

**National employment and wage data for the 10 largest occupations by industry from the Occupational Employment Statistics survey, May 2008**

Occupation	Employment	Percent of Industry Employment	Mean wages		Percentiles	
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<b>Logging (NAICS 113300)</b>						
Logging equipment operators.....	22,020	38.8	\$ 15.87	\$ 33,000	\$ 12.64	\$ 18.72
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	8,300	14.6	16.11	33,500	13.12	18.74
Fallers.....	6,050	10.7	16.30	33,900	11.46	18.69
Logging workers, all other.....	4,350	7.7	15.85	32,970	13.40	18.85
First-line supervisors/managers of farming, fishing, and forestry workers.....	2,670	4.7	24.71	51,390	18.04	30.64
Office clerks, general.....	1,340	2.4	10.80	22,460	7.53	12.95
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood.....	1,280	2.3	16.65	34,620	12.53	20.82
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,090	1.9	14.74	30,660	11.22	17.75
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	1,070	1.9	11.85	24,640	9.19	13.97
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	910	1.6	17.85	37,130	14.24	19.58
<b>Support activities for crop production (NAICS 115100)</b>						
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse.....	185,740	61.2	\$ 8.94	\$ 18,590	\$ 8.05	\$ 9.35
Agricultural equipment operators.....	14,930	4.9	11.14	23,170	8.51	12.82
Graders and sorters, agricultural products.....	12,640	4.2	8.86	18,430	7.56	9.41
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,150	3.0	9.60	19,960	7.71	10.27
First-line supervisors/managers of farming, fishing, and forestry workers.....	6,920	2.3	16.90	35,160	11.51	20.77
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	4,040	1.3	11.27	23,440	8.71	13.34
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	3,710	1.2	13.82	28,750	10.03	15.77
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders.....	3,650	1.2	9.21	19,150	8.00	9.50
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	2,890	1.0	14.56	30,290	10.69	17.79
Office clerks, general.....	2,840	0.9	11.00	22,870	8.20	13.38
<b>Support activities for animal production (NAICS 115200)</b>						
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	3,140	11.1	\$ 10.70	\$ 22,260	\$ 8.30	\$ 11.88
Animal trainers.....	2,060	7.3	16.73	34,790	11.55	18.88
Animal breeders.....	1,550	5.5	16.48	34,280	9.68	20.45
First-line supervisors/managers of farming, fishing, and forestry workers.....	1,310	4.7	18.66	38,820	12.95	23.30
Agricultural and food science technicians.....	740	2.6	15.04	31,280	10.92	17.87
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	600	2.1	11.29	23,490	8.58	13.42
Office clerks, general.....	570	2.0	11.97	24,890	8.03	14.28
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	440	1.6	14.68	30,530	10.55	18.25
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	370	1.3	13.35	27,760	9.52	15.33
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	360	1.3	29.89	62,170	19.78	35.18
<b>Oil and gas extraction (NAICS 211100)</b>						
Roustabouts, oil and gas.....	11,160	7.4	\$ 17.30	\$ 35,980	\$ 12.04	\$ 22.33
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers.....	9,100	6.1	26.22	54,530	21.74	30.65
Petroleum engineers.....	8,130	5.4	61.31	127,520	43.73	74.75
Wellhead pumpers.....	8,100	5.4	20.05	41,700	14.29	24.34
Accountants and auditors.....	7,310	4.9	32.39	67,380	23.43	38.47
General and operations managers.....	6,260	4.2	61.04	126,960	34.17	(2)
Geoscientists, except hydrologists and geographers.....	5,810	3.9	62.80	130,620	43.15	77.62
Geological and petroleum technicians.....	4,900	3.3	31.07	64,630	22.79	37.61
Office clerks, general.....	4,530	3.0	15.06	31,320	9.25	18.70
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	4,390	2.9	16.86	35,070	12.86	20.32
<b>Coal mining (NAICS 212100)</b>						
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	8,790	11.2	\$ 20.07	\$ 41,740	\$ 15.67	\$ 23.37
Continuous mining machine operators.....	5,990	7.6	22.44	46,670	19.18	25.56
Roof bolters, mining.....	4,560	5.8	21.86	45,470	19.55	23.87
Mine cutting and channeling machine operators.....	4,230	5.4	20.74	43,130	17.56	23.65
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	4,200	5.4	34.89	72,560	26.01	42.31
Excavating and loading machine and dragline operators.....	3,510	4.5	20.12	41,860	16.59	23.70
Electricians.....	3,310	4.2	24.71	51,390	20.48	28.84
Helpers--extraction workers.....	3,160	4.0	19.23	40,010	16.71	22.64
Shuttle car operators.....	2,790	3.6	20.49	42,610	18.02	22.99
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	2,680	3.4	21.82	45,380	18.98	24.54
<b>Metal ore mining (NAICS 212200)</b>						
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	4,360	11.5	\$ 21.16	\$ 44,010	\$ 18.77	\$ 23.62
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	3,290	8.6	23.77	49,440	21.07	26.91
Continuous mining machine operators.....	2,010	5.3	23.64	49,170	20.09	27.88
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	1,960	5.1	22.27	46,320	19.89	24.84
Mine cutting and channeling machine operators.....	1,740	4.6	21.94	45,630	18.88	24.92
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	1,490	3.9	23.48	48,840	20.86	25.71
Electricians.....	1,420	3.7	24.65	51,270	21.66	27.95
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	1,110	2.9	32.78	68,180	27.28	38.41
Mining machine operators, all other.....	1,010	2.7	21.29	44,290	18.10	24.10
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	960	2.5	19.20	39,940	16.34	22.24

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<b>Nonmetallic mineral mining and quarrying (NAICS 212300)</b>						
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	11,150	10.3	\$ 18.86	\$ 39,220	\$ 13.90	\$ 22.88
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	10,550	9.8	16.88	35,120	13.38	19.63
Excavating and loading machine and dragline operators.....	8,140	7.5	16.45	34,210	13.04	19.08
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	4,070	3.8	12.55	26,100	9.49	14.80
Crushing, grinding, and polishing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	4,030	3.7	16.54	34,410	12.91	19.60
Rock splitters, quarry.....	3,380	3.1	14.24	29,610	10.98	16.20
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	3,200	3.0	27.88	58,000	20.17	34.39
Construction laborers.....	3,150	2.9	15.05	31,310	11.29	17.89
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,960	2.7	19.20	39,930	14.43	23.88
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	2,530	2.3	19.35	40,240	15.43	22.97
<b>Support activities for mining (NAICS 213100)</b>						
Roustabouts, oil and gas.....	45,610	14.6	\$ 15.42	\$ 32,080	\$ 11.77	\$ 18.59
Service unit operators, oil, gas, and mining.....	31,010	10.0	19.36	40,280	14.21	22.39
Rotary drill operators, oil and gas.....	23,450	7.5	26.28	54,660	18.60	29.92
Derrick operators, oil and gas.....	21,490	6.9	20.24	42,090	15.88	24.01
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	15,450	5.0	32.28	67,150	22.31	40.62
Helpers--extraction workers.....	13,750	4.4	16.97	35,300	12.78	20.07
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	11,870	3.8	17.09	35,540	13.44	19.99
Wellhead pumpers.....	8,600	2.8	17.94	37,310	14.63	20.95
General and operations managers.....	7,970	2.6	53.63	111,550	32.57	65.91
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	6,690	2.1	19.19	39,920	14.14	23.10
<b>Power generation and supply (NAICS 221100)</b>						
Electrical power-line installers and repairers.....	51,680	12.9	\$ 27.67	\$ 57,560	\$ 23.30	\$ 32.27
Power plant operators.....	24,250	6.0	28.46	59,210	24.28	32.80
Customer service representatives.....	19,110	4.8	17.51	36,410	13.39	20.82
Electrical and electronics repairers, powerhouse, substation, and relay.....	17,490	4.4	29.48	61,330	26.15	34.00
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	13,020	3.2	34.45	71,650	28.66	40.51
Electrical engineers.....	12,220	3.0	40.60	84,450	32.53	47.76
Meter readers, utilities.....	11,220	2.8	18.58	38,640	14.16	23.06
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door.....	8,640	2.2	27.36	56,900	23.33	31.62
Electricians.....	7,760	1.9	27.56	57,320	21.88	33.24
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	7,440	1.9	36.27	75,430	27.93	45.29
<b>Natural gas distribution (NAICS 221200)</b>						
Customer service representatives.....	8,920	8.3	\$ 21.44	\$ 44,600	\$ 14.90	\$ 28.03
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door.....	8,240	7.7	25.48	52,990	20.44	30.61
Meter readers, utilities.....	5,880	5.5	18.88	39,260	14.12	23.46
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters.....	5,570	5.2	25.72	53,500	20.93	30.70
Gas plant operators.....	5,030	4.7	27.28	56,740	22.32	31.80
Business operations specialists, all other.....	2,390	2.2	36.87	76,690	29.83	43.57
Electrical power-line installers and repairers.....	2,390	2.2	37.29	77,560	29.50	46.25
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,250	2.1	22.52	46,850	16.97	27.95
Office clerks, general.....	1,970	1.8	17.70	36,810	11.60	23.38
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	1,970	1.8	33.36	69,390	27.60	39.32
<b>Water, sewage and other systems (NAICS 221300)</b>						
Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators.....	11,770	24.4	\$ 18.95	\$ 39,410	\$ 13.90	\$ 23.41
Meter readers, utilities.....	2,920	6.1	14.96	31,130	10.47	18.34
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	2,140	4.4	11.76	24,470	8.03	14.65
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,910	4.0	27.17	56,520	20.24	33.47
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,880	3.9	14.69	30,560	9.85	17.96
Office clerks, general.....	1,820	3.8	11.83	24,600	8.00	14.46
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door.....	1,760	3.7	19.73	41,040	13.86	26.09
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,550	3.2	17.03	35,420	11.79	21.75
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters.....	1,400	2.9	19.00	39,520	13.28	23.29
Customer service representatives.....	1,320	2.7	17.76	36,930	12.75	22.77
<b>Residential building construction (NAICS 236100)</b>						
Carpenters.....	265,840	30.5	\$ 19.71	\$ 41,010	\$ 14.33	\$ 23.98
Construction laborers.....	116,070	13.3	14.98	31,150	11.08	17.19
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	76,410	8.8	28.27	58,810	20.84	34.53
Construction managers.....	41,370	4.7	40.45	84,130	26.73	49.70
Helpers--carpenters.....	32,400	3.7	12.47	25,940	10.00	14.71
Office clerks, general.....	29,600	3.4	12.73	26,490	8.87	15.12
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	28,510	3.3	13.26	27,580	10.06	15.92
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	24,570	2.8	16.92	35,200	13.08	20.36
Cost estimators.....	16,840	1.9	28.42	59,110	19.66	35.07
General and operations managers.....	15,780	1.8	55.77	116,000	30.47	75.82

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<b>Nonresidential building construction (NAICS 236200)</b>						
Carpenters.....	162,770	19.4	\$ 22.95	\$ 47,730	\$ 16.11	\$ 29.09
Construction laborers.....	131,230	15.6	17.17	35,710	11.71	21.49
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	89,280	10.6	31.23	64,960	23.14	38.00
Construction managers.....	53,480	6.4	42.57	88,550	29.53	51.12
Cost estimators.....	21,960	2.6	33.12	68,900	23.39	40.83
Civil engineers.....	19,590	2.3	37.80	78,630	27.39	45.98
Cement masons and concrete finishers.....	19,400	2.3	19.88	41,340	13.96	24.76
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	17,060	2.0	23.60	49,090	16.30	29.13
General and operations managers.....	16,840	2.0	56.69	117,920	35.00	72.66
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters.....	16,800	2.0	23.76	49,410	18.44	28.37
<b>Utility system construction (NAICS 237100)</b>						
Construction laborers.....	88,890	19.3	\$ 16.02	\$ 33,330	\$ 11.01	\$ 19.29
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	49,580	10.8	22.24	46,270	15.38	28.07
Electrical power-line installers and repairers.....	31,400	6.8	23.28	48,430	16.46	29.41
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	30,610	6.7	28.77	59,840	21.41	34.71
Pipelayers.....	23,950	5.2	16.94	35,240	12.44	19.97
Telecommunications line installers and repairers.....	16,700	3.6	17.52	36,430	12.98	21.17
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters.....	16,100	3.5	22.13	46,020	15.36	27.55
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	10,640	2.3	18.80	39,100	14.35	22.16
Construction managers.....	9,110	2.0	42.52	88,440	29.60	49.73
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	8,740	1.9	22.37	46,530	15.57	27.82
<b>Land subdivision (NAICS 237200)</b>						
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	4,990	6.0	\$ 21.93	\$ 45,610	\$ 16.57	\$ 25.97
Construction laborers.....	4,860	5.8	15.44	32,120	11.18	17.90
Property, real estate, and community association managers.....	4,390	5.2	41.44	86,190	23.32	51.50
Real estate sales agents.....	4,370	5.2	29.15	60,640	14.39	36.74
Construction managers.....	4,170	5.0	50.11	104,220	33.01	60.45
Office clerks, general.....	4,070	4.9	12.89	26,800	8.80	15.41
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	3,900	4.7	14.20	29,530	11.06	17.26
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	3,520	4.2	32.90	68,430	24.65	39.77
Accountants and auditors.....	3,500	4.2	33.09	68,830	24.22	39.53
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	3,340	4.0	17.90	37,230	14.29	21.32
<b>Highway, street, and bridge construction (NAICS 237300)</b>						
Construction laborers.....	88,280	25.2	\$ 17.58	\$ 36,570	\$ 11.36	\$ 23.28
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	50,170	14.3	23.00	47,840	15.65	29.39
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	28,410	8.1	17.73	36,880	13.07	20.95
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	26,950	7.7	29.30	60,940	22.02	35.22
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators.....	18,910	5.4	18.36	38,200	13.11	22.23
Carpenters.....	14,210	4.1	22.83	47,480	14.83	30.42
Cement masons and concrete finishers.....	13,560	3.9	19.98	41,560	13.39	26.50
Construction managers.....	8,130	2.3	44.29	92,130	31.26	51.92
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	6,290	1.8	20.54	42,720	15.81	24.45
Cost estimators.....	5,400	1.5	31.94	66,450	22.91	39.35
<b>Other heavy construction (NAICS 237900)</b>						
Construction laborers.....	22,410	19.9	\$ 15.82	\$ 32,910	\$ 10.73	\$ 18.80
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	16,990	15.1	21.00	43,690	14.46	25.31
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	7,430	6.6	29.77	61,920	21.50	36.99
Carpenters.....	6,510	5.8	19.65	40,880	13.37	24.43
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	2,960	2.6	17.07	35,500	13.12	19.57
Construction managers.....	2,750	2.4	47.90	99,640	31.69	59.23
Office clerks, general.....	2,210	2.0	11.89	24,730	8.25	14.49
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	2,160	1.9	23.03	47,900	17.17	28.54
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	1,980	1.8	18.68	38,850	13.62	21.73
General and operations managers.....	1,750	1.6	57.07	118,710	34.10	74.74
<b>Building foundation and exterior contractors (NAICS 238100)</b>						
Carpenters.....	136,390	13.1	\$ 19.60	\$ 40,760	\$ 13.81	\$ 23.89
Construction laborers.....	123,080	11.9	15.17	31,560	10.69	17.61
Roofers.....	108,640	10.5	18.02	37,480	13.00	22.07
Cement masons and concrete finishers.....	96,580	9.3	18.46	38,400	13.42	22.07
Brickmasons and blockmasons.....	83,720	8.1	22.67	47,160	16.74	27.80
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	59,200	5.7	27.98	58,190	20.47	33.54
Helpers-brickmasons, blockmasons, stonemasons, and tile and marble setters.....	38,210	3.7	14.44	30,040	11.00	16.14
Glaziers.....	34,220	3.3	19.50	40,560	13.81	23.68
Structural iron and steel workers.....	32,310	3.1	23.71	49,330	15.59	30.91
Reinforcing iron and rebar workers.....	19,510	1.9	21.69	45,120	14.45	28.18

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<b>Building equipment contractors (NAICS 238200)</b>						
Electricians .....	462,570	22.6	\$ 23.78	\$ 49,460	\$ 16.55	\$ 29.75
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	318,110	15.6	23.88	49,660	16.59	30.09
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers .....	177,820	8.7	19.64	40,850	14.37	23.88
Helpers--electricians.....	96,440	4.7	13.04	27,130	10.53	15.02
Sheet metal workers.....	82,640	4.0	22.36	46,520	14.91	29.20
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	80,590	3.9	32.02	66,610	23.48	39.17
Helpers--pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	63,030	3.1	13.02	27,070	10.58	15.05
Office clerks, general.....	48,820	2.4	12.85	26,730	9.06	15.36
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	46,240	2.3	13.41	27,890	10.43	15.75
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	43,400	2.1	16.84	35,020	13.10	20.05
<b>Building finishing contractors (NAICS 238300)</b>						
Painters, construction and maintenance.....	174,490	18.3	\$ 17.08	\$ 35,520	\$ 13.03	\$ 19.65
Carpenters.....	132,090	13.8	21.72	45,170	14.73	27.51
Drywall and ceiling tile installers.....	111,430	11.7	19.73	41,040	14.28	23.84
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	44,010	4.6	27.79	57,790	20.11	33.28
Tile and marble setters.....	38,760	4.1	20.37	42,360	13.87	25.56
Construction laborers.....	37,930	4.0	14.87	30,940	10.56	16.94
Plasterers and stucco masons.....	28,960	3.0	19.72	41,020	14.85	23.43
Tapers.....	28,780	3.0	21.90	45,550	15.40	27.89
Insulation workers, floor, ceiling, and wall.....	20,810	2.2	16.23	33,750	11.82	19.17
Carpet installers.....	20,410	2.1	20.44	42,520	12.91	26.65
<b>Other specialty trade contractors (NAICS 238900)</b>						
Construction laborers.....	153,650	21.9	\$ 15.30	\$ 31,820	\$ 11.00	\$ 17.89
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	106,740	15.2	21.09	43,880	14.66	25.86
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	45,890	6.5	17.51	36,420	13.42	20.04
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	39,450	5.6	27.28	56,740	19.66	32.68
Cement masons and concrete finishers.....	38,860	5.5	18.73	38,960	13.73	22.47
Fence erectors.....	21,000	3.0	14.48	30,110	10.86	16.65
Excavating and loading machine and dragline operators.....	19,530	2.8	18.71	38,920	13.74	21.93
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators.....	19,030	2.7	17.51	36,420	12.96	20.79
Office clerks, general.....	16,330	2.3	12.23	25,440	8.61	14.57
Carpenters.....	14,860	2.1	20.57	42,790	13.98	25.70
<b>Animal food manufacturing (NAICS 311100)</b>						
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	4,970	9.8	\$ 13.35	\$ 27,770	\$ 10.12	\$ 16.24
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	3,390	6.7	16.31	33,920	13.02	19.09
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	3,250	6.4	13.26	27,590	9.51	16.57
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	2,690	5.3	14.87	30,920	11.10	18.59
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	2,600	5.1	11.74	24,430	8.55	13.83
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,910	3.8	23.87	49,640	17.74	28.66
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	1,830	3.6	26.77	55,680	17.17	33.14
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,770	3.5	16.98	35,320	13.18	20.21
Food batchmakers.....	1,550	3.0	13.15	27,340	9.81	15.73
Production workers, all other.....	1,270	2.5	13.26	27,580	9.70	16.51
<b>Grain and oilseed milling (NAICS 311200)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	7,140	11.9	\$ 16.34	\$ 33,980	\$ 11.74	\$ 20.66
Crushing, grinding, and polishing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	2,930	4.9	15.84	32,950	12.78	18.57
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	2,740	4.6	17.36	36,120	12.55	21.61
Food batchmakers.....	2,390	4.0	16.85	35,050	11.65	21.70
Production workers, all other.....	2,380	4.0	16.95	35,260	13.78	19.71
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,370	4.0	27.27	56,710	19.95	30.88
Separating, filtering, clarifying, precipitating, and still machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	2,040	3.4	16.77	34,880	13.78	19.77
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,010	3.4	19.89	41,380	16.31	24.12
Helpers--production workers.....	1,870	3.1	12.14	25,260	9.35	14.36
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	1,850	3.1	15.98	33,250	12.72	18.68
<b>Sugar and confectionery product manufacturing (NAICS 311300)</b>						
Food batchmakers.....	9,720	13.3	\$ 12.16	\$ 25,290	\$ 8.97	\$ 14.74
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	6,250	8.5	13.33	27,730	9.49	16.58
Packers and packagers, hand.....	5,710	7.8	10.12	21,060	8.17	11.57
Retail salespersons.....	3,410	4.7	10.05	20,910	7.80	10.92
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,650	3.6	19.69	40,960	15.79	23.91
Helpers--production workers.....	2,570	3.5	11.51	23,950	8.76	13.79
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	2,250	3.1	17.15	35,660	12.24	19.42
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,190	3.0	24.04	50,000	18.75	28.99
Team assemblers.....	2,180	3.0	13.27	27,590	8.54	17.55
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	2,150	2.9	13.22	27,500	10.25	15.56

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<b>Fruit and vegetable preserving and specialty (NAICS 311400)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	21,690	12.8	\$ 12.57	\$ 26,140	\$ 9.61	\$ 15.03
Food batchmakers.....	12,030	7.1	12.72	26,460	9.02	15.76
Helpers--production workers.....	10,650	6.3	11.18	23,260	8.53	13.40
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	10,480	6.2	14.58	30,330	11.84	17.14
Food cooking machine operators and tenders.....	8,720	5.1	12.32	25,620	10.24	14.48
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	7,270	4.3	11.23	23,350	9.09	12.69
Team assemblers.....	6,330	3.7	13.68	28,460	10.36	15.99
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	6,300	3.7	19.67	40,910	16.59	22.68
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	5,260	3.1	18.45	38,380	14.70	22.16
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,850	2.9	23.39	48,660	17.56	28.54
<b>Dairy product manufacturing (NAICS 311500)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	13,670	10.8	\$ 14.77	\$ 30,730	\$ 11.62	\$ 17.91
Food batchmakers.....	11,900	9.4	15.28	31,790	11.30	18.86
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	7,030	5.5	14.29	29,720	10.79	17.77
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	5,510	4.3	19.48	40,530	15.90	22.98
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	4,110	3.2	15.58	32,410	12.56	18.65
Driver/sales workers.....	4,070	3.2	16.71	34,750	12.15	20.66
Separating, filtering, clarifying, precipitating, and still machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	4,000	3.2	17.13	35,630	13.85	19.87
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,960	3.1	25.52	53,070	19.16	30.15
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,700	2.9	19.54	40,650	16.15	23.17
Packers and packagers, hand.....	3,360	2.6	11.85	24,650	9.06	14.37
<b>Animal slaughtering and processing (NAICS 311600)</b>						
Meat, poultry, and fish cutters and trimmers.....	115,620	22.6	\$ 10.72	\$ 22,300	\$ 9.14	\$ 12.01
Slaughterers and meat packers .....	91,780	17.9	11.16	23,220	9.49	12.70
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	25,330	5.0	10.63	22,100	8.94	11.94
Helpers--production workers.....	21,030	4.1	10.99	22,860	9.22	11.98
Packers and packagers, hand.....	18,680	3.7	10.37	21,560	8.60	11.81
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	16,520	3.2	11.87	24,700	9.98	13.43
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	15,160	3.0	22.56	46,930	17.27	26.16
Butchers and meat cutters.....	13,710	2.7	12.28	25,530	9.90	14.24
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	12,030	2.4	15.75	32,770	12.79	18.38
Production workers, all other.....	10,810	2.1	12.05	25,050	9.93	13.90
<b>Seafood product preparation and packaging (NAICS 311700)</b>						
Meat, poultry, and fish cutters and trimmers.....	10,190	29.1	\$ 9.41	\$ 19,570	\$ 7.83	\$ 10.57
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	2,190	6.3	11.56	24,050	8.39	13.86
Packers and packagers, hand .....	2,010	5.7	9.56	19,880	7.78	10.77
Helpers--production workers.....	1,390	4.0	10.64	22,130	7.66	12.48
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,310	3.7	10.30	21,410	7.80	12.22
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,200	3.4	21.58	44,890	14.80	26.14
Graders and sorters, agricultural products.....	910	2.6	9.81	20,390	8.54	10.82
Team assemblers.....	850	2.4	11.02	22,920	8.66	13.11
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	820	2.3	16.96	35,270	12.47	20.64
Food batchmakers.....	750	2.1	10.86	22,590	8.35	13.03
<b>Bakeries and tortilla manufacturing (NAICS 311800)</b>						
Bakers.....	48,600	17.1	\$ 12.38	\$ 25,750	\$ 9.13	\$ 14.67
Food batchmakers.....	21,230	7.5	11.92	24,800	8.68	14.49
Packers and packagers, hand .....	17,020	6.0	10.86	22,590	8.46	12.45
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	14,610	5.1	12.65	26,300	9.35	15.14
Helpers--production workers.....	11,600	4.1	11.36	23,630	8.51	13.88
Cashiers.....	10,140	3.6	8.76	18,210	7.58	9.49
Retail salespersons.....	9,920	3.5	9.74	20,250	7.89	10.64
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	9,260	3.3	22.60	47,000	16.75	27.68
Team assemblers.....	7,510	2.6	12.20	25,380	9.06	14.85
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop .....	7,430	2.6	9.15	19,030	7.79	10.08
<b>Other food manufacturing (NAICS 311900)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	18,500	11.1	\$ 13.19	\$ 27,430	\$ 9.60	\$ 16.18
Food batchmakers.....	12,340	7.4	13.24	27,550	9.48	16.42
Packers and packagers, hand .....	11,090	6.6	12.15	25,280	8.88	15.13
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	6,490	3.9	15.01	31,220	12.03	17.98
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	5,660	3.4	13.21	27,470	9.56	16.65
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,310	3.2	24.64	51,260	18.12	29.70
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	4,780	2.9	19.96	41,510	16.22	24.17
Helpers--production workers.....	4,410	2.6	10.66	22,160	8.54	12.11
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	4,200	2.5	35.96	74,810	21.02	48.17
Food cooking machine operators and tenders.....	4,040	2.4	13.43	27,940	9.81	16.58

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<b>Beverage manufacturing (NAICS 312100)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	20,300	11.5	\$ 14.77	\$ 30,720	\$ 10.60	\$ 18.07
Separating, filtering, clarifying, precipitating, and still machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	10,800	6.1	19.98	41,560	14.38	24.82
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	10,620	6.0	26.18	54,450	16.76	32.16
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	8,410	4.8	12.79	26,590	9.47	15.37
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	8,080	4.6	15.39	32,010	12.14	18.19
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer .....	6,450	3.7	19.06	39,640	15.27	22.79
Retail salespersons .....	6,260	3.5	11.14	23,170	9.17	12.13
Truck drivers, light or delivery services .....	6,130	3.5	15.62	32,490	11.70	18.74
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	4,590	2.6	20.87	43,410	16.46	25.46
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse .....	4,560	2.6	10.93	22,740	8.35	12.94
<b>Tobacco manufacturing (NAICS 312200)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	2,200	10.5	\$ 21.74	\$ 45,220	\$ 13.12	\$ 29.35
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	1,160	5.5	19.72	41,020	15.40	23.81
Industrial machinery mechanics .....	1,130	5.4	24.66	51,300	19.97	31.62
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	890	4.2	24.83	51,640	18.26	31.59
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	740	3.5	15.60	32,440	9.26	22.35
Food and tobacco roasting, baking, and drying machine operators and tenders .....	690	3.3	21.86	45,460	20.33	24.03
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	640	3.0	17.91	37,250	13.61	22.45
Helpers--production workers .....	580	2.8	15.18	31,580	12.74	18.01
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	540	2.6	11.64	24,210	8.35	14.21
Maintenance workers, machinery .....	530	2.5	29.07	60,470	21.36	37.53
<b>Fiber, yarn, and thread mills (NAICS 313100)</b>						
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	17,600	44.8	\$ 11.18	\$ 23,250	\$ 10.01	\$ 12.39
Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	2,160	5.5	12.39	25,760	10.72	14.25
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	1,810	4.6	15.29	31,800	13.32	17.35
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	1,390	3.5	21.52	44,760	17.27	24.88
Industrial machinery mechanics .....	1,360	3.5	14.81	30,800	13.18	15.77
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,190	3.0	10.91	22,690	9.10	12.63
Maintenance workers, machinery .....	990	2.5	14.15	29,430	12.93	15.39
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	940	2.4	12.71	26,440	10.85	14.54
Helpers--production workers .....	930	2.4	10.41	21,650	8.80	11.90
Extruding and forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, synthetic and glass fibers .....	890	2.3	13.74	28,580	12.74	15.25
<b>Fabric mills (NAICS 313200)</b>						
Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	14,530	21.0	\$ 12.55	\$ 26,100	\$ 10.49	\$ 14.52
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	5,690	8.2	12.00	24,950	10.27	13.77
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	3,310	4.8	22.01	45,790	16.77	26.01
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	3,060	4.4	11.98	24,920	10.15	13.53
Helpers--production workers .....	2,280	3.3	10.97	22,830	9.41	12.13
Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders .....	2,250	3.3	12.39	25,760	10.62	14.25
Sewing machine operators .....	2,240	3.2	10.75	22,360	8.45	12.12
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	2,110	3.1	17.55	36,500	14.44	20.13
Extruding and forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, synthetic and glass fibers .....	2,040	3.0	15.73	32,720	12.64	19.09
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,880	2.7	11.30	23,510	9.07	13.14
<b>Textile and fabric finishing mills (NAICS 313300)</b>						
Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders .....	9,470	19.5	\$ 11.42	\$ 23,740	\$ 9.10	\$ 13.21
Printing machine operators .....	2,830	5.8	13.30	27,660	9.70	15.42
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	2,400	4.9	22.69	47,190	16.42	27.25
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	2,270	4.7	12.66	26,340	10.28	14.50
Packers and packagers, hand .....	1,660	3.4	9.60	19,960	7.89	10.73
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	1,590	3.3	13.83	28,760	11.09	16.34
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	1,570	3.2	11.21	23,320	10.24	12.12
Helpers--production workers .....	1,240	2.5	10.80	22,460	8.97	11.98
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	1,160	2.4	38.90	80,900	24.29	47.58
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,080	2.2	11.02	22,920	9.07	12.44
<b>Textile furnishings mills (NAICS 314100)</b>						
Sewing machine operators .....	15,890	20.0	\$ 10.80	\$ 22,470	\$ 8.64	\$ 12.44
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	6,680	8.4	12.89	26,820	10.79	15.08
Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	5,760	7.2	13.36	27,790	11.23	15.35
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	3,240	4.1	22.09	45,950	16.14	26.01
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	2,850	3.6	11.80	24,550	9.24	14.13
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	2,720	3.4	12.77	26,560	10.71	14.62
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	2,710	3.4	12.95	26,940	11.44	14.61
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	2,450	3.1	11.13	23,160	9.06	13.02
Helpers--production workers .....	2,390	3.0	11.20	23,300	8.90	13.46
Team assemblers .....	2,010	2.5	11.89	24,730	9.77	14.04

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<b>Other textile product mills (NAICS 314900)</b>						
Sewing machine operators.....	23,310	31.0	\$ 10.40	\$ 21,630	\$ 8.27	\$ 11.97
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,470	4.6	20.62	42,890	14.87	24.70
Team assemblers.....	3,350	4.5	12.46	25,920	9.29	15.65
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	2,420	3.2	25.56	53,160	16.29	30.63
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	2,090	2.8	11.13	23,140	8.77	13.12
Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	1,830	2.4	11.68	24,300	9.62	13.73
Packers and packagers, hand.....	1,750	2.3	9.44	19,630	7.79	10.66
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,570	2.1	11.16	23,210	8.53	13.15
Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers.....	1,510	2.0	12.05	25,060	9.44	13.97
Textile, apparel, and furnishings workers, all other.....	1,430	1.9	13.42	27,910	8.62	16.83
<b>Apparel knitting mills (NAICS 315100)</b>						
Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	5,390	20.0	\$ 10.79	\$ 22,440	\$ 8.97	\$ 12.27
Sewing machine operators.....	3,930	14.6	9.42	19,590	8.11	10.66
Packers and packagers, hand.....	1,470	5.5	9.44	19,640	8.00	10.64
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials.....	1,320	4.9	10.04	20,880	8.68	11.44
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	1,310	4.9	11.13	23,150	8.54	12.42
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	1,260	4.7	15.70	32,660	13.21	17.86
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,150	4.3	9.70	20,180	8.23	11.12
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	960	3.6	20.88	43,430	15.12	24.24
Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders.....	720	2.7	10.57	21,990	8.76	12.01
Textile, apparel, and furnishings workers, all other.....	680	2.5	10.40	21,640	8.31	11.65
<b>Cut and sew apparel manufacturing (NAICS 315200)</b>						
Sewing machine operators.....	75,660	47.0	\$ 9.70	\$ 20,170	\$ 8.00	\$ 10.78
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,690	3.5	19.65	40,860	13.65	23.89
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	5,180	3.2	10.29	21,410	8.00	11.81
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	4,550	2.8	11.01	22,900	8.22	12.66
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials.....	3,760	2.3	10.09	20,990	8.19	11.61
Cutters and trimmers, hand.....	3,710	2.3	10.57	21,990	8.64	12.18
Fabric and apparel patternmakers.....	3,440	2.1	23.14	48,130	14.97	30.71
Packers and packagers, hand.....	3,390	2.1	9.34	19,420	7.97	10.09
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	3,280	2.0	12.09	25,150	9.15	14.05
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,190	2.0	10.35	21,530	8.66	11.48
<b>Accessories and other apparel manufacturing (NAICS 315900)</b>						
Sewing machine operators.....	6,360	38.6	\$ 9.93	\$ 20,650	\$ 8.15	\$ 11.10
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	620	3.8	21.07	43,820	14.54	24.13
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	590	3.6	11.62	24,160	8.64	13.47
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	570	3.5	34.02	70,770	21.74	37.40
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials.....	480	2.9	10.01	20,830	8.34	11.24
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	470	2.9	12.32	25,620	9.74	14.43
Packers and packagers, hand.....	420	2.5	10.22	21,260	8.26	12.01
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	360	2.2	11.17	23,220	8.78	12.59
Team assemblers.....	320	1.9	10.35	21,530	7.87	11.94
Helpers--production workers.....	320	1.9	10.01	20,830	8.29	11.25
<b>Leather and hide tanning and finishing (NAICS 316100)</b>						
Shoe and leather workers and repairers.....	540	12.9	\$ 10.85	\$ 22,570	\$ 8.56	\$ 13.08
Production workers, all other.....	410	9.8	11.82	24,580	9.82	13.77
Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders.....	370	8.9	14.37	29,890	12.89	15.59
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	200	4.8	22.25	46,280	17.15	26.66
Textile, apparel, and furnishings workers, all other.....	170	4.1	12.69	26,400	8.87	14.54
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	170	4.1	13.20	27,460	10.40	14.86
Painting, coating, and decorating workers.....	160	3.8	11.58	24,090	8.71	13.59
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	150	3.6	11.75	24,430	9.42	13.97
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	150	3.6	11.69	24,320	8.92	14.40
Cutters and trimmers, hand.....	110	2.6	11.72	24,380	9.50	13.78
<b>Footwear manufacturing (NAICS 316200)</b>						
Shoe machine operators and tenders.....	4,750	29.2	\$ 12.27	\$ 25,530	\$ 9.54	\$ 14.63
Sewing machine operators.....	2,100	12.9	10.79	22,450	8.72	13.00
Shoe and leather workers and repairers.....	1,770	10.9	11.49	23,900	8.69	13.61
Team assemblers.....	1,000	6.1	12.39	25,780	10.47	14.31
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	460	2.8	22.02	45,800	17.19	26.89
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	380	2.3	13.57	28,220	9.93	15.56
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	300	1.8	13.36	27,780	10.56	15.30
Production workers, all other.....	280	1.7	10.80	22,460	9.13	11.95
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	250	1.5	12.07	25,110	10.03	14.08
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	250	1.5	11.89	24,730	10.13	13.81

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<b>Other leather product manufacturing (NAICS 316900)</b>						
Sewing machine operators.....	2,210	16.8	\$ 10.00	\$ 20,810	\$ 7.90	\$ 11.52
Shoe and leather workers and repairers.....	1,790	13.6	11.67	24,280	9.38	13.51
Team assemblers.....	1,720	13.1	12.09	25,140	8.75	14.75
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	540	4.1	21.18	44,060	15.55	25.76
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	370	2.8	22.98	47,800	16.48	25.86
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	360	2.7	11.79	24,520	9.28	13.58
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	350	2.7	9.42	19,590	7.55	10.92
Packers and packagers, hand.....	310	2.4	10.36	21,550	8.56	11.41
Helpers--production workers.....	290	2.2	9.51	19,790	7.91	10.92
Customer service representatives.....	280	2.1	14.76	30,700	11.89	17.67
<b>Sawmills and wood preservation (NAICS 321100)</b>						
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood.....	16,010	15.2	\$ 13.40	\$ 27,870	\$ 10.11	\$ 15.74
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	13,510	12.8	10.79	22,440	8.45	12.46
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	7,740	7.4	13.51	28,100	10.74	15.71
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing.....	6,100	5.8	13.06	27,160	10.15	15.53
Helpers--production workers.....	5,300	5.0	10.46	21,750	8.29	12.08
Machine feeders and offbearers.....	5,150	4.9	12.04	25,030	9.18	14.53
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,290	3.1	24.97	51,940	18.60	29.97
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	3,170	3.0	16.15	33,580	12.97	18.81
Logging equipment operators.....	2,610	2.5	14.66	30,480	11.06	17.14
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,300	2.2	16.24	33,780	12.73	19.25
<b>Plywood and engineered wood product mfg. (NAICS 321200)</b>						
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing.....	10,730	10.9	\$ 12.88	\$ 26,790	\$ 10.22	\$ 15.18
Team assemblers.....	10,120	10.3	12.37	25,730	9.72	14.59
Machine feeders and offbearers.....	6,060	6.1	12.66	26,340	10.15	14.88
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood.....	5,850	5.9	12.99	27,020	10.42	15.19
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	5,020	5.1	14.22	29,580	11.93	15.96
Helpers--production workers.....	4,220	4.3	11.47	23,860	8.86	13.98
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,070	4.1	22.93	47,700	17.01	28.18
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,610	3.7	12.41	25,800	10.03	14.51
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	3,180	3.2	12.09	25,150	9.90	14.16
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	2,240	2.3	16.43	34,170	13.50	18.98
<b>Other wood product manufacturing (NAICS 321900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	37,450	13.4	\$ 12.42	\$ 25,840	\$ 9.67	\$ 14.63
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing.....	35,810	12.8	11.84	24,640	9.12	14.09
Carpenters.....	18,130	6.5	15.51	32,260	11.56	17.91
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood.....	14,720	5.2	11.83	24,610	9.22	14.01
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	13,760	4.9	10.82	22,510	8.63	12.31
Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters.....	13,110	4.7	14.69	30,550	11.08	17.39
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	10,330	3.7	22.37	46,540	16.67	26.61
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	9,010	3.2	13.17	27,390	10.69	15.02
Helpers--production workers.....	8,150	2.9	10.46	21,770	8.44	11.96
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	7,170	2.6	28.13	58,500	18.09	34.76
<b>Pulp, paper, and paperboard mills (NAICS 322100)</b>						
Paper goods machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	21,550	16.9	\$ 19.75	\$ 41,090	\$ 15.74	\$ 23.78
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	6,230	4.9	25.72	53,500	20.97	30.41
Helpers--production workers.....	5,760	4.5	16.34	33,990	12.57	19.47
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,150	4.0	31.97	66,510	24.12	39.33
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	5,090	4.0	23.39	48,660	18.56	28.72
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	4,530	3.6	18.33	38,120	14.81	22.06
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	3,800	3.0	18.71	38,910	14.79	22.44
Production workers, all other.....	3,580	2.8	17.39	36,170	11.59	22.01
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,380	2.7	15.34	31,910	11.78	18.68
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	3,030	2.4	20.35	42,330	17.03	23.70
<b>Converted paper product manufacturing (NAICS 322200)</b>						
Paper goods machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	64,080	20.0	\$ 15.54	\$ 32,320	\$ 12.36	\$ 18.47
Helpers--production workers.....	16,690	5.2	12.35	25,680	9.67	14.74
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	14,830	4.6	15.20	31,610	12.81	17.70
Printing machine operators.....	14,270	4.4	17.74	36,900	13.92	21.06
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	12,710	4.0	27.05	56,270	20.84	31.63
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	11,910	3.7	15.71	32,670	12.25	18.68
Team assemblers.....	10,350	3.2	16.98	35,320	10.70	22.10
Packers and packagers, hand.....	9,990	3.1	11.42	23,760	9.02	13.53
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,020	2.8	13.42	27,920	9.91	15.85
Machine feeders and offbearers.....	8,890	2.8	13.56	28,200	11.04	15.77

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<b>Printing and related support activities (NAICS 323100)</b>						
Printing machine operators .....	106,020	17.4	\$ 16.61	\$ 34,550	\$ 12.00	\$ 20.35
Bindery workers.....	49,450	8.1	14.07	29,270	10.40	17.15
Prepress technicians and workers.....	36,860	6.1	17.90	37,220	13.25	22.16
Job printers.....	27,310	4.5	17.41	36,200	13.01	21.17
Customer service representatives.....	27,060	4.5	17.15	35,680	12.90	20.59
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	25,050	4.1	26.26	54,620	19.67	31.43
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	23,690	3.9	31.79	66,130	18.66	38.69
Helpers--production workers.....	20,880	3.4	11.29	23,480	8.97	13.23
Graphic designers.....	18,160	3.0	18.71	38,910	13.95	22.26
Machine feeders and offbearers.....	13,570	2.2	12.45	25,900	9.80	14.73
<b>Petroleum and coal products manufacturing (NAICS 324100)</b>						
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers .....	22,590	19.3	\$ 27.99	\$ 58,220	\$ 22.63	\$ 32.66
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,490	4.7	33.22	69,090	24.28	42.18
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	4,070	3.5	16.67	34,670	12.44	19.77
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	3,940	3.4	26.22	54,540	21.00	31.39
Chemical plant and system operators .....	3,160	2.7	25.88	53,820	20.19	31.15
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	2,920	2.5	18.97	39,450	14.33	22.78
Team assemblers.....	2,250	1.9	17.71	36,840	13.77	21.46
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,180	1.9	20.63	42,920	16.22	25.45
Office clerks, general.....	2,050	1.8	16.83	35,010	10.54	22.11
Chemical technicians.....	1,850	1.6	25.46	52,960	19.82	31.58
<b>Basic chemical manufacturing (NAICS 325100)</b>						
Chemical plant and system operators.....	18,100	11.9	\$ 25.40	\$ 52,830	\$ 20.94	\$ 30.13
Chemical equipment operators and tenders.....	15,050	9.9	22.65	47,110	18.13	27.95
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	7,140	4.7	31.94	66,430	23.91	38.89
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	6,480	4.3	17.26	35,900	12.95	21.41
Chemical technicians.....	6,250	4.1	23.72	49,330	18.69	29.01
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	5,140	3.4	21.41	44,530	16.34	26.69
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	4,770	3.1	23.84	49,580	19.61	28.60
Chemists.....	4,140	2.7	32.45	67,490	24.29	39.42
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	4,130	2.7	20.85	43,370	16.17	25.64
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	3,960	2.6	14.61	30,390	10.60	18.20
<b>Resin, rubber, and artificial fibers mfg. (NAICS 325200)</b>						
Chemical plant and system operators.....	9,640	9.3	\$ 26.43	\$ 54,970	\$ 22.22	\$ 30.56
Chemical equipment operators and tenders.....	6,960	6.7	23.16	48,180	19.00	28.05
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,790	4.6	29.38	61,110	21.95	36.01
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	4,790	4.6	14.09	29,320	11.47	15.71
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	4,730	4.5	22.52	46,830	18.02	26.81
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	3,880	3.7	17.16	35,700	12.58	21.64
Chemical technicians.....	3,120	3.0	22.16	46,100	17.12	26.89
Team assemblers.....	2,900	2.8	13.18	27,400	10.00	15.11
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,860	2.8	22.11	45,980	17.52	27.38
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,580	2.5	14.94	31,080	11.53	18.27
<b>Agricultural chemical manufacturing (NAICS 325300)</b>						
Chemical plant and system operators.....	5,230	14.9	\$ 24.21	\$ 50,350	\$ 19.69	\$ 29.03
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	3,080	8.8	15.33	31,890	10.06	19.54
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,900	5.4	21.64	45,010	17.77	25.27
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,840	5.3	29.39	61,130	22.02	36.56
Chemical equipment operators and tenders.....	1,140	3.3	21.39	44,490	17.61	25.38
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	1,100	3.1	12.19	25,360	9.30	14.60
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,020	2.9	12.65	26,300	9.87	15.04
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	930	2.7	28.23	58,720	18.47	34.07
Helpers--production workers.....	890	2.5	11.32	23,550	8.57	13.24
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	870	2.5	16.26	33,820	12.26	19.88
<b>Pharmaceutical and medicine manufacturing (NAICS 325400)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	21,820	7.4	\$ 14.13	\$ 29,400	\$ 10.16	\$ 17.49
Chemists.....	16,580	5.6	33.93	70,570	23.73	42.40
Medical scientists, except epidemiologists.....	14,180	4.8	44.29	92,130	30.74	55.18
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	12,930	4.4	16.03	33,340	11.93	19.62
Chemical equipment operators and tenders.....	9,630	3.3	21.10	43,900	16.89	25.18
Chemical technicians.....	9,560	3.3	22.17	46,110	17.23	26.69
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	8,240	2.8	17.82	37,070	12.93	21.99
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	8,120	2.8	30.07	62,550	22.46	36.74
Biochemists and biophysicists.....	6,780	2.3	45.78	95,220	33.41	54.82
Biological technicians.....	5,510	1.9	20.75	43,160	15.18	25.37

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<b>Paint, coating, and adhesive manufacturing (NAICS 325500)</b>						
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	10,880	17.2	\$ 15.71	\$ 32,680	\$ 12.16	\$ 18.88
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	3,750	5.9	14.30	29,730	10.39	17.76
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	2,790	4.4	27.52	57,230	20.71	32.63
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	2,380	3.8	31.85	66,250	20.55	39.36
Chemical equipment operators and tenders .....	2,260	3.6	19.74	41,060	15.43	24.54
Chemical technicians .....	2,230	3.5	22.73	47,280	17.80	27.05
Chemists .....	2,150	3.4	34.18	71,090	25.98	40.65
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks .....	2,040	3.2	15.92	33,110	12.47	19.03
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	1,690	2.7	17.42	36,240	13.20	20.49
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	1,560	2.5	16.27	33,830	12.76	18.96
<b>Soap, cleaning compound, and toiletry mfg. (NAICS 325600)</b>						
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	12,420	11.3	\$ 13.00	\$ 27,040	\$ 9.62	\$ 15.53
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	10,130	9.2	14.91	31,020	10.76	18.55
Packers and packagers, hand .....	6,040	5.5	11.62	24,170	8.56	13.52
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	3,960	3.6	35.36	73,560	21.90	41.44
Team assemblers .....	3,940	3.6	12.04	25,030	8.34	14.47
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	3,500	3.2	15.38	31,990	12.61	18.01
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	3,360	3.1	26.33	54,770	19.48	31.65
Industrial machinery mechanics .....	3,340	3.0	22.21	46,200	18.30	26.07
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	3,100	2.8	13.12	27,280	9.85	15.83
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks .....	2,760	2.5	15.82	32,900	12.62	18.55
<b>Other chemical product and preparation mfg. (NAICS 325900)</b>						
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	12,500	12.8	\$ 16.95	\$ 35,260	\$ 13.08	\$ 20.16
Team assemblers .....	5,600	5.8	12.60	26,210	9.28	15.05
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders .....	4,630	4.8	13.73	28,550	10.28	15.72
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	4,160	4.3	27.38	56,950	19.98	33.40
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	3,070	3.2	16.75	34,840	12.62	19.94
Chemical equipment operators and tenders .....	2,950	3.0	19.98	41,560	15.31	24.16
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks .....	2,460	2.5	15.47	32,180	12.51	18.31
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	2,350	2.4	32.10	66,760	21.38	40.39
Chemical technicians .....	2,220	2.3	21.60	44,930	17.03	25.15
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	2,200	2.3	19.78	41,140	15.39	23.72
<b>Plastics product manufacturing (NAICS 326100)</b>						
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	61,600	10.3	\$ 13.01	\$ 27,070	\$ 9.91	\$ 15.32
Team assemblers .....	39,690	6.6	12.02	25,000	9.26	14.18
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	36,620	6.1	14.24	29,620	10.95	16.78
Packers and packagers, hand .....	27,960	4.7	10.95	22,790	8.86	12.55
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	27,720	4.6	23.45	48,780	17.68	28.20
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	18,880	3.1	14.52	30,190	11.27	17.06
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	17,330	2.9	12.52	26,050	9.77	14.71
Helpers--production workers .....	17,210	2.9	11.14	23,170	8.87	13.00
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	15,100	2.5	13.91	28,940	11.59	15.69
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	14,400	2.4	19.00	39,510	15.68	22.56
<b>Rubber product manufacturing (NAICS 326200)</b>						
Tire builders .....	20,400	13.8	\$ 18.75	\$ 39,000	\$ 13.39	\$ 23.65
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	15,200	10.3	14.46	30,090	11.55	16.02
Team assemblers .....	12,210	8.3	15.70	32,660	11.64	20.11
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	7,190	4.9	16.04	33,370	11.64	20.51
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	6,020	4.1	24.52	51,000	18.93	29.29
Helpers--production workers .....	4,080	2.8	12.62	26,240	9.26	15.15
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	3,980	2.7	17.46	36,310	13.74	21.73
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	3,940	2.7	15.79	32,840	12.24	19.09
Production workers, all other .....	3,810	2.6	14.46	30,090	7.80	21.27
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic .....	3,670	2.5	13.19	27,440	11.13	14.81
<b>Clay product and refractory manufacturing (NAICS 327100)</b>						
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic .....	3,400	6.4	\$ 13.40	\$ 27,860	\$ 10.47	\$ 15.79
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	3,040	5.7	13.18	27,420	10.73	15.16
Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders .....	2,780	5.2	13.86	28,820	11.13	16.19
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	2,410	4.5	24.31	50,570	18.86	29.18
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	2,250	4.2	15.06	31,330	11.50	17.37
Helpers--production workers .....	2,140	4.0	12.00	24,960	9.70	14.22
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	1,870	3.5	14.72	30,610	11.37	17.71
Team assemblers .....	1,690	3.2	12.76	26,530	10.22	14.73
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	1,690	3.2	11.14	23,170	8.93	12.66
Industrial truck and tractor operators .....	1,500	2.8	13.56	28,200	11.52	15.20

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<b>Glass and glass product manufacturing (NAICS 327200)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	7,020	7.2	\$ 13.42	\$ 27,910	\$ 10.55	\$ 15.68
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	5,870	6.0	16.01	33,310	12.63	18.57
Packers and packagers, hand.....	5,190	5.3	12.77	26,570	10.01	15.70
Helpers--production workers.....	3,960	4.0	11.92	24,800	9.04	14.51
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	3,930	4.0	17.28	35,950	13.18	21.70
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,850	3.9	26.03	54,140	20.00	31.27
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,430	3.5	19.50	40,560	16.42	22.93
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,380	3.5	12.89	26,810	9.79	15.66
Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders.....	3,270	3.3	16.20	33,700	13.19	18.85
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	3,210	3.3	15.65	32,560	13.12	18.04
<b>Cement and concrete product manufacturing (NAICS 327300)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	72,580	30.6	\$ 17.20	\$ 35,770	\$ 13.47	\$ 19.79
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic.....	12,570	5.3	13.47	28,020	10.53	16.05
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	9,130	3.8	14.71	30,600	11.33	17.51
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	8,870	3.7	13.90	28,920	10.79	16.37
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	8,670	3.7	12.47	25,930	9.70	14.92
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	6,380	2.7	28.93	60,170	19.98	35.10
Construction laborers.....	6,340	2.7	15.27	31,760	10.97	18.18
Helpers--production workers.....	5,900	2.5	12.11	25,180	9.39	14.22
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,820	2.5	24.50	50,960	18.21	29.80
Cement masons and concrete finishers.....	5,740	2.4	15.64	32,530	11.27	18.15
<b>Lime and gypsum product manufacturing (NAICS 327400)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	1,350	8.0	\$ 16.25	\$ 33,800	\$ 13.38	\$ 19.30
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	1,260	7.4	17.34	36,070	14.63	19.90
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	940	5.5	26.10	54,290	21.42	30.07
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	930	5.5	16.73	34,800	14.35	18.98
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	770	4.5	20.05	41,710	17.51	23.05
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic.....	690	4.1	13.90	28,910	10.82	16.38
Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders.....	620	3.7	17.06	35,480	14.17	19.21
Crushing, grinding, and polishing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	570	3.4	15.38	32,000	12.63	18.32
Helpers--production workers.....	490	2.9	12.78	26,580	9.04	16.66
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	430	2.5	23.06	47,960	18.28	27.46
<b>Other nonmetallic mineral products (NAICS 327900)</b>						
Crushing, grinding, and polishing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	4,510	5.5	\$ 13.53	\$ 28,130	\$ 10.66	\$ 15.72
Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic.....	3,970	4.8	14.39	29,930	11.13	17.15
Helpers--production workers.....	3,930	4.8	11.31	23,530	8.86	13.34
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	3,560	4.3	14.53	30,220	10.98	17.67
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,480	4.2	25.13	52,260	18.26	30.45
Team assemblers.....	3,030	3.7	12.67	26,360	9.67	15.43
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	2,390	2.9	27.15	56,470	17.95	32.54
Grinding and polishing workers, hand.....	2,190	2.7	13.91	28,930	10.87	16.23
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders.....	2,140	2.6	15.28	31,780	11.16	19.02
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,090	2.5	20.10	41,810	16.26	23.90
<b>Iron and steel mills and ferroalloy mfg. (NAICS 331100)</b>						
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	9,000	8.9	\$ 23.64	\$ 49,170	\$ 19.86	\$ 27.24
Rolling machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	7,350	7.3	21.56	44,830	17.30	25.07
Metal-refining furnace operators and tenders.....	5,620	5.6	20.17	41,950	16.66	23.57
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,380	4.4	29.16	60,650	22.47	35.19
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	4,100	4.1	19.83	41,250	15.30	24.31
Pourers and casters, metal.....	3,930	3.9	19.01	39,540	15.92	21.24
Crane and tower operators.....	3,700	3.7	20.02	41,650	16.63	22.97
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,520	3.5	17.91	37,250	13.26	21.77
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	3,460	3.4	23.59	49,070	19.73	26.09
Helpers--production workers.....	3,260	3.2	16.08	33,440	12.68	19.08
<b>Steel product mfg. from purchased steel (NAICS 331200)</b>						
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	4,270	6.9	\$ 14.38	\$ 29,920	\$ 11.74	\$ 16.88
Rolling machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	3,900	6.3	17.16	35,690	13.76	19.98
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	3,840	6.2	16.04	33,360	13.08	18.81
Helpers--production workers.....	3,700	6.0	13.10	27,240	10.52	15.39
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	2,690	4.4	16.04	33,350	12.57	19.09
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,680	4.3	25.17	52,350	20.08	29.86
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	1,970	3.2	16.55	34,420	13.57	18.87
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,810	2.9	12.68	26,370	9.27	15.42
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,760	2.8	18.76	39,030	15.92	21.88
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	1,710	2.8	14.85	30,880	12.11	17.11

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<b>Alumina and aluminum production (NAICS 331300)</b>						
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	3,850	5.7	\$ 15.36	\$ 31,940	\$ 13.05	\$ 17.84
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	3,700	5.4	14.49	30,130	11.61	17.30
Metal-refining furnace operators and tenders .....	3,610	5.3	17.37	36,120	15.99	19.21
Helpers--production workers.....	3,570	5.3	12.91	26,840	10.03	15.10
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,130	4.6	26.04	54,170	20.13	30.62
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,650	3.9	20.16	41,930	16.69	23.81
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	2,620	3.9	22.00	45,750	18.36	24.43
Packers and packagers, hand.....	2,140	3.1	11.87	24,690	9.23	14.17
Rolling machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,040	3.0	18.57	38,630	16.44	21.81
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	1,980	2.9	16.89	35,130	13.49	18.86
<b>Other nonferrous metal production (NAICS 331400)</b>						
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	6,460	9.7	\$ 16.44	\$ 34,200	\$ 13.37	\$ 19.07
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,220	4.8	25.68	53,420	20.53	30.05
Metal-refining furnace operators and tenders .....	2,830	4.3	17.91	37,250	14.45	21.54
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	2,300	3.5	15.88	33,030	13.02	17.86
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	2,030	3.1	17.96	37,370	13.89	21.43
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,000	3.0	20.02	41,630	16.95	23.26
Helpers--production workers.....	1,970	3.0	13.77	28,630	10.87	15.67
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	1,900	2.9	20.92	43,510	17.48	23.64
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,690	2.5	15.42	32,070	10.84	18.33
Pourers and casters, metal.....	1,480	2.2	16.13	33,540	13.19	18.74
<b>Foundries (NAICS 331500)</b>						
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	12,200	8.0	\$ 14.86	\$ 30,900	\$ 11.21	\$ 17.36
Foundry mold and coremakers .....	10,530	6.9	14.28	29,700	11.64	16.33
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	8,790	5.7	14.55	30,250	11.31	17.03
Pourers and casters, metal.....	7,210	4.7	14.32	29,790	11.40	16.26
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	7,200	4.7	25.75	53,560	19.84	30.47
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	7,140	4.7	16.05	33,390	12.88	18.72
Grinding and polishing workers, hand.....	5,470	3.6	13.32	27,700	11.01	15.13
Helpers--production workers.....	5,050	3.3	12.33	25,640	9.86	14.47
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	4,460	2.9	18.84	39,200	15.26	22.14
Metal-refining furnace operators and tenders .....	4,180	2.7	15.61	32,470	12.58	18.15
<b>Forging and stamping (NAICS 332100)</b>						
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	16,420	15.0	\$ 13.90	\$ 28,910	\$ 10.80	\$ 16.77
Tool and die makers.....	5,680	5.2	22.24	46,270	18.24	25.39
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,900	4.5	27.19	56,550	20.07	31.28
Forging machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,290	3.9	16.50	34,330	13.44	19.21
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	4,270	3.9	16.25	33,800	12.81	19.02
Machinists.....	3,950	3.6	17.76	36,940	13.92	20.51
Team assemblers.....	3,650	3.3	13.38	27,820	10.27	16.23
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	2,610	2.4	15.54	32,330	12.35	18.24
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	2,410	2.2	15.18	31,570	12.55	17.67
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,380	2.2	19.17	39,870	15.87	22.46
<b>Cutlery and handtool manufacturing (NAICS 332200)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	4,390	8.8	\$ 13.03	\$ 27,100	\$ 10.10	\$ 15.54
Machinists.....	2,940	5.9	17.33	36,050	13.78	20.22
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,320	4.6	13.40	27,870	10.66	15.70
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	2,270	4.5	15.22	31,650	12.04	17.54
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,020	4.0	26.25	54,610	19.41	31.39
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	1,700	3.4	16.33	33,960	13.23	18.93
Packers and packagers, hand.....	1,600	3.2	11.10	23,100	8.51	13.12
Tool and die makers.....	1,470	2.9	20.15	41,920	15.63	24.23
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	1,230	2.5	29.90	62,190	20.40	35.16
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	1,170	2.3	15.06	31,320	12.48	17.63
<b>Architectural and structural metals mfg. (NAICS 332300)</b>						
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	49,450	11.9	\$ 15.60	\$ 32,450	\$ 12.73	\$ 18.11
Structural metal fabricators and fitters.....	35,520	8.6	16.03	33,340	12.43	18.85
Team assemblers.....	31,390	7.6	12.73	26,470	9.89	14.86
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	22,470	5.4	14.00	29,130	11.03	16.59
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	17,100	4.1	24.65	51,270	18.51	29.30
Sheet metal workers.....	17,070	4.1	19.26	40,060	12.89	24.30
Helpers--production workers.....	12,670	3.1	11.00	22,880	8.94	12.56
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	11,350	2.7	11.98	24,910	9.65	13.93
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	10,650	2.6	29.20	60,730	19.13	35.28
General and operations managers .....	7,580	1.8	52.95	110,140	33.16	65.18

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<b>Boiler, tank, and shipping container mfg. (NAICS 332400)</b>						
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	14,150	14.3	\$ 16.48	\$ 34,290	\$ 13.37	\$ 18.90
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,780	4.8	15.61	32,470	12.49	18.78
Team assemblers .....	4,720	4.8	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Structural metal fabricators and fitters.....	3,880	3.9	16.85	35,040	12.92	19.73
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	3,850	3.9	26.75	55,640	20.66	31.49
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	2,810	2.8	16.03	33,330	12.05	19.31
Machinists.....	2,760	2.8	18.66	38,820	14.74	22.71
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,650	2.7	19.37	40,290	16.56	22.68
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	2,560	2.6	16.88	35,120	13.19	20.59
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	2,530	2.6	17.36	36,100	13.50	20.79
<b>Hardware manufacturing (NAICS 332500)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	3,860	12.7	\$ 12.88	\$ 26,790	\$ 10.55	\$ 14.82
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,230	7.3	13.50	28,070	10.92	15.50
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	1,170	3.9	12.31	25,590	10.28	13.47
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,060	3.5	25.38	52,790	19.39	29.79
Machinists.....	960	3.2	16.70	34,740	13.27	19.28
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	930	3.1	14.64	30,450	12.07	17.36
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	840	2.8	13.59	28,270	10.22	16.68
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	770	2.5	29.06	60,440	20.54	36.40
Drilling and boring machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	740	2.4	14.60	30,360	12.80	16.26
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	710	2.3	13.13	27,300	10.69	15.13
<b>Spring and wire product manufacturing (NAICS 332600)</b>						
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,350	8.3	\$ 13.66	\$ 28,400	\$ 10.39	\$ 16.18
Team assemblers .....	3,210	6.1	13.27	27,600	10.59	15.40
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	2,520	4.8	16.24	33,780	11.34	18.20
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,410	4.6	25.73	53,510	18.26	30.56
Multiple machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,160	4.1	15.18	31,580	12.02	17.97
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,000	3.8	13.72	28,540	10.69	16.13
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	1,530	2.9	29.84	62,070	19.43	35.15
Helpers--production workers.....	1,530	2.9	10.85	22,560	8.54	12.03
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,430	2.7	11.07	23,040	8.71	12.73
Machinists.....	1,350	2.6	16.93	35,210	13.05	19.32
<b>Machine shops and threaded product mfg. (NAICS 332700)</b>						
Machinists.....	96,230	26.3	\$ 17.47	\$ 36,340	\$ 13.49	\$ 20.59
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	27,470	7.5	16.36	34,030	12.59	19.19
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	17,560	4.8	27.43	57,060	20.57	31.98
Lathe and turning machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	16,190	4.4	16.27	33,840	12.53	19.53
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	12,830	3.5	16.15	33,580	12.91	18.84
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	10,390	2.8	17.33	36,040	13.45	20.39
General and operations managers .....	8,750	2.4	53.75	111,800	32.90	66.31
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	8,400	2.3	15.74	32,740	11.35	18.35
Helpers--production workers.....	8,010	2.2	11.05	22,990	8.83	12.59
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	7,450	2.0	14.69	30,560	11.35	17.59
<b>Coating, engraving, and heat treating metals (NAICS 332800)</b>						
Plating and coating machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	21,570	14.5	\$ 13.73	\$ 28,570	\$ 10.23	\$ 16.06
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	11,860	8.0	13.16	27,370	10.18	15.35
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	8,080	5.4	24.43	50,820	17.76	29.40
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	8,030	5.4	13.63	28,340	10.56	15.87
Helpers--production workers.....	7,810	5.3	10.46	21,750	8.57	11.92
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	5,660	3.8	11.58	24,090	9.09	13.41
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	5,580	3.8	14.43	30,020	10.57	17.02
Heat treating equipment setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	5,340	3.6	14.03	29,170	11.18	16.44
General and operations managers .....	3,720	2.5	52.15	108,480	32.00	65.74
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,090	2.1	18.01	37,470	14.12	21.07
<b>Other fabricated metal product manufacturing (NAICS 332900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	26,310	9.2	\$ 13.77	\$ 28,640	\$ 10.69	\$ 16.19
Machinists.....	13,700	4.8	17.61	36,630	13.89	20.68
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	12,880	4.5	16.06	33,410	12.74	18.67
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	10,490	3.7	26.54	55,200	20.38	31.08
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	9,950	3.5	14.24	29,620	11.14	16.83
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	8,540	3.0	16.77	34,890	13.10	19.42
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	7,720	2.7	15.61	32,470	12.27	18.72
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	7,630	2.7	16.68	34,680	13.30	19.54
Helpers--production workers.....	6,370	2.2	11.25	23,400	8.89	13.16
Structural metal fabricators and fitters.....	6,070	2.1	15.18	31,580	11.70	18.19

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<b>Ag., construction, and mining machinery mfg. (NAICS 333100)</b>						
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	27,300	11.6	\$ 16.51	\$ 34,330	\$ 13.53	\$ 19.11
Team assemblers .....	26,060	11.1	14.29	29,730	11.18	17.21
Machinists .....	15,560	6.6	17.18	35,730	13.80	20.10
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	8,210	3.5	25.86	53,780	19.54	30.94
Assemblers and fabricators, all other .....	5,870	2.5	15.72	32,690	10.37	18.72
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders .....	5,630	2.4	14.47	30,110	11.61	17.10
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	5,460	2.3	12.67	26,360	10.29	14.95
Structural metal fabricators and fitters .....	5,440	2.3	16.00	33,280	13.45	18.57
Engine and other machine assemblers .....	5,200	2.2	16.07	33,430	11.99	19.69
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,640	2.0	14.74	30,670	11.99	17.49
<b>Industrial machinery manufacturing (NAICS 333200)</b>						
Machinists .....	8,440	7.0	\$ 18.19	\$ 37,840	\$ 14.94	\$ 21.37
Team assemblers .....	6,830	5.6	15.13	31,470	11.75	18.10
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	5,430	4.5	17.31	36,010	14.39	19.62
Mechanical engineers .....	4,790	4.0	35.44	73,720	26.76	40.96
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	4,520	3.7	27.37	56,920	21.05	31.90
General and operations managers .....	2,810	2.3	61.76	128,460	40.63	77.96
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	2,770	2.3	31.29	65,080	21.08	37.65
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	2,540	2.1	15.94	33,160	11.94	19.18
Industrial engineers .....	2,380	2.0	35.47	73,780	28.54	41.82
Electromechanical equipment assemblers .....	2,120	1.8	17.28	35,950	13.73	20.50
<b>Commercial and service industry machinery (NAICS 333300)</b>						
Team assemblers .....	12,200	11.4	\$ 13.78	\$ 28,670	\$ 10.86	\$ 15.86
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	3,410	3.2	16.06	33,410	13.31	18.68
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	3,380	3.2	27.70	57,620	20.94	32.16
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	2,710	2.5	17.56	36,520	13.36	21.30
Mechanical engineers .....	2,630	2.5	36.79	76,530	28.07	42.86
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	2,530	2.4	31.98	66,520	20.84	39.67
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers .....	2,350	2.2	15.31	31,840	11.55	18.52
General and operations managers .....	2,310	2.2	63.79	132,680	42.21	(2)
Machinists .....	2,260	2.1	19.13	39,800	15.59	22.73
Computer software engineers, applications .....	2,100	2.0	42.16	87,700	34.32	49.80
<b>HVAC and commercial refrigeration equipment (NAICS 333400)</b>						
Team assemblers .....	27,220	18.2	\$ 13.41	\$ 27,880	\$ 10.64	\$ 15.42
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	9,610	6.4	15.93	33,140	13.21	18.42
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	6,800	4.5	14.63	30,430	12.26	17.12
Sheet metal workers .....	5,040	3.4	15.78	32,820	13.11	16.96
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	4,810	3.2	24.94	51,870	19.05	29.60
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	4,440	3.0	12.28	25,540	9.23	14.66
Helpers--production workers .....	3,900	2.6	11.70	24,330	9.64	13.04
Structural metal fabricators and fitters .....	3,880	2.6	15.60	32,450	12.21	18.20
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	3,120	2.1	15.92	33,110	12.90	18.60
Electromechanical equipment assemblers .....	3,070	2.0	13.12	27,290	9.98	16.06
<b>Metalworking machinery manufacturing (NAICS 333500)</b>						
Machinists .....	25,630	13.4	\$ 18.15	\$ 37,750	\$ 14.46	\$ 21.76
Tool and die makers .....	19,090	9.9	21.10	43,890	16.72	24.35
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic .....	11,250	5.9	18.25	37,950	14.46	21.97
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	8,670	4.5	29.39	61,120	21.64	35.05
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	6,840	3.6	16.76	34,850	12.73	19.47
Team assemblers .....	6,540	3.4	14.76	30,710	10.93	18.17
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,770	2.5	14.37	29,900	11.25	17.23
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	4,750	2.5	15.41	32,060	10.46	19.43
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	4,180	2.2	16.89	35,130	13.01	19.89
Mechanical engineers .....	4,100	2.1	30.24	62,900	23.82	36.18
<b>Turbine and power transmission equipment mfg. (NAICS 333600)</b>						
Team assemblers .....	11,220	11.1	\$ 15.41	\$ 32,050	\$ 11.25	\$ 18.80
Machinists .....	7,620	7.5	18.66	38,820	14.80	22.32
Engine and other machine assemblers .....	5,260	5.2	15.24	31,690	11.31	18.80
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers .....	3,690	3.6	28.67	59,630	22.21	34.13
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers .....	3,610	3.6	17.84	37,120	14.19	21.06
Mechanical engineers .....	3,200	3.2	34.15	71,020	27.47	40.23
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	3,180	3.1	20.96	43,600	16.80	25.26
Multiple machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	2,380	2.3	18.21	37,880	14.04	20.81
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic .....	2,360	2.3	16.51	34,340	13.61	18.96
Industrial engineers .....	2,330	2.3	34.62	72,010	28.32	39.70

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<b>Other general purpose machinery manufacturing (NAICS 333900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	29,220	10.6	\$ 14.50	\$ 30,160	\$ 11.34	\$ 17.43
Machinists.....	18,430	6.7	17.67	36,750	14.52	20.48
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	16,800	6.1	16.65	34,620	13.64	19.18
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	9,730	3.5	26.85	55,850	20.47	31.62
Mechanical engineers.....	8,360	3.0	32.89	68,400	26.17	38.36
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	6,930	2.5	17.57	36,550	14.27	20.25
Engine and other machine assemblers.....	5,810	2.1	15.72	32,700	12.99	18.41
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	5,780	2.1	31.29	65,070	20.41	37.27
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	5,440	2.0	15.29	31,790	12.38	18.01
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	4,990	1.8	21.32	44,340	16.67	24.66
<b>Computer and peripheral equipment mfg. (NAICS 334100)</b>						
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	25,220	13.8	\$ 49.60	\$103,180	\$ 39.49	\$ 59.93
Computer hardware engineers.....	14,250	7.8	51.71	107,550	39.76	62.27
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	9,710	5.3	14.68	30,520	11.20	16.97
Computer software engineers, applications.....	8,530	4.7	47.82	99,470	38.59	57.05
Computer systems analysts.....	5,850	3.2	44.87	93,320	34.53	55.27
Computer and information systems managers.....	4,660	2.5	69.58	144,730	55.10	79.95
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products.....	4,340	2.4	44.29	92,130	30.23	52.24
Computer support specialists.....	3,950	2.2	28.36	58,980	20.74	35.08
Engineering managers.....	3,710	2.0	68.63	142,760	53.66	79.42
Industrial engineers.....	3,570	1.9	41.03	85,340	31.57	49.76
<b>Communications equipment manufacturing (NAICS 334200)</b>						
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	12,000	9.3	\$ 14.22	\$ 29,580	\$ 10.63	\$ 16.95
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	7,010	5.4	45.46	94,550	35.96	55.13
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians.....	4,620	3.6	24.03	49,980	18.05	29.04
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	4,120	3.2	44.08	91,690	33.45	55.25
Team assemblers.....	3,810	3.0	13.17	27,390	10.52	15.37
Electrical engineers.....	3,790	2.9	42.77	88,970	32.62	51.95
Computer software engineers, applications.....	3,630	2.8	44.83	93,250	36.12	52.94
Engineering managers.....	3,080	2.4	63.83	132,760	48.73	75.58
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	2,920	2.3	28.44	59,160	19.59	35.11
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	2,810	2.2	17.24	35,850	12.72	21.06
<b>Audio and video equipment manufacturing (NAICS 334300)</b>						
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	3,230	12.3	\$ 13.75	\$ 28,600	\$ 9.62	\$ 16.47
Team assemblers.....	2,680	10.2	12.50	26,010	10.04	14.50
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	780	3.0	13.47	28,020	11.11	15.16
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians.....	750	2.9	23.75	49,400	18.03	28.18
Electrical engineers.....	730	2.8	41.57	86,470	32.38	50.02
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	710	2.7	38.32	79,700	29.58	45.58
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	690	2.6	26.44	54,990	19.09	32.85
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	640	2.4	15.54	32,310	11.55	18.06
Customer service representatives.....	620	2.4	17.95	37,330	13.81	21.11
Mechanical engineers.....	610	2.3	39.36	81,870	32.24	46.73
<b>Semiconductor and electronic component mfg. (NAICS 334400)</b>						
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	58,270	13.2	\$ 13.73	\$ 28,560	\$ 10.36	\$ 15.76
Semiconductor processors.....	30,310	6.9	16.41	34,130	12.80	19.32
Team assemblers.....	22,900	5.2	12.11	25,180	9.43	14.24
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians.....	18,240	4.1	24.39	50,730	18.44	29.55
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	17,140	3.9	15.08	31,360	11.38	17.86
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	15,580	3.5	42.56	88,520	32.89	51.63
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	12,410	2.8	27.30	56,780	19.86	33.19
Industrial engineers.....	12,320	2.8	39.58	82,320	31.67	47.66
Electrical engineers.....	11,540	2.6	44.10	91,720	33.79	53.15
Engineering managers.....	9,040	2.1	64.13	133,400	50.04	75.33
<b>Electronic instrument manufacturing (NAICS 334500)</b>						
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	27,620	6.3	\$ 15.56	\$ 32,370	\$ 11.77	\$ 18.61
Team assemblers.....	24,640	5.6	13.97	29,070	10.54	16.70
Electrical engineers.....	15,290	3.5	42.27	87,920	32.71	51.20
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	14,770	3.3	44.88	93,360	35.32	53.97
Electromechanical equipment assemblers.....	13,420	3.0	14.70	30,570	11.57	17.50
Industrial engineers.....	12,740	2.9	38.61	80,310	30.95	46.21
Mechanical engineers.....	12,550	2.8	40.14	83,480	30.72	48.83
Engineering managers.....	12,400	2.8	62.94	130,910	50.85	74.33
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians.....	12,150	2.8	23.77	49,450	18.76	28.31
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	11,920	2.7	44.85	93,280	34.27	55.09

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<b>Magnetic media manufacturing and reproducing (NAICS 334600)</b>						
Packers and packagers, hand.....	1,900	5.4	\$ 10.39	\$ 21,610	\$ 8.45	\$ 11.66
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,820	5.1	13.49	28,060	11.24	15.34
Customer service representatives.....	1,410	4.0	16.95	35,260	12.90	20.00
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders.....	1,270	3.6	13.68	28,460	10.96	16.35
Machine feeders and offbearers.....	1,260	3.5	13.98	29,070	11.52	16.10
Production workers, all other.....	1,180	3.3	16.56	34,450	9.93	18.51
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	1,140	3.2	14.11	29,340	10.23	16.94
Team assemblers.....	1,110	3.1	13.24	27,540	10.30	15.53
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	960	2.7	14.28	29,710	11.10	17.47
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	920	2.6	24.83	51,650	18.37	30.01
<b>Electric lighting equipment manufacturing (NAICS 335100)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	8,520	14.6	\$ 12.48	\$ 25,970	\$ 9.46	\$ 14.67
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	5,040	8.6	12.86	26,740	9.73	14.67
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,880	3.2	24.60	51,170	18.25	30.08
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	1,700	2.9	14.72	30,620	11.60	17.04
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,570	2.7	12.96	26,950	10.37	14.84
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	1,480	2.5	32.82	68,270	20.28	42.17
Customer service representatives.....	1,390	2.4	17.12	35,620	13.29	19.88
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	1,390	2.4	14.32	29,780	11.62	15.99
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	1,270	2.2	14.04	29,210	11.50	16.48
Packers and packagers, hand.....	1,230	2.1	12.09	25,140	10.15	14.00
<b>Household appliance manufacturing (NAICS 335200)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	16,470	23.3	\$ 14.34	\$ 29,830	\$ 11.47	\$ 16.50
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	3,400	4.8	14.47	30,110	10.65	18.43
Electromechanical equipment assemblers.....	2,840	4.0	13.08	27,210	10.54	14.62
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	2,480	3.5	13.97	29,060	11.41	16.73
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	2,320	3.3	15.44	32,120	12.17	18.76
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	2,110	3.0	15.37	31,970	12.78	17.86
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,900	2.7	23.44	48,760	17.15	28.62
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,520	2.1	19.28	40,100	15.91	22.93
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	1,420	2.0	11.20	23,300	8.58	13.78
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,410	2.0	11.30	23,490	8.15	13.86
<b>Electrical equipment manufacturing (NAICS 335300)</b>						
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	21,250	13.4	\$ 13.76	\$ 28,620	\$ 10.46	\$ 16.51
Team assemblers.....	14,920	9.4	14.49	30,140	11.35	17.07
Coil winders, tapers, and finishers.....	9,070	5.7	14.19	29,510	11.23	16.98
Electromechanical equipment assemblers.....	6,890	4.4	14.59	30,350	11.43	17.48
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,420	3.4	25.74	53,540	19.74	30.60
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	4,800	3.0	16.96	35,280	13.11	20.06
Electrical engineers.....	3,800	2.4	35.70	74,270	27.82	42.38
Machinists.....	3,670	2.3	17.57	36,560	13.57	20.75
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	3,240	2.0	15.74	32,730	12.97	18.50
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,220	2.0	21.91	45,580	16.60	27.01
<b>Other electrical equipment and component mfg. (NAICS 335900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	18,800	13.6	\$ 14.21	\$ 29,560	\$ 11.18	\$ 16.99
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers.....	13,880	10.1	13.45	27,990	10.35	15.85
Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	5,030	3.6	15.14	31,480	12.39	18.03
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	4,920	3.6	25.82	53,700	19.40	30.97
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	4,700	3.4	15.81	32,880	12.21	18.48
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	3,070	2.2	14.09	29,310	11.27	16.22
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,030	2.2	20.08	41,770	16.74	23.52
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	2,990	2.2	14.67	30,520	11.46	17.78
Machinists.....	2,910	2.1	18.65	38,790	14.75	21.97
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	2,790	2.0	13.38	27,830	9.89	16.60
<b>Motor vehicle manufacturing (NAICS 336100)</b>						
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	52,300	24.9	\$ 25.86	\$ 53,790	\$ 25.55	\$ 30.03
Team assemblers.....	37,510	17.9	23.13	48,110	19.00	28.48
Machinists.....	6,980	3.3	24.80	51,590	18.88	29.74
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	5,530	2.6	24.62	51,210	19.72	29.95
Electricians.....	5,260	2.5	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,090	2.4	33.20	69,060	28.07	38.72
Industrial engineers.....	4,960	2.4	39.55	82,250	34.21	46.05
Painters, transportation equipment.....	3,830	1.8	24.45	50,850	19.48	29.50
Mechanical engineers.....	3,720	1.8	37.73	78,480	31.61	45.22
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	3,160	1.5	21.06	43,800	14.68	26.77

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<b>Motor vehicle body and trailer manufacturing (NAICS 336200)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	40,470	25.8	\$ 14.92	\$ 31,040	\$ 11.53	\$ 17.24
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	19,350	12.3	15.37	31,970	12.37	17.81
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	8,540	5.4	14.46	30,070	10.41	15.86
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	6,250	4.0	24.03	49,990	17.93	28.30
Painters, transportation equipment.....	4,270	2.7	16.37	34,050	12.98	18.47
Structural metal fabricators and fitters.....	3,910	2.5	16.01	33,310	12.62	18.19
Helpers--production workers.....	3,860	2.5	11.14	23,160	9.08	12.41
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	3,530	2.2	13.07	27,190	10.14	15.14
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	3,310	2.1	29.54	61,440	17.37	35.00
Production workers, all other.....	3,290	2.1	23.75	49,400	16.31	30.57
<b>Motor vehicle parts manufacturing (NAICS 336300)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	92,760	16.1	\$ 14.04	\$ 29,200	\$ 11.28	\$ 16.29
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	26,510	4.6	19.58	40,720	12.98	28.02
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	23,370	4.0	16.08	33,450	12.07	18.32
Machinists.....	22,360	3.9	18.68	38,860	13.78	23.89
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	20,800	3.6	18.42	38,310	13.24	23.37
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	19,760	3.4	26.45	55,020	19.52	32.38
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	14,840	2.6	15.53	32,300	12.70	18.12
Tool and die makers.....	14,520	2.5	27.66	57,530	21.23	35.31
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	14,010	2.4	17.68	36,780	13.17	20.42
Industrial engineers.....	12,950	2.2	34.96	72,720	28.16	41.58
<b>Aerospace product and parts manufacturing (NAICS 336400)</b>						
Aircraft structure, surfaces, rigging, and systems assemblers.....	39,050	7.9	\$ 21.15	\$ 43,990	\$ 15.05	\$ 27.21
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians.....	22,980	4.7	24.54	51,030	20.42	28.86
Machinists.....	19,390	3.9	19.99	41,590	15.68	23.80
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	17,700	3.6	22.40	46,580	16.88	27.93
Engineers, all other.....	17,420	3.5	44.09	91,700	35.23	53.15
Industrial engineers.....	16,550	3.4	37.40	77,790	30.12	44.51
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	11,770	2.4	45.60	94,840	35.78	54.66
Mechanical engineers.....	11,290	2.3	40.40	84,040	31.32	48.65
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	10,550	2.1	30.86	64,180	24.56	37.29
Purchasing agents, except wholesale, retail, and farm products.....	10,500	2.1	31.40	65,320	24.19	38.48
<b>Railroad rolling stock manufacturing (NAICS 336500)</b>						
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	3,120	11.5	\$ 15.81	\$ 32,880	\$ 12.98	\$ 18.47
Team assemblers.....	2,480	9.1	16.31	33,920	13.47	19.01
Rail car repairers.....	2,020	7.4	18.16	37,770	15.74	19.52
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,160	4.3	25.86	53,780	19.86	30.30
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	1,000	3.7	16.54	34,400	12.96	19.38
Machinists.....	950	3.5	17.02	35,410	13.18	20.92
Helpers--production workers.....	900	3.3	13.21	27,480	10.91	15.20
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	750	2.8	15.89	33,040	12.63	18.63
Painters, transportation equipment.....	660	2.4	17.35	36,080	13.09	21.25
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	580	2.1	17.33	36,050	14.88	20.04
<b>Ship and boat building (NAICS 336600)</b>						
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	13,880	8.5	\$ 17.91	\$ 37,260	\$ 14.53	\$ 21.51
Fiberglass laminators and fabricators.....	12,100	7.5	14.48	30,110	12.19	16.90
Team assemblers.....	9,670	6.0	13.27	27,600	10.84	15.27
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	7,230	4.5	26.14	54,380	21.08	30.55
Structural metal fabricators and fitters.....	7,180	4.4	17.67	36,760	14.76	20.09
Mechanical engineers.....	5,870	3.6	35.06	72,920	26.85	43.03
Mechanical drafters.....	5,490	3.4	20.88	43,430	15.28	25.81
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters.....	4,970	3.1	19.63	40,830	15.29	23.91
Carpenters.....	4,860	3.0	17.98	37,410	13.99	20.99
Electricians.....	4,590	2.8	20.23	42,080	16.42	24.04
<b>Other transportation equipment manufacturing (NAICS 336900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	7,640	18.7	\$ 15.88	\$ 33,030	\$ 12.97	\$ 18.91
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	2,440	6.0	17.06	35,490	14.21	19.21
Machinists.....	1,930	4.7	21.04	43,750	15.45	27.42
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	1,420	3.5	17.96	37,360	11.17	26.51
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,350	3.3	25.96	54,000	19.07	31.24
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,230	3.0	15.68	32,620	12.59	18.02
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic.....	1,190	2.9	17.29	35,960	12.72	21.15
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	910	2.2	17.24	35,870	13.70	19.92
Mechanical engineers.....	870	2.1	33.75	70,210	26.73	39.40
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	870	2.1	15.32	31,870	12.82	17.92

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<b>Household and institutional furniture mfg. (NAICS 337100)</b>						
Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters.....	68,410	21.0	\$ 14.24	\$ 29,620	\$ 10.86	\$ 16.50
Team assemblers.....	21,710	6.7	12.75	26,530	10.25	14.96
Upholsterers.....	16,840	5.2	14.63	30,420	11.08	17.68
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing.....	16,430	5.0	12.48	25,970	10.15	14.60
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	12,950	4.0	22.65	47,120	17.17	26.72
Carpenters.....	12,560	3.9	17.76	36,940	13.08	20.72
Sewing machine operators.....	11,040	3.4	12.67	26,350	9.95	14.91
Helpers--production workers.....	10,480	3.2	10.60	22,050	8.71	12.03
Furniture finishers.....	10,420	3.2	13.04	27,130	10.26	14.93
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	10,110	3.1	11.71	24,360	9.65	13.74
<b>Office furniture and fixtures manufacturing (NAICS 337200)</b>						
Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters.....	17,220	13.0	\$ 15.98	\$ 33,240	\$ 12.28	\$ 18.88
Team assemblers.....	12,940	9.8	13.35	27,760	10.24	15.70
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing.....	6,610	5.0	13.25	27,550	10.26	15.70
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	5,130	3.9	24.45	50,860	18.24	28.93
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	4,410	3.3	12.56	26,120	9.29	15.34
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	4,380	3.3	14.28	29,710	11.55	16.95
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	3,540	2.7	14.73	30,640	12.06	17.17
Carpenters.....	3,260	2.5	21.98	45,710	14.75	28.76
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	3,140	2.4	14.91	31,020	11.93	17.28
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	3,060	2.3	31.74	66,030	19.31	40.27
<b>Other furniture related product manufacturing (NAICS 337900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	9,280	20.2	\$ 11.33	\$ 23,560	\$ 8.81	\$ 13.25
Sewing machine operators.....	4,270	9.3	11.91	24,780	9.21	14.03
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	2,510	5.5	12.02	24,990	9.08	14.19
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	1,680	3.7	22.91	47,650	16.96	27.82
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	1,460	3.2	30.71	63,870	20.92	36.57
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,330	2.9	11.98	24,910	9.12	14.03
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	1,300	2.8	12.52	26,040	9.98	14.50
Customer service representatives.....	1,220	2.7	16.76	34,860	12.94	19.52
Helpers--production workers.....	1,010	2.2	10.97	22,820	8.55	12.76
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	920	2.0	18.90	39,300	14.57	22.79
<b>Medical equipment and supplies manufacturing (NAICS 339100)</b>						
Dental laboratory technicians.....	35,350	11.5	\$ 17.68	\$ 36,760	\$ 12.46	\$ 21.24
Team assemblers.....	30,700	9.9	13.09	27,220	10.27	15.10
Ophthalmic laboratory technicians.....	11,230	3.6	13.33	27,720	9.91	15.40
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	9,900	3.2	26.98	56,120	19.80	32.10
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	9,560	3.1	16.44	34,200	12.63	19.58
Medical appliance technicians.....	8,220	2.7	18.29	38,050	12.69	22.09
Customer service representatives.....	6,580	2.1	17.30	35,990	13.40	20.38
Industrial engineers.....	5,660	1.8	35.15	73,120	27.90	41.41
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	5,660	1.8	14.44	30,030	11.22	16.99
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	5,640	1.8	14.56	30,290	10.47	16.15
<b>Other miscellaneous manufacturing (NAICS 339900)</b>						
Team assemblers.....	33,870	10.3	\$ 11.95	\$ 24,850	\$ 9.18	\$ 14.19
Assemblers and fabricators, all other.....	14,580	4.4	13.57	28,220	10.08	15.78
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	12,190	3.7	23.81	49,510	17.21	28.95
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	11,000	3.3	28.16	58,570	17.45	34.23
Jewelers and precious stone and metal workers.....	7,930	2.4	16.23	33,770	11.22	20.03
Customer service representatives.....	7,710	2.3	15.81	32,890	12.08	18.84
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	7,620	2.3	13.70	28,500	10.66	16.09
Graphic designers.....	7,310	2.2	18.75	39,000	13.46	22.33
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic.....	7,100	2.2	13.23	27,510	10.30	15.46
Helpers--production workers.....	6,910	2.1	11.51	23,950	8.98	13.57
<b>Motor vehicle and parts merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423100)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	38,570	11.3	\$ 26.39	\$ 54,880	\$ 16.14	\$ 31.49
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	28,770	8.4	11.44	23,790	8.65	13.37
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	25,030	7.3	12.16	25,300	9.13	14.06
Parts salespersons.....	20,180	5.9	15.68	32,610	11.57	18.88
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	18,450	5.4	19.35	40,240	15.77	23.04
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	12,890	3.8	12.58	26,180	9.87	14.67
Office clerks, general.....	12,170	3.6	12.86	26,750	9.79	15.10
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	10,770	3.1	16.38	34,070	11.76	19.84
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	9,220	2.7	14.52	30,200	10.91	16.77
Motor vehicle operators, all other.....	8,370	2.4	12.21	25,400	8.32	15.34

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<b>Furniture and furnishing merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423200)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	21,520	18.9	\$ 29.60	\$ 61,570	\$ 16.77	\$ 35.74
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	10,230	9.0	11.95	24,860	9.46	14.03
Customer service representatives .....	6,170	5.4	16.27	33,840	12.90	19.23
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	4,710	4.1	13.68	28,460	10.62	15.98
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	4,670	4.1	15.14	31,490	11.56	16.38
Team assemblers.....	4,140	3.6	11.91	24,780	9.11	14.04
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	3,520	3.1	13.75	28,600	11.10	15.61
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	3,470	3.0	12.70	26,420	9.92	14.86
Office clerks, general.....	3,450	3.0	13.07	27,180	9.61	15.82
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	3,390	3.0	17.28	35,950	13.52	20.38
<b>Lumber and const. supply merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423300)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	43,790	17.6	\$ 28.17	\$ 58,590	\$ 17.89	\$ 33.65
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	29,030	11.7	12.16	25,290	9.56	14.38
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	21,580	8.7	17.29	35,960	13.96	19.63
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	13,000	5.2	14.53	30,220	11.78	16.66
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	10,450	4.2	14.30	29,740	11.63	16.23
Team assemblers .....	7,870	3.2	12.71	26,440	10.17	14.92
Office clerks, general.....	6,800	2.7	13.35	27,760	9.84	15.76
General and operations managers .....	6,790	2.7	56.82	118,190	33.53	74.66
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	6,570	2.6	16.89	35,130	13.34	20.05
Customer service representatives.....	6,460	2.6	17.19	35,760	13.67	20.39
<b>Commercial equip. merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423400)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	60,820	9.3	\$ 39.17	\$ 81,470	\$ 22.65	\$ 49.71
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	57,390	8.8	28.96	60,230	16.97	35.54
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers.....	38,830	5.9	19.93	41,450	15.65	23.79
Customer service representatives .....	29,040	4.4	17.21	35,800	13.45	19.88
Computer support specialists .....	20,050	3.1	25.03	52,050	18.40	29.78
Computer systems analysts .....	19,750	3.0	44.19	91,910	33.50	54.74
Office clerks, general.....	17,350	2.7	14.23	29,590	10.73	16.84
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	17,300	2.6	12.67	26,340	9.96	14.93
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	16,870	2.6	14.01	29,140	11.10	16.37
Computer software engineers, applications.....	15,080	2.3	45.22	94,060	35.73	53.87
<b>Metal and mineral merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423500)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	18,430	13.9	\$ 32.81	\$ 68,240	\$ 19.37	\$ 38.94
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	14,800	11.2	13.13	27,320	10.26	15.52
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	6,710	5.1	17.42	36,240	14.18	19.51
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	5,720	4.3	14.37	29,880	11.52	16.51
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic .....	5,360	4.0	14.81	30,800	11.62	17.69
Machinists.....	4,750	3.6	16.44	34,190	13.06	19.28
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers .....	4,260	3.2	17.62	36,660	13.23	20.81
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	3,990	3.0	15.29	31,800	12.16	18.14
General and operations managers .....	3,890	2.9	63.68	132,460	37.14	(2)
Office clerks, general.....	3,620	2.7	13.48	28,050	10.60	15.72
<b>Electric goods merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423600)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	48,350	13.7	\$ 29.00	\$ 60,320	\$ 17.32	\$ 35.09
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	26,670	7.5	34.53	71,820	21.15	42.97
Customer service representatives .....	16,050	4.5	17.62	36,650	13.30	21.27
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	14,610	4.1	12.71	26,440	10.03	14.88
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	13,800	3.9	14.29	29,720	11.30	16.45
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	10,180	2.9	17.36	36,110	13.54	20.65
General and operations managers .....	10,150	2.9	59.64	124,050	36.22	78.80
Office clerks, general.....	9,810	2.8	13.41	27,900	10.17	15.88
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	9,700	2.7	12.77	26,560	10.12	14.98
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	7,750	2.2	40.99	85,250	26.42	49.18
<b>Hardware and plumbing merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423700)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	50,320	19.8	\$ 27.41	\$ 57,010	\$ 16.97	\$ 32.85
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	17,030	6.7	12.72	26,470	10.22	14.87
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	12,950	5.1	12.75	26,510	10.15	14.96
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	12,480	4.9	13.42	27,920	10.92	15.41
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	10,710	4.2	13.95	29,020	11.27	15.88
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers .....	9,540	3.7	22.95	47,730	16.71	28.52
Customer service representatives .....	8,000	3.1	17.25	35,870	13.72	19.74
Office clerks, general.....	7,800	3.1	13.05	27,150	9.68	15.60
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	7,420	2.9	16.91	35,170	13.43	19.65
General and operations managers .....	7,180	2.8	56.55	117,620	33.14	74.11

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<b>Machinery and supply merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423800)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	113,770	16.5	\$ 28.51	\$ 59,300	\$ 17.38	\$ 34.74
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	33,420	4.8	21.16	44,010	16.81	24.67
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	26,070	3.8	12.60	26,210	9.73	14.97
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	23,120	3.3	33.59	69,870	19.96	40.24
Parts salespersons.....	22,980	3.3	16.12	33,530	12.50	19.06
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	22,350	3.2	16.28	33,850	12.83	19.25
Farm equipment mechanics.....	22,090	3.2	16.05	33,380	12.87	18.78
Office clerks, general.....	21,340	3.1	13.14	27,330	9.76	15.58
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	21,000	3.0	21.29	44,290	15.92	25.55
Customer service representatives.....	20,790	3.0	17.20	35,780	13.35	20.37
<b>Misc. durable goods merchant wholesalers (NAICS 423900)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	42,920	14.1	\$ 11.43	\$ 23,780	\$ 8.91	\$ 13.23
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	41,340	13.6	27.77	57,770	15.36	33.61
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	11,560	3.8	16.84	35,020	13.63	19.10
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	11,320	3.7	11.52	23,950	9.09	13.33
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	11,070	3.6	13.35	27,770	10.31	15.48
Office clerks, general.....	10,580	3.5	12.32	25,630	8.75	14.57
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	8,660	2.8	16.54	34,410	12.96	19.43
General and operations managers .....	8,650	2.8	58.40	121,480	32.09	(2)
Customer service representatives.....	8,270	2.7	16.19	33,680	12.62	19.13
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	7,730	2.5	13.41	27,880	10.74	15.34
<b>Paper and paper product merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424100)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	26,600	18.7	\$ 31.95	\$ 66,450	\$ 17.58	\$ 39.27
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	10,440	7.3	12.84	26,710	9.88	15.44
Customer service representatives.....	9,930	7.0	17.10	35,570	13.07	20.30
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	7,460	5.2	13.02	27,080	9.85	15.63
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	6,130	4.3	14.00	29,120	11.09	16.20
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	6,080	4.3	13.91	28,930	11.06	16.23
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	5,400	3.8	15.46	32,160	12.71	18.07
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	5,250	3.7	18.34	38,160	15.15	20.93
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	4,000	2.8	16.91	35,180	13.73	19.86
Office clerks, general.....	3,770	2.6	13.14	27,330	9.76	15.54
<b>Druggists' goods merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424200)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	52,040	25.3	\$ 38.98	\$ 81,070	\$ 26.96	\$ 48.36
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	17,010	8.3	29.05	60,430	17.03	36.25
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	11,760	5.7	12.44	25,870	9.77	14.65
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	8,360	4.1	12.23	25,440	9.93	14.31
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	7,990	3.9	13.87	28,840	10.74	16.02
Customer service representatives.....	7,180	3.5	15.62	32,500	12.19	18.48
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	5,000	2.4	47.66	99,140	30.54	61.03
Packers and packagers, hand.....	4,420	2.2	10.39	21,620	8.00	12.00
Pharmacy technicians.....	3,780	1.8	13.85	28,800	11.26	16.06
Sales managers.....	3,760	1.8	63.86	132,830	41.62	(2)
<b>Apparel and piece goods merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424300)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	22,750	15.0	\$ 31.60	\$ 65,720	\$ 16.44	\$ 38.16
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	16,470	10.8	11.43	23,780	8.71	13.57
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	9,000	5.9	13.68	28,460	9.88	16.15
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	8,540	5.6	12.20	25,380	8.98	14.59
Fashion designers.....	7,190	4.7	34.60	71,970	21.55	42.48
Retail salespersons.....	7,080	4.7	12.52	26,050	8.73	13.95
Customer service representatives.....	5,380	3.5	16.23	33,750	12.60	19.24
Office clerks, general.....	4,570	3.0	12.76	26,530	8.90	15.64
Order clerks.....	4,470	2.9	13.27	27,610	10.12	15.76
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	4,330	2.8	17.89	37,210	13.82	21.44
<b>Grocery and Related Product Wholesalers (NAICS 424400)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	94,430	12.8	\$ 26.96	\$ 56,070	\$ 16.97	\$ 31.73
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	71,210	9.7	12.77	26,570	9.60	15.29
Driver/sales workers.....	70,250	9.5	15.29	31,810	10.81	18.91
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	67,590	9.2	20.17	41,950	15.73	23.72
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	42,720	5.8	13.05	27,140	9.83	15.56
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	36,530	5.0	14.44	30,030	11.00	17.31
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	25,520	3.5	15.26	31,740	12.18	18.14
Packers and packagers, hand.....	21,480	2.9	10.90	22,670	8.25	12.53
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	17,740	2.4	14.26	29,660	10.93	16.98
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	14,180	1.9	16.25	33,800	12.98	19.13

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<b>Farm product raw material merch. whls. (NAICS 424500)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	10,410	13.9	\$ 10.64	\$ 22,120	\$ 8.08	\$ 12.35
Farmworkers, farm and ranch animals .....	7,590	10.1	9.52	19,800	7.44	10.77
Conveyor operators and tenders.....	5,640	7.5	12.87	26,760	10.36	14.68
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	5,510	7.3	14.79	30,770	11.39	17.30
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	4,860	6.5	23.71	49,320	15.12	28.55
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	3,700	4.9	13.04	27,130	10.38	15.33
Office clerks, general.....	3,210	4.3	10.64	22,130	8.05	12.58
Graders and sorters, agricultural products.....	2,040	2.7	11.65	24,240	9.19	13.42
Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products.....	1,880	2.5	27.37	56,930	19.30	30.79
General and operations managers .....	1,730	2.3	41.73	86,800	25.26	49.02
<b>Chemical merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424600)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	19,060	14.7	\$ 32.13	\$ 66,830	\$ 17.85	\$ 38.94
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	8,460	6.5	37.40	77,790	23.05	47.10
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	8,180	6.3	18.71	38,910	14.97	21.82
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	7,210	5.5	12.79	26,590	9.38	15.46
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,970	3.8	15.34	31,900	11.92	18.22
Customer service representatives.....	4,510	3.5	17.59	36,590	13.94	20.18
General and operations managers .....	4,310	3.3	60.05	124,910	32.02	(2)
Office clerks, general.....	3,790	2.9	12.92	26,870	8.88	15.63
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	3,450	2.7	15.44	32,110	12.25	18.47
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	3,320	2.6	17.43	36,250	13.66	20.60
<b>Petroleum merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424700)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	23,420	23.1	\$ 18.61	\$ 38,700	\$ 14.12	\$ 22.48
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	8,960	8.8	29.47	61,290	17.02	35.22
Cashiers.....	5,060	5.0	8.47	17,620	7.27	9.21
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	4,180	4.1	15.31	31,850	11.75	18.48
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,160	4.1	14.87	30,920	11.60	17.41
Office clerks, general.....	4,060	4.0	12.47	25,930	8.87	14.96
General and operations managers .....	3,390	3.3	51.95	108,060	28.80	67.31
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	2,710	2.7	11.76	24,460	8.61	14.20
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	2,520	2.5	12.72	26,450	10.18	14.95
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,310	2.3	16.97	35,290	12.49	20.60
<b>Alcoholic beverage merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424800)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	41,140	25.2	\$ 25.72	\$ 53,500	\$ 17.24	\$ 30.09
Truck drivers.....	14,590	8.9	19.23	40,000	15.50	22.69
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	14,370	8.8	12.63	26,260	9.80	14.86
Driver/sales workers.....	10,720	6.6	18.39	38,250	13.81	22.22
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	8,870	5.4	15.21	31,640	11.88	17.92
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	7,310	4.5	15.43	32,100	12.00	18.54
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	6,800	4.2	34.50	71,770	24.52	39.70
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	5,110	3.1	13.07	27,190	10.42	14.98
Merchandise displayers and window trimmers.....	3,660	2.2	13.23	27,520	10.80	14.82
Sales managers.....	3,180	1.9	49.00	101,930	31.29	59.79
<b>Misc. nondurable goods merchant wholesalers (NAICS 424900)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	52,410	14.4	\$ 25.37	\$ 52,760	\$ 14.88	\$ 30.53
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	37,870	10.4	11.08	23,040	8.67	12.76
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	20,670	5.7	12.88	26,780	9.69	14.77
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	20,410	5.6	11.60	24,140	9.06	13.46
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse .....	16,700	4.6	10.19	21,200	8.06	11.61
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	13,910	3.8	15.83	32,930	12.12	18.61
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	12,370	3.4	13.01	27,050	9.91	15.25
Office clerks, general.....	11,250	3.1	12.09	25,150	8.86	14.46
Packers and packagers, hand .....	10,040	2.7	10.61	22,070	8.33	12.32
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	9,680	2.7	15.91	33,080	12.32	19.08
<b>Electronic markets and agents and brokers (NAICS 425100)</b>						
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products .....	243,380	28.8	\$ 33.57	\$ 69,830	\$ 18.60	\$ 41.18
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products .....	58,690	6.9	42.62	88,650	26.29	52.84
Office clerks, general.....	33,100	3.9	12.36	25,700	8.44	14.90
Customer service representatives.....	32,690	3.9	16.89	35,140	13.06	19.85
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	32,000	3.8	12.23	25,440	9.16	14.20
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	19,840	2.3	16.65	34,630	13.09	19.60
General and operations managers .....	19,510	2.3	60.85	126,560	34.20	(2)
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	19,280	2.3	13.76	28,630	10.38	16.51
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	18,690	2.2	12.44	25,870	9.66	14.67
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	15,760	1.9	45.93	95,540	26.41	58.49

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Occupation	Employment	Percent of Industry Employment	Mean wages		Percentiles	
			Hourly	Annual <sup>1</sup>	25th	75th
<b>Automobile dealers (NAICS 441100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	276,220	22.6	\$ 21.63	\$ 44,990	\$ 12.86	\$ 27.67
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	216,520	17.7	20.57	42,790	14.71	25.18
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	80,110	6.6	10.57	21,990	8.30	12.07
Parts salespersons.....	59,180	4.8	17.40	36,180	12.26	21.59
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	46,720	3.8	37.31	77,610	23.58	46.75
Office clerks, general.....	36,240	3.0	12.41	25,820	9.25	14.67
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	31,710	2.6	31.04	64,560	22.10	38.33
Automotive body and related repairers.....	31,700	2.6	20.50	42,640	14.89	24.93
Counter and rental clerks.....	31,440	2.6	19.11	39,750	12.28	23.99
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	29,810	2.4	15.25	31,720	12.11	18.07
<b>Other motor vehicle dealers (NAICS 441200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	40,260	23.5	\$ 18.93	\$ 39,370	\$ 11.21	\$ 23.57
Motorcycle mechanics.....	14,830	8.7	16.16	33,620	12.12	19.28
Parts salespersons.....	13,680	8.0	13.62	28,330	10.28	15.94
Motorboat mechanics.....	10,160	5.9	16.96	35,270	13.17	20.05
Recreational vehicle service technicians.....	9,720	5.7	16.03	33,350	12.47	19.11
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	6,690	3.9	27.85	57,930	17.86	32.92
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	5,540	3.2	15.16	31,530	12.13	18.08
Office clerks, general.....	5,510	3.2	11.94	24,840	8.91	14.24
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	5,360	3.1	10.21	21,230	8.35	11.72
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	4,550	2.7	25.42	52,880	18.60	30.23
<b>Auto parts, accessories, and tire stores (NAICS 441300)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	81,970	16.6	\$ 13.67	\$ 28,440	\$ 9.08	\$ 16.20
Tire repairers and changers.....	73,360	14.8	11.23	23,360	8.98	12.62
Parts salespersons.....	69,730	14.1	12.15	25,280	9.13	14.27
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	55,570	11.2	15.99	33,260	11.46	19.28
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	40,020	8.1	9.46	19,670	8.00	10.09
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	31,350	6.3	20.80	43,270	14.51	24.31
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	13,210	2.7	22.37	46,530	16.37	26.56
Counter and rental clerks.....	12,690	2.6	12.51	26,020	9.09	14.64
Office clerks, general.....	9,780	2.0	11.53	23,970	8.48	13.65
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	9,700	2.0	10.90	22,680	8.49	12.80
<b>Furniture stores (NAICS 442100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	105,240	38.5	\$ 16.05	\$ 33,390	\$ 10.07	\$ 19.59
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	26,540	9.7	11.55	24,010	8.95	13.49
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	22,290	8.1	10.80	22,460	8.59	12.31
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	15,110	5.5	25.12	52,250	16.67	30.26
Office clerks, general.....	9,310	3.4	11.44	23,800	8.70	13.58
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	7,320	2.7	10.75	22,360	8.53	12.14
Cashiers.....	7,210	2.6	9.77	20,320	8.24	11.03
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	6,640	2.4	14.73	30,650	11.38	17.58
Customer service representatives.....	5,820	2.1	13.25	27,570	9.95	15.37
General and operations managers.....	5,310	1.9	42.08	87,530	24.81	50.72
<b>Home furnishings stores (NAICS 442200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	129,300	45.3	\$ 14.02	\$ 29,160	\$ 8.91	\$ 16.35
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	18,380	6.4	23.65	49,190	15.63	28.06
Cashiers.....	17,150	6.0	9.00	18,730	7.73	9.76
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	14,550	5.1	10.49	21,820	8.48	11.86
Carpet installers.....	11,480	4.0	18.80	39,110	12.64	23.36
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,540	3.3	10.74	22,340	8.27	12.46
Office clerks, general.....	7,090	2.5	12.05	25,060	8.88	14.39
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	7,020	2.5	15.34	31,910	11.96	18.50
General and operations managers.....	5,010	1.8	44.05	91,630	26.55	52.03
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	4,560	1.6	13.20	27,450	10.16	15.32
<b>Electronics and appliance stores (NAICS 443100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	233,600	41.5	\$ 12.89	\$ 26,820	\$ 8.79	\$ 14.67
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	41,480	7.4	21.53	44,780	15.41	25.16
Cashiers.....	25,970	4.6	9.58	19,920	8.12	10.62
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	19,460	3.5	10.58	22,000	8.60	11.86
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers.....	17,720	3.1	16.75	34,830	12.30	20.10
Computer support specialists.....	15,210	2.7	18.11	37,670	13.08	21.09
Customer service representatives.....	14,070	2.5	12.82	26,660	9.22	15.24
Home appliance repairers.....	12,420	2.2	15.87	33,010	12.07	19.06
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	10,800	1.9	12.57	26,150	9.41	14.90
Office clerks, general.....	10,330	1.8	11.83	24,600	8.71	14.00

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<b>Building material and supplies dealers (NAICS 444100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	426,450	37.5	\$ 13.09	\$ 27,230	\$ 9.88	\$ 14.99
Cashiers.....	114,740	10.1	9.80	20,390	8.31	11.19
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	87,630	7.7	20.43	42,490	14.92	23.24
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	49,230	4.3	12.43	25,860	10.12	14.45
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	44,570	3.9	11.86	24,670	9.26	14.07
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	37,360	3.3	13.02	27,090	10.55	15.07
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	24,690	2.2	26.59	55,300	16.57	31.14
General and operations managers.....	21,290	1.9	40.44	84,120	26.06	47.19
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	19,910	1.8	14.64	30,460	11.20	17.55
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	19,870	1.7	16.27	33,840	12.95	19.12
<b>Lawn and garden equipment and supplies stores (NAICS 444200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	40,360	26.8	\$ 12.25	\$ 25,470	\$ 8.63	\$ 14.36
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse.....	12,600	8.4	10.29	21,390	8.10	11.80
Cashiers.....	12,280	8.1	9.43	19,610	7.84	10.56
Outdoor power equipment and other small engine mechanics.....	10,050	6.7	14.16	29,440	11.03	16.75
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,570	6.3	9.97	20,730	7.85	11.48
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	8,760	5.8	11.37	23,650	8.81	13.21
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	7,180	4.8	20.07	41,740	14.17	23.57
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,420	2.9	13.10	27,240	10.36	15.53
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	4,230	2.8	10.45	21,740	8.21	11.92
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	3,900	2.6	14.39	29,920	10.91	16.96
<b>Grocery stores (NAICS 445100)</b>						
Cashiers.....	853,230	34.0	\$ 9.51	\$ 19,780	\$ 7.53	\$ 10.15
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	420,150	16.8	10.48	21,790	7.94	12.06
Packers and packagers, hand.....	178,760	7.1	8.49	17,670	7.34	9.13
Food preparation workers.....	130,890	5.2	10.29	21,400	8.08	11.85
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	122,960	4.9	17.98	37,390	13.27	21.51
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	98,360	3.9	9.92	20,630	8.01	11.43
Butchers and meat cutters.....	88,920	3.5	14.49	30,130	10.55	17.96
Customer service representatives.....	66,090	2.6	10.33	21,490	7.70	12.06
Retail salespersons.....	48,370	1.9	11.14	23,170	8.37	12.49
Bakers.....	41,480	1.7	12.01	24,990	9.14	14.36
<b>Specialty food stores (NAICS 445200)</b>						
Cashiers.....	48,630	21.1	\$ 9.04	\$ 18,800	\$ 7.57	\$ 9.71
Retail salespersons.....	32,190	14.0	10.81	22,490	8.00	11.97
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	16,690	7.2	8.96	18,640	7.72	9.67
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	12,720	5.5	9.95	20,690	8.00	11.21
Butchers and meat cutters.....	12,140	5.3	13.48	28,050	9.60	15.94
Food preparation workers.....	11,300	4.9	9.21	19,160	7.77	9.96
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	10,460	4.5	17.51	36,420	12.48	20.06
Driver/sales workers.....	5,590	2.4	14.90	30,990	10.13	18.93
Packers and packagers, hand.....	5,330	2.3	9.31	19,360	7.92	10.06
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	5,010	2.2	12.61	26,220	9.62	14.64
<b>Beer, wine, and liquor stores (NAICS 445300)</b>						
Cashiers.....	70,420	50.9	\$ 9.08	\$ 18,880	\$ 7.66	\$ 9.91
Retail salespersons.....	22,320	16.1	11.60	24,120	8.27	13.09
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	14,560	10.5	17.81	37,040	12.55	20.94
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	12,020	8.7	9.75	20,290	7.98	10.98
General and operations managers.....	2,300	1.7	33.96	70,630	22.14	39.29
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,860	1.3	14.33	29,810	9.91	17.99
Office clerks, general.....	1,680	1.2	11.40	23,700	8.00	13.84
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	1,460	1.1	9.85	20,490	7.64	11.25
Driver/sales workers.....	970	0.7	13.94	28,990	9.27	17.68
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	910	0.7	24.64	51,240	17.31	29.24
<b>Health and personal care stores (NAICS 446100)</b>						
Cashiers.....	229,850	22.7	\$ 9.39	\$ 19,530	\$ 7.69	\$ 9.97
Retail salespersons.....	128,500	12.7	11.38	23,660	8.19	12.58
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	43,450	4.3	9.50	19,770	8.02	10.40
Opticians, dispensing.....	20,630	2.0	17.63	36,670	12.60	21.52
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	16,020	1.6	11.31	23,520	8.97	12.94
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	12,000	1.2	14.97	31,130	11.15	18.10
General and operations managers.....	11,170	1.1	44.99	93,570	25.41	55.15
Office clerks, general.....	10,100	1.0	12.22	25,420	9.15	14.65
Photographic processing machine operators.....	10,060	1.0	9.67	20,110	8.00	10.70
Ophthalmic laboratory technicians.....	8,070	0.8	12.99	27,010	9.95	15.28

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<b>Gasoline stations (NAICS 447100)</b>						
Cashiers.....	554,210	64.8	\$ 8.41	\$ 17,500	\$ 7.32	\$ 9.26
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	78,890	9.2	15.66	32,580	11.70	18.41
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	27,640	3.2	8.03	16,700	7.09	8.86
Service station attendants.....	25,760	3.0	9.22	19,190	8.01	9.80
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	21,800	2.5	16.65	34,640	11.54	20.12
Retail salespersons.....	13,950	1.6	9.99	20,780	7.66	10.65
Food preparation workers.....	9,990	1.2	8.23	17,110	7.22	9.08
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	8,170	1.0	12.92	26,880	9.72	15.40
General and operations managers.....	7,200	0.8	31.45	65,420	18.08	36.67
Waiters and waitresses.....	6,840	0.8	8.00	16,650	7.00	8.33
<b>Clothing stores (NAICS 448100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	737,640	63.2	\$ 10.17	\$ 21,150	\$ 7.77	\$ 11.00
Cashiers.....	126,100	10.8	8.72	18,140	7.51	9.42
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	116,430	10.0	18.03	37,500	13.07	21.16
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	65,220	5.6	9.38	19,510	7.72	10.26
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	11,680	1.0	9.36	19,460	7.73	9.75
Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers.....	11,550	1.0	13.77	28,650	10.31	16.82
General and operations managers.....	10,580	0.9	36.87	76,700	21.72	42.48
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	9,730	0.8	11.60	24,130	8.68	13.63
Customer service representatives.....	7,420	0.6	11.93	24,810	8.98	13.90
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	7,130	0.6	14.63	30,440	10.92	17.97
<b>Shoe stores (NAICS 448200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	135,190	70.5	\$ 9.91	\$ 20,620	\$ 7.70	\$ 10.80
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	24,370	12.7	17.41	36,210	12.70	19.81
Cashiers.....	13,680	7.1	8.35	17,360	7.31	9.19
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	5,410	2.8	9.18	19,080	7.59	9.95
General and operations managers.....	2,040	1.1	36.20	75,300	20.42	45.17
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,460	0.8	14.73	30,650	10.62	18.10
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	1,240	0.6	10.79	22,440	8.48	12.34
Sales managers.....	1,190	0.6	26.99	56,130	17.85	28.45
Customer service representatives.....	1,000	0.5	12.43	25,850	9.97	14.15
Office clerks, general.....	960	0.5	10.80	22,470	8.23	12.72
<b>Jewelry, luggage, and leather goods stores (NAICS 448300)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	103,200	62.9	\$ 12.32	\$ 25,620	\$ 8.58	\$ 14.13
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	15,630	9.5	21.48	44,670	14.75	24.69
Jewelers and precious stone and metal workers.....	10,980	6.7	18.43	38,340	13.28	22.33
Cashiers.....	5,220	3.2	9.06	18,840	7.43	9.85
Office clerks, general.....	4,160	2.5	11.99	24,930	8.67	14.04
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	3,740	2.3	15.12	31,450	11.75	18.12
General and operations managers.....	2,800	1.7	46.64	97,010	26.35	59.80
Watch repairers.....	1,470	0.9	16.35	34,020	11.83	20.89
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	1,430	0.9	10.97	22,830	8.27	12.07
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	1,140	0.7	12.80	26,630	10.43	14.99
<b>Sporting goods and musical instrument stores (NAICS 451100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	256,180	52.0	\$ 10.27	\$ 21,370	\$ 8.00	\$ 11.43
Cashiers.....	76,570	15.5	8.66	18,010	7.53	9.42
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	39,700	8.1	18.29	38,050	13.04	21.38
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	14,300	2.9	9.83	20,450	8.04	11.19
Bicycle repairers.....	9,150	1.9	11.62	24,170	9.19	13.67
General and operations managers.....	8,200	1.7	38.35	79,760	22.97	43.71
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	7,050	1.4	13.96	29,030	10.66	16.66
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	6,830	1.4	11.60	24,120	9.01	13.42
Office clerks, general.....	6,160	1.2	11.99	24,930	8.66	14.58
Customer service representatives.....	6,100	1.2	11.47	23,860	8.87	13.13
<b>Book, periodical, and music stores (NAICS 451200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	78,920	44.4	\$ 9.33	\$ 19,410	\$ 7.61	\$ 10.03
Cashiers.....	42,650	24.0	8.57	17,820	7.41	9.33
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	16,490	9.3	16.84	35,030	12.64	19.52
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	7,170	4.0	9.53	19,820	8.00	10.53
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	3,420	1.9	11.35	23,610	8.70	13.26
General and operations managers.....	2,660	1.5	34.69	72,160	21.20	38.68
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop.....	2,650	1.5	9.27	19,280	8.01	10.04
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	2,570	1.4	9.07	18,870	7.81	9.69
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	2,330	1.3	13.75	28,590	10.47	16.25
Wholesale and retail buyers, except farm products.....	1,830	1.0	20.65	42,950	13.94	24.81

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<b>Department stores (NAICS 452100)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	509,830	31.9	\$ 9.89	\$ 20,580	\$ 8.00	\$ 11.03
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	325,390	20.4	9.71	20,200	8.15	10.95
Cashiers.....	231,320	14.5	8.63	17,950	7.53	9.43
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	92,770	5.8	15.84	32,940	11.76	18.94
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	62,650	3.9	9.55	19,870	8.14	10.39
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	46,060	2.9	14.62	30,400	11.49	16.87
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	28,250	1.8	10.75	22,350	8.24	12.70
Security guards.....	20,850	1.3	12.02	25,000	9.28	13.54
Customer service representatives.....	19,980	1.2	10.66	22,170	8.57	11.96
Pharmacists.....	16,750	1.0	50.75	105,560	46.86	59.27
<b>Other general merchandise stores (NAICS 452900)</b>						
Cashiers.....	346,550	23.1	\$ 9.19	\$ 19,120	\$ 7.57	\$ 9.93
Retail salespersons.....	344,530	23.0	9.73	20,240	8.05	11.01
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	197,270	13.1	10.09	20,980	8.34	11.45
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	136,660	9.1	15.67	32,590	11.61	19.02
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	73,030	4.9	10.66	22,170	8.15	11.91
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	36,290	2.4	12.88	26,790	10.29	14.55
Customer service representatives.....	32,380	2.2	12.21	25,400	9.06	13.92
Pharmacy technicians.....	19,160	1.3	12.82	26,660	10.29	14.68
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	14,670	1.0	14.03	29,180	10.93	16.85
General and operations managers.....	13,410	0.9	34.77	72,330	25.22	42.90
<b>Florists (NAICS 453100)</b>						
Floral designers.....	40,090	43.7	\$ 11.58	\$ 24,080	\$ 8.86	\$ 13.87
Retail salespersons.....	15,010	16.4	9.67	20,110	7.66	10.71
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	14,550	15.9	9.69	20,160	7.90	10.95
Cashiers.....	4,200	4.6	8.79	18,290	7.52	9.55
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	2,170	2.4	17.94	37,320	12.98	20.58
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,970	2.1	12.98	27,000	9.54	15.39
Farmworkers and laborers, crop, nursery, and greenhouse.....	1,700	1.9	10.15	21,120	8.11	11.81
Office clerks, general.....	1,560	1.7	10.71	22,270	8.15	12.88
Driver/sales workers.....	1,540	1.7	9.64	20,050	7.93	10.58
General and operations managers.....	980	1.1	33.52	69,720	20.00	41.03
<b>Office supplies, stationery, and gift stores (NAICS 453200)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	143,830	40.4	\$ 10.25	\$ 21,320	\$ 7.87	\$ 11.27
Cashiers.....	79,180	22.2	8.83	18,370	7.61	9.56
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	29,200	8.2	17.95	37,330	13.01	20.52
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	16,330	4.6	9.83	20,450	8.10	11.17
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers.....	9,310	2.6	17.92	37,280	14.18	21.15
General and operations managers.....	5,310	1.5	39.67	82,510	23.91	48.22
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	4,930	1.4	27.83	57,900	15.88	32.80
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	4,560	1.3	13.85	28,800	10.81	16.55
Customer service representatives.....	4,540	1.3	12.89	26,810	9.69	15.25
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,540	1.3	11.82	24,590	9.16	13.96
<b>Used merchandise stores (NAICS 453300)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	46,180	38.9	\$ 10.75	\$ 22,370	\$ 7.57	\$ 11.20
Cashiers.....	22,100	18.6	8.47	17,620	7.30	9.29
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	9,620	8.1	8.85	18,410	7.62	9.60
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	8,870	7.5	17.84	37,110	11.81	19.75
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	7,380	6.2	9.00	18,720	7.40	9.77
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	2,790	2.3	9.59	19,950	7.45	10.72
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	2,390	2.0	11.65	24,220	9.24	13.60
Office clerks, general.....	1,410	1.2	11.44	23,790	8.04	14.08
General and operations managers.....	1,400	1.2	34.48	71,710	19.60	41.19
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,380	1.2	14.58	30,320	9.78	18.88
<b>Other miscellaneous store retailers (NAICS 453900)</b>						
Retail salespersons.....	112,820	38.1	\$ 11.95	\$ 24,850	\$ 8.25	\$ 13.23
Cashiers.....	37,490	12.7	8.56	17,800	7.39	9.37
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	21,090	7.1	18.82	39,140	12.86	22.07
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	19,830	6.7	9.36	19,470	7.93	9.82
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	9,060	3.1	10.03	20,850	8.02	11.16
Office clerks, general.....	6,610	2.2	11.47	23,850	8.51	13.38
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	6,310	2.1	10.66	22,170	8.38	12.45
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	5,920	2.0	14.28	29,700	10.70	17.41
General and operations managers.....	5,070	1.7	41.13	85,560	23.59	50.02
Manufactured building and mobile home installers.....	4,040	1.4	13.68	28,460	10.86	15.84

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<b>Electronic shopping and mail-order houses (NAICS 454100)</b>						
Customer service representatives.....	34,830	13.5	\$ 12.91	\$ 26,860	\$ 10.27	\$ 14.91
Order clerks.....	31,010	12.0	11.93	24,820	9.20	14.26
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	14,920	5.8	12.62	26,240	9.69	14.85
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	12,580	4.9	11.04	22,960	8.80	12.77
Retail salespersons.....	11,590	4.5	13.78	28,660	8.91	15.57
Telemarketers.....	9,720	3.8	12.54	26,070	8.56	14.55
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,690	3.8	11.69	24,310	9.31	13.62
Packers and packagers, hand.....	8,760	3.4	10.51	21,860	8.56	11.91
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	6,150	2.4	21.32	44,350	15.40	25.40
Office clerks, general.....	5,720	2.2	12.51	26,020	9.74	14.77
<b>Vending machine operators (NAICS 454200)</b>						
Coin, vending, and amusement machine servicers and repairers.....	13,800	28.7	\$ 13.54	\$ 28,170	\$ 10.48	\$ 16.26
Driver/sales workers.....	8,370	17.4	13.46	27,990	9.91	16.73
Food preparation workers.....	1,540	3.2	9.32	19,390	7.92	10.70
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	1,490	3.1	8.84	18,400	7.44	9.53
Food preparation and serving related workers, all other.....	1,400	2.9	9.64	20,050	7.74	10.91
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	1,400	2.9	14.12	29,370	10.79	16.64
Office clerks, general.....	1,380	2.9	11.40	23,720	8.25	13.45
Sales and related workers, all other.....	1,120	2.3	14.64	30,450	10.03	16.19
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	1,070	2.2	22.35	46,500	14.74	25.76
General and operations managers.....	1,020	2.1	41.04	85,370	26.23	47.90
<b>Direct selling establishments (NAICS 454300)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	18,880	13.3	\$ 17.78	\$ 36,980	\$ 14.25	\$ 20.30
Driver/sales workers.....	15,860	11.2	15.32	31,860	11.60	18.53
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers.....	11,690	8.3	20.84	43,360	16.45	25.08
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	7,530	5.3	14.92	31,030	11.97	17.46
Retail salespersons.....	7,370	5.2	15.72	32,700	8.70	18.80
Customer service representatives.....	7,190	5.1	13.80	28,710	11.00	15.68
Office clerks, general.....	6,730	4.8	12.54	26,080	9.40	14.94
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	4,390	3.1	12.94	26,920	10.37	15.12
General and operations managers.....	4,040	2.9	45.40	94,420	28.30	53.44
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	4,020	2.8	15.19	31,590	11.54	18.40
<b>Scheduled air transportation (NAICS 481100)</b>						
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	104,270	23.2	\$ 16.55	\$ 34,420	\$ 12.21	\$ 20.80
Flight attendants.....	97,400	21.7	(3)	39,730	(3)	(3)
Airline pilots, copilots, and flight engineers.....	62,680	14.0	(3)	123,500	(3)	(3)
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians.....	27,020	6.0	27.48	57,150	24.91	30.60
Cargo and freight agents.....	16,250	3.6	18.18	37,820	13.92	22.66
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	13,140	2.9	13.39	27,850	10.41	16.41
Transportation workers, all other.....	13,010	2.9	19.38	40,310	12.72	23.96
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	12,770	2.8	24.45	50,850	19.52	28.81
Customer service representatives.....	10,460	2.3	14.80	30,790	10.94	17.63
Baggage porters and bellhops.....	7,360	1.6	14.84	30,860	10.57	18.43
<b>Nonscheduled air transportation (NAICS 481200)</b>						
Commercial pilots.....	10,240	22.0	(3)	\$ 67,040	(3)	(3)
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians.....	5,580	12.0	25.25	52,520	19.37	29.96
Airline pilots, copilots, and flight engineers.....	4,780	10.3	(3)	86,060	(3)	(3)
Flight attendants.....	1,660	3.6	(3)	43,080	(3)	(3)
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	1,110	2.4	15.59	32,420	12.21	18.82
General and operations managers.....	1,020	2.2	48.89	101,690	30.12	61.12
Transportation workers, all other.....	970	2.1	16.02	33,330	11.19	18.86
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	810	1.7	19.22	39,980	14.13	22.30
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	770	1.7	33.43	69,540	25.73	39.53
Office clerks, general.....	740	1.6	13.36	27,790	9.56	16.08
<b>Rail transportation (NAICS 482100)</b>						
Locomotive engineers.....	40,250	18.3	\$ 25.81	\$ 53,680	\$ 18.72	\$ 30.21
Railroad conductors and yardmasters.....	35,500	16.2	26.06	54,200	18.93	31.81
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators.....	22,310	10.2	24.01	49,930	19.34	27.93
Rail car repairers.....	11,400	5.2	24.16	50,260	20.95	27.77
Rail-track laying and maintenance equipment operators.....	10,300	4.7	21.96	45,670	17.96	24.85
Signal and track switch repairers.....	4,920	2.2	22.98	47,790	20.65	26.32
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	4,730	2.2	30.60	63,640	25.28	36.36
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	4,710	2.1	23.91	49,730	18.98	28.86
Machinists.....	4,390	2.0	21.07	43,830	19.35	23.87
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	4,310	2.0	22.60	47,000	19.96	24.82

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<b>Sea, coastal, and Great Lakes transportation (NAICS 483100)</b>						
Sailors and marine oilers.....	6,470	17.0	\$ 17.94	\$ 37,320	\$ 13.64	\$ 22.19
Captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels.....	4,520	11.9	39.05	81,220	21.84	48.13
Ship engineers.....	3,560	9.4	36.04	74,950	22.93	41.95
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	1,580	4.2	12.54	26,080	10.25	15.54
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	1,200	3.2	29.93	62,250	20.81	37.05
Cargo and freight agents.....	1,070	2.8	21.98	45,710	16.03	26.75
Customer service representatives.....	980	2.6	17.82	37,060	13.41	21.75
General and operations managers.....	900	2.4	57.25	119,090	37.91	68.42
Office clerks, general.....	680	1.8	14.03	29,170	10.26	16.88
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	650	1.7	18.10	37,640	13.72	21.70
<b>Inland water transportation (NAICS 483200)</b>						
Sailors and marine oilers.....	7,830	30.2	\$ 16.60	\$ 34,530	\$ 12.70	\$ 19.74
Captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels.....	7,120	27.4	33.40	69,460	24.34	42.60
Ship engineers.....	2,190	8.4	29.99	62,370	23.74	35.81
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	750	2.9	14.10	29,320	10.63	16.07
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	410	1.6	17.50	36,400	12.87	21.74
General and operations managers.....	400	1.5	54.19	112,710	34.92	66.84
Office clerks, general.....	320	1.2	11.56	24,030	8.11	14.08
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	310	1.2	20.25	42,130	15.27	24.13
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	280	1.1	29.70	61,780	19.08	35.68
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	240	0.9	16.97	35,300	13.51	19.62
<b>General freight trucking (NAICS 484100)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	598,320	59.9	\$ 19.55	\$ 40,660	\$ 15.38	\$ 23.46
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	74,350	7.4	14.67	30,520	10.80	18.45
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	40,400	4.0	16.75	34,850	12.63	21.03
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	31,850	3.2	18.29	38,040	14.38	22.13
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	26,780	2.7	18.56	38,600	14.07	22.71
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	22,660	2.3	27.12	56,400	20.71	31.38
Office clerks, general.....	20,640	2.1	12.95	26,940	9.39	15.47
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	18,820	1.9	16.42	34,160	12.67	20.40
Customer service representatives.....	12,440	1.2	15.98	33,240	12.95	18.75
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	10,510	1.1	15.48	32,200	11.64	18.36
<b>Specialized freight trucking (NAICS 484200)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	217,440	50.9	\$ 18.28	\$ 38,030	\$ 13.97	\$ 22.04
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	41,950	9.8	12.19	25,350	9.59	14.07
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	25,360	5.9	15.21	31,640	11.54	18.35
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	12,770	3.0	17.51	36,430	13.63	20.84
Office clerks, general.....	10,980	2.6	11.80	24,550	8.33	14.25
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	10,910	2.6	26.23	54,550	18.78	31.12
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	9,640	2.3	18.53	38,550	13.87	22.65
General and operations managers.....	6,730	1.6	44.36	92,270	27.51	52.24
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	6,580	1.5	12.60	26,210	9.76	15.13
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	6,570	1.5	15.43	32,090	12.03	18.51
<b>Urban transit systems (NAICS 485100)</b>						
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	22,190	58.2	\$ 15.25	\$ 31,720	\$ 11.20	\$ 18.75
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	2,550	6.7	20.02	41,630	16.10	23.82
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	2,000	5.2	12.60	26,210	9.54	15.37
Bus drivers, school.....	1,490	3.9	13.59	28,270	9.64	16.70
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	950	2.5	24.14	50,200	17.78	29.83
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	760	2.0	16.04	33,370	12.78	19.20
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	570	1.5	11.97	24,890	9.02	14.57
Customer service representatives.....	550	1.4	14.10	29,330	10.28	16.05
General and operations managers.....	540	1.4	37.45	77,890	19.89	53.47
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	440	1.2	26.37	54,850	21.15	30.57
<b>Interurban and rural bus transportation (NAICS 485200)</b>						
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	9,060	49.2	\$ 18.08	\$ 37,600	\$ 14.31	\$ 22.31
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	3,180	17.3	11.90	24,760	9.25	13.29
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	900	4.9	19.07	39,660	15.85	22.69
Bus drivers, school.....	550	3.0	11.28	23,450	8.79	13.61
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	410	2.2	20.46	42,570	16.49	23.87
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	360	2.0	10.52	21,880	8.23	11.03
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	300	1.6	24.81	51,610	18.34	30.41
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	290	1.6	8.90	18,520	7.86	9.53
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	230	1.2	14.54	30,240	11.64	17.36
Office clerks, general.....	220	1.2	11.81	24,570	10.24	13.52

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<b>Taxi and limousine service (NAICS 485300)</b>						
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	47,050	62.8	\$ 12.41	\$ 25,820	\$ 8.91	\$ 15.00
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance .....	8,470	11.3	13.05	27,130	9.15	15.80
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	1,560	2.1	25.12	52,250	16.60	30.55
Automotive service technicians and mechanics .....	1,450	1.9	16.74	34,820	12.44	21.27
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	1,260	1.7	13.43	27,940	10.58	15.63
Office clerks, general.....	1,250	1.7	11.34	23,590	8.12	13.62
Customer service representatives.....	1,180	1.6	13.87	28,840	10.83	15.97
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	1,140	1.5	14.03	29,190	10.84	17.08
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,090	1.5	15.78	32,820	12.63	19.02
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	960	1.3	10.73	22,320	8.56	11.94
<b>School and employee bus transportation (NAICS 485400)</b>						
Bus drivers, school.....	145,190	74.0	\$ 13.66	\$ 28,410	\$ 10.99	\$ 15.87
Child care workers.....	12,220	6.2	9.87	20,520	8.08	11.30
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	5,360	2.7	18.44	38,360	14.84	21.66
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	4,620	2.4	10.30	21,420	8.41	11.64
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	4,190	2.1	13.54	28,160	10.81	15.93
Transportation attendants, except flight attendants and baggage porters .....	3,750	1.9	9.72	20,220	8.40	10.93
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	2,610	1.3	22.81	47,450	16.63	27.09
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance .....	2,070	1.1	16.02	33,320	12.80	19.06
Office clerks, general.....	1,270	0.6	12.58	26,160	9.31	15.16
Protective service workers, all other.....	1,090	0.6	13.01	27,070	9.79	12.98
<b>Charter bus industry (NAICS 485500)</b>						
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	18,350	54.5	\$ 13.60	\$ 28,280	\$ 10.98	\$ 15.57
Bus drivers, school.....	1,850	5.5	13.18	27,420	10.90	15.39
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	1,780	5.3	10.42	21,670	8.42	11.83
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	1,350	4.0	19.44	40,430	15.00	23.55
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	1,240	3.7	10.55	21,940	8.68	11.94
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance .....	820	2.4	15.64	32,540	12.87	17.99
Office clerks, general.....	630	1.9	11.45	23,810	8.12	14.06
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	600	1.8	23.71	49,310	16.59	29.14
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	490	1.5	12.57	26,150	10.44	14.64
General and operations managers.....	440	1.3	42.30	87,990	26.30	50.29
<b>Other ground passenger transportation (NAICS 485900)</b>						
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	22,890	31.5	\$ 10.69	\$ 22,230	\$ 8.45	\$ 12.13
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	13,030	18.0	14.04	29,200	10.76	15.80
Bus drivers, school.....	9,150	12.6	12.48	25,960	10.05	14.70
Ambulance drivers and attendants, except emergency medical technicians.....	3,830	5.3	10.66	22,170	8.67	12.15
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance .....	3,640	5.0	13.25	27,560	10.20	15.43
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	1,960	2.7	22.00	45,770	15.71	26.99
Office clerks, general.....	1,470	2.0	11.31	23,510	8.45	13.65
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics.....	1,260	1.7	14.33	29,810	11.13	16.56
Customer service representatives.....	1,070	1.5	13.00	27,050	10.33	14.98
General and operations managers.....	990	1.4	42.93	89,300	25.06	49.74
<b>Pipeline transportation of crude oil (NAICS 486100)</b>						
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers .....	1,940	24.2	\$ 27.16	\$ 56,480	\$ 24.46	\$ 30.31
Business operations specialists, all other.....	790	9.8	33.26	69,180	22.27	43.36
Installation, maintenance, and repair workers, all other.....	480	6.0	26.99	56,140	16.30	37.34
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	360	4.5	23.02	47,880	17.01	29.42
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	330	4.1	19.81	41,200	15.15	23.68
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians .....	280	3.5	26.68	55,490	20.90	32.95
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door.....	230	2.9	20.09	41,790	14.65	26.79
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	230	2.9	30.96	64,400	21.76	40.35
General and operations managers.....	150	1.9	50.15	104,310	36.30	60.36
Engineers, all other.....	140	1.7	45.49	94,620	34.42	57.93
<b>Pipeline transportation of natural gas (NAICS 486200)</b>						
Gas plant operators.....	3,140	12.0	\$ 25.80	\$ 53,660	\$ 21.91	\$ 29.91
Gas compressor and gas pumping station operators .....	1,590	6.1	23.71	49,320	20.55	27.31
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	1,190	4.5	23.56	49,010	18.34	28.98
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers .....	950	3.6	25.51	53,060	21.71	30.25
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door.....	850	3.2	24.84	51,660	20.06	30.56
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters .....	830	3.2	26.05	54,180	19.96	31.42
Customer service representatives.....	790	3.0	22.28	46,350	14.71	29.93
Accountants and auditors.....	770	2.9	30.83	64,120	22.49	36.30
General and operations managers.....	710	2.7	55.81	116,090	32.12	74.25
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	700	2.7	17.94	37,300	12.72	23.05

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<b>Other pipeline transportation (NAICS 486900)</b>						
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers .....	2,040	33.0	\$ 26.62	\$ 55,370	\$ 21.96	\$ 30.60
Gas plant operators.....	350	5.7	26.52	55,150	21.65	30.84
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	340	5.5	24.53	51,020	20.75	29.13
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	280	4.5	31.10	64,680	22.17	39.00
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	220	3.6	20.03	41,670	15.44	24.07
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	190	3.1	19.69	40,960	14.99	25.37
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	160	2.6	12.87	26,760	10.21	13.85
Gas compressor and gas pumping station operators.....	160	2.6	18.26	37,970	13.56	22.82
Pump operators, except wellhead pumpers.....	150	2.4	17.82	37,060	13.50	22.09
General and operations managers.....	140	2.3	44.66	92,900	32.47	52.80
<b>Scenic and sightseeing transportation, land (NAICS 487100)</b>						
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	2,750	24.9	\$ 14.03	\$ 29,180	\$ 10.89	\$ 16.06
Tour guides and escorts.....	1,960	17.8	13.38	27,840	10.01	16.17
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	450	4.1	11.21	23,310	8.27	12.90
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	310	2.8	12.63	26,270	9.28	14.45
Office clerks, general.....	310	2.8	11.17	23,230	9.08	12.82
General and operations managers.....	260	2.4	44.88	93,350	22.50	69.64
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	250	2.3	10.94	22,760	8.84	12.99
Waiters and waitresses.....	190	1.7	9.94	20,680	7.57	11.24
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	190	1.7	13.17	27,400	10.29	15.20
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	190	1.7	18.87	39,250	15.78	21.78
<b>Scenic and sightseeing transportation, water (NAICS 487200)</b>						
Sailors and marine oilers.....	1,480	9.6	\$ 12.34	\$ 25,670	\$ 9.05	\$ 14.41
Waiters and waitresses.....	1,120	7.2	11.84	24,640	7.86	12.55
Tour guides and escorts.....	950	6.1	13.24	27,540	8.47	15.34
Transportation attendants, except flight attendants and baggage porters.....	850	5.5	11.00	22,870	8.91	12.70
Motorboat operators.....	620	4.0	15.44	32,110	11.21	18.09
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	470	3.0	11.94	24,840	9.20	14.05
Bartenders.....	400	2.6	10.32	21,470	7.49	11.78
Office clerks, general.....	330	2.1	10.73	22,310	8.09	12.84
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	290	1.9	11.10	23,080	8.78	13.40
Cashiers.....	280	1.8	9.71	20,200	8.00	10.76
<b>Scenic and sightseeing transportation, other (NAICS 487900)</b>						
Commercial pilots.....	450	21.0	(3)	\$ 77,400	(3)	(3)
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians.....	230	10.7	24.40	50,740	19.86	28.60
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	180	8.4	13.90	28,900	11.25	15.92
Customer service representatives.....	140	6.5	12.87	26,780	10.99	14.49
Transportation attendants, except flight attendants and baggage porters.....	100	4.7	12.30	25,570	10.79	14.01
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	90	4.2	14.86	30,900	11.31	17.86
Bus drivers, transit and intercity.....	80	3.7	13.17	27,390	12.26	14.66
General and operations managers.....	60	2.8	56.03	116,530	37.14	69.80
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	40	1.9	9.96	20,710	8.82	11.19
Cashiers.....	40	1.9	12.04	25,050	9.44	14.40
<b>Support activities for air transportation (NAICS 488100)</b>						
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians.....	26,620	16.1	\$ 21.20	\$ 44,090	\$ 16.61	\$ 24.72
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	13,620	8.3	11.70	24,330	9.01	13.03
Baggage porters and bellhops.....	8,590	5.2	9.12	18,970	7.44	10.38
Transportation workers, all other.....	8,440	5.1	13.48	28,050	9.97	15.43
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks.....	6,030	3.7	12.73	26,470	10.20	14.81
Cargo and freight agents.....	5,650	3.4	12.21	25,400	9.84	13.89
Transportation attendants, except flight attendants and baggage porters.....	5,190	3.1	9.32	19,380	7.80	9.99
Customer service representatives.....	4,480	2.7	14.23	29,600	11.03	16.24
Avionics technicians.....	4,140	2.5	22.23	46,230	17.94	25.98
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	3,500	2.1	11.33	23,560	8.86	13.46
<b>Support activities for rail transportation (NAICS 488200)</b>						
Rail car repairers.....	5,080	21.3	\$ 15.75	\$ 32,750	\$ 13.16	\$ 18.13
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	2,380	10.0	12.68	26,370	9.96	14.94
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	1,460	6.1	17.75	36,920	13.67	20.82
Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators.....	1,240	5.2	18.01	37,460	13.65	21.64
Rail yard engineers, dinky operators, and hostlers.....	1,130	4.7	14.96	31,110	12.81	16.48
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	790	3.3	16.15	33,600	12.81	19.18
Office clerks, general.....	620	2.6	12.92	26,870	10.26	15.13
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	600	2.5	14.27	29,680	11.29	16.27
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	550	2.3	25.31	52,640	18.12	29.13
Rail-track laying and maintenance equipment operators.....	540	2.3	15.96	33,210	12.91	18.51

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<b>Support activities for water transportation (NAICS 488300)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	14,980	15.2	\$ 19.55	\$ 40,660	\$ 11.91	\$ 26.59
Material moving workers, all other.....	9,250	9.4	21.17	44,040	14.64	26.93
Captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels.....	9,230	9.4	35.55	73,940	23.30	42.08
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	8,530	8.7	27.29	56,760	21.42	34.79
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	3,390	3.4	35.22	73,260	28.98	42.80
Tank car, truck, and ship loaders.....	2,700	2.7	22.66	47,140	16.36	28.47
Ship engineers.....	2,630	2.7	30.38	63,200	22.78	36.86
Crane and tower operators.....	2,330	2.4	23.18	48,210	15.91	31.46
Cargo and freight agents.....	2,220	2.3	29.29	60,920	22.44	36.33
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	1,600	1.6	31.49	65,500	27.52	37.62
<b>Support activities for road transportation (NAICS 488400)</b>						
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	34,390	40.5	\$ 15.50	\$ 32,250	\$ 11.30	\$ 18.63
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	6,140	7.2	11.75	24,440	9.30	13.35
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	5,890	6.9	13.24	27,530	9.50	15.35
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,690	5.5	14.30	29,740	10.33	17.32
Motor vehicle operators, all other.....	3,390	4.0	15.36	31,950	8.93	17.93
Office clerks, general.....	2,890	3.4	10.95	22,780	8.10	13.20
Customer service representatives.....	2,740	3.2	17.17	35,700	12.07	21.22
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	1,890	2.2	24.81	51,590	17.51	29.92
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	1,740	2.0	16.49	34,300	12.13	20.00
Cashiers.....	1,690	2.0	8.50	17,690	7.31	9.49
<b>Freight transportation arrangement (NAICS 488500)</b>						
Cargo and freight agents.....	35,840	19.2	\$ 19.11	\$ 39,760	\$ 14.39	\$ 23.15
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	11,930	6.4	13.51	28,090	10.47	15.61
Customer service representatives.....	11,270	6.0	17.43	36,250	13.39	20.68
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	10,580	5.7	17.92	37,270	13.72	21.64
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	9,990	5.3	31.55	65,630	18.72	37.94
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	8,730	4.7	14.78	30,740	11.10	17.93
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	7,870	4.2	27.59	57,390	20.84	32.08
Office clerks, general.....	7,570	4.0	13.46	27,990	9.55	15.98
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	6,630	3.5	18.23	37,920	13.69	22.22
General and operations managers.....	6,450	3.4	53.77	111,840	33.69	66.11
<b>Other support activities for transportation (NAICS 488900)</b>						
Packers and packagers, hand.....	6,250	21.9	\$ 10.51	\$ 21,850	\$ 8.03	\$ 12.49
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	5,880	20.6	11.65	24,240	8.93	13.73
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	1,390	4.9	14.27	29,690	10.98	16.80
First-line supervisors/managers of helpers, laborers, and material movers, hand.....	1,120	3.9	20.58	42,800	16.07	24.95
Customer service representatives.....	1,070	3.7	14.87	30,930	11.20	17.75
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	990	3.5	13.01	27,060	10.20	14.95
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders.....	860	3.0	10.59	22,030	8.36	12.06
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	840	2.9	20.03	41,660	16.09	23.33
General and operations managers.....	500	1.7	50.04	104,080	30.52	63.73
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	460	1.6	16.43	34,160	11.59	19.33
<b>Postal service (NAICS 491100)</b>						
Postal service mail carriers.....	354,570	45.9	\$ 23.63	\$ 49,150	\$ 20.39	\$ 27.60
Postal service mail sorters, processors, and processing machine operators.....	185,610	24.0	22.87	47,560	20.16	27.68
Postal service clerks.....	77,800	10.1	26.32	54,750	24.86	28.95
Postmasters and mail superintendents.....	26,400	3.4	28.44	59,150	23.77	34.10
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	16,190	2.1	21.11	43,910	19.93	23.03
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers.....	12,990	1.7	29.68	61,730	26.81	32.63
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	10,360	1.3	25.91	53,890	23.98	28.76
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians.....	7,690	1.0	27.44	57,070	26.04	29.35
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	7,050	0.9	31.58	65,690	28.19	35.68
Production, planning, and expediting clerks.....	6,970	0.9	27.12	56,410	25.76	29.25
<b>Couriers (NAICS 492100)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	159,750	29.6	\$ 11.83	\$ 24,600	\$ 9.21	\$ 13.34
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	142,350	26.4	21.26	44,230	16.08	27.39
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	31,950	5.9	17.03	35,430	11.86	21.69
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	29,220	5.4	24.00	49,920	20.29	28.87
First-line supervisors/managers of helpers, laborers, and material movers, hand.....	16,530	3.1	21.35	44,400	15.51	25.69
Couriers and messengers.....	15,230	2.8	11.95	24,860	8.96	13.52
Customer service representatives.....	9,920	1.8	17.69	36,790	13.99	21.23
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	9,560	1.8	24.29	50,530	16.93	30.54
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	9,310	1.7	29.50	61,360	20.14	36.58
Conveyor operators and tenders.....	8,810	1.6	14.64	30,460	13.05	16.24

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<b>Local messengers and local delivery (NAICS 492200)</b>						
Couriers and messengers.....	13,460	29.3	\$ 11.48	\$ 23,880	\$ 8.48	\$ 13.08
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	12,380	27.0	13.87	28,840	9.73	16.37
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	2,420	5.3	19.13	39,790	13.61	22.61
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	2,400	5.2	17.78	36,990	13.39	21.77
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	2,030	4.4	11.55	24,020	9.04	13.07
Customer service representatives.....	1,860	4.0	14.93	31,050	11.24	18.29
Office clerks, general.....	1,280	2.8	12.29	25,560	8.89	14.48
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	1,140	2.5	27.28	56,750	17.46	31.47
General and operations managers.....	980	2.1	49.33	102,600	27.41	64.89
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	850	1.9	24.27	50,480	16.99	29.90
<b>Warehousing and storage (NAICS 493100)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	148,240	21.4	\$ 13.11	\$ 27,270	\$ 10.17	\$ 15.64
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	89,360	12.9	14.49	30,140	11.64	16.77
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	58,720	8.5	14.32	29,790	10.85	17.29
Packers and packagers, hand.....	50,940	7.4	12.49	25,980	9.12	15.50
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks.....	36,350	5.3	14.76	30,700	11.20	17.59
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	33,900	4.9	19.06	39,650	14.98	23.09
First-line supervisors/managers of helpers, laborers, and material movers, hand.....	21,210	3.1	22.11	45,990	17.31	25.66
Customer service representatives.....	12,590	1.8	14.82	30,820	11.83	17.24
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	12,290	1.8	16.73	34,800	12.19	19.99
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	11,980	1.7	19.45	40,460	15.53	23.49
<b>Newspaper, book, and directory publishers (NAICS 511100)</b>						
Editors.....	66,780	10.6	\$ 27.48	\$ 57,150	\$ 17.26	\$ 33.09
Advertising sales agents.....	54,400	8.6	22.26	46,290	13.34	25.84
Reporters and correspondents.....	37,500	5.9	19.50	40,560	12.05	23.52
Graphic designers.....	28,580	4.5	19.56	40,680	13.85	23.45
Office clerks, general.....	18,930	3.0	13.10	27,260	9.24	15.79
Printing machine operators.....	18,720	3.0	18.51	38,490	12.86	23.28
Customer service representatives.....	17,870	2.8	15.34	31,920	11.00	18.57
Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service.....	13,500	2.1	13.03	27,100	9.00	15.78
General and operations managers.....	11,800	1.9	59.66	124,080	34.86	(2)
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	11,360	1.8	28.92	60,140	18.01	36.17
<b>Software publishers (NAICS 511200)</b>						
Computer software engineers, applications.....	38,490	14.8	\$ 42.88	\$ 89,190	\$ 33.65	\$ 50.80
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	25,690	9.9	46.48	96,690	36.43	54.58
Computer support specialists.....	18,640	7.2	24.06	50,040	17.26	29.25
Computer programmers.....	18,020	6.9	40.07	83,340	29.03	49.67
Computer systems analysts.....	11,270	4.3	39.84	82,880	29.99	48.44
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products.....	9,950	3.8	40.18	83,580	24.74	50.85
Computer and information systems managers.....	9,180	3.5	64.24	133,620	47.96	76.70
Customer service representatives.....	6,860	2.6	17.21	35,800	12.89	20.45
Computer specialists, all other.....	6,840	2.6	36.29	75,490	25.40	46.69
Network and computer systems administrators.....	6,570	2.5	38.08	79,210	29.72	45.70
<b>Motion picture and video industries (NAICS 512100)</b>						
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers.....	37,550	10.1	\$ 8.29	\$ 17,250	\$ 7.27	\$ 8.95
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop.....	32,040	8.6	8.23	17,120	7.16	8.96
Producers and directors.....	24,160	6.5	47.56	98,930	23.87	61.60
Cashiers.....	24,010	6.5	8.72	18,140	7.38	9.37
Film and video editors.....	12,650	3.4	33.17	68,980	17.77	41.69
Actors.....	11,250	3.0	47.05	(3)	12.63	76.51
Motion picture projectionists.....	9,720	2.6	10.73	22,320	7.88	11.81
General and operations managers.....	9,420	2.5	60.06	124,920	36.81	(2)
Multi-media artists and animators.....	9,050	2.4	34.57	71,910	23.06	42.52
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	8,050	2.2	21.93	45,610	17.46	25.27
<b>Sound recording industries (NAICS 512200)</b>						
Sound engineering technicians.....	3,580	17.6	\$ 25.09	\$ 52,190	\$ 16.47	\$ 31.54
Office clerks, general.....	1,100	5.4	11.58	24,080	8.45	14.03
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	920	4.5	18.57	38,630	14.26	22.94
General and operations managers.....	790	3.9	60.27	125,360	35.13	(2)
Producers and directors.....	730	3.6	51.81	107,760	26.13	72.48
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	700	3.5	15.63	32,510	12.46	18.61
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	670	3.3	26.26	54,610	18.17	35.68
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	590	2.9	18.51	38,500	13.38	22.57
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	560	2.8	26.29	54,670	16.26	31.90
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	510	2.5	26.68	55,490	13.96	36.88

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<b>Radio and television broadcasting (NAICS 515100)</b>						
Radio and television announcers .....	34,310	14.5	\$ 18.83	\$ 39,160	\$ 8.92	\$ 19.77
Advertising sales agents.....	29,440	12.4	26.01	54,110	13.99	31.80
Broadcast technicians.....	23,270	9.8	16.72	34,770	10.17	21.02
Producers and directors.....	21,330	9.0	34.55	71,860	18.08	40.48
Reporters and correspondents.....	9,670	4.1	24.72	51,410	13.19	29.44
Camera operators, television, video, and motion picture.....	7,050	3.0	19.99	41,580	11.98	26.23
Office clerks, general.....	6,860	2.9	12.65	26,310	8.94	15.17
General and operations managers.....	6,230	2.6	55.01	114,420	29.11	76.06
Broadcast news analysts.....	5,530	2.3	34.27	71,280	15.42	43.50
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	4,400	1.9	20.11	41,830	15.61	23.93
<b>Cable and other subscription programming (NAICS 515200)</b>						
Telecommunications line installers and repairers.....	11,060	13.7	\$ 20.46	\$ 42,560	\$ 14.14	\$ 27.13
Customer service representatives.....	7,220	9.0	15.85	32,980	11.99	18.95
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	6,340	7.9	25.56	53,170	20.34	30.90
Producers and directors.....	6,070	7.5	40.59	84,420	21.92	55.62
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	3,160	3.9	24.79	51,550	11.44	30.60
Broadcast technicians.....	2,420	3.0	22.16	46,090	13.85	29.51
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	1,810	2.2	22.20	46,170	17.30	26.30
Advertising sales agents.....	1,800	2.2	29.12	60,570	16.99	36.04
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	1,660	2.1	31.45	65,420	24.88	38.01
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	1,600	2.0	19.17	39,870	12.34	24.54
<b>Wired telecommunications carriers (NAICS 517100)</b>						
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	106,340	15.8	\$ 26.37	\$ 54,850	\$ 22.99	\$ 30.54
Telecommunications line installers and repairers.....	89,170	13.3	24.79	51,560	19.26	30.31
Customer service representatives.....	67,870	10.1	18.91	39,330	13.04	24.73
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	42,240	6.3	26.86	55,880	18.47	32.23
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	23,540	3.5	36.99	76,940	29.45	44.38
Network and computer systems administrators.....	16,030	2.4	33.94	70,590	26.30	40.88
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	15,790	2.4	39.41	81,970	31.41	46.89
Business operations specialists, all other.....	14,730	2.2	35.39	73,610	26.87	43.71
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	14,610	2.2	33.56	69,800	27.31	39.59
Telephone operators.....	14,030	2.1	17.44	36,280	11.66	22.99
<b>Wireless telecommunications carriers (NAICS 517200)</b>						
Customer service representatives.....	50,050	25.6	\$ 15.50	\$ 32,240	\$ 12.61	\$ 17.88
Retail salespersons.....	33,360	17.0	14.85	30,890	9.54	18.14
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	14,680	7.5	25.74	53,540	13.98	32.95
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	7,110	3.6	24.69	51,360	16.81	29.85
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	6,710	3.4	25.54	53,120	19.80	31.43
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	5,360	2.7	41.55	86,430	34.63	48.48
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	4,470	2.3	26.56	55,240	20.77	31.30
Business operations specialists, all other.....	3,760	1.9	32.27	67,130	24.71	38.66
Computer support specialists.....	3,570	1.8	21.61	44,940	16.61	25.13
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	3,110	1.6	40.19	83,590	31.57	48.67
<b>Satellite telecommunications (NAICS 517400)</b>						
Customer service representatives.....	1,320	10.7	\$ 20.51	\$ 42,650	\$ 15.07	\$ 25.47
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	1,040	8.4	29.85	62,090	17.89	36.81
Telemarketers.....	1,030	8.4	14.07	29,270	10.69	16.05
Telecommunications line installers and repairers.....	740	6.0	28.28	58,830	27.40	31.34
Order clerks.....	490	4.0	23.15	48,140	15.29	30.29
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	430	3.5	35.48	73,800	25.35	44.89
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	340	2.8	25.47	52,980	19.35	30.67
Electrical and electronics repairers, commercial and industrial equipment.....	310	2.5	27.57	57,350	25.88	30.02
Business operations specialists, all other.....	290	2.4	31.81	66,160	26.85	31.34
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	290	2.4	41.55	86,430	32.95	49.63
<b>Other telecommunications (NAICS 517900)</b>						
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	20,660	14.6	\$ 27.13	\$ 56,440	\$ 25.82	\$ 30.67
Customer service representatives.....	12,160	8.6	16.35	34,000	11.81	20.95
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	11,910	8.4	27.14	56,450	15.47	34.64
Telecommunications line installers and repairers.....	7,420	5.2	26.99	56,130	24.68	30.85
Retail salespersons.....	5,490	3.9	12.33	25,660	9.21	14.28
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products.....	3,840	2.7	38.90	80,910	22.39	52.22
Business operations specialists, all other.....	3,780	2.7	34.98	72,760	26.45	42.77
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	3,560	2.5	34.48	71,730	26.54	42.27
Electronics engineers, except computer.....	3,420	2.4	39.00	81,120	32.46	45.25
Computer support specialists.....	3,250	2.3	19.34	40,230	13.73	23.30

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<b>Data processing and related services (NAICS 518200)</b>						
Computer systems analysts.....	17,600	6.7	\$ 37.94	\$ 78,920	\$ 29.49	\$ 46.40
Data entry keyers.....	17,580	6.7	12.33	25,650	9.63	14.51
Customer service representatives.....	14,890	5.7	16.27	33,840	11.90	19.43
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	14,650	5.6	42.39	88,180	32.92	50.81
Computer software engineers, applications.....	12,450	4.7	39.12	81,380	30.71	48.00
Computer support specialists.....	12,010	4.6	21.02	43,720	14.13	25.79
Computer programmers.....	9,880	3.8	35.52	73,870	25.72	43.67
Network and computer systems administrators.....	8,900	3.4	34.00	70,720	25.27	41.44
Computer and information systems managers.....	8,520	3.2	58.57	121,820	45.00	68.27
Computer operators.....	7,130	2.7	17.02	35,410	12.08	21.05
<b>Other information services (NAICS 519100)</b>						
Library assistants, clerical.....	10,710	8.1	\$ 10.43	\$ 21,700	\$ 8.00	\$ 12.25
Librarians.....	7,010	5.3	23.42	48,720	17.61	28.97
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	6,910	5.2	51.71	107,560	43.12	61.53
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	6,590	5.0	40.68	84,610	24.12	53.41
Library technicians.....	5,710	4.3	14.06	29,240	9.87	17.65
Customer service representatives.....	5,650	4.3	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Editors.....	5,160	3.9	27.39	56,970	17.18	34.95
Computer software engineers, applications.....	4,230	3.2	43.58	90,650	34.15	51.69
Computer programmers.....	3,720	2.8	33.54	69,760	23.33	41.58
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	3,650	2.7	37.01	76,970	24.74	48.15
<b>Monetary authorities - central bank (NAICS 521100)</b>						
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,600	7.4	\$ 16.71	\$ 34,760	\$ 13.29	\$ 19.46
Security guards.....	1,360	6.3	16.40	34,100	12.46	19.77
Financial examiners.....	1,200	5.6	41.27	85,840	29.92	51.16
Computer systems analysts.....	940	4.4	38.27	79,600	28.36	47.70
Computer support specialists.....	870	4.0	31.91	66,380	22.40	40.82
Customer service representatives.....	720	3.3	17.09	35,540	13.77	19.65
Financial analysts.....	690	3.2	34.18	71,100	26.16	38.90
Office clerks, general.....	680	3.2	16.34	33,990	13.05	19.36
Accountants and auditors.....	600	2.8	34.74	72,250	25.76	41.53
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	570	2.6	27.53	57,260	20.92	32.29
<b>Depository credit intermediation (NAICS 522100)</b>						
Tellers.....	540,540	29.8	\$ 11.64	\$ 24,210	\$ 9.89	\$ 13.19
Loan officers.....	134,170	7.4	29.60	61,560	19.16	36.29
Customer service representatives.....	116,050	6.4	15.07	31,350	12.40	17.44
Loan interviewers and clerks.....	79,330	4.4	15.98	33,240	12.83	18.65
New accounts clerks.....	78,460	4.3	14.81	30,810	12.37	17.18
Financial managers.....	76,020	4.2	43.75	91,000	27.09	54.64
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	56,940	3.1	15.01	31,230	11.91	17.64
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	31,350	1.7	20.71	43,070	16.12	24.34
General and operations managers.....	30,450	1.7	50.34	104,700	30.11	63.99
Office clerks, general.....	28,540	1.6	13.37	27,800	10.52	15.59
<b>Nondepository credit intermediation (NAICS 522200)</b>						
Loan officers.....	98,330	14.9	\$ 31.22	\$ 64,930	\$ 18.55	\$ 37.41
Loan interviewers and clerks.....	70,750	10.7	16.50	34,320	12.79	19.59
Customer service representatives.....	59,390	9.0	14.73	30,630	11.70	17.28
Bill and account collectors.....	40,570	6.1	15.76	32,770	12.80	18.28
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	27,090	4.1	23.91	49,740	17.38	28.62
Office clerks, general.....	21,950	3.3	13.79	28,680	10.22	16.76
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	19,680	3.0	31.17	64,830	15.93	38.95
Financial managers.....	18,370	2.8	51.65	107,440	31.41	64.31
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	17,120	2.6	16.88	35,110	13.59	19.48
General and operations managers.....	15,100	2.3	56.97	118,490	32.52	76.65
<b>Activities related to credit intermediation (NAICS 522300)</b>						
Loan officers.....	52,110	17.7	\$ 30.39	\$ 63,210	\$ 18.39	\$ 36.30
Customer service representatives.....	30,770	10.4	14.23	29,600	11.49	16.19
Loan interviewers and clerks.....	23,800	8.1	15.89	33,040	12.04	19.16
Tellers.....	20,800	7.1	11.29	23,490	9.32	12.69
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	11,910	4.0	22.23	46,230	15.83	26.79
Office clerks, general.....	9,800	3.3	12.58	26,170	9.24	14.92
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	9,510	3.2	15.68	32,610	12.40	18.57
Cashiers.....	8,860	3.0	9.69	20,150	7.79	11.28
Bill and account collectors.....	8,180	2.8	14.96	31,120	12.23	17.36
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	5,860	2.0	32.30	67,190	16.78	40.75

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<b>Securities and commodity contracts brokerage (NAICS 523100)</b>						
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	132,650	25.7	\$ 52.20	\$108,570	\$ 24.13	74.60
Brokerage clerks.....	43,520	8.4	19.67	40,920	14.92	23.25
Personal financial advisors.....	37,890	7.3	48.17	100,200	22.66	65.53
Office clerks, general.....	26,840	5.2	13.31	27,680	10.73	15.10
Financial analysts.....	26,250	5.1	48.51	100,900	29.43	59.06
Financial managers.....	23,390	4.5	70.27	146,170	46.38	(2)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	23,080	4.5	23.12	48,090	17.10	28.23
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	12,410	2.4	28.38	59,020	20.90	34.75
Computer software engineers, applications.....	9,110	1.8	46.27	96,240	37.38	54.69
General and operations managers.....	8,000	1.6	74.26	154,450	46.17	(2)
<b>Securities and commodity exchanges (NAICS 523200)</b>						
General and operations managers.....	580	7.2	\$ 75.88	\$157,820	\$ 57.24	(2)
Financial analysts.....	440	5.5	47.58	98,970	33.24	56.20
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	370	4.6	50.61	105,270	26.15	71.00
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	340	4.2	26.27	54,650	20.84	30.83
Computer systems analysts.....	280	3.5	43.78	91,050	35.50	50.82
Management analysts.....	260	3.2	43.31	90,080	31.20	51.45
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation.....	230	2.9	39.26	81,650	26.38	48.07
Security guards.....	230	2.9	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Computer and information systems managers.....	210	2.6	63.76	132,620	50.94	73.57
Accountants and auditors.....	190	2.4	37.90	78,840	26.92	46.36
<b>Other financial investment activities (NAICS 523900)</b>						
Personal financial advisors.....	51,330	14.9	\$ 51.57	\$107,270	\$ 24.59	73.42
Financial analysts.....	36,920	10.7	53.61	111,500	29.22	70.51
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	26,260	7.6	25.26	52,530	18.14	30.41
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	25,670	7.4	56.26	117,020	27.02	(2)
Financial managers.....	15,210	4.4	74.44	154,830	47.61	(2)
Office clerks, general.....	15,100	4.4	13.16	27,370	9.55	15.66
Accountants and auditors.....	14,590	4.2	36.28	75,470	24.25	43.38
Customer service representatives.....	13,790	4.0	18.52	38,530	14.36	21.49
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	11,100	3.2	16.27	33,850	12.24	19.59
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	9,900	2.9	19.00	39,520	14.68	22.92
<b>Insurance carriers (NAICS 524100)</b>						
Customer service representatives.....	138,450	11.0	\$ 16.52	\$ 34,360	\$ 13.32	\$ 19.08
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators.....	134,840	10.7	27.39	56,980	20.18	33.70
Insurance claims and policy processing clerks.....	118,150	9.4	16.87	35,090	13.51	19.36
Insurance sales agents.....	83,030	6.6	28.94	60,200	17.06	33.38
Insurance underwriters.....	64,820	5.2	30.28	62,980	21.14	37.22
Office clerks, general.....	39,460	3.1	13.58	28,260	10.63	16.04
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	34,830	2.8	27.27	56,710	21.14	32.02
Business operations specialists, all other.....	30,620	2.4	30.38	63,190	21.16	37.45
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	30,010	2.4	21.26	44,230	17.01	24.88
Computer systems analysts.....	27,940	2.2	36.37	75,650	28.41	43.62
<b>Insurance agencies, brokerages, and related (NAICS 524200)</b>						
Insurance sales agents.....	229,080	25.2	\$ 29.18	\$ 60,690	\$ 15.46	\$ 33.06
Customer service representatives.....	113,380	12.5	16.22	33,740	12.37	19.23
Insurance claims and policy processing clerks.....	92,670	10.2	16.64	34,620	12.70	19.45
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators.....	69,660	7.7	26.98	56,120	19.54	32.65
Office clerks, general.....	51,710	5.7	11.82	24,590	8.78	14.26
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	42,260	4.7	13.13	27,310	10.37	15.41
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	23,250	2.6	20.01	41,620	15.21	23.85
Insurance underwriters.....	21,620	2.4	29.70	61,780	19.99	36.31
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	21,390	2.4	16.92	35,180	12.99	19.92
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	20,360	2.2	26.67	55,470	19.14	31.65
<b>Insurance and employee benefit funds (NAICS 525100)</b>						
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators.....	4,680	9.8	\$ 27.54	\$ 57,290	\$ 21.26	\$ 33.38
Customer service representatives.....	4,170	8.7	17.66	36,720	13.99	20.93
Office clerks, general.....	2,350	4.9	15.22	31,670	10.93	18.64
Insurance claims and policy processing clerks.....	2,040	4.3	17.32	36,020	13.81	19.93
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,820	3.8	19.14	39,820	15.11	23.03
Compensation, benefits, and job analysis specialists.....	1,750	3.7	25.85	53,760	19.89	30.35
General and operations managers.....	1,610	3.4	64.76	134,700	41.76	(2)
Accountants and auditors.....	1,320	2.8	33.82	70,350	23.64	38.52
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	1,290	2.7	15.69	32,640	12.59	18.79
Insurance sales agents.....	1,260	2.6	26.53	55,190	15.58	32.02

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<b>Other investment pools and funds (NAICS 525900)</b>						
Financial analysts.....	7,020	17.0	\$ 38.81	\$ 80,720	\$ 23.90	\$ 44.03
Customer service representatives.....	3,640	8.8	18.52	38,530	15.27	21.48
Personal financial advisors.....	3,130	7.6	35.76	74,380	18.76	42.55
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.....	2,300	5.6	46.82	97,380	18.22	70.67
Office clerks, general.....	2,250	5.5	14.25	29,630	9.54	17.91
Accountants and auditors.....	1,760	4.3	33.56	69,810	23.70	39.57
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,760	4.3	16.64	34,610	13.06	19.63
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	1,620	3.9	22.73	47,280	16.74	27.29
General and operations managers.....	1,030	2.5	64.33	133,800	37.56	(2)
Financial managers.....	1,030	2.5	64.38	133,920	42.47	(2)
<b>Lessors of real estate (NAICS 531100)</b>						
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	132,420	22.3	\$ 14.72	\$ 30,620	\$ 11.04	\$ 17.74
Property, real estate, and community association managers.....	49,820	8.4	23.51	48,910	13.52	28.27
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	42,580	7.2	12.30	25,590	8.96	15.49
Counter and rental clerks.....	39,910	6.7	11.45	23,820	8.85	13.44
Real estate sales agents.....	36,240	6.1	22.26	46,300	11.79	25.62
Office clerks, general.....	25,730	4.3	11.64	24,220	8.02	14.05
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	18,870	3.2	11.59	24,110	8.88	13.28
Security guards.....	18,180	3.1	14.35	29,850	9.88	18.07
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	16,400	2.8	16.41	34,130	12.38	19.78
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	16,100	2.7	12.92	26,880	9.88	15.37
<b>Offices of real estate agents and brokers (NAICS 531200)</b>						
Real estate sales agents.....	61,360	17.7	\$ 27.25	\$ 56,670	\$ 13.62	\$ 31.52
Office clerks, general.....	38,570	11.1	11.80	24,550	8.72	14.23
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	34,010	9.8	13.25	27,550	10.50	15.41
Real estate brokers.....	29,420	8.5	38.22	79,490	18.66	46.68
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	21,650	6.2	18.59	38,660	14.09	22.10
Receptionists and information clerks.....	21,340	6.1	11.58	24,080	9.40	13.51
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	18,130	5.2	15.15	31,520	11.56	17.89
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	13,720	4.0	16.41	34,130	12.71	19.36
Property, real estate, and community association managers.....	13,370	3.9	26.96	56,070	15.01	32.43
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	7,390	2.1	23.17	48,200	16.68	27.20
<b>Activities related to real estate (NAICS 531300)</b>						
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	83,110	15.4	\$ 15.23	\$ 31,670	\$ 11.74	\$ 18.04
Property, real estate, and community association managers.....	57,040	10.5	25.35	52,740	14.60	30.61
Office clerks, general.....	30,570	5.6	12.18	25,330	8.70	14.64
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	28,540	5.3	11.56	24,050	8.88	13.55
Real estate sales agents.....	28,250	5.2	23.98	49,870	12.44	28.06
Appraisers and assessors of real estate.....	27,280	5.0	27.36	56,910	16.39	35.36
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	21,780	4.0	17.22	35,820	13.64	20.28
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	19,560	3.6	19.92	41,440	15.10	23.77
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	18,860	3.5	13.80	28,700	10.96	16.16
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	14,560	2.7	10.33	21,480	8.40	11.73
<b>Automotive equipment rental and leasing (NAICS 532100)</b>						
Counter and rental clerks.....	52,590	26.8	\$ 12.36	\$ 25,700	\$ 9.19	\$ 14.55
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	22,700	11.6	10.02	20,830	8.22	11.22
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	12,280	6.3	19.66	40,890	16.25	23.16
Parking lot attendants.....	9,520	4.9	9.33	19,400	7.65	10.36
Motor vehicle operators, all other.....	8,830	4.5	11.83	24,610	8.19	14.37
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	8,780	4.5	20.41	42,450	14.97	23.96
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	8,530	4.3	9.53	19,830	8.04	10.14
Customer service representatives.....	7,820	4.0	13.90	28,910	10.60	16.77
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	5,560	2.8	18.08	37,600	14.07	21.90
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	4,560	2.3	19.45	40,460	14.94	23.32
<b>Consumer goods rental (NAICS 532200)</b>						
Counter and rental clerks.....	79,820	32.0	\$ 9.59	\$ 19,940	\$ 7.44	\$ 10.63
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	19,290	7.7	17.20	35,780	12.12	19.63
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	13,770	5.5	12.62	26,250	9.76	14.82
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	10,940	4.4	11.11	23,110	8.72	12.59
Customer service representatives.....	7,230	2.9	13.18	27,420	10.50	15.42
General and operations managers.....	3,810	1.5	37.75	78,530	21.49	45.40
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	3,130	1.3	10.35	21,520	8.17	11.90
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	2,800	1.1	14.77	30,730	11.52	17.66
Office clerks, general.....	2,790	1.1	12.42	25,840	8.91	14.73
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	2,670	1.1	23.62	49,130	13.99	29.89

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<b>General rental centers (NAICS 532300)</b>						
Counter and rental clerks.....	11,400	21.1	\$ 12.70	\$ 26,410	\$ 9.21	\$ 15.08
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	6,540	12.1	10.89	22,640	8.63	12.32
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,360	8.1	13.00	27,040	10.03	15.11
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,410	4.5	14.97	31,150	11.23	18.12
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers.....	2,090	3.9	23.22	48,290	16.68	27.66
General and operations managers.....	1,820	3.4	44.88	93,350	26.91	54.71
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,420	2.6	15.77	32,810	12.26	19.02
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	1,340	2.5	19.61	40,790	14.33	24.38
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	1,340	2.5	17.16	35,690	13.81	19.77
Office clerks, general.....	1,170	2.2	12.86	26,750	9.44	15.37
<b>Machinery and equipment rental and leasing (NAICS 532400)</b>						
Counter and rental clerks.....	12,410	9.7	\$ 14.46	\$ 30,080	\$ 9.76	\$ 17.79
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	8,780	6.9	20.18	41,970	15.98	23.63
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	7,700	6.0	17.90	37,240	14.10	20.94
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	5,510	4.3	12.60	26,210	9.73	14.86
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	4,980	3.9	16.47	34,250	12.84	19.62
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products.....	4,750	3.7	30.09	62,580	20.45	37.07
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	4,610	3.6	14.59	30,350	11.59	17.25
General and operations managers.....	4,460	3.5	50.25	104,520	31.65	61.71
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	4,180	3.3	31.03	64,540	17.83	38.53
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	3,600	2.8	20.21	42,040	14.14	24.81
<b>Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (NAICS 533100)</b>						
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	1,650	6.1	\$ 31.30	\$ 65,100	\$ 18.32	\$ 39.19
Office clerks, general.....	1,640	6.1	12.66	26,340	9.43	15.15
Business operations specialists, all other.....	1,510	5.6	31.57	65,660	19.04	37.53
General and operations managers.....	1,500	5.5	53.23	110,710	29.12	69.87
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	1,260	4.7	20.83	43,330	17.02	24.25
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,100	4.1	17.29	35,960	13.34	20.84
Accountants and auditors.....	900	3.3	32.58	67,760	22.82	39.16
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	900	3.3	13.92	28,950	10.38	16.96
Management analysts.....	870	3.2	36.37	75,640	24.38	40.59
Customer service representatives.....	770	2.8	16.48	34,290	12.90	19.25
<b>Legal services (NAICS 541100)</b>						
Lawyers.....	362,530	31.0	\$ 63.29	\$131,650	\$ 36.75	(2)
Legal secretaries.....	223,600	19.1	20.00	41,590	14.77	24.50
Paralegals and legal assistants.....	187,360	16.0	22.78	47,380	16.93	27.49
Office clerks, general.....	47,050	4.0	12.32	25,630	8.94	14.76
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	43,430	3.7	13.88	28,870	10.52	16.28
Receptionists and information clerks.....	33,480	2.9	13.02	27,090	10.20	15.38
Title examiners, abstractors, and searchers.....	28,560	2.4	19.12	39,770	14.04	22.44
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	26,130	2.2	18.40	38,270	14.09	22.16
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	20,360	1.7	21.91	45,580	16.73	26.00
File clerks.....	19,790	1.7	12.81	26,650	9.79	15.23
<b>Accounting and bookkeeping services (NAICS 541200)</b>						
Accountants and auditors.....	286,110	32.6	\$ 34.74	\$ 72,270	\$ 22.05	\$ 40.63
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	100,300	11.4	15.88	33,020	12.16	19.08
Tax preparers.....	61,160	7.0	16.89	35,130	10.35	21.02
Office clerks, general.....	37,580	4.3	12.05	25,070	8.60	14.52
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators.....	37,160	4.2	15.35	31,920	12.14	17.86
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	33,860	3.9	13.91	28,930	10.97	16.25
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	25,870	3.0	20.41	42,460	16.18	24.11
Payroll and timekeeping clerks.....	24,030	2.7	17.24	35,850	14.11	20.01
Bill and account collectors.....	19,320	2.2	16.58	34,490	13.03	19.21
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	17,710	2.0	25.23	52,480	18.47	30.11
<b>Architectural and engineering services (NAICS 541300)</b>						
Civil engineers.....	134,750	9.3	\$ 38.40	\$ 79,880	\$ 28.08	\$ 46.28
Architects, except landscape and naval.....	96,480	6.7	36.75	76,430	25.36	43.80
Architectural and civil drafters.....	91,990	6.4	22.20	46,180	16.92	26.66
Surveying and mapping technicians.....	51,400	3.6	17.06	35,480	12.63	20.38
Mechanical engineers.....	49,660	3.4	39.15	81,440	28.68	47.23
Surveyors.....	43,500	3.0	26.49	55,110	18.17	33.21
Civil engineering technicians.....	42,450	2.9	21.90	45,550	15.97	26.90
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	41,990	2.9	21.01	43,690	16.82	24.56
Engineering managers.....	39,740	2.8	58.09	120,840	43.97	67.50
Office clerks, general.....	37,030	2.6	13.56	28,210	9.68	16.28

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<b>Specialized design services (NAICS 541400)</b>						
Graphic designers.....	30,490	21.0	\$ 24.13	\$ 50,190	\$ 16.68	\$ 29.63
Interior designers.....	21,980	15.1	25.24	52,490	16.40	30.61
Office clerks, general.....	5,800	4.0	12.11	25,190	8.40	14.60
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	4,190	2.9	30.16	62,730	18.11	39.60
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	3,900	2.7	17.48	36,350	13.13	21.66
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	3,650	2.5	21.17	44,040	16.75	25.14
General and operations managers.....	3,600	2.5	62.67	130,360	37.41	(2)
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	3,460	2.4	14.32	29,790	11.27	17.13
Commercial and industrial designers.....	3,400	2.3	32.41	67,420	19.42	38.21
Art directors.....	3,360	2.3	47.93	99,700	31.77	59.17
<b>Computer systems design and related services (NAICS 541500)</b>						
Computer software engineers, applications.....	173,660	12.1	\$ 42.68	\$ 88,780	\$ 31.49	\$ 51.33
Computer programmers.....	139,970	9.7	36.20	75,300	25.24	44.38
Computer systems analysts.....	125,250	8.7	40.34	83,910	28.86	48.64
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	112,740	7.8	45.31	94,250	34.17	55.18
Computer support specialists.....	98,970	6.9	22.51	46,820	15.50	27.68
Network and computer systems administrators.....	50,070	3.5	35.48	73,810	25.90	43.25
Computer and information systems managers.....	47,500	3.3	60.77	126,400	44.25	73.54
Network systems and data communications analysts.....	40,990	2.9	36.50	75,920	26.02	45.45
Customer service representatives.....	34,410	2.4	18.27	38,000	12.72	22.26
Management analysts.....	33,630	2.3	42.32	88,030	28.96	51.18
<b>Management and technical consulting services (NAICS 541600)</b>						
Management analysts.....	144,290	14.5	\$ 46.35	\$ 96,420	\$ 26.66	\$ 58.69
Office clerks, general.....	40,760	4.1	12.51	26,030	8.34	15.35
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	38,820	3.9	22.02	45,800	16.91	26.30
Business operations specialists, all other.....	33,760	3.4	32.89	68,420	19.25	39.95
General and operations managers.....	31,080	3.1	68.42	142,310	43.12	(2)
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	27,540	2.8	14.76	30,690	11.50	17.93
Customer service representatives.....	27,510	2.8	15.91	33,090	11.79	18.73
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	24,220	2.4	32.25	67,070	17.33	41.31
Market research analysts.....	22,860	2.3	31.04	64,570	19.27	39.42
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	21,270	2.1	17.47	36,330	13.28	20.92
<b>Scientific research and development services (NAICS 541700)</b>						
Medical scientists, except epidemiologists.....	34,570	5.6	\$ 42.53	\$ 88,450	\$ 27.13	\$ 51.29
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	21,560	3.5	23.29	48,450	18.45	27.44
Computer software engineers, systems software.....	20,530	3.3	49.53	103,030	40.00	59.81
Biological technicians.....	20,030	3.2	21.88	45,520	16.33	26.55
Business operations specialists, all other.....	16,180	2.6	37.07	77,110	25.55	46.67
General and operations managers.....	14,940	2.4	71.79	149,330	48.23	(2)
Mechanical engineers.....	14,830	2.4	43.67	90,830	33.47	52.48
Chemists.....	14,390	2.3	38.25	79,560	26.46	48.76
Computer software engineers, applications.....	13,170	2.1	45.76	95,180	36.23	54.60
Natural sciences managers.....	11,580	1.9	69.55	144,660	48.39	(2)
<b>Advertising and related services (NAICS 541800)</b>						
Advertising sales agents.....	55,860	11.8	\$ 27.73	\$ 57,670	\$ 16.74	\$ 33.03
Public relations specialists.....	35,810	7.6	32.67	67,960	19.36	39.00
Graphic designers.....	24,270	5.1	23.14	48,140	16.41	27.78
Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service.....	19,690	4.2	11.90	24,760	9.10	14.04
Demonstrators and product promoters.....	18,470	3.9	11.88	24,700	8.73	13.62
Office clerks, general.....	16,000	3.4	12.73	26,470	9.19	15.22
General and operations managers.....	13,030	2.8	70.79	147,240	44.08	(2)
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	12,810	2.7	30.89	64,240	16.72	36.71
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	12,370	2.6	21.20	44,090	16.84	24.89
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	11,500	2.4	17.74	36,900	14.05	21.37
<b>Other professional and technical services (NAICS 541900)</b>						
Veterinary technologists and technicians.....	72,910	12.4	\$ 14.12	\$ 29,360	\$ 11.22	\$ 16.47
Veterinary assistants and laboratory animal caretakers.....	63,160	10.7	10.54	21,910	8.41	12.03
Veterinarians.....	48,880	8.3	43.32	90,100	29.39	50.53
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan.....	46,100	7.8	11.88	24,710	8.71	14.49
Receptionists and information clerks.....	42,930	7.3	11.69	24,310	9.45	13.65
Photographers.....	41,710	7.1	15.85	32,970	9.34	18.54
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	25,870	4.4	9.51	19,790	7.67	10.52
Office clerks, general.....	20,010	3.4	11.66	24,240	8.71	13.74
Market research analysts.....	13,710	2.3	30.63	63,710	19.29	38.52
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	13,420	2.3	12.53	26,070	9.72	15.01

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<b>Management of companies and enterprises (NAICS 551100)</b>						
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	80,020	4.2	\$ 16.73	\$ 34,800	\$ 13.45	\$ 19.39
Customer service representatives .....	76,590	4.0	16.16	33,600	12.42	18.98
Accountants and auditors .....	71,790	3.7	30.88	64,220	22.57	37.11
General and operations managers .....	67,100	3.5	61.71	128,350	37.14	(2)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	62,220	3.2	22.46	46,720	17.59	26.53
Business operations specialists, all other .....	59,850	3.1	32.83	68,290	22.30	40.87
Office clerks, general .....	56,490	2.9	14.11	29,340	10.51	16.92
Financial managers .....	46,420	2.4	61.13	127,160	42.07	75.34
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers .....	42,690	2.2	26.46	55,030	19.93	31.59
Computer systems analysts .....	38,550	2.0	37.07	77,110	28.57	45.16
<b>Office administrative services (NAICS 561100)</b>						
Customer service representatives .....	27,630	6.9	\$ 15.20	\$ 31,610	\$ 11.56	\$ 17.86
General and operations managers .....	21,130	5.3	55.74	115,950	31.14	75.02
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	20,200	5.0	16.72	34,780	13.17	19.56
Office clerks, general .....	18,010	4.5	13.01	27,060	9.35	15.28
Accountants and auditors .....	16,400	4.1	30.56	63,570	21.59	36.57
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	16,370	4.1	20.67	43,000	15.35	24.78
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers .....	14,130	3.5	24.95	51,890	17.87	30.19
Management analysts .....	12,110	3.0	40.50	84,240	24.51	48.56
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	11,620	2.9	14.13	29,380	10.80	17.10
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators .....	9,510	2.4	14.94	31,080	12.12	17.48
<b>Facilities support services (NAICS 561200)</b>						
Correctional officers and jailers .....	20,360	15.4	\$ 15.51	\$ 32,250	\$ 11.16	\$ 18.27
Security guards .....	7,890	6.0	13.44	27,950	9.80	15.77
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	6,600	5.0	10.56	21,960	8.07	12.22
Maintenance and repair workers, general .....	6,570	5.0	18.60	38,680	13.76	23.20
Office clerks, general .....	4,750	3.6	13.39	27,850	10.21	16.50
Maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	3,350	2.5	9.86	20,510	8.03	11.29
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	2,650	2.0	12.90	26,820	8.94	15.20
Stock clerks and order fillers .....	2,030	1.5	14.75	30,680	10.71	18.50
General and operations managers .....	1,970	1.5	49.16	102,260	32.25	59.91
Business operations specialists, all other .....	1,570	1.2	33.70	70,100	24.49	41.88
<b>Employment services (NAICS 561300)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand .....	386,000	11.3	\$ 10.02	\$ 20,840	\$ 8.02	\$ 11.21
Office clerks, general .....	185,100	5.4	12.03	25,020	9.42	14.04
Team assemblers .....	174,220	5.1	10.63	22,100	8.32	11.94
Packers and packagers, hand .....	138,980	4.1	9.27	19,280	7.76	9.89
Helpers--production workers .....	130,270	3.8	9.99	20,790	8.10	11.31
Construction laborers .....	108,110	3.2	12.39	25,780	7.95	14.88
Customer service representatives .....	103,050	3.0	13.22	27,490	10.67	15.04
Registered nurses .....	91,980	2.7	33.23	69,110	26.62	39.24
Employment, recruitment, and placement specialists .....	83,530	2.5	25.44	52,910	16.08	28.55
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	69,050	2.0	17.64	36,690	13.71	20.37
<b>Business support services (NAICS 561400)</b>						
Customer service representatives .....	173,820	20.6	\$ 12.29	\$ 25,570	\$ 9.75	\$ 14.17
Telemarketers .....	163,000	19.3	10.53	21,900	8.29	11.79
Bill and account collectors .....	106,570	12.6	13.91	28,930	10.80	15.82
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers .....	31,560	3.7	21.88	45,510	15.95	25.51
Office clerks, general .....	21,190	2.5	12.18	25,340	9.34	14.43
Office machine operators, except computer .....	20,920	2.5	12.89	26,810	10.22	15.03
Switchboard operators, including answering service .....	19,130	2.3	10.95	22,780	8.84	12.48
Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service .....	15,200	1.8	11.30	23,510	8.79	13.27
General and operations managers .....	14,770	1.7	47.47	98,730	27.50	60.16
Medical transcriptionists .....	13,380	1.6	14.99	31,170	11.56	18.10
<b>Travel arrangement and reservation services (NAICS 561500)</b>						
Travel agents .....	79,070	35.5	\$ 15.55	\$ 32,350	\$ 11.46	\$ 18.38
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks .....	22,880	10.3	13.41	27,900	9.89	16.07
Customer service representatives .....	15,610	7.0	13.59	28,270	10.91	15.58
Telemarketers .....	6,560	2.9	10.80	22,470	8.59	11.98
Sales representatives, services, all other .....	6,270	2.8	23.63	49,150	13.08	28.81
Tour guides and escorts .....	5,780	2.6	13.30	27,670	10.11	15.58
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers .....	5,520	2.5	29.62	61,600	19.56	34.77
Office clerks, general .....	5,520	2.5	12.20	25,370	9.43	14.51
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	5,200	2.3	15.35	31,920	12.09	18.23
General and operations managers .....	5,060	2.3	47.30	98,390	26.56	60.76

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<b>Investigation and security services (NAICS 561600)</b>						
Security guards.....	601,600	74.1	\$ 11.46	\$ 23,830	\$ 8.91	\$ 12.85
Security and fire alarm systems installers.....	33,860	4.2	18.01	37,460	13.88	21.62
First-line supervisors/managers, protective service workers, all other.....	19,070	2.4	19.64	40,850	13.68	23.65
Private detectives and investigators.....	18,610	2.3	20.34	42,310	13.69	25.31
Locksmiths and safe repairers.....	14,120	1.7	16.26	33,830	11.57	19.91
General and operations managers.....	7,970	1.0	42.57	88,550	24.77	51.62
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance.....	7,580	0.9	14.15	29,420	10.75	16.46
Office clerks, general.....	7,360	0.9	12.24	25,450	9.33	14.71
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	5,760	0.7	23.87	49,640	15.99	28.81
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	5,580	0.7	13.55	28,170	10.85	15.69
<b>Services to buildings and dwellings (NAICS 561700)</b>						
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	778,890	41.2	\$ 10.01	\$ 20,830	\$ 7.98	\$ 11.46
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	489,600	25.9	11.71	24,350	9.20	13.63
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	87,560	4.6	9.59	19,940	7.99	10.88
Pest control workers.....	59,680	3.2	14.85	30,900	11.70	17.51
First-line supervisors/managers of landscaping, lawn service, and groundskeeping workers.....	58,210	3.1	19.87	41,330	14.92	23.74
First-line supervisors/managers of housekeeping and janitorial workers.....	56,340	3.0	16.72	34,770	12.13	19.92
Tree trimmers and pruners.....	30,340	1.6	14.55	30,260	11.30	17.33
General and operations managers.....	27,700	1.5	39.84	82,870	23.87	46.96
Office clerks, general.....	26,610	1.4	11.58	24,090	8.85	13.75
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	25,390	1.3	12.43	25,850	9.41	14.75
<b>Other support services (NAICS 561900)</b>						
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	18,930	6.2	\$ 12.09	\$ 25,150	\$ 8.67	\$ 14.38
Customer service representatives.....	15,270	5.0	14.24	29,620	10.87	16.07
Packers and packagers, hand.....	14,810	4.8	9.62	20,020	7.92	10.75
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers, recordkeeping.....	12,040	3.9	11.90	24,750	9.31	13.85
Stock clerks and order fillers.....	11,880	3.9	10.90	22,680	8.55	12.69
Business operations specialists, all other.....	9,670	3.1	34.65	72,070	24.60	42.41
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders.....	9,640	3.1	10.96	22,800	8.23	12.74
Team assemblers.....	8,230	2.7	10.03	20,860	7.74	11.30
Office clerks, general.....	7,850	2.6	12.25	25,490	8.97	14.77
General and operations managers.....	6,890	2.2	45.92	95,510	28.09	57.04
<b>Waste collection (NAICS 562100)</b>						
Refuse and recyclable material collectors.....	50,930	35.9	\$ 15.56	\$ 32,370	\$ 11.64	\$ 18.74
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	28,900	20.4	17.39	36,180	13.46	20.30
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	7,580	5.3	11.00	22,880	8.55	12.52
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	5,410	3.8	19.13	39,780	15.69	22.57
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators.....	4,410	3.1	25.35	52,720	18.58	30.39
Office clerks, general.....	3,190	2.2	12.11	25,190	9.21	14.51
General and operations managers.....	2,750	1.9	46.25	96,200	29.49	55.89
Customer service representatives.....	2,620	1.8	14.37	29,890	11.61	16.20
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	2,410	1.7	28.46	59,190	16.85	29.90
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	2,360	1.7	13.54	28,150	10.79	15.95
<b>Waste treatment and disposal (NAICS 562200)</b>						
Refuse and recyclable material collectors.....	19,540	20.0	\$ 17.01	\$ 35,390	\$ 13.16	\$ 19.99
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	10,160	10.4	18.23	37,920	14.08	21.75
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	5,270	5.4	12.05	25,050	9.14	14.42
Hazardous materials removal workers.....	3,920	4.0	20.03	41,650	14.35	24.51
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	3,280	3.4	18.79	39,090	14.19	22.08
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	2,930	3.0	19.61	40,790	15.56	23.33
General and operations managers.....	2,570	2.6	47.78	99,390	32.21	58.66
Industrial truck and tractor operators.....	2,180	2.2	16.47	34,250	12.93	19.47
Office clerks, general.....	1,970	2.0	13.21	27,480	9.79	15.50
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	1,900	1.9	18.51	38,510	12.75	23.98
<b>Remediation and other waste services (NAICS 562900)</b>						
Hazardous materials removal workers.....	27,660	23.2	\$ 19.76	\$ 41,110	\$ 14.31	\$ 24.68
Septic tank servicers and sewer pipe cleaners.....	12,260	10.3	16.02	33,330	11.69	19.23
Construction laborers.....	6,420	5.4	16.79	34,930	12.22	20.21
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer.....	6,340	5.3	17.60	36,610	13.56	20.86
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers.....	5,130	4.3	27.89	58,020	20.44	33.82
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	4,750	4.0	11.80	24,540	8.88	13.90
General and operations managers.....	3,030	2.5	48.63	101,150	29.93	59.66
Office clerks, general.....	2,880	2.4	12.74	26,500	9.19	15.26
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	2,730	2.3	12.94	26,920	10.02	15.37
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators.....	2,430	2.0	20.38	42,380	14.88	25.52

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<b>Elementary and secondary schools (NAICS 611100)</b>						
Elementary school teachers, except special education .....	1,527,640	17.9	(3)	\$ 52,280	(3)	(3)
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education .....	1,080,340	12.7	(3)	54,460	(3)	(3)
Teacher assistants .....	1,013,450	11.9	(3)	23,680	(3)	(3)
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education .....	656,090	7.7	(3)	52,630	(3)	(3)
Teachers and instructors, all other .....	380,830	4.5	(3)	37,050	(3)	(3)
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	352,130	4.1	13.19	27,440	9.72	16.08
Bus drivers, school .....	240,300	2.8	12.68	26,380	8.58	15.75
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	219,970	2.6	14.68	30,530	11.30	17.86
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school .....	214,210	2.5	(3)	86,170	(3)	(3)
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school .....	210,490	2.5	(3)	53,650	(3)	(3)
<b>Junior colleges (NAICS 611200)</b>						
Postsecondary teachers, all other .....	65,620	9.0	(3)	\$ 65,710	(3)	(3)
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary .....	43,670	6.0	26.19	54,480	18.47	31.21
Office clerks, general .....	36,850	5.1	12.10	25,160	8.79	14.59
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	23,930	3.3	14.29	29,720	11.21	17.12
English language and literature teachers, postsecondary .....	23,740	3.3	(3)	63,560	(3)	(3)
Teachers and instructors, all other .....	20,780	2.9	(4)	(4)	(4)	(4)
Mathematical science teachers, postsecondary .....	19,890	2.7	(3)	66,280	(3)	(3)
Education administrators, postsecondary .....	19,400	2.7	39.25	81,640	28.00	47.65
Teacher assistants .....	18,220	2.5	(3)	28,170	(3)	(3)
Business teachers, postsecondary .....	18,100	2.5	(3)	65,030	(3)	(3)
<b>Colleges and universities (NAICS 611300)</b>						
Postsecondary teachers, all other .....	168,810	6.1	(3)	\$ 73,890	(3)	(3)
Office clerks, general .....	162,380	5.9	12.85	26,720	8.80	15.98
Graduate teaching assistants .....	118,650	4.3	(3)	31,560	(3)	(3)
Health specialties teachers, postsecondary .....	96,840	3.5	(3)	109,620	(3)	(3)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	95,120	3.4	19.93	41,450	15.49	23.38
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	91,210	3.3	15.57	32,390	12.53	18.44
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	75,900	2.7	12.44	25,880	9.80	14.78
Education administrators, postsecondary .....	70,860	2.6	46.66	97,040	28.78	58.35
Business operations specialists, all other .....	61,480	2.2	29.05	60,430	19.72	33.26
Art, drama, and music teachers, postsecondary .....	53,280	1.9	(3)	65,960	(3)	(3)
<b>Business, computer and management training (NAICS 611400)</b>						
Self-enrichment education teachers .....	5,030	6.2	\$ 22.28	\$ 46,340	\$ 14.40	\$ 27.33
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary .....	4,650	5.8	24.15	50,230	16.28	29.19
Office clerks, general .....	4,190	5.2	13.62	28,330	9.48	16.65
Training and development specialists .....	3,920	4.8	29.06	60,450	19.65	36.83
Teachers and instructors, all other .....	3,720	4.6	(3)	49,000	(3)	(3)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	3,430	4.2	19.47	40,490	14.44	23.41
Instructional coordinators .....	2,680	3.3	29.82	62,020	19.18	37.22
Sales representatives, services, all other .....	2,660	3.3	30.43	63,290	17.72	37.53
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	2,230	2.8	13.94	28,990	11.25	16.46
General and operations managers .....	2,130	2.6	50.12	104,240	31.47	61.26
<b>Technical and trade schools (NAICS 611500)</b>						
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary .....	44,620	31.0	\$ 22.61	\$ 47,040	\$ 15.48	\$ 28.02
Self-enrichment education teachers .....	5,840	4.1	19.15	39,830	12.91	25.44
Office clerks, general .....	4,770	3.3	12.10	25,170	8.59	14.67
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	3,840	2.7	13.39	27,850	10.56	16.04
Commercial pilots .....	3,640	2.5	(3)	57,260	(3)	(3)
Teachers and instructors, all other .....	3,270	2.3	(3)	47,080	(3)	(3)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	3,170	2.2	17.85	37,120	13.80	20.94
Educational, vocational, and school counselors .....	3,080	2.1	22.57	46,940	17.15	27.67
Health specialties teachers, postsecondary .....	2,930	2.0	(3)	56,010	(3)	(3)
Receptionists and information clerks .....	2,860	2.0	11.36	23,620	8.97	13.38
<b>Other schools and instruction (NAICS 611600)</b>						
Self-enrichment education teachers .....	63,470	20.7	\$ 19.75	\$ 41,080	\$ 12.37	\$ 25.25
Teachers and instructors, all other .....	44,740	14.6	(3)	35,490	(3)	(3)
Coaches and scouts .....	36,050	11.8	(3)	30,580	(3)	(3)
Choreographers .....	11,670	3.8	19.64	40,860	11.79	26.28
Teacher assistants .....	11,300	3.7	(3)	25,300	(3)	(3)
Fitness trainers and aerobics instructors .....	9,400	3.1	13.68	28,450	8.83	16.13
Adult literacy, remedial education, and GED teachers and instructors .....	8,950	2.9	19.29	40,120	13.00	23.82
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	7,800	2.5	12.39	25,760	9.63	14.77
Art, drama, and music teachers, postsecondary .....	6,640	2.2	(3)	57,240	(3)	(3)
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	5,160	1.7	17.66	36,740	14.01	20.04

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<b>Educational support services (NAICS 611700)</b>						
Teacher assistants.....	12,240	11.7	(3)	\$ 26,170	(3)	(3)
Teachers and instructors, all other.....	10,410	9.9	(3)	35,660	(3)	(3)
Instructional coordinators.....	7,120	6.8	30.43	63,280	19.68	37.57
Child care workers.....	6,150	5.9	11.90	24,760	9.12	13.81
Office clerks, general.....	4,270	4.1	13.71	28,510	9.55	16.64
Self-enrichment education teachers.....	3,860	3.7	20.71	43,070	13.25	26.57
Educational, vocational, and school counselors.....	3,250	3.1	24.28	50,490	16.68	28.80
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	3,230	3.1	14.39	29,940	11.13	17.33
Customer service representatives.....	3,080	2.9	13.75	28,600	10.69	15.85
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	2,920	2.8	19.25	40,050	14.90	22.63
<b>Offices of physicians (NAICS 621100)</b>						
Medical assistants.....	294,380	13.2	\$ 14.10	\$ 29,330	\$ 11.68	\$ 15.97
Registered nurses.....	218,110	9.7	31.28	65,070	22.24	36.68
Receptionists and information clerks.....	177,700	7.9	12.42	25,830	10.44	14.43
Medical secretaries.....	172,700	7.7	14.41	29,960	11.62	16.68
Physicians and surgeons, all other.....	133,530	6.0	93.16	193,780	72.77	(2)
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	91,170	4.1	17.28	35,940	14.27	19.55
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators.....	89,820	4.0	15.56	32,360	12.83	18.05
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	73,410	3.3	22.63	47,060	17.58	26.63
Office clerks, general.....	70,320	3.1	12.35	25,680	9.47	14.57
Family and general practitioners.....	69,140	3.1	80.75	167,970	59.50	(2)
<b>Offices of dentists (NAICS 621200)</b>						
Dental assistants.....	272,960	33.5	\$ 15.96	\$ 33,190	\$ 12.95	\$ 18.76
Dental hygienists.....	165,790	20.3	32.32	67,220	26.68	38.07
Dentists, general.....	78,300	9.6	75.45	156,930	49.43	(2)
Medical secretaries.....	70,130	8.6	16.73	34,790	13.13	19.96
Receptionists and information clerks.....	62,950	7.7	14.08	29,290	11.07	16.75
Office clerks, general.....	27,470	3.4	13.94	28,990	9.96	17.04
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	24,270	3.0	15.56	32,370	12.79	18.50
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	21,460	2.6	23.63	49,140	18.41	27.85
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	13,500	1.7	17.60	36,600	13.31	20.88
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators.....	12,130	1.5	17.00	35,360	13.77	19.38
<b>Offices of other health practitioners (NAICS 621300)</b>						
Physical therapists.....	56,030	9.0	\$ 35.57	\$ 73,980	\$ 28.24	\$ 41.06
Medical assistants.....	52,410	8.5	12.50	26,000	10.30	14.50
Receptionists and information clerks.....	43,400	7.0	11.70	24,340	9.74	13.67
Medical secretaries.....	38,720	6.2	13.43	27,940	10.61	15.57
Office clerks, general.....	28,420	4.6	11.65	24,230	8.91	13.74
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	25,630	4.1	13.01	27,060	10.58	15.05
Chiropractors.....	24,430	3.9	38.77	80,650	21.36	46.19
Physical therapist assistants.....	23,940	3.9	21.54	44,800	16.97	26.22
Opticians, dispensing.....	23,620	3.8	15.48	32,200	12.08	18.20
Physical therapist aides.....	21,580	3.5	11.31	23,520	9.12	12.76
<b>Outpatient care centers (NAICS 621400)</b>						
Registered nurses.....	78,240	14.8	\$ 30.56	\$ 63,570	\$ 24.75	\$ 35.68
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	23,190	4.4	19.17	39,870	14.08	22.52
Medical assistants.....	21,800	4.1	14.01	29,150	11.55	16.07
Mental health counselors.....	21,480	4.1	19.49	40,540	14.40	23.33
Social and human service assistants.....	17,610	3.3	12.96	26,960	9.97	15.14
Substance abuse and behavioral disorder counselors.....	17,490	3.3	18.78	39,070	14.31	22.05
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	16,770	3.2	19.04	39,600	15.82	22.14
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	15,020	2.8	13.31	27,690	10.74	15.66
Medical secretaries.....	14,650	2.8	14.48	30,120	11.93	16.85
Receptionists and information clerks.....	14,630	2.8	12.43	25,850	10.32	14.52
<b>Medical and diagnostic laboratories (NAICS 621500)</b>						
Healthcare support workers, all other.....	25,760	12.0	\$ 14.52	\$ 30,210	\$ 12.00	\$ 16.74
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists.....	24,850	11.6	25.91	53,890	20.92	30.58
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians.....	22,400	10.4	16.62	34,570	12.84	19.55
Radiologic technologists and technicians.....	18,560	8.6	27.05	56,260	21.40	31.50
Couriers and messengers.....	9,920	4.6	12.36	25,710	10.33	14.31
Customer service representatives.....	8,830	4.1	15.34	31,910	12.83	17.66
Medical secretaries.....	6,610	3.1	15.10	31,410	12.60	17.55
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators.....	6,550	3.0	15.27	31,750	12.77	17.58
Receptionists and information clerks.....	5,650	2.6	13.46	27,990	10.93	15.28
Physicians and surgeons, all other.....	4,820	2.2	96.22	200,130	(2)	(2)

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<b>Home health care services (NAICS 621600)</b>						
Home health aides.....	281,840	29.8	\$ 10.17	\$ 21,150	\$ 8.35	\$ 11.62
Personal and home care aides.....	225,370	23.8	8.48	17,640	6.98	9.72
Registered nurses.....	130,860	13.8	29.56	61,490	23.51	33.84
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	61,340	6.5	19.91	41,410	16.45	23.11
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	38,690	4.1	10.83	22,520	8.50	12.63
Physical therapists.....	17,840	1.9	39.36	81,870	30.49	47.69
Office clerks, general.....	14,680	1.6	12.45	25,890	9.67	14.64
Medical and health services managers.....	13,810	1.5	39.50	82,170	27.70	45.01
Medical and public health social workers.....	13,680	1.4	24.09	50,100	18.29	27.83
General and operations managers.....	8,570	0.9	42.68	88,780	28.38	50.95
<b>Other ambulatory health care services (NAICS 621900)</b>						
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics.....	96,050	40.7	\$ 13.92	\$ 28,960	\$ 10.60	\$ 16.13
Healthcare support workers, all other.....	14,200	6.0	14.52	30,200	11.21	17.39
Registered nurses.....	10,210	4.3	30.75	63,960	24.35	36.17
Ambulance drivers and attendants, except emergency medical technicians.....	9,670	4.1	10.75	22,350	8.73	12.20
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians.....	7,610	3.2	15.69	32,630	12.19	18.68
Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers.....	5,130	2.2	15.49	32,210	11.45	18.29
Medical and health services managers.....	4,560	1.9	38.18	79,420	25.09	43.94
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators.....	4,250	1.8	13.92	28,960	11.21	16.12
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists.....	3,990	1.7	24.94	51,870	20.28	29.73
Office clerks, general.....	3,810	1.6	12.95	26,930	9.94	15.26
<b>General medical and surgical hospitals (NAICS 622100)</b>						
Registered nurses.....	1,458,520	28.6	\$ 31.97	\$ 66,490	\$ 25.77	\$ 37.38
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	392,480	7.7	12.55	26,110	10.28	14.60
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	163,360	3.2	18.91	39,340	15.53	21.77
Radiologic technologists and technicians.....	125,640	2.5	25.86	53,790	21.06	30.50
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	118,330	2.3	10.85	22,580	8.78	12.35
Medical secretaries.....	108,980	2.1	14.74	30,670	11.88	16.91
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists.....	99,550	2.0	26.38	54,870	21.97	30.65
Office clerks, general.....	99,480	2.0	13.74	28,590	10.88	16.09
Medical and health services managers.....	96,910	1.9	45.24	94,090	33.71	52.13
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan.....	89,550	1.8	14.02	29,160	11.45	15.98
<b>Psychiatric and substance abuse hospitals (NAICS 622200)</b>						
Registered nurses.....	33,100	13.5	\$ 30.24	\$ 62,900	\$ 24.62	\$ 35.27
Psychiatric technicians.....	25,750	10.5	15.48	32,190	11.46	18.38
Psychiatric aides.....	23,660	9.7	13.69	28,480	10.79	16.21
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	10,290	4.2	22.01	45,780	16.84	26.85
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	9,970	4.1	18.75	39,010	15.87	21.65
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	9,590	3.9	11.02	22,920	9.17	12.29
Mental health counselors.....	6,120	2.5	19.36	40,270	13.95	22.90
Social and human service assistants.....	6,010	2.5	15.00	31,190	11.20	18.02
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	4,510	1.8	11.80	24,540	9.26	14.08
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists.....	4,500	1.8	37.97	78,970	24.28	39.99
<b>Other hospitals (NAICS 622300)</b>						
Registered nurses.....	43,820	22.5	\$ 33.29	\$ 69,230	\$ 27.22	\$ 38.42
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	19,780	10.1	12.78	26,580	10.46	14.92
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	7,590	3.9	19.98	41,550	16.86	23.15
Physical therapists.....	5,490	2.8	35.33	73,490	29.07	40.65
Medical and health services managers.....	4,720	2.4	47.43	98,650	35.77	54.89
Respiratory therapists.....	4,070	2.1	26.61	55,350	22.53	30.39
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	3,990	2.0	10.37	21,570	8.67	11.68
Medical secretaries.....	3,950	2.0	16.23	33,750	13.10	18.85
Occupational therapists.....	3,910	2.0	33.83	70,370	27.56	39.42
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	3,100	1.6	21.16	44,010	18.07	24.00
<b>Nursing care facilities (NAICS 623100)</b>						
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	599,350	37.2	\$ 11.38	\$ 23,670	\$ 9.50	\$ 12.95
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	207,870	12.9	20.03	41,660	16.96	23.16
Registered nurses.....	124,590	7.7	28.06	58,360	23.13	32.01
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	79,650	4.9	9.64	20,050	8.00	10.93
Home health aides.....	52,750	3.3	10.39	21,620	8.79	11.80
Food preparation workers.....	49,880	3.1	9.70	20,170	7.97	10.90
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	46,810	2.9	11.03	22,940	8.84	12.74
Recreation workers.....	32,610	2.0	11.73	24,400	9.20	13.63
Laundry and dry-cleaning workers.....	31,690	2.0	9.54	19,840	7.96	10.87
Food servers, nonrestaurant.....	26,320	1.6	9.69	20,150	8.15	10.89

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<b>Residential mental health facilities (NAICS 623200)</b>						
Home health aides.....	175,090	32.3	\$ 10.34	\$ 21,500	\$ 8.72	\$ 11.70
Social and human service assistants.....	37,480	6.9	11.78	24,500	9.74	13.39
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	30,720	5.7	11.06	23,000	9.10	12.58
Personal and home care aides.....	26,680	4.9	9.95	20,690	8.64	11.22
Rehabilitation counselors.....	17,720	3.3	13.63	28,350	10.58	15.51
Mental health counselors.....	17,550	3.2	15.55	32,340	11.80	18.13
Child care workers.....	16,770	3.1	11.23	23,360	9.11	12.99
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	16,500	3.0	17.09	35,550	12.91	20.16
Substance abuse and behavioral disorder counselors.....	15,710	2.9	15.98	33,240	12.60	18.73
Registered nurses.....	10,080	1.9	27.09	56,340	22.04	31.12
<b>Community care facilities for the elderly (NAICS 623300)</b>						
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	140,700	20.7	\$ 11.07	\$ 23,030	\$ 9.31	\$ 12.54
Home health aides.....	140,150	20.6	9.80	20,380	8.35	11.09
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses.....	37,210	5.5	19.67	40,910	16.84	22.73
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	37,160	5.5	9.59	19,950	8.27	10.80
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	27,510	4.1	11.27	23,440	9.17	13.13
Registered nurses.....	25,330	3.7	27.12	56,400	22.23	31.07
Food servers, nonrestaurant.....	22,690	3.3	9.21	19,150	8.02	9.95
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	15,060	2.2	9.31	19,370	8.06	10.02
Food preparation workers.....	14,780	2.2	9.33	19,410	7.86	10.35
Waiters and waitresses.....	14,380	2.1	9.04	18,800	7.62	9.79
<b>Other residential care facilities (NAICS 623900)</b>						
Child care workers.....	32,190	19.1	\$ 10.87	\$ 22,600	\$ 8.82	\$ 12.48
Home health aides.....	20,180	12.0	10.48	21,800	8.70	11.77
Social and human service assistants.....	12,460	7.4	12.12	25,210	9.94	14.09
Child, family, and school social workers.....	9,540	5.7	17.12	35,610	13.33	20.06
Residential advisors.....	5,930	3.5	11.42	23,750	8.88	13.03
Rehabilitation counselors.....	5,720	3.4	14.59	30,340	10.79	16.44
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	4,980	3.0	16.98	35,310	13.11	19.51
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants.....	4,730	2.8	11.01	22,900	9.29	12.31
Mental health counselors.....	3,540	2.1	16.61	34,550	12.14	19.41
Personal and home care aides.....	3,320	2.0	10.93	22,740	8.98	12.15
<b>Individual and family services (NAICS 624100)</b>						
Personal and home care aides.....	243,910	22.1	\$ 9.89	\$ 20,570	\$ 8.49	\$ 11.32
Home health aides.....	122,340	11.1	9.86	20,500	8.32	11.20
Social and human service assistants.....	73,640	6.7	13.18	27,420	10.14	15.45
Child, family, and school social workers.....	61,010	5.5	17.59	36,580	13.66	20.31
Social and community service managers.....	26,630	2.4	27.61	57,430	19.56	32.94
Office clerks, general.....	25,860	2.3	11.67	24,280	9.03	13.97
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	21,690	2.0	18.45	38,370	14.20	21.71
Recreation workers.....	19,830	1.8	11.39	23,680	8.79	13.01
Teacher assistants.....	18,900	1.7	(3)	21,830	(3)	(3)
Rehabilitation counselors.....	18,840	1.7	14.88	30,960	11.00	17.28
<b>Emergency and other relief services (NAICS 624200)</b>						
Social and human service assistants.....	18,670	13.8	\$ 12.49	\$ 25,970	\$ 9.62	\$ 14.72
Social and community service managers.....	6,330	4.7	26.97	56,100	18.40	32.79
Child, family, and school social workers.....	5,830	4.3	16.70	34,740	12.99	19.48
Community and social service specialists, all other.....	4,940	3.7	16.02	33,320	11.45	19.40
Office clerks, general.....	4,700	3.5	11.35	23,610	8.51	13.74
Child care workers.....	3,400	2.5	10.28	21,380	8.43	11.88
General and operations managers.....	2,970	2.2	36.82	76,580	24.29	45.07
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	2,960	2.2	17.21	35,800	13.87	19.65
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	2,950	2.2	10.26	21,340	8.05	11.95
Mental health and substance abuse social workers.....	2,910	2.2	16.73	34,790	13.26	19.64
<b>Vocational rehabilitation services (NAICS 624300)</b>						
Rehabilitation counselors.....	27,820	8.8	\$ 15.67	\$ 32,590	\$ 11.04	\$ 18.09
Personal and home care aides.....	24,320	7.7	9.95	20,700	8.44	11.31
Social and human service assistants.....	22,550	7.1	12.17	25,320	9.62	14.19
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	17,380	5.5	10.09	20,990	8.00	11.71
Educational, vocational, and school counselors.....	14,540	4.6	18.66	38,820	12.75	22.62
Home health aides.....	13,960	4.4	10.16	21,120	8.59	11.52
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	9,170	2.9	9.74	20,250	7.45	10.35
Office clerks, general.....	7,470	2.4	11.58	24,080	8.72	13.92
Team assemblers.....	6,500	2.0	9.38	19,510	7.33	10.74
Social and community service managers.....	6,190	2.0	27.60	57,420	19.17	33.41

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<b>Child day care services (NAICS 624400)</b>						
Preschool teachers, except special education .....	279,160	34.6	\$ 11.48	\$ 23,880	\$ 8.68	\$ 13.44
Child care workers.....	238,340	29.5	8.82	18,350	7.40	9.72
Teacher assistants.....	109,000	13.5	(3)	20,110	(3)	(3)
Education administrators, preschool and child care center/program .....	31,810	3.9	19.91	41,410	14.39	23.21
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	16,960	2.1	9.48	19,720	7.78	10.95
First-line supervisors/managers of personal service workers.....	9,090	1.1	14.90	30,990	11.09	17.84
Office clerks, general.....	8,640	1.1	11.07	23,020	8.66	12.89
Kindergarten teachers, except special education .....	7,650	0.9	(3)	31,160	(3)	(3)
Child, family, and school social workers.....	7,150	0.9	15.69	32,640	12.07	18.40
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	6,940	0.9	10.00	20,790	7.82	11.61
<b>Performing arts companies (NAICS 711100)</b>						
Musicians and singers.....	28,670	23.7	\$ 31.13	(3)	\$ 13.59	\$ 40.76
Actors.....	9,910	8.2	23.23	(3)	9.62	24.82
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers.....	5,240	4.3	9.81	20,410	7.70	10.89
Producers and directors.....	5,190	4.3	25.42	52,870	15.27	30.76
Dancers.....	4,730	3.9	17.83	(3)	10.21	22.93
Office clerks, general.....	3,000	2.5	12.10	25,160	8.90	14.63
Cashiers.....	2,820	2.3	10.26	21,340	8.25	11.69
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	2,630	2.2	16.63	34,590	11.25	20.45
Self-enrichment education teachers.....	2,400	2.0	21.40	44,510	13.31	27.15
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	2,370	2.0	20.23	42,080	14.98	24.55
<b>Spectator sports (NAICS 711200)</b>						
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers.....	10,030	7.2	\$ 9.25	\$ 19,240	\$ 7.42	\$ 10.51
Athletes and sports competitors.....	9,380	6.8	(3)	93,740	(3)	(3)
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	7,690	5.5	10.81	22,490	8.28	12.22
Coaches and scouts.....	6,410	4.6	(3)	58,180	(3)	(3)
Security guards.....	5,800	4.2	12.88	26,800	9.38	14.87
Cashiers.....	4,340	3.1	10.23	21,280	8.06	11.86
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	3,830	2.8	9.32	19,390	7.57	9.94
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	3,800	2.7	10.91	22,690	8.40	12.46
Automotive service technicians and mechanics.....	3,680	2.7	25.07	52,150	16.53	31.60
Office clerks, general.....	2,850	2.1	12.00	24,950	8.34	14.49
<b>Promoters of performing arts and sports (NAICS 711300)</b>						
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers.....	18,470	20.4	\$ 10.25	\$ 21,330	\$ 8.24	\$ 11.46
Security guards.....	6,820	7.5	11.95	24,860	8.78	13.37
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand.....	4,390	4.8	15.54	32,330	9.76	21.13
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	3,330	3.7	11.83	24,600	8.74	14.62
Parking lot attendants.....	2,960	3.3	10.18	21,170	7.95	10.50
Office clerks, general.....	2,670	2.9	11.71	24,350	8.41	14.16
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	2,480	2.7	21.20	44,090	12.45	28.94
General and operations managers.....	2,250	2.5	46.72	97,170	25.83	58.50
Musicians and singers.....	2,150	2.4	33.21	(3)	16.15	52.16
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	2,000	2.2	15.99	33,270	10.78	21.36
<b>Agents and managers for public figures (NAICS 711400)</b>						
Agents and business managers of artists, performers, and athletes.....	6,860	35.7	\$ 43.87	\$ 91,250	\$ 18.90	\$ 59.74
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	2,160	11.2	20.61	42,860	15.85	23.67
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	1,840	9.6	15.81	32,890	13.54	18.14
Office clerks, general.....	1,470	7.6	12.86	26,740	10.24	14.71
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	760	4.0	17.44	36,270	11.86	20.37
General and operations managers.....	740	3.8	73.56	153,000	46.87	(2)
Accountants and auditors.....	480	2.5	32.52	67,650	22.91	39.15
Receptionists and information clerks.....	430	2.2	12.51	26,030	9.61	14.93
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	400	2.1	24.76	51,510	17.80	31.11
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	340	1.8	30.12	62,650	16.87	38.20
<b>Independent artists, writers, and performers (NAICS 711500)</b>						
Actors.....	4,310	8.5	\$ 40.80	(3)	\$ 16.33	\$ 62.26
Fine artists, including painters, sculptors, and illustrators .....	2,620	5.2	21.14	43,960	12.89	24.35
Office clerks, general.....	2,560	5.1	11.37	23,650	8.60	13.63
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	2,390	4.7	20.21	42,040	15.39	24.17
Producers and directors.....	2,280	4.5	49.16	102,250	23.95	71.17
Public address system and other announcers .....	2,270	4.5	22.34	46,470	11.75	28.73
Writers and authors.....	2,140	4.2	48.37	100,600	16.78	(2)
Craft artists.....	1,670	3.3	14.26	29,670	10.12	17.56
Audio and video equipment technicians.....	1,640	3.2	18.25	37,950	10.43	22.77
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	1,640	3.2	13.29	27,640	9.70	16.04

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<b>Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks (NAICS 712100)</b>						
Tour guides and escorts.....	11,150	8.5	\$ 10.40	\$ 21,630	\$ 7.86	\$ 12.12
Security guards.....	6,770	5.2	12.02	25,010	9.18	14.00
Curators.....	5,990	4.6	23.17	48,200	15.27	29.13
Retail salespersons.....	5,270	4.0	10.85	22,570	8.07	11.97
Cashiers.....	5,210	4.0	9.51	19,780	7.82	10.57
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	4,750	3.6	13.40	27,880	9.50	16.17
Museum technicians and conservators.....	4,150	3.2	18.28	38,020	12.71	22.02
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	3,780	2.9	10.77	22,390	8.58	12.20
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers.....	3,530	2.7	9.71	20,190	8.00	10.69
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	3,490	2.7	15.47	32,170	10.93	19.33
<b>Amusement parks and arcades (NAICS 713100)</b>						
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	32,760	20.2	\$ 8.45	\$ 17,570	\$ 7.38	\$ 9.14
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	11,090	6.9	8.90	18,510	7.52	9.63
Cashiers.....	9,830	6.1	8.55	17,770	7.27	9.35
Waiters and waitresses.....	6,920	4.3	8.19	17,030	7.20	8.54
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop.....	5,800	3.6	8.28	17,230	7.33	8.99
Retail salespersons.....	5,430	3.4	9.89	20,580	8.00	10.54
Lifeguards, ski patrol, and other recreational protective service workers.....	5,410	3.3	8.55	17,780	7.17	9.17
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	5,290	3.3	10.02	20,840	8.00	11.44
Security guards.....	4,700	2.9	12.17	25,320	9.03	14.19
Actors.....	3,240	2.0	13.32	(3)	8.60	16.12
<b>Gambling industries (NAICS 713200)</b>						
Gaming dealers.....	26,490	18.0	\$ 11.43	\$ 23,760	\$ 7.54	\$ 14.28
Waiters and waitresses.....	8,890	6.0	9.51	19,770	7.24	11.35
Gaming change persons and booth cashiers.....	7,630	5.2	10.80	22,470	7.84	13.34
Security guards.....	7,550	5.1	12.38	25,750	9.95	14.40
Gaming supervisors.....	5,630	3.8	22.89	47,620	17.55	27.75
Cashiers.....	5,250	3.6	9.65	20,070	7.51	11.08
Bartenders.....	4,680	3.2	10.01	20,810	7.50	12.08
Gaming cage workers.....	4,590	3.1	11.95	24,860	9.89	13.62
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	4,270	2.9	10.42	21,680	8.36	12.03
Cooks, restaurant.....	4,180	2.8	12.20	25,370	10.25	14.20
<b>Other amusement and recreation industries (NAICS 713900)</b>						
Fitness trainers and aerobics instructors.....	157,080	14.1	\$ 17.07	\$ 35,500	\$ 9.50	\$ 22.50
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	123,280	11.1	8.84	18,380	7.44	9.56
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	103,100	9.3	10.85	22,560	8.54	12.30
Waiters and waitresses.....	69,740	6.3	10.28	21,380	7.54	12.19
Child care workers.....	33,620	3.0	8.88	18,460	7.47	9.60
Receptionists and information clerks.....	30,630	2.8	10.09	20,980	7.96	11.67
Bartenders.....	28,960	2.6	9.97	20,730	7.60	11.45
Coaches and scouts.....	27,780	2.5	(3)	34,720	(3)	(3)
Cashiers.....	25,900	2.3	8.85	18,400	7.42	9.64
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	24,290	2.2	10.14	21,090	8.13	11.51
<b>Traveler accommodation (NAICS 721100)</b>						
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	433,480	24.0	\$ 9.42	\$ 19,580	\$ 7.63	\$ 10.28
Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks.....	215,510	11.9	9.88	20,550	8.12	11.26
Waiters and waitresses.....	140,030	7.8	11.05	22,970	7.50	12.26
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	66,600	3.7	14.01	29,130	10.05	16.74
Cooks, restaurant.....	60,040	3.3	12.88	26,780	10.32	15.10
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	51,250	2.8	11.43	23,780	8.74	13.74
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers.....	44,400	2.5	9.88	20,550	7.66	11.41
Food servers, nonrestaurant.....	39,690	2.2	10.87	22,600	7.81	12.52
Bartenders.....	36,520	2.0	11.84	24,630	7.69	14.74
Gaming dealers.....	35,940	2.0	7.60	15,800	6.66	7.79
<b>RV parks and recreational camps (NAICS 721200)</b>						
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	5,450	11.6	\$ 11.72	\$ 24,370	\$ 8.62	\$ 13.93
Recreation workers.....	4,900	10.4	10.80	22,470	7.67	12.80
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	4,520	9.6	10.34	21,510	8.04	12.04
Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks.....	3,100	6.6	9.64	20,060	8.09	10.89
Office clerks, general.....	2,040	4.3	10.22	21,250	7.70	11.93
Maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	1,890	4.0	8.96	18,650	7.47	9.92
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	1,740	3.7	9.48	19,720	7.75	10.74
Amusement and recreation attendants.....	1,170	2.5	11.22	23,330	7.53	11.49
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	1,100	2.3	13.88	28,870	10.43	16.27
Security guards.....	1,030	2.2	9.50	19,760	7.52	10.74

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<b>Rooming and boarding houses (NAICS 721300)</b>						
Maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	2,350	21.6	\$ 9.73	\$ 20,240	\$ 7.69	\$ 11.22
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	990	9.1	11.40	23,710	8.83	13.39
Residential advisors.....	790	7.3	10.40	21,630	7.64	12.72
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers .....	640	5.9	8.83	18,370	7.41	9.63
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	530	4.9	12.20	25,370	8.21	14.38
Waiters and waitresses.....	460	4.2	8.40	17,460	7.10	8.73
Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks.....	450	4.1	10.57	21,980	8.37	12.15
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	440	4.0	10.80	22,460	8.30	12.59
Food preparation workers.....	360	3.3	10.14	21,090	7.49	12.71
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	360	3.3	8.89	18,480	7.21	9.92
<b>Full-service restaurants (NAICS 722100)</b>						
Waiters and waitresses.....	1,780,140	38.7	\$ 9.31	\$ 19,360	\$ 7.31	\$ 10.14
Cooks, restaurant.....	712,140	15.5	10.77	22,410	8.72	12.37
Dishwashers.....	338,700	7.4	8.38	17,420	7.46	9.22
Hosts and hostesses, restaurant, lounge, and coffee shop .....	296,450	6.4	8.80	18,300	7.48	9.58
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers .....	238,070	5.2	8.37	17,420	7.31	9.02
Food preparation workers.....	215,260	4.7	9.31	19,360	7.81	10.49
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers.....	205,480	4.5	16.24	33,780	12.14	19.54
Bartenders.....	199,140	4.3	10.16	21,140	7.59	11.71
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	127,620	2.8	8.16	16,980	7.08	8.94
Cooks, short order.....	72,730	1.6	9.79	20,360	7.98	11.37
<b>Limited-service eating places (NAICS 722200)</b>						
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	1,992,560	48.0	\$ 8.00	\$ 16,630	\$ 7.18	\$ 8.74
Cooks, fast food.....	472,660	11.4	8.37	17,420	7.41	9.16
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers.....	357,170	8.6	13.16	27,370	9.98	15.45
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop .....	268,940	6.5	8.49	17,670	7.56	9.28
Food preparation workers.....	198,190	4.8	8.39	17,450	7.36	9.24
Cashiers.....	172,110	4.1	7.91	16,440	7.02	8.70
Waiters and waitresses.....	142,020	3.4	8.23	17,120	6.97	8.58
Driver/sales workers.....	117,830	2.8	8.54	17,770	7.15	8.79
Food service managers.....	72,960	1.8	21.48	44,670	16.53	24.34
Cooks, restaurant.....	51,920	1.2	9.77	20,330	7.84	11.24
<b>Special food services (NAICS 722300)</b>						
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	83,040	14.8	\$ 9.66	\$ 20,100	\$ 7.70	\$ 10.89
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop .....	56,500	10.1	9.53	19,830	7.91	10.77
Waiters and waitresses.....	54,100	9.7	11.14	23,160	7.83	13.01
Food preparation workers.....	40,620	7.3	10.06	20,920	8.21	11.53
Cooks, institution and cafeteria.....	39,790	7.1	11.80	24,540	9.46	13.76
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers.....	29,860	5.3	16.27	33,850	11.86	19.81
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers .....	26,480	4.7	9.24	19,230	7.60	10.63
Cashiers.....	23,650	4.2	9.38	19,510	7.83	10.51
Dishwashers.....	22,430	4.0	9.06	18,840	7.77	9.83
Food servers, nonrestaurant .....	19,940	3.6	10.89	22,650	8.00	12.52
<b>Drinking places, alcoholic beverages (NAICS 722400)</b>						
Bartenders.....	149,350	42.4	\$ 9.13	\$ 18,980	\$ 7.47	\$ 9.83
Waiters and waitresses.....	71,940	20.4	8.76	18,220	7.23	9.28
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers.....	19,310	5.5	14.55	30,260	10.49	17.59
Security guards.....	18,240	5.2	10.87	22,610	8.18	12.51
Cooks, short order.....	14,920	4.2	9.71	20,200	7.99	11.22
Cooks, restaurant.....	13,590	3.9	10.97	22,830	8.91	12.60
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers .....	8,910	2.5	8.55	17,770	7.42	9.20
Dishwashers.....	5,610	1.6	8.28	17,220	7.36	9.10
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food.....	5,120	1.5	8.46	17,610	7.39	9.17
Hosts and hostesses, restaurant, lounge, and coffee shop .....	4,780	1.4	9.15	19,030	7.50	9.96
<b>Automotive repair and maintenance (NAICS 811100)</b>						
Automotive service technicians and mechanics .....	237,440	27.2	\$ 16.36	\$ 34,030	\$ 11.65	\$ 19.83
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment.....	129,780	14.9	9.12	18,980	7.62	9.86
Automotive body and related repairers.....	100,100	11.5	18.81	39,110	13.40	22.98
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers .....	38,150	4.4	25.89	53,850	18.62	31.00
Service station attendants.....	37,240	4.3	9.40	19,560	7.98	10.36
Office clerks, general.....	32,520	3.7	11.67	24,280	8.35	13.94
Painters, transportation equipment.....	24,190	2.8	19.49	40,550	13.98	23.79
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists.....	21,600	2.5	18.32	38,110	14.36	22.00
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	18,390	2.1	14.48	30,130	10.80	17.41
Helpers--installation, maintenance, and repair workers .....	17,570	2.0	10.11	21,030	8.16	11.67

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<b>Electronic equipment repair and maintenance (NAICS 811200)</b>						
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers.....	17,350	16.7	\$ 18.12	\$ 37,680	\$ 12.99	\$ 22.36
Electronic home entertainment equipment installers and repairers.....	5,930	5.7	16.66	34,650	12.45	19.69
Medical equipment repairers.....	5,650	5.4	23.06	47,970	16.34	28.20
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers.....	5,490	5.3	19.42	40,390	13.35	25.62
Office clerks, general.....	3,770	3.6	11.63	24,200	7.98	14.30
Electrical and electronics repairers, commercial and industrial equipment.....	3,670	3.5	21.58	44,890	15.21	27.21
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	3,630	3.5	28.83	59,970	20.26	35.78
Customer service representatives.....	3,020	2.9	15.43	32,090	11.32	18.55
General and operations managers.....	2,480	2.4	53.82	111,940	33.22	66.54
Computer support specialists.....	2,420	2.3	20.98	43,630	14.87	25.14
<b>Commercial machinery repair and maintenance (NAICS 811300)</b>						
Industrial machinery mechanics.....	26,720	13.9	\$ 19.80	\$ 41,190	\$ 14.57	\$ 24.00
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers.....	18,290	9.5	16.72	34,780	13.14	19.54
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers.....	8,180	4.3	21.40	44,500	15.80	26.28
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines.....	7,360	3.8	19.77	41,120	15.78	23.25
Office clerks, general.....	7,340	3.8	11.63	24,200	8.17	14.19
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	7,250	3.8	17.41	36,220	13.10	21.34
Machinists.....	6,930	3.6	18.65	38,800	14.50	22.33
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers.....	6,750	3.5	27.84	57,910	20.18	33.95
Electric motor, power tool, and related repairers.....	6,730	3.5	17.41	36,220	13.31	20.33
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	4,770	2.5	12.95	26,940	10.27	15.02
<b>Household goods repair and maintenance (NAICS 811400)</b>						
Home appliance repairers.....	10,820	14.1	\$ 18.21	\$ 37,880	\$ 13.42	\$ 22.56
Upholsterers.....	8,930	11.6	14.26	29,650	10.72	16.80
Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers.....	4,040	5.3	11.05	22,990	8.54	12.82
Office clerks, general.....	3,760	4.9	10.97	22,820	7.82	13.39
Motorboat mechanics.....	3,400	4.4	17.18	35,730	12.99	21.00
Furniture finishers.....	3,200	4.2	13.72	28,540	9.94	16.54
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	2,380	3.1	11.93	24,820	9.25	14.23
Shoe and leather workers and repairers.....	1,990	2.6	11.69	24,320	9.64	13.57
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers.....	1,900	2.5	20.72	43,090	15.17	25.83
Sewing machine operators.....	1,780	2.3	11.62	24,180	8.23	14.44
<b>Personal care services (NAICS 812100)</b>						
Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists.....	322,940	52.1	\$ 12.96	\$ 26,950	\$ 8.76	\$ 15.15
Receptionists and information clerks.....	57,800	9.3	9.90	20,590	8.00	11.42
Manicurists and pedicurists.....	48,690	7.9	10.51	21,870	8.10	11.92
Massage therapists.....	21,870	3.5	17.90	37,230	10.64	23.69
Skin care specialists.....	20,180	3.3	15.08	31,370	9.59	18.96
First-line supervisors/managers of personal service workers.....	19,520	3.1	19.53	40,620	13.27	23.53
Shampoosers.....	15,460	2.5	8.79	18,280	7.60	9.65
Personal care and service workers, all other.....	13,930	2.2	10.02	20,850	7.59	10.75
Counter and rental clerks.....	13,780	2.2	9.37	19,490	7.40	9.91
Barbers.....	9,860	1.6	12.73	26,480	8.92	14.60
<b>Death care services (NAICS 812200)</b>						
Funeral attendants.....	32,960	24.6	\$ 11.19	\$ 23,270	\$ 8.63	\$ 12.95
Funeral directors.....	25,180	18.8	28.16	58,580	18.63	33.09
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers.....	15,720	11.7	11.86	24,660	8.64	13.99
Embalmers.....	8,050	6.0	18.90	39,310	13.75	23.62
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	8,010	6.0	12.42	25,840	9.60	14.75
Office clerks, general.....	7,040	5.3	11.15	23,190	8.44	12.91
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	4,320	3.2	11.43	23,780	8.26	12.65
Receptionists and information clerks.....	3,540	2.6	10.24	21,300	8.19	11.78
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks.....	2,720	2.0	15.08	31,360	11.35	17.88
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	2,490	1.9	21.72	45,170	11.90	25.66
<b>Drycleaning and laundry services (NAICS 812300)</b>						
Laundry and dry-cleaning workers.....	113,190	33.5	\$ 9.41	\$ 19,570	\$ 7.80	\$ 10.54
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials.....	52,960	15.7	9.43	19,600	8.00	10.73
Counter and rental clerks.....	52,220	15.5	9.01	18,750	7.47	9.66
Driver/sales workers.....	15,300	4.5	16.28	33,850	12.18	19.74
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers.....	12,230	3.6	18.82	39,140	13.24	22.96
Cashiers.....	8,200	2.4	8.59	17,870	7.33	9.32
Truck drivers, light or delivery services.....	7,850	2.3	13.67	28,420	9.85	16.74
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers.....	5,180	1.5	11.39	23,700	8.42	12.22
Sales representatives, services, all other.....	4,960	1.5	23.51	48,900	16.84	27.53
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	3,950	1.2	9.38	19,510	7.63	10.51

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<b>Other personal services (NAICS 812900)</b>						
Parking lot attendants .....	74,130	31.1	\$ 9.49	\$ 19,740	\$ 8.00	\$ 10.51
Nonfarm animal caretakers .....	44,120	18.5	10.32	21,470	8.13	11.69
Cashiers.....	11,620	4.9	9.42	19,600	7.82	10.36
Photographic process workers.....	5,750	2.4	13.58	28,240	9.89	15.55
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators .....	5,390	2.3	19.50	40,560	13.57	23.18
Office clerks, general.....	5,320	2.2	11.63	24,190	8.88	13.93
Photographic processing machine operators.....	4,940	2.1	11.74	24,420	8.89	13.74
Customer service representatives.....	4,890	2.1	13.49	28,070	9.90	15.76
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs.....	4,760	2.0	10.02	20,840	8.21	11.38
Financial specialists, all other.....	3,950	1.7	19.91	41,400	11.82	21.00
<b>Religious organizations (NAICS 813100)</b>						
Clergy .....	23,740	12.8	\$ 21.57	\$ 44,870	\$ 12.44	\$ 26.88
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	14,250	7.7	12.72	26,460	10.21	14.95
Directors, religious activities and education.....	12,180	6.6	18.28	38,020	12.38	22.55
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	11,860	6.4	10.97	22,810	8.34	12.70
Office clerks, general.....	8,580	4.6	10.91	22,690	7.87	12.94
Self-enrichment education teachers.....	8,090	4.4	16.91	35,180	10.19	20.11
Musicians and singers.....	7,510	4.0	19.40	(3)	8.00	23.70
Preschool teachers, except special education .....	7,160	3.9	13.46	28,000	9.34	16.33
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	6,540	3.5	14.88	30,950	11.47	17.93
Child care workers.....	6,220	3.3	9.77	20,330	8.06	10.68
<b>Grantmaking and giving services (NAICS 813200)</b>						
Business operations specialists, all other.....	8,900	7.1	\$ 29.09	\$ 60,510	\$ 19.65	\$ 35.93
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	8,310	6.6	20.53	42,690	16.30	23.85
Public relations specialists.....	7,870	6.3	26.89	55,920	18.99	33.04
Office clerks, general.....	6,420	5.1	12.64	26,290	9.57	15.16
General and operations managers .....	5,660	4.5	54.26	112,850	33.21	69.26
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	5,220	4.2	15.07	31,340	12.17	17.70
Sales and related workers, all other.....	4,050	3.2	24.29	50,520	16.58	30.05
Social and community service managers.....	3,900	3.1	30.76	63,970	21.08	37.43
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	3,860	3.1	17.42	36,230	14.01	20.36
Accountants and auditors .....	3,660	2.9	30.94	64,350	23.90	36.78
<b>Social advocacy organizations (NAICS 813300)</b>						
Social and human service assistants .....	10,630	5.8	\$ 14.26	\$ 29,660	\$ 10.77	\$ 17.38
Nonfarm animal caretakers.....	9,590	5.2	9.67	20,110	7.73	10.91
Office clerks, general.....	7,640	4.2	12.11	25,190	8.96	14.60
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	7,500	4.1	18.93	39,380	14.87	22.48
Public relations specialists.....	7,470	4.1	27.36	56,920	17.91	32.43
Personal and home care aides.....	7,450	4.1	9.62	20,010	8.35	10.74
General and operations managers .....	6,760	3.7	43.55	90,580	26.69	52.99
Business operations specialists, all other.....	6,430	3.5	24.99	51,980	16.27	29.94
Social and community service managers.....	5,990	3.3	28.49	59,270	19.51	35.14
Community and social service specialists, all other .....	5,630	3.1	18.26	37,970	13.12	22.72
<b>Civic and social organizations (NAICS 813400)</b>						
Bartenders.....	43,130	10.4	\$ 8.73	\$ 18,160	\$ 7.47	\$ 9.43
Fitness trainers and aerobics instructors .....	34,800	8.4	14.47	30,090	9.06	17.81
Child care workers.....	34,100	8.2	9.08	18,890	7.52	9.95
Recreation workers.....	33,280	8.0	10.75	22,370	8.03	12.33
Lifeguards, ski patrol, and other recreational protective service workers .....	22,340	5.4	9.15	19,020	7.71	9.90
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	15,300	3.7	9.66	20,090	7.67	11.03
Waiters and waitresses.....	14,870	3.6	9.61	19,990	7.47	10.85
Office clerks, general.....	13,080	3.1	10.57	21,990	7.88	12.38
Customer service representatives.....	9,870	2.4	11.11	23,120	8.00	13.33
Receptionists and information clerks.....	8,930	2.1	9.97	20,740	7.81	11.44
<b>Professional and similar organizations (NAICS 813900)</b>						
Human resources, training, and labor relations specialists, all other .....	54,100	12.3	\$ 23.52	\$ 48,920	\$ 9.04	\$ 31.92
Business operations specialists, all other.....	42,940	9.8	25.98	54,040	15.95	33.62
Office clerks, general.....	24,140	5.5	13.01	27,060	8.92	16.15
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive .....	23,610	5.4	14.95	31,100	11.09	18.34
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	22,420	5.1	20.47	42,580	16.01	24.30
Public relations specialists.....	19,920	4.5	30.92	64,310	19.18	38.79
General and operations managers .....	18,270	4.2	54.79	113,970	32.89	70.58
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	15,850	3.6	14.71	30,590	11.19	17.60
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	15,230	3.5	16.71	34,760	12.66	20.42
Security guards.....	11,290	2.6	12.40	25,790	9.17	14.01

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<b>Federal government (OES designation) (NAICS 999100)</b>						
Business operations specialists, all other.....	154,270	8.3	\$ 35.62	\$ 74,090	\$ 26.49	\$ 42.92
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation.....	95,260	5.1	23.30	48,470	15.99	29.44
All other information and record clerks.....	80,300	4.3	18.43	38,320	14.87	21.94
Computer specialists, all other.....	61,490	3.3	40.74	84,750	33.65	47.99
Registered nurses.....	57,070	3.1	35.80	74,460	29.07	42.06
Management analysts.....	45,900	2.5	38.53	80,140	31.25	45.96
Managers, all other.....	45,290	2.4	47.71	99,240	37.56	59.07
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators.....	39,930	2.2	30.82	64,120	24.99	37.17
Detectives and criminal investigators.....	39,920	2.2	35.03	72,850	26.15	44.11
Lawyers.....	29,240	1.6	59.45	123,660	50.42	70.90
<b>State government (OES designation) (NAICS 999200)</b>						
Correctional officers and jailers.....	237,100	10.5	\$ 20.31	\$ 42,240	\$ 14.45	\$ 24.69
Office clerks, general.....	86,890	3.8	14.77	30,730	11.39	17.56
Business operations specialists, all other.....	65,950	2.9	29.81	62,010	22.88	36.08
Child, family, and school social workers.....	65,470	2.9	20.42	42,470	15.30	24.65
Police and sheriff's patrol officers.....	59,460	2.6	27.97	58,180	21.85	33.54
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	57,490	2.5	18.39	38,250	13.61	22.35
Probation officers and correctional treatment specialists.....	53,670	2.4	24.58	51,130	17.68	29.56
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	41,860	1.8	16.74	34,820	12.97	19.71
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers.....	40,130	1.8	24.03	49,980	17.91	29.70
Registered nurses.....	39,090	1.7	29.21	60,750	23.75	34.63
<b>Local government (OES designation) (NAICS 999300)</b>						
Police and sheriff's patrol officers.....	548,040	9.7	\$ 25.23	\$ 52,480	\$ 18.43	\$ 31.21
Fire fighters.....	273,200	4.9	22.20	46,180	15.14	28.49
Office clerks, general.....	196,290	3.5	14.25	29,640	10.83	17.18
Correctional officers and jailers.....	154,050	2.7	19.38	40,300	14.10	24.02
Maintenance and repair workers, general.....	103,670	1.8	17.90	37,240	13.01	22.24
Highway maintenance workers.....	99,830	1.8	16.67	34,660	12.63	20.06
Recreation workers.....	97,770	1.7	12.06	25,080	8.44	14.27
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive.....	96,350	1.7	16.23	33,750	12.75	19.34
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners.....	86,840	1.5	13.64	28,370	9.88	16.56
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants.....	86,200	1.5	21.17	44,040	16.38	25.01