45.25
Professional specialty	20.00	30.00	35.39	36.00	53.58
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	—	—	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	—	—	—	—	—
Health related	29.00	33.00	35.39	37.50	54.68
Physicians	53.56	57.69	69.40	93.75	129.12
Registered nurses	29.00	33.00	35.39	35.39	39.00
Teachers, college and university	23.18	23.18	26.00	29.08	79.47
Teachers, except college and university	10.98	13.85	17.14	31.50	36.50
Librarians, archivists, and curators	—	—	—	—	—
Social scientists and urban planners	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	—	—	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	8.00	10.00	25.00	70.00	70.00
Technical	17.30	23.69	24.00	25.09	27.12
Executive, administrative, and managerial	20.80	21.00	28.00	43.51	48.35
Executives, administrators, and managers	—	—	—	—	—
Management related	—	—	—	—	—
Sales	6.75	7.24	8.25	9.91	12.60
Sales workers, other commodities	7.24	8.00	9.00	10.69	13.52
Cashiers	6.50	6.95	7.50	8.75	10.30
Sales support, n.e.c.	6.00	6.00	7.88	9.08	10.30
Administrative support, including clerical	7.00	8.75	12.43	16.33	21.71
Receptionists	8.50	8.75	12.43	14.50	14.95
Library clerks	7.83	9.40	13.00	13.00	14.05
General office clerks	5.15	5.15	8.44	13.00	14.00
Blue collar	6.00	7.00	10.42	14.00	18.00
Precision production, craft, and repair	—	—	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	—	—	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	6.00	6.00	12.50	15.09	18.00
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	6.90	7.11	9.73	12.75	15.00
Stock handlers and baggers	6.50	6.90	7.25	8.90	10.65
Service	6.00	7.25	9.10	12.00	14.83
Protective service	9.00	11.70	13.50	13.79	16.00
Guards and police, except public service	7.25	8.10	11.70	11.70	12.60
Food service	3.00	5.25	7.50	11.07	12.82
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	2.50	3.00	3.85	9.55	13.00
Waiters and waitresses	2.50	2.90	3.85	9.55	12.00
Other food service	6.25	7.00	8.00	11.79	12.58
Food preparation, n.e.c.	6.00	6.50	8.00	11.79	12.24
Health service	6.75	9.07	9.10	11.50	15.24
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	6.75	9.07	9.10	10.00	15.34

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6-5. Hourly wage percentiles for establishment jobs,¹ part-time workers:² Selected occupations, all industries, National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005 — Continued

Occupation ³	10	25	Median 50	75	90
Service —Continued					
Cleaning and building service	\$7.00	\$7.25	\$8.50	\$14.83	\$16.00
Janitors and cleaners	6.75	7.25	8.00	14.83	14.83
Personal service	8.43	10.00	11.30	11.79	14.48
Child care workers, n.e.c.	10.00	11.01	11.79	11.79	12.56

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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.

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Appendix A: Technical Note

This section provides basic information on the procedures and concepts used to produce the data contained in this bulletin. It is divided into three parts: Planning for the survey; data collection; and processing and analyzing the data. Although this section answers some questions commonly asked by data users, it is not a comprehensive description of all of the steps required to produce the data.

Planning for the survey

The overall design of the National Compensation Survey (NCS) includes questions of scope, frame, and sample selection.

Survey scope

This survey covered establishments employing 50 workers or more in goods-producing industries (mining, construction and manufacturing); service-producing industries (transportation, communications, electric, gas, and sanitary services; wholesale trade; retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; and services industries); and State and local governments. Agriculture, private households, and the Federal Government were excluded from the scope of the survey. 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.

The New York–Northern New Jersey–Long Island, NY–NJ–CT–PA, Metropolitan Statistical Area includes:

- Bronx, Dutchess, Kings, Nassau, New York, Orange, Putnam, Queens, Richmond, Rockland, Suffolk, and Westchester Counties, NY
- Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren Counties, NJ
- Fairfield County, eight towns in Litchfield County, two towns in Middlesex County, and New Haven County, CT
- Pike County, PA

Sampling frame

The list of establishments from which the survey sample was selected (sampling frame) was developed from State

unemployment insurance reports. 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 sampling frame was reviewed prior to the survey and, when necessary, missing establishments were added, out-of-business and out-of-scope establishments were removed, and addresses, employment levels, industry classification, and other information were updated. Approximately one-fifth of the sample is reselected each year.

Sample design

The sample for this survey area was selected using a two-stage stratified design with probability proportional to employment sampling at each stage. The first stage of sample selection was a probability sample of establishments. The sample of establishments was drawn by first stratifying the sampling frame by industry and ownership. 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 its chance of selection. Weights were applied to each establishment when the data were tabulated so that it represents similar units (by industry and employment size) in the economy that were not selected for collection. The second stage of sample selection, detailed below, was a probability sample of occupations within a sampled establishment.

Data collection

The collection of data from survey respondents required detailed procedures. Field economists collected the data, working out of the Bureau of Labor Statistics' (BLS) Regional Offices and visiting each establishment surveyed. Other contact methods, such as mail and telephone, were used to follow up and update data.

Occupational selection and classification

Identification of the occupations for which wage data were to be collected was a multistep 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 versus part-time, union versus nonunion, and time versus incentive
4. Determination of the level of work of each job

For each occupation, wage data were collected for those workers whose jobs could be characterized by the criteria identified in the last three steps. Special procedures were developed for jobs for which a 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 number of jobs for which data were collected in each establishment was based on the establishment's employment size. Prior to 2002, the number of jobs selected ranged from 8 to 20. Beginning in 2002, the number of jobs selected followed this schedule:

<i>Number of employees</i>	<i>Number of selected jobs</i>
50–249	6
250 or more	8

The second step of the process entailed classifying the selected jobs into occupations based on their duties. The NCS 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 in which 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.

Each occupational classification is an element of a broader classification known as a major occupational group (MOG). Occupations can fall into any of the following MOGs:

- Professional specialty and technical
- Executive, administrative, and managerial
- Sales
- Administrative support, including clerical
- Precision production, craft, and repair
- Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors
- Transportation and material moving

- Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers
- Service occupations

Appendix B contains a complete list of all individual occupations, classified by the MOG to which they belong.

In step three, certain other job characteristics of the chosen worker 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 worker, rather than solely on hours worked. Finally, the worker was identified as being in a union job or a nonunion job. See the "Definition of terms" section on the following page for more detail.

Occupational leveling

In the last step before wage data were collected, the work level of each selected job was determined using a "point factor leveling" process. Point factor leveling matches certain aspects of a job to specific levels of work with assigned point values. Points for each factor are then totaled to determine the overall work level for the job.

The NCS program is in the process of converting from a nine-factor to a four-factor occupational leveling system. The conversion is being phased in via annual NCS sample replenishment groups and will require several years for full implementation. The four occupational leveling factors are:

- Knowledge
- Job controls and complexity
- Contacts (nature and purpose)
- Physical environment

Each factor consists of several levels, and each level has an associated description and assigned points. The knowledge factor is tailored to 24 families of closely related occupations. A knowledge guide for each of the 24 families contains short definitions of the point levels of knowledge expected for the occupations and presents relevant examples. The other three factors use identical descriptions for all occupational categories and contain a definition of each point level within each factor.

The description within each factor best matching the job is chosen. The point levels within each factor are designed to describe the thresholds of distinct levels of work. When a job does not meet the full description of a point level, the next lowest point level is used. Points for the four factors are totaled to determine the overall work level. NCS publishes data for up to 15 work levels.

Most supervisory occupations are evaluated based on their duties and responsibilities. A modified approach is used for professional and administrative supervisors when they direct professional work and are paid primarily to su-

perwise. Such supervisory occupations are leveled based on the work level of the highest position reporting to them.

For a complete description of point factor leveling, refer to the publication “National Compensation Survey: Guide for Evaluating Your Firm’s Jobs and Pay,” available at the BLS National Compensation Survey Internet site at <http://www.bls.gov/ncs/ocs/sp/ncbr0004.pdf>.

Collection period

Survey data were collected over a 13-month period for 60 metropolitan areas in the NCS program. For 20 small metropolitan areas, data were collected over a 4-month period. For each establishment in the survey, the data reflect the establishment’s most recent information at the time of collection. The payroll reference month shown in the tables reflects the average date of this information for all sample units.

Earnings

Earnings were defined as regular payments from the employer to the employee as compensation for straight-time hourly work, or for any salaried work performed. The following components were included as part of earnings:

- Incentive pay, including commissions, production bonuses, and piece rates
- Cost-of-living allowances
- Hazard pay
- Payments of income deferred due to participation in a salary reduction plan
- Deadhead pay, defined as pay given to transportation workers returning in a vehicle without freight or passengers

The following forms of payments were *not* considered part of straight-time earnings:

- Shift differentials, defined as extra payment for working a schedule that varies from the norm, such as night or weekend work
- Premium pay for overtime, holidays, and weekends
- Bonuses not directly tied to production (such as Christmas and profit-sharing bonuses)
- Uniform and tool allowances
- Free room and board
- Payments made by third parties (for example, tips, bonuses given by manufacturers to department store salespeople, referral incentives in real estate)
- On-call pay

To calculate earnings for various periods (hourly, weekly, and annual), data on work schedules also were collected. For hourly workers, scheduled hours worked per day and per week, exclusive of overtime, were recorded. Annual weeks worked were determined. Because salaried

workers who are exempt from overtime provisions often work beyond the assigned work schedule, their typical number of hours actually worked was collected.

Definition of terms

Full-time worker. Any employee whom the employer considers to be full time.

Incentive worker. Any employee whose earnings are tied, at least in part, to commissions, piece rates, production bonuses, or other incentives based on production or sales.

Level. A ranking of an occupation based on the requirements of the position. (See the description in the technical note on occupational leveling through point factor analysis for more details on the leveling process.)

Nonunion worker. An employee in an occupation not meeting the conditions for union coverage. (See below.)

Part-time worker. Any employee whom the employer considers to be part time.

Time-based worker. Any employee whose earnings are tied to an hourly rate or salary, and not to a specific level of production.

Union worker. Any employee is in a union occupation when all of the following conditions are met:

- A labor organization is recognized as the bargaining agent for all workers in the occupation
- Wage and salary rates are determined through collective bargaining or negotiations
- Settlement terms, which must include earnings provisions and may include benefit provisions, are embodied in a signed, mutually binding collective bargaining agreement

Processing and analyzing the data

Data were processed and analyzed at the BLS National Office following collection.

Weighting and nonresponse

Sample weights were calculated for each establishment and occupation in the survey. These weights reflected the relative size of the occupation within the establishment and of the establishment within the sample universe. Weights were used to aggregate data for the individual establishments or occupations into the various data series. Some of the establishments surveyed could not supply or refused to supply information. If data were not provided by a sample member, the weights of responding sample members in the

same or similar “cells” were adjusted to account for the missing data. This technique assumes that the mean value of data for the nonrespondents equals the mean value of data for the respondents at some detailed “cell” level. Responding and nonresponding establishments were classified into these cells according to industry and employment size. Responding and nonresponding occupations within responding establishments were classified into cells that were additionally defined by major occupation group.

Establishments that were determined to be out of business or outside the scope of the survey had their weights changed to zero. If only partial data were given by a sample establishment or occupation, or data were missing, the response was treated as a refusal.

Survey response

	<i>Establish- ments</i>
Total in sampling frame	25,967
Total in sample	1,045
Responding	599
Out of business or not in survey scope	94
Unable or refused to provide data	352

In this survey, the nonresponse rates for all industries and private industry exceeded regular survey standards.

Estimation

The wage series in the tables are computed by combining the wages for each sampled occupation. Before being combined, individual wage rates are weighted by the number of workers; the sample weight, adjusted for nonresponding establishments and other factors; and the occupation’s scheduled hours of work.

Not all calculated series met the criteria for publication. Before any series was published, it was reviewed to make sure that the number of observations underlying it was sufficient. This review prevented the publication of a series that could have revealed information about a specific establishment.

Estimates of the number of workers represent the total in all establishments within the scope of the study, and not the number actually surveyed. Because occupational structures among establishments differ, estimates of the number of workers obtained from the sample of establishments serve to indicate only the relative importance of the occupational groups studied.

Percentiles

The percentiles presented in tables 6–1 through 6–5 are computed using earnings reported for individual workers in sampled establishment jobs and their scheduled hours of work. Establishments in the survey may report only indi-

vidual-worker earnings for each sampled job. For the calculation of percentile estimates, the individual-worker hourly earnings are appropriately weighted and then arrayed from lowest to highest.

The published 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution within each published occupation. At the 50th percentile, the median, half of the hours are paid the same as or more than the rate shown, and half are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth of the hours are paid the same as or less than the rate shown. At the 75th percentile, one-fourth are paid the same as or more than the rate shown. The 10th and 90th percentiles follow the same logic.

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. RSE data are provided alongside the earnings data in the bulletin tables.

The standard error can be used to calculate a “confidence interval” around a sample estimate. As an example, suppose a table shows that mean hourly earnings for all workers were \$12.79, with a relative standard error of 3.6 percent for this estimate. At the 90-percent level, the confidence interval for this estimate is from \$12.03 to \$13.55 (\$12.79 minus and plus \$0.76, where \$0.76 is the product of 1.645 times 3.6 percent times \$12.79). 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. Although they were not specifically measured, the nonsampling errors were expected to be minimal due to the extensive training of the field economists who gathered the survey data by personal visit, computer edits of the data, and detailed data review.

Appendix table 1. **Number of workers¹ represented by the survey, by occupational group,² National Compensation Survey, New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT-PA, March 2005**

Occupational group	Full-time and part-time workers		
	Total	Private industry	State and local government
All occupations	4,506,200	3,461,600	1,044,700
All excluding sales	4,225,600	3,182,800	1,042,900
White collar	2,665,900	2,002,900	663,000
White-collar excluding sales	2,385,200	1,724,000	661,200
Professional specialty and technical	1,130,000	758,900	371,200
Professional specialty	967,400	618,400	348,900
Technical	162,700	140,400	22,200
Executive, administrative, and managerial	474,300	374,400	100,000
Sales	280,600	278,800	—
Administrative support, including clerical	780,900	590,800	190,100
Blue collar	842,500	744,300	98,200
Precision production, craft, and repair	291,300	253,300	37,900
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	182,100	180,400	—
Transportation and material moving	191,400	159,300	32,100
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	177,700	151,300	26,400
Service	997,900	714,400	283,400

¹ The 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 to other statistical series to measure employment trends or levels. Both full-time and part-time workers were included in the survey.

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