

Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Total, 16 years and older..... | 106,648 | \$722 | 47,209 | \$638 | 59,439 | \$798 | 79.9 |
| Management, professional, and related occupations..... | 40,154 | 1,025 | 20,535 | 892 | 19,619 | 1,238 | 72.1 |
| Management, business, and financial operations occupations..... | 16,310 | 1,128 | 7,463 | 941 | 8,847 | 1,343 | 70.1 |
| Management occupations..... | 11,223 | 1,204 | 4,535 | 979 | 6,687 | 1,384 | 70.7 |
| Chief executives..... | 1,044 | 1,903 | 251 | 1,603 | 793 | 1,999 | 80.2 |
| General and operations managers..... | 919 | 1,229 | 274 | 993 | 646 | 1,315 | 75.5 |
| Legislators..... | 16 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Advertising and promotions managers..... | 69 | 1,097 | 52 | 1,000 | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Marketing and sales managers..... | 867 | 1,345 | 357 | 1,024 | 510 | 1,601 | 64.0 |
| Public relations managers..... | 57 | 1,232 | 31 | (¹) | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Administrative services managers..... | 92 | 1,003 | 26 | (¹) | 66 | 1,012 | (²) |
| Computer and information systems managers..... | 431 | 1,576 | 120 | 1,260 | 311 | 1,641 | 76.8 |
| Financial managers..... | 1,063 | 1,134 | 583 | 945 | 480 | 1,457 | 64.9 |
| Human resources managers..... | 288 | 1,233 | 194 | 1,137 | 93 | 1,433 | 79.3 |
| Industrial production managers..... | 222 | 1,253 | 30 | (¹) | 192 | 1,285 | (²) |
| Purchasing managers..... | 183 | 1,139 | 72 | 995 | 111 | 1,251 | 79.5 |
| Transportation, storage, and distribution managers..... | 218 | 877 | 38 | (¹) | 179 | 885 | (²) |
| Farm, ranch, and other agricultural managers..... | 76 | 775 | 13 | (¹) | 63 | 802 | (²) |
| Construction managers..... | 586 | 1,189 | 49 | (¹) | 536 | 1,219 | (²) |
| Education administrators..... | 725 | 1,170 | 447 | 1,000 | 278 | 1,398 | 71.5 |
| Engineering managers..... | 99 | 1,752 | 5 | (¹) | 95 | 1,758 | (²) |
| Food service managers..... | 619 | 676 | 296 | 628 | 323 | 739 | 85.0 |
| Funeral directors..... | 25 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Gaming managers..... | 14 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Lodging managers..... | 119 | 788 | 56 | 720 | 63 | 877 | 82.1 |
| Medical and health services managers..... | 500 | 1,170 | 351 | 1,066 | 150 | 1,504 | 70.9 |
| Natural sciences managers..... | 15 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | (²) |
| Postmasters and mail superintendents..... | 36 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Property, real estate, and community association managers..... | 303 | 847 | 177 | 758 | 126 | 1,054 | 71.9 |
| Social and community service managers..... | 277 | 965 | 191 | 871 | 86 | 1,254 | 69.5 |
| Managers, all other..... | 2,361 | 1,225 | 885 | 1,010 | 1,477 | 1,359 | 74.3 |
| Business and financial operations occupations..... | 5,087 | 974 | 2,928 | 885 | 2,159 | 1,167 | 75.8 |
| Agents and business managers of artists, performers, and athletes..... | 28 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Purchasing agents and buyers, farm products..... | 5 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Wholesale and retail buyers, except farm products..... | 152 | 816 | 70 | 801 | 82 | 826 | 97.0 |
| Purchasing agents, except wholesale, retail, and farm products..... | 253 | 890 | 146 | 859 | 107 | 923 | 93.1 |
| Claims adjusters, appraisers, examiners, and investigators..... | 286 | 810 | 188 | 766 | 99 | 891 | 86.0 |
| Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation..... | 164 | 1,126 | 86 | 950 | 78 | 1,245 | 76.3 |
| Cost estimators..... | 82 | 1,055 | 9 | (¹) | 73 | 1,082 | (²) |
| Human resources, training, and labor relations specialists..... | 717 | 918 | 504 | 850 | 213 | 1,158 | 73.4 |
| Logisticians..... | 39 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | 21 | (¹) | (²) |
| Management analysts..... | 454 | 1,255 | 209 | 1,139 | 245 | 1,391 | 81.9 |
| Meeting and convention planners..... | 47 | (¹) | 37 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |

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(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Other business operations specialists..... | 214 | \$931 | 145 | \$850 | 69 | \$1,157 | 73.5 |
| Accountants and auditors..... | 1,494 | 981 | 904 | 908 | 591 | 1,178 | 77.1 |
| Appraisers and assessors of real estate..... | 61 | 1,089 | 22 | (¹) | 39 | (¹) | (²) |
| Budget analysts..... | 62 | 1,197 | 37 | (¹) | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Credit analysts..... | 20 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Financial analysts..... | 84 | 1,378 | 39 | (¹) | 45 | (¹) | (²) |
| Personal financial advisors..... | 313 | 1,194 | 117 | 935 | 197 | 1,370 | 68.2 |
| Insurance underwriters..... | 77 | 957 | 62 | 917 | 15 | (¹) | (²) |
| Financial examiners..... | 6 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Loan counselors and officers..... | 355 | 916 | 201 | 812 | 154 | 1,118 | 72.6 |
| Tax examiners, collectors, and revenue agents.... | 53 | 850 | 35 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tax preparers..... | 54 | 911 | 36 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Financial specialists, all other..... | 66 | 964 | 35 | (¹) | 30 | (¹) | (²) |
| Professional and related occupations..... | 23,845 | 980 | 13,072 | 867 | 10,773 | 1,169 | 74.2 |
| Computer and mathematical occupations..... | 3,344 | 1,242 | 828 | 1,088 | 2,516 | 1,320 | 82.4 |
| Computer scientists and systems analysts..... | 752 | 1,184 | 213 | 1,082 | 538 | 1,240 | 87.3 |
| Computer programmers..... | 470 | 1,218 | 105 | 1,003 | 365 | 1,261 | 79.5 |
| Computer software engineers..... | 955 | 1,529 | 196 | 1,351 | 759 | 1,555 | 86.9 |
| Computer support specialists..... | 379 | 893 | 105 | 878 | 274 | 903 | 97.2 |
| Database administrators..... | 93 | 1,274 | 25 | (¹) | 68 | 1,289 | (²) |
| Network and computer systems administrators.... | 212 | 1,189 | 46 | (¹) | 166 | 1,209 | (²) |
| Network systems and data communications analysts..... | 353 | 1,130 | 82 | 961 | 271 | 1,184 | 81.2 |
| Actuaries..... | 24 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Mathematicians..... | 2 | (¹) | - | - | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Operations research analysts..... | 69 | 1,259 | 36 | (¹) | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Statisticians..... | 33 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous mathematical science occupations..... | 2 | (¹) | - | - | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Architecture and engineering occupations..... | 2,652 | 1,244 | 334 | 1,001 | 2,319 | 1,286 | 77.8 |
| Architects, except naval..... | 150 | 1,128 | 35 | (¹) | 115 | 1,273 | (²) |
| Surveyors, cartographers, and photogrammetrists..... | 34 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 32 | (¹) | (²) |
| Aerospace engineers..... | 131 | 1,554 | 12 | (¹) | 120 | 1,622 | (²) |
| Agricultural engineers..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Biomedical engineers..... | 10 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Chemical engineers..... | 64 | 1,546 | 8 | (¹) | 56 | 1,562 | (²) |
| Civil engineers..... | 303 | 1,332 | 36 | (¹) | 268 | 1,349 | (²) |
| Computer hardware engineers..... | 62 | 1,258 | 14 | (¹) | 48 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electrical and electronics engineers..... | 334 | 1,443 | 26 | (¹) | 307 | 1,475 | (²) |
| Environmental engineers..... | 29 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 21 | (¹) | (²) |
| Industrial engineers, including health and safety... | 163 | 1,311 | 23 | (¹) | 140 | 1,364 | (²) |
| Marine engineers and naval architects..... | 15 | (¹) | - | - | 15 | (¹) | (²) |
| Materials engineers..... | 41 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 35 | (¹) | (²) |
| Mechanical engineers..... | 300 | 1,433 | 23 | (¹) | 276 | 1,445 | (²) |
| Mining and geological engineers, including mining safety engineers..... | 12 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Nuclear engineers..... | 9 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Petroleum engineers..... | 18 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Engineers, all other..... | 347 | 1,418 | 39 | (¹) | 308 | 1,425 | (²) |
| Drafters..... | 150 | 881 | 31 | (¹) | 119 | 924 | (²) |
| Engineering technicians, except drafters..... | 392 | 905 | 59 | 781 | 332 | 933 | 83.7 |
| Surveying and mapping technicians..... | 87 | 794 | 6 | (¹) | 80 | 801 | (²) |

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(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Life, physical, and social science occupations..... | 1,080 | \$1,035 | 477 | \$931 | 603 | \$1,156 | 80.5 |
| Agricultural and food scientists..... | 34 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | 23 | (¹) | (²) |
| Biological scientists..... | 91 | 1,023 | 46 | (¹) | 45 | (¹) | (²) |
| Conservation scientists and foresters..... | 21 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Medical scientists..... | 120 | 989 | 60 | 948 | 60 | 1,133 | 83.7 |
| Astronomers and physicists..... | 20 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Atmospheric and space scientists..... | 8 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Chemists and materials scientists..... | 103 | 1,118 | 38 | (¹) | 65 | 1,430 | (²) |
| Environmental scientists and geoscientists..... | 70 | 1,253 | 22 | (¹) | 48 | (¹) | (²) |
| Physical scientists, all other..... | 122 | 1,363 | 50 | 1,061 | 72 | 1,535 | 69.1 |
| Economists..... | 17 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Market and survey researchers..... | 109 | 1,071 | 60 | 990 | 49 | (¹) | (²) |
| Psychologists..... | 84 | 1,220 | 57 | 1,004 | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sociologists..... | 1 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | - | - | (²) |
| Urban and regional planners..... | 31 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous social scientists and related workers..... | 36 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | 23 | (¹) | (²) |
| Agricultural and food science technicians..... | 23 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | (²) |
| Biological technicians..... | 20 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Chemical technicians..... | 56 | 872 | 20 | (¹) | 36 | (¹) | (²) |
| Geological and petroleum technicians..... | 9 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Nuclear technicians..... | 2 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Other life, physical, and social science technicians..... | 103 | 752 | 50 | 752 | 54 | 751 | 100.1 |
| Community and social services occupations..... | 1,908 | 788 | 1,117 | 753 | 791 | 860 | 87.6 |
| Counselors..... | 522 | 787 | 355 | 787 | 167 | 787 | 100.0 |
| Social workers..... | 639 | 784 | 503 | 779 | 135 | 812 | 95.9 |
| Miscellaneous community and social service specialists..... | 261 | 736 | 159 | 680 | 102 | 874 | 77.8 |
| Clergy..... | 388 | 882 | 43 | (¹) | 346 | 899 | (²) |
| Directors, religious activities and education..... | 38 | (¹) | 21 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Religious workers, all other..... | 60 | 669 | 36 | (¹) | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Legal occupations..... | 1,199 | 1,174 | 693 | 962 | 506 | 1,696 | 56.7 |
| Lawyers..... | 645 | 1,751 | 247 | 1,509 | 398 | 1,875 | 80.5 |
| Judges, magistrates, and other judicial workers..... | 51 | 1,281 | 24 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| Paralegals and legal assistants..... | 304 | 796 | 267 | 790 | 37 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous legal support workers..... | 198 | 738 | 155 | 702 | 43 | (¹) | (²) |
| Education, training, and library occupations..... | 6,677 | 866 | 4,883 | 818 | 1,794 | 1,020 | 80.2 |
| Postsecondary teachers..... | 862 | 1,149 | 379 | 1,056 | 483 | 1,245 | 84.8 |
| Preschool and kindergarten teachers..... | 506 | 591 | 493 | 589 | 14 | (¹) | (²) |
| Elementary and middle school teachers..... | 2,627 | 890 | 2,127 | 871 | 500 | 994 | 87.6 |
| Secondary school teachers..... | 1,086 | 949 | 596 | 920 | 490 | 995 | 92.5 |
| Special education teachers..... | 343 | 944 | 291 | 949 | 52 | 914 | 103.8 |
| Other teachers and instructors..... | 351 | 858 | 209 | 812 | 142 | 953 | 85.2 |
| Archivists, curators, and museum technicians..... | 25 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Librarians..... | 136 | 878 | 111 | 811 | 25 | (¹) | (²) |
| Library technicians..... | 17 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Teacher assistants..... | 651 | 421 | 595 | 413 | 56 | 517 | 79.9 |
| Other education, training, and library workers..... | 74 | 1,071 | 55 | 886 | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations..... | 1,570 | 882 | 689 | 777 | 882 | 951 | 81.7 |
| Artists and related workers..... | 74 | 985 | 23 | (¹) | 51 | 1,103 | (²) |
| Designers..... | 540 | 811 | 268 | 744 | 271 | 899 | 82.8 |

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(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Actors..... | 2 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Producers and directors..... | 108 | \$938 | 42 | (¹) | 65 | \$983 | (²) |
| Athletes, coaches, umpires, and related workers..... | 117 | 825 | 25 | (¹) | 91 | 837 | (²) |
| Dancers and choreographers..... | 13 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Musicians, singers, and related workers..... | 32 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| Entertainers and performers, sports and related workers, all other..... | 12 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Announcers..... | 22 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| News analysts, reporters and correspondents..... | 68 | 947 | 25 | (¹) | 43 | (¹) | (²) |
| Public relations specialists..... | 107 | 1,000 | 70 | \$935 | 37 | (¹) | (²) |
| Editors..... | 132 | 971 | 69 | 941 | 63 | 1,062 | 88.6 |
| Technical writers..... | 48 | (¹) | 22 | (¹) | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Writers and authors..... | 79 | 945 | 41 | (¹) | 38 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous media and communication workers | 46 | (¹) | 33 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | (²) |
| Broadcast and sound engineering technicians and radio operators..... | 75 | 972 | 13 | (¹) | 62 | 996 | (²) |
| Photographers..... | 69 | 690 | 30 | (¹) | 39 | (¹) | (²) |
| Television, video, and motion picture camera operators and editors..... | 26 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 21 | (¹) | (²) |
| Media and communication equipment workers, all other..... | 1 | (¹) | - | - | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations..... | 5,415 | 962 | 4,052 | 909 | 1,362 | 1,210 | 75.1 |
| Chiropractors..... | 9 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Dentists..... | 34 | (¹) | 15 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Dietitians and nutritionists..... | 86 | 672 | 75 | 674 | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Optometrists..... | 11 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Pharmacists..... | 196 | 1,883 | 94 | 1,647 | 102 | 1,914 | 86.1 |
| Physicians and surgeons..... | 594 | 1,731 | 189 | 1,230 | 405 | 1,911 | 64.4 |
| Physician assistants..... | 86 | 1,251 | 51 | 1,077 | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Podiatrists..... | 6 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Registered nurses..... | 2,114 | 1,022 | 1,904 | 1,011 | 210 | 1,168 | 86.6 |
| Audiologists..... | 7 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Occupational therapists..... | 55 | 1,019 | 54 | 1,016 | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Physical therapists..... | 129 | 1,176 | 78 | 1,019 | 51 | 1,329 | 76.7 |
| Radiation therapists..... | 15 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Recreational therapists..... | 16 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Respiratory therapists..... | 90 | 881 | 64 | 819 | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Speech-language pathologists..... | 88 | 1,121 | 87 | 1,124 | - | - | (²) |
| Therapists, all other..... | 74 | 791 | 56 | 796 | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Veterinarians..... | 26 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Health diagnosing and treating practitioners, all other..... | 3 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | - | - | (²) |
| Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians..... | 301 | 783 | 223 | 750 | 78 | 942 | 79.6 |
| Dental hygienists..... | 75 | 976 | 73 | 988 | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Diagnostic related technologists and technicians..... | 238 | 957 | 159 | 923 | 79 | 1,035 | 89.2 |
| Emergency medical technicians and paramedics..... | 121 | 755 | 39 | (¹) | 82 | 823 | (²) |
| Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians..... | 340 | 585 | 258 | 564 | 82 | 677 | 83.3 |
| Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses..... | 439 | 692 | 408 | 679 | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Medical records and health information technicians..... | 77 | 537 | 71 | 551 | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Opticians, dispensing..... | 33 | (¹) | 23 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians..... | 105 | 671 | 61 | 615 | 44 | (¹) | (²) |

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|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Other healthcare practitioners and technical occupations..... | 49 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | 32 | (¹) | (²) |
| Service occupations..... | 14,814 | \$475 | 7,458 | \$418 | 7,355 | \$537 | 77.8 |
| Healthcare support occupations..... | 2,222 | 465 | 1,951 | 459 | 271 | 512 | 89.6 |
| Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides..... | 1,370 | 429 | 1,201 | 424 | 169 | 485 | 87.4 |
| Occupational therapist assistants and aides..... | 7 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Physical therapist assistants and aides..... | 51 | 700 | 39 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | (²) |
| Massage therapists..... | 32 | (¹) | 22 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Dental assistants..... | 168 | 531 | 160 | 524 | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Medical assistants and other healthcare support occupations..... | 595 | 505 | 524 | 502 | 71 | 529 | 94.9 |
| Protective service occupations..... | 2,683 | 748 | 564 | 594 | 2,119 | 794 | 74.8 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of correctional officers..... | 43 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| First-line supervisors/managers of police and detectives..... | 120 | 1,200 | 20 | (¹) | 99 | 1,239 | (²) |
| First-line supervisors/managers of fire fighting and prevention workers..... | 53 | 1,327 | 4 | (¹) | 49 | (¹) | (²) |
| Supervisors, protective service workers, all other..... | 94 | 763 | 22 | (¹) | 72 | 768 | (²) |
| Fire fighters..... | 283 | 970 | 13 | (¹) | 270 | 975 | (²) |
| Fire inspectors..... | 24 | (¹) | - | - | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Bailiffs, correctional officers, and jailers..... | 387 | 695 | 112 | 605 | 275 | 725 | 83.4 |
| Detectives and criminal investigators..... | 139 | 1,053 | 28 | (¹) | 112 | 1,112 | (²) |
| Fish and game wardens..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Parking enforcement workers..... | 5 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Police and sheriff's patrol officers..... | 674 | 893 | 101 | 731 | 573 | 929 | 78.7 |
| Transit and railroad police..... | 3 | (¹) | - | - | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Animal control workers..... | 9 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Private detectives and investigators..... | 76 | 780 | 28 | (¹) | 47 | (¹) | (²) |
| Security guards and gaming surveillance officers..... | 695 | 516 | 173 | 478 | 523 | 540 | 88.5 |
| Crossing guards..... | 20 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Lifeguards and other protective service workers..... | 54 | 401 | 23 | (¹) | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Food preparation and serving related occupations..... | 4,153 | 402 | 2,035 | 376 | 2,118 | 432 | 87.0 |
| Chefs and head cooks..... | 295 | 548 | 40 | (¹) | 255 | 551 | (²) |
| First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers..... | 483 | 498 | 280 | 439 | 203 | 599 | 73.3 |
| Cooks..... | 1,312 | 390 | 480 | 363 | 832 | 404 | 89.9 |
| Food preparation workers..... | 325 | 352 | 197 | 338 | 128 | 368 | 91.8 |
| Bartenders..... | 204 | 502 | 108 | 457 | 96 | 596 | 76.7 |
| Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food..... | 141 | 349 | 99 | 341 | 42 | (¹) | (²) |
| Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop..... | 84 | 307 | 54 | 299 | 30 | (¹) | (²) |
| Waiters and waitresses..... | 852 | 391 | 560 | 367 | 292 | 436 | 84.2 |
| Food servers, nonrestaurant..... | 91 | 451 | 62 | 424 | 29 | (¹) | (²) |
| Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers..... | 159 | 390 | 69 | 386 | 90 | 394 | 98.0 |
| Dishwashers..... | 152 | 361 | 44 | (¹) | 108 | 367 | (²) |
| Hosts and hostesses, restaurant, lounge, and coffee shop..... | 49 | (¹) | 39 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Food preparation and serving related workers, all other..... | 6 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |

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| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations..... | 3,506 | \$431 | 1,274 | \$383 | 2,232 | \$488 | 78.5 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of housekeeping and janitorial workers..... | 200 | 623 | 74 | 448 | 127 | 748 | 59.9 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of landscaping, lawn service, and groundskeeping workers..... | 86 | 687 | 4 | (¹) | 82 | 712 | (²) |
| Janitors and building cleaners..... | 1,510 | 460 | 414 | 397 | 1,096 | 493 | 80.5 |
| Maids and housekeeping cleaners..... | 847 | 378 | 742 | 371 | 105 | 436 | 85.1 |
| Pest control workers..... | 61 | 611 | 4 | (¹) | 57 | 596 | (²) |
| Grounds maintenance workers..... | 802 | 420 | 37 | (¹) | 766 | 422 | (²) |
| Personal care and service occupations..... | 2,250 | 475 | 1,634 | 441 | 615 | 591 | 74.6 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of gaming workers..... | 97 | 760 | 36 | (¹) | 62 | 837 | (²) |
| First-line supervisors/managers of personal service workers..... | 61 | 618 | 38 | (¹) | 23 | (¹) | (²) |
| Animal trainers..... | 12 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Nonfarm animal caretakers..... | 62 | 457 | 45 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | (²) |
| Gaming services workers..... | 84 | 650 | 43 | (¹) | 41 | (¹) | (²) |
| Motion picture projectionists..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers..... | 7 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous entertainment attendants and related workers..... | 70 | 415 | 34 | (¹) | 36 | (¹) | (²) |
| Funeral service workers..... | 6 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Barbers..... | 38 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists..... | 306 | 496 | 269 | 489 | 37 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous personal appearance workers..... | 130 | 462 | 102 | 444 | 28 | (¹) | (²) |
| Baggage porters, bellhops, and concierges..... | 55 | 581 | 11 | (¹) | 44 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tour and travel guides..... | 20 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Transportation attendants..... | 102 | 717 | 68 | 637 | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Child care workers..... | 435 | 396 | 410 | 393 | 25 | (¹) | (²) |
| Personal and home care aides..... | 485 | 414 | 394 | 404 | 91 | 475 | 85.1 |
| Recreation and fitness workers..... | 176 | 514 | 105 | 487 | 70 | 639 | 76.2 |
| Residential advisors..... | 52 | 584 | 32 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | (²) |
| Personal care and service workers, all other..... | 46 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | 28 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sales and office occupations..... | 25,232 | 614 | 15,635 | 578 | 9,597 | 733 | 78.9 |
| Sales and related occupations..... | 10,113 | 656 | 4,518 | 516 | 5,594 | 796 | 64.8 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers..... | 2,432 | 669 | 1,050 | 556 | 1,382 | 781 | 71.2 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers..... | 788 | 882 | 233 | 765 | 555 | 947 | 80.8 |
| Cashiers..... | 1,376 | 360 | 1,018 | 349 | 359 | 399 | 87.5 |
| Counter and rental clerks..... | 93 | 586 | 35 | (¹) | 58 | 671 | (²) |
| Parts salespersons..... | 111 | 519 | 12 | (¹) | 99 | 555 | (²) |
| Retail salespersons..... | 1,996 | 521 | 848 | 440 | 1,148 | 623 | 70.6 |
| Advertising sales agents..... | 181 | 838 | 99 | 804 | 82 | 879 | 91.5 |
| Insurance sales agents..... | 379 | 767 | 198 | 652 | 182 | 994 | 65.6 |
| Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents..... | 290 | 1,127 | 84 | 760 | 206 | 1,272 | 59.7 |
| Travel agents..... | 64 | 685 | 45 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sales representatives, services, all other..... | 431 | 926 | 148 | 841 | 283 | 957 | 87.9 |
| Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing..... | 1,143 | 986 | 299 | 846 | 844 | 1,064 | 79.5 |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Models, demonstrators, and product promoters..... | 25 | (¹) | 18 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Real estate brokers and sales agents..... | 462 | \$794 | 251 | \$682 | 211 | \$952 | 71.6 |
| Sales engineers..... | 41 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 39 | (¹) | (²) |
| Telemarketers..... | 95 | 457 | 61 | 473 | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Door-to-door salesworkers, news and street vendors, and related workers..... | 55 | 507 | 26 | (¹) | 29 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sales and related workers, all other..... | 149 | 746 | 90 | 695 | 58 | 809 | 85.9 |
| Office and administrative support occupations..... | 15,119 | 601 | 11,117 | 590 | 4,003 | 651 | 90.6 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers..... | 1,500 | 731 | 1,029 | 688 | 470 | 848 | 81.1 |
| Switchboard operators, including answering service..... | 40 | (¹) | 34 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Telephone operators..... | 37 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Communications equipment operators, all other..... | 7 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Bill and account collectors..... | 206 | 605 | 139 | 597 | 67 | 618 | 96.6 |
| Billing and posting clerks and machine operators..... | 428 | 584 | 386 | 575 | 42 | (¹) | (²) |
| Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks..... | 950 | 606 | 865 | 603 | 85 | 645 | 93.5 |
| Gaming cage workers..... | 15 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Payroll and timekeeping clerks..... | 127 | 690 | 110 | 700 | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Procurement clerks..... | 23 | (¹) | 15 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tellers..... | 338 | 469 | 284 | 468 | 54 | 471 | 99.4 |
| Brokerage clerks..... | 3 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | - | - | (²) |
| Correspondence clerks..... | 7 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Court, municipal, and license clerks..... | 92 | 673 | 70 | 643 | 22 | (¹) | (²) |
| Credit authorizers, checkers, and clerks..... | 58 | 556 | 39 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Customer service representatives..... | 1,511 | 577 | 1,015 | 568 | 496 | 607 | 93.6 |
| Eligibility interviewers, government programs..... | 60 | 665 | 50 | 668 | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| File clerks..... | 259 | 549 | 217 | 536 | 42 | (¹) | (²) |
| Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks..... | 81 | 410 | 58 | 406 | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Interviewers, except eligibility and loan..... | 110 | 581 | 88 | 573 | 22 | (¹) | (²) |
| Library assistants, clerical..... | 41 | (¹) | 35 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Loan interviewers and clerks..... | 114 | 681 | 97 | 643 | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| New accounts clerks..... | 24 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Order clerks..... | 98 | 548 | 54 | 541 | 45 | (¹) | (²) |
| Human resources assistants, except payroll and timekeeping..... | 48 | (¹) | 40 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Receptionists and information clerks..... | 960 | 503 | 896 | 502 | 64 | 537 | 93.5 |
| Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks..... | 120 | 572 | 70 | 538 | 50 | 752 | 71.5 |
| Information and record clerks, all other..... | 94 | 639 | 87 | 624 | 7 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cargo and freight agents..... | 17 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | (²) |
| Couriers and messengers..... | 178 | 724 | 24 | (¹) | 154 | 755 | (²) |
| Dispatchers..... | 243 | 653 | 134 | 578 | 109 | 722 | 80.1 |
| Meter readers, utilities..... | 42 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 36 | (¹) | (²) |
| Postal service clerks..... | 157 | 877 | 80 | 853 | 77 | 905 | 94.3 |
| Postal service mail carriers..... | 338 | 908 | 101 | 803 | 237 | 939 | 85.5 |
| Postal service mail sorters, processors, and processing machine operators..... | 84 | 830 | 35 | (¹) | 49 | (¹) | (²) |
| Production, planning, and expediting clerks..... | 249 | 750 | 147 | 690 | 102 | 862 | 80.0 |
| Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks..... | 478 | 543 | 140 | 516 | 338 | 559 | 92.3 |
| Stock clerks and order fillers..... | 1,059 | 468 | 371 | 466 | 688 | 470 | 99.1 |
| Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers, recordkeeping..... | 59 | 604 | 26 | (¹) | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Secretaries and administrative assistants..... | 2,575 | 616 | 2,485 | 614 | 90 | 736 | 83.4 |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Computer operators..... | 112 | \$673 | 58 | \$632 | 55 | \$749 | 84.4 |
| Data entry keyers..... | 339 | 586 | 261 | 565 | 77 | 652 | 86.7 |
| Word processors and typists..... | 112 | 571 | 102 | 560 | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Desktop publishers..... | 3 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Insurance claims and policy processing clerks..... | 264 | 593 | 219 | 588 | 44 | (¹) | (²) |
| Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service..... | 98 | 494 | 50 | 446 | 48 | (¹) | (²) |
| Office clerks, general..... | 840 | 585 | 727 | 582 | 113 | 602 | 96.7 |
| Office machine operators, except computer..... | 30 | (¹) | 15 | (¹) | 15 | (¹) | (²) |
| Proofreaders and copy markers..... | 11 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Statistical assistants..... | 18 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Office and administrative support workers, all other..... | 464 | 657 | 357 | 636 | 107 | 729 | 87.2 |
| Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations..... | 11,609 | 702 | 450 | 607 | 11,159 | 705 | 86.1 |
| Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations..... | 756 | 420 | 144 | 392 | 612 | 427 | 91.8 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of farming, fishing, and forestry workers..... | 35 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Agricultural inspectors..... | 28 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | (²) |
| Animal breeders..... | 4 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Graders and sorters, agricultural products..... | 63 | 463 | 39 | (¹) | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous agricultural workers..... | 564 | 394 | 83 | 346 | 481 | 402 | 86.1 |
| Fishers and related fishing workers..... | 9 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Hunters and trappers..... | 1 | (¹) | - | - | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Forest and conservation workers..... | 5 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Logging workers..... | 47 | (¹) | - | - | 47 | (¹) | (²) |
| Construction and extraction occupations..... | 6,432 | 688 | 139 | 747 | 6,293 | 688 | 108.6 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers..... | 631 | 947 | 15 | (¹) | 615 | 945 | (²) |
| Boilermakers..... | 23 | (¹) | - | - | 23 | (¹) | (²) |
| Brickmasons, blockmasons, and stonemasons..... | 161 | 622 | 1 | (¹) | 160 | 624 | (²) |
| Carpenters..... | 986 | 656 | 11 | (¹) | 975 | 655 | (²) |
| Carpet, floor, and tile installers and finishers..... | 118 | 621 | 2 | (¹) | 116 | 613 | (²) |
| Cement masons, concrete finishers, and terrazzo workers..... | 77 | 574 | - | - | 77 | 574 | (²) |
| Construction laborers..... | 1,210 | 564 | 31 | (¹) | 1,180 | 558 | (²) |
| Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators..... | 23 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | (²) |
| Pile-driver operators..... | 2 | (¹) | - | - | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators..... | 360 | 749 | 6 | (¹) | 354 | 744 | (²) |
| Drywall installers, ceiling tile installers, and tapers..... | 158 | 559 | 3 | (¹) | 154 | 556 | (²) |
| Electricians..... | 728 | 807 | 6 | (¹) | 722 | 809 | (²) |
| Glaziers..... | 41 | (¹) | - | - | 41 | (¹) | (²) |
| Insulation workers..... | 35 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Painters, construction and maintenance..... | 386 | 554 | 20 | (¹) | 366 | 556 | (²) |
| Paperhangers..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters..... | 492 | 784 | 8 | (¹) | 484 | 785 | (²) |
| Plasterers and stucco masons..... | 42 | (¹) | - | - | 42 | (¹) | (²) |
| Reinforcing iron and rebar workers..... | 15 | (¹) | - | - | 15 | (¹) | (²) |
| Roofers..... | 153 | 558 | 1 | (¹) | 152 | 560 | (²) |
| Sheet metal workers..... | 112 | 732 | 7 | (¹) | 105 | 733 | (²) |
| Structural iron and steel workers..... | 71 | 871 | - | - | 71 | 871 | (²) |
| Helpers, construction trades..... | 94 | 504 | 5 | (¹) | 89 | 500 | (²) |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Construction and building inspectors..... | 84 | \$854 | 7 | (¹) | 77 | \$849 | (²) |
| Elevator installers and repairers..... | 39 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 36 | (¹) | (²) |
| Fence erectors..... | 26 | (¹) | - | - | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Hazardous materials removal workers..... | 19 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Highway maintenance workers..... | 97 | 659 | 1 | (¹) | 96 | 656 | (²) |
| Rail-track laying and maintenance equipment operators..... | 16 | (¹) | - | - | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Septic tank servicers and sewer pipe cleaners..... | 9 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous construction and related workers..... | 24 | (¹) | - | - | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Derrick, rotary drill, and service unit operators, oil, gas, and mining..... | 36 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 36 | (¹) | (²) |
| Earth drillers, except oil and gas..... | 37 | (¹) | - | - | 37 | (¹) | (²) |
| Explosives workers, ordnance handling experts, and blasters..... | 10 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Mining machine operators..... | 49 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 48 | (¹) | (²) |
| Roof bolters, mining..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Roustabouts, oil and gas..... | 8 | (¹) | - | - | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Helpers—extraction workers..... | 6 | (¹) | - | - | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Other extraction workers..... | 47 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 47 | (¹) | (²) |
| Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations..... | 4,420 | 774 | 167 | \$779 | 4,253 | 774 | 100.6 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers..... | 297 | 937 | 24 | (¹) | 273 | 940 | (²) |
| Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers..... | 271 | 823 | 31 | (¹) | 240 | 805 | (²) |
| Radio and telecommunications equipment installers and repairers..... | 199 | 866 | 27 | (¹) | 172 | 881 | (²) |
| Avionics technicians..... | 15 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electric motor, power tool, and related repairers..... | 19 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electrical and electronics installers and repairers, transportation equipment..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electrical and electronics repairers, industrial and utility..... | 18 | (¹) | - | - | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electronic equipment installers and repairers, motor vehicles..... | 26 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 25 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electronic home entertainment equipment installers and repairers..... | 52 | 787 | 1 | (¹) | 51 | 796 | (²) |
| Security and fire alarm systems installers..... | 50 | 745 | - | - | 50 | 745 | (²) |
| Aircraft mechanics and service technicians..... | 144 | 919 | 3 | (¹) | 141 | 928 | (²) |
| Automotive body and related repairers..... | 116 | 713 | 1 | (¹) | 115 | 715 | (²) |
| Automotive glass installers and repairers..... | 26 | (¹) | - | - | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Automotive service technicians and mechanics..... | 650 | 677 | 9 | (¹) | 641 | 678 | (²) |
| Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists..... | 328 | 763 | 2 | (¹) | 326 | 763 | (²) |
| Heavy vehicle and mobile equipment service technicians and mechanics..... | 202 | 846 | 2 | (¹) | 200 | 847 | (²) |
| Small engine mechanics..... | 44 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 43 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous vehicle and mobile equipment mechanics, installers, and repairers..... | 69 | 489 | - | - | 69 | 489 | (²) |
| Control and valve installers and repairers..... | 22 | (¹) | - | - | 22 | (¹) | (²) |
| Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers..... | 311 | 804 | 5 | (¹) | 306 | 805 | (²) |
| Home appliance repairers..... | 31 | (¹) | - | - | 31 | (¹) | (²) |
| Industrial and refractory machinery mechanics..... | 419 | 801 | 12 | (¹) | 407 | 806 | (²) |
| Maintenance and repair workers, general..... | 420 | 720 | 16 | (¹) | 404 | 719 | (²) |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Maintenance workers, machinery..... | 40 | (¹) | - | - | 40 | (¹) | (²) |
| Millwrights..... | 65 | \$956 | 1 | (¹) | 64 | \$960 | (²) |
| Electrical power-line installers and repairers..... | 97 | 1,093 | 1 | (¹) | 96 | 1,090 | (²) |
| Telecommunications line installers and repairers.. | 187 | 848 | 7 | (¹) | 181 | 836 | (²) |
| Precision instrument and equipment repairers..... | 46 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 40 | (¹) | (²) |
| Coin, vending, and amusement machine servicers and repairers..... | 31 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| Commercial divers..... | 1 | (¹) | - | - | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Locksmiths and safe repairers..... | 21 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | (²) |
| Manufactured building and mobile home installers | 7 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Riggers..... | 7 | (¹) | - | - | 7 | (¹) | (²) |
| Signal and track switch repairers..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Helpers—installation, maintenance, and repair workers..... | 16 | (¹) | - | - | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Other installation, maintenance, and repair workers..... | 166 | 639 | 9 | (¹) | 156 | 638 | (²) |
| Production, transportation, and material moving occupations..... | 14,840 | 594 | 3,131 | \$462 | 11,709 | 637 | 72.5 |
| Production occupations..... | 8,008 | 595 | 2,245 | 464 | 5,763 | 659 | 70.4 |
| First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers..... | 810 | 857 | 140 | 634 | 671 | 899 | 70.5 |
| Aircraft structure, surfaces, rigging, and systems assemblers..... | 23 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Electrical, electronics, and electromechanical assemblers..... | 185 | 506 | 107 | 453 | 78 | 600 | 75.5 |
| Engine and other machine assemblers..... | 14 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Structural metal fabricators and fitters..... | 29 | (¹) | - | - | 29 | (¹) | (²) |
| Miscellaneous assemblers and fabricators..... | 959 | 531 | 337 | 466 | 622 | 581 | 80.2 |
| Bakers..... | 143 | 426 | 68 | 393 | 75 | 478 | 82.2 |
| Butchers and other meat, poultry, and fish processing workers..... | 303 | 490 | 81 | 430 | 223 | 512 | 84.0 |
| Food and tobacco roasting, baking, and drying machine operators and tenders..... | 10 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Food batchmakers..... | 66 | 477 | 34 | (¹) | 32 | (¹) | (²) |
| Food cooking machine operators and tenders..... | 5 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Computer control programmers and operators..... | 65 | 810 | 6 | (¹) | 59 | 820 | (²) |
| Extruding and drawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 9 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Forging machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 10 | (¹) | - | - | 10 | (¹) | (²) |
| Rolling machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 12 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 104 | 525 | 22 | (¹) | 82 | 548 | (²) |
| Drilling and boring machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 2 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 52 | 690 | 8 | (¹) | 44 | (¹) | (²) |
| Lathe and turning machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 23 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | (²) |
| Milling and planing machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 6 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Machinists..... | 376 | 708 | 25 | (¹) | 351 | 715 | (²) |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Metal furnace and kiln operators and tenders..... | 25 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 24 | (¹) | (²) |
| Model makers and patternmakers, metal and plastic..... | 9 | (¹) | - | - | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Molders and molding machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 52 | \$589 | 11 | (¹) | 40 | (¹) | (²) |
| Multiple machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 3 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tool and die makers..... | 64 | 946 | 1 | (¹) | 64 | \$952 | (²) |
| Welding, soldering, and brazing workers..... | 536 | 666 | 22 | (¹) | 514 | 673 | (²) |
| Heat treating equipment setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 10 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | (²) |
| Lay-out workers, metal and plastic..... | 8 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | (²) |
| Plating and coating machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic..... | 12 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tool grinders, filers, and sharpeners..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Metalworkers and plastic workers, all other..... | 356 | 586 | 73 | \$515 | 283 | 605 | 85.1 |
| Bookbinders and bindery workers..... | 29 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Job printers..... | 36 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 30 | (¹) | (²) |
| Prepress technicians and workers..... | 37 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | 17 | (¹) | (²) |
| Printing machine operators..... | 197 | 631 | 40 | (¹) | 157 | 669 | (²) |
| Laundry and dry-cleaning workers..... | 179 | 362 | 106 | 345 | 73 | 414 | 83.3 |
| Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials..... | 47 | (¹) | 37 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sewing machine operators..... | 175 | 386 | 131 | 383 | 45 | (¹) | (²) |
| Shoe and leather workers and repairers..... | 3 | (¹) | - | - | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Shoe machine operators and tenders..... | 3 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | - | - | (²) |
| Tailors, dressmakers, and sewers..... | 25 | (¹) | 20 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Textile bleaching and dyeing machine operators and tenders..... | 3 | (¹) | - | - | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 4 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Textile knitting and weaving machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 3 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Textile winding, twisting, and drawing out machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 11 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | (²) |
| Extruding and forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, synthetic and glass fibers..... | 3 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Fabric and apparel patternmakers..... | 2 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | - | - | (²) |
| Upholsterers..... | 30 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | 23 | (¹) | (²) |
| Textile, apparel, and furnishings workers, all other..... | 20 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 14 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters..... | 61 | 641 | 4 | (¹) | 57 | 655 | (²) |
| Furniture finishers..... | 9 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood..... | 38 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 35 | (¹) | (²) |
| Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing..... | 18 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | (²) |
| Woodworkers, all other..... | 17 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Power plant operators, distributors, and dispatchers..... | 53 | 960 | 6 | (¹) | 47 | (¹) | (²) |
| Stationary engineers and boiler operators..... | 97 | 848 | 1 | (¹) | 96 | 849 | (²) |
| Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators..... | 73 | 705 | 4 | (¹) | 69 | 693 | (²) |
| Miscellaneous plant and system operators..... | 34 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 33 | (¹) | (²) |
| Chemical processing machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 51 | 918 | 6 | (¹) | 45 | (¹) | (²) |

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Table 18. Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Crushing, grinding, polishing, mixing, and blending workers..... | 106 | \$596 | 18 | (¹) | 88 | \$576 | (²) |
| Cutting workers..... | 72 | 502 | 18 | (¹) | 55 | 514 | (²) |
| Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 29 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 21 | (¹) | (²) |
| Furnace, kiln, oven, drier, and kettle operators and tenders..... | 11 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | (²) |
| Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers..... | 711 | 660 | 301 | \$527 | 409 | 765 | 68.9 |
| Jewelers and precious stone and metal workers..... | 28 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Medical, dental, and ophthalmic laboratory technicians..... | 73 | 582 | 39 | (¹) | 34 | (¹) | (²) |
| Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders..... | 240 | 449 | 131 | 401 | 109 | 501 | 80.0 |
| Painting workers..... | 163 | 565 | 19 | (¹) | 144 | 579 | (²) |
| Photographic process workers and processing machine operators..... | 32 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Semiconductor processors..... | 5 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cementing and gluing machine operators and tenders..... | 9 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cleaning, washing, and metal pickling equipment operators and tenders..... | 2 | (¹) | - | - | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Cooling and freezing equipment operators and tenders..... | 1 | (¹) | - | - | 1 | (¹) | (²) |
| Etchers and engravers..... | 3 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | (²) |
| Molders, shapers, and casters, except metal and plastic..... | 33 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 30 | (¹) | (²) |
| Paper goods machine setters, operators, and tenders..... | 41 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | 29 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tire builders..... | 12 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 9 | (¹) | (²) |
| Helpers—production workers..... | 31 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 26 | (¹) | (²) |
| Production workers, all other..... | 866 | 545 | 251 | 485 | 615 | 592 | 81.9 |
| Transportation and material moving occupations..... | 6,832 | 593 | 886 | 455 | 5,946 | 615 | 74.0 |
| Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers..... | 215 | 761 | 38 | (¹) | 177 | 796 | (²) |
| Aircraft pilots and flight engineers..... | 92 | 1,390 | 4 | (¹) | 88 | 1,399 | (²) |
| Air traffic controllers and airfield operations specialists..... | 26 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | 19 | (¹) | (²) |
| Ambulance drivers and attendants, except emergency medical technicians..... | 16 | (¹) | 4 | (¹) | 12 | (¹) | (²) |
| Bus drivers..... | 372 | 561 | 171 | 507 | 201 | 605 | 83.8 |
| Driver/salesworkers and truck drivers..... | 2,729 | 702 | 116 | 542 | 2,613 | 709 | 76.4 |
| Taxi drivers and chauffeurs..... | 208 | 503 | 30 | (¹) | 179 | 514 | (²) |
| Motor vehicle operators, all other..... | 33 | (¹) | 6 | (¹) | 27 | (¹) | (²) |
| Locomotive engineers and operators..... | 53 | 1,223 | 2 | (¹) | 51 | 1,207 | (²) |
| Railroad brake, signal, and switch operators..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Railroad conductors and yardmasters..... | 53 | 1,067 | 2 | (¹) | 51 | 1,080 | (²) |
| Subway, streetcar, and other rail transportation workers..... | 22 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Sailors and marine oilers..... | 13 | (¹) | - | - | 13 | (¹) | (²) |
| Ship and boat captains and operators..... | 36 | (¹) | 3 | (¹) | 33 | (¹) | (²) |
| Ship engineers..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Bridge and lock tenders..... | 7 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Parking lot attendants..... | 50 | 436 | 3 | (¹) | 46 | (¹) | (²) |

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Table 18. **Median usual weekly earnings of full-time wage and salary workers by detailed occupation and sex, 2008 annual averages—Continued**

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation | Total, both sexes | | Women | | Men | | Women's earnings as percent of men's |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | Total employed | Median weekly earnings | |
| Service station attendants..... | 64 | \$373 | 7 | (¹) | 56 | \$378 | (²) |
| Transportation inspectors..... | 44 | (¹) | 7 | (¹) | 37 | (¹) | (²) |
| Other transportation workers..... | 13 | (¹) | 2 | (¹) | 11 | (¹) | (²) |
| Conveyor operators and tenders..... | 6 | (¹) | - | - | 6 | (¹) | (²) |
| Crane and tower operators..... | 68 | 925 | 2 | (¹) | 66 | 933 | (²) |
| Dredge, excavating, and loading machine operators..... | 41 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 39 | (¹) | (²) |
| Hoist and winch operators..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Industrial truck and tractor operators..... | 551 | 534 | 40 | (¹) | 511 | 533 | (²) |
| Cleaners of vehicles and equipment..... | 227 | 428 | 19 | (¹) | 208 | 437 | (²) |
| Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand..... | 1,392 | 501 | 198 | \$417 | 1,194 | 508 | 82.1 |
| Machine feeders and offbearers..... | 29 | (¹) | 13 | (¹) | 16 | (¹) | (²) |
| Packers and packagers, hand..... | 315 | 388 | 186 | 368 | 129 | 410 | 89.8 |
| Pumping station operators..... | 23 | (¹) | 1 | (¹) | 22 | (¹) | (²) |
| Refuse and recyclable material collectors..... | 70 | 475 | 10 | (¹) | 61 | 493 | (²) |
| Shuttle car operators..... | 5 | (¹) | - | - | 5 | (¹) | (²) |
| Tank car, truck, and ship loaders..... | 4 | (¹) | - | - | 4 | (¹) | (²) |
| Material moving workers, all other..... | 43 | (¹) | 8 | (¹) | 35 | (¹) | (²) |

¹ Data not shown where the employment base is less than 50,000.

² Data not shown where the employment base for either the numerator or denominator is less than 50,000.

NOTE: Dash indicates no data or data that do not meet publication criteria.

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