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				Total ⁴ (000's)	With days away from work ⁵ (000's)			Total ⁴ (000's)	With days away from work ⁵ (000's)	
All industries including State and local government ⁶		955.4	37.9	30.5	30.3	7.4	32.9	26.8	26.7	6.1
Private industry ⁶		668.5	23.5	18.9	18.7	4.6	20.6	17.0	16.9	3.6
Agriculture, forestry, and fishing ⁶										
Agricultural production-crops ⁶	01	10.1	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)
Agricultural production-livestock ⁶	02	3.9	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Construction		54.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	.6	2.8	2.2	2.2	.6
Residential building construction	152	14.3	.8	.7	.7	.1	.8	.7	.7	.1
Heavy construction, except building	16	8.9	.4	.4	.4	(7)	.4	.4	.4	(7)
Heavy construction, except highway	162	4.8	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.2	.2	(7)
Special trade contractors	17	18.1	.9	.8	.8	.1	.9	.8	.8	.1
Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning	171	3.3	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Electrical work	173	7.0	.4	.3	.3	(7)	.4	.3	.3	(7)
Manufacturing		161.6	8.6	6.3	6.1	2.3	6.6	5.1	5.0	1.5
Durable goods		61.2	3.3	2.4	2.4	.9	2.4	2.0	2.0	.5
Lumber and wood products	24	1.3	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Furniture and fixtures	25	2.2	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Household furniture	251	1.8	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	327	3.0	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.2	.2	(7)
Ready-mixed concrete	3273	1.4	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Primary metal industries	33	.9	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Fabricated metal products	34	5.8	.4	.4	.4	(7)	.4	.3	.3	(7)
Fabricated structural metal products	344	3.6	.3	.2	.2	(7)	.3	.2	.2	(7)
Metal doors, sash, and trim	3442	1.9	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.1	.1	(7)
Industrial machinery and equipment	35	3.2	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Electronic and other electric equipment	36	24.5	1.2	.8	.8	.4	.8	.6	.6	.2
Electric lighting and wiring equipment	364	3.0	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1
Communications equipment	366	6.5	.5	.3	.3	.2	.3	.2	.2	.1
Transportation equipment	37	1.4	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Instruments and related products	38	15.0	.6	.3	.2	.3	.3	.2	.2	-
Measuring and controlling devices	382	1.3	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Surgical appliances and supplies	3842	5.0	.3	.1	.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39	2.3	.1	.1	.1	-	-	.1	.1	-
Nonurable goods		100.5	5.4	3.9	3.7	1.5	4.1	3.1	3.0	1.0
Food and kindred products	20	20.3	1.0	.9	.9	.2	.9	.7	.7	.2
Meat products	201	1.9	.2	.2	.2	-	.2	.2	.2	-
Dairy products	202	1.6	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Preserved fruits and vegetables	203	1.7	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Bakery products	205	2.0	.1	.1	.1	-	.1	.1	.1	-
Bread, cake, and related products	2051	1.5	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Beverages	208	3.5	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.2	.2	(7)
Apparel and other textile products	23	25.0	1.8	1.2	1.2	.6	1.2	1.0	.9	.2
Men's and boys' furnishings	232	9.9	1.1	.6	.6	.5	.7	.5	.5	.2
Men's and boys' work clothing	2326	3.1	.4	.3	.3	.1	.4	.3	.3	.1
Women's and misses' outerwear	233	2.8	.2	.1	.1	-	.1	.1	.1	-
Women's, junior's, and misses' dresses	2335	1.2	.1	.1	.1	(7)	-	(7)	(7)	(7)
Women's and children's undergarments	234	7.3	.2	.2	.2	-	-	.1	.1	-
Bras, girdles, and allied garments	2342	5.6	.2	.1	.1	-	-	(7)	(7)	-
Girls' and children's outerwear	236	.8	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Paper and allied products	26	2.6	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Paperboard containers and boxes	265	1.6	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Printing and publishing	27	6.1	.2	.1	.1	-	-	.1	.1	-
Commercial printing	275	2.3	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Chemicals and allied products	28	29.2	.8	.4	.4	.4	.7	.4	.3	.3
Drugs	283	24.3	.7	.3	.3	.4	.5	.3	.2	.3
Pharmaceutical preparations	2834	21.1	.6	.3	.2	.3	.5	.3	.2	.2
Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods	284	2.7	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Toilet preparations	2844	2.0	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)

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Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	30	4.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1
Miscellaneous plastics products, n.e.c.	308	3.5	.4	.2	.2	.1	.3	.2	.2	.1
Leather and leather products	31	7.5	.7	.6	.6	.1	.5	.4	.4	.1
Footwear, except rubber	314	4.0	.4	.4	.4	(7)	.2	.2	.2	-
Transportation and public utilities ^{8,9}		25.4	.7	.6	.6	.1	.7	.6	.6	(7)
Trucking and warehousing ⁹	42	4.5	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Trucking and courier services, except air ⁹	421	4.1	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Water transportation services	449	4.1	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Transportation by air ⁹	45	5.6	.2	.2	.2	-	.2	.2	.2	-
Air transportation, scheduled ⁹	451	4.7	.2	.2	.2	-	.2	.2	.2	-
Transportation services ⁹	47	2.4	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Communications	48	4.9	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Wholesale and retail trade		192.6	5.1	4.6	4.6	.5	4.9	4.5	4.5	.4
Wholesale trade		39.8	1.4	1.3	1.3	.1	1.3	1.2	1.2	.1
Wholesale trade--durable goods	50	17.2	.5	.5	.5	(7)	.4	.4	.4	(7)
Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	507	1.8	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Drugs, proprietaries, and sundries	512	5.5	.3	.2	.2	.1	.3	.2	.2	.1
Retail trade		152.8	3.7	3.3	3.3	.3	3.6	3.3	3.3	.3
Building materials and garden supplies	52	7.5	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.2	.2	(7)
Hardware stores	525	5.0	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
General merchandise stores	53	19.1	.6	.4	.4	.1	.5	.4	.4	.1
Food stores	54	28.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	(7)	1.4	1.3	1.3	(7)
Grocery stores	541	23.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	(7)	1.3	1.3	1.3	(7)
Automotive dealers and service stations	55	16.0	.2	.2	.2	(7)	.2	.1	.1	(7)
Auto and home supply stores	553	5.4	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Gasoline service stations	554	5.5	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	57	7.5	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	571	4.3	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Finance, insurance, and real estate		45.7	1.1	.9	.9	.2	.9	.8	.8	.1
Depository institutions	60	17.5	.4	.3	.3	.1	.3	.3	.3	.1
Services		169.6	4.9	4.0	4.0	.9	4.5	3.6	3.6	.9
Personal services	72	4.5	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Personnel supply services	736	17.0	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Auto repair, services, and parking	75	5.6	.1	.1	.1	(7)	.1	.1	.1	(7)
Automotive repair shops	753	3.1	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Miscellaneous repair services	76	2.6	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)	.1	(7)	(7)	(7)
Health services	80	39.7	1.7	1.2	1.2	.5	1.6	1.0	1.0	.5
Hospitals	806	20.0	1.2	.8	.8	.4	1.1	.7	.7	.4
Legal services	81	4.6	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)	(7)
Educational services	82	18.7	1.1	1.0	1.0	.1	1.0	.9	.9	.1
Colleges and universities	822	10.8	.4	.3	.3	.1	.4	.3	.3	.1
Social services	83	8.6	.4	.3	.3	-	.3	.3	.3	-
State and local government		286.9	14.5	11.6	11.6	2.8	12.3	9.8	9.8	2.5
State government		231.2	10.6	8.4	8.3	2.3	9.3	7.2	7.2	2.1
Services		78.6	2.4	1.8	1.8	.6	1.9	1.4	1.4	.5
Health services	80	16.4	.8	.5	.5	.4	.6	.4	.4	.3
Hospitals	806	15.8	.8	.5	.5	.4	.6	.4	.4	.3
Educational services	82	59.6	1.6	1.4	1.4	.2	1.2	1.0	1.0	.2
Elementary and secondary schools	821	45.8	1.1	.9	.9	.2	.8	.7	.7	.1

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Public administration		121.8	5.8	4.6	4.5	1.3	5.2	4.0	3.9	1.2
Justice, public order, and safety	92	35.4	2.6	1.8	1.8	.8	2.4	1.7	1.7	.8
Courts	921	4.2	.1	.1	.1	(⁷)	.1	.1	.1	(⁷)
Public order and safety	922	31.2	2.5	1.7	1.7	.7	2.3	1.6	1.6	.7
Administration of human resources	94	47.3	1.6	1.3	1.3	.3	1.4	1.1	1.1	.3
Administration of educational programs	941	25.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	.1	.9	.8	.8	.1
Environmental quality and housing	95	7.9	.6	.5	.5	.1	.5	.5	.5	.1
Administration of economic programs	96	17.1	.6	.5	.5	.1	.6	.5	.5	.1
Administration of general economic programs	961	—	.1	.1	.1	(⁷)	.1	.1	.1	(⁷)
Regulation of agricultural marketing	964	4.2	.1	(⁷)	(⁷)	(⁷)	.1	(⁷)	(⁷)	(⁷)
Local government		55.7	3.8	3.3	3.3	.5	3.0	2.6	2.6	.4
Public administration		53.5	3.8	3.3	3.3	.5	3.0	2.6	2.6	.4
Executive, legislative, and general	91	53.5	3.8	3.3	3.3	.5	3.0	2.6	2.6	.4

¹ Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

² *Standard Industrial Classification Manual*, 1987 Edition.

³ Employment is expressed as an annual average and is derived primarily from the BLS-State Covered Employment and Wages program. Employment in private households (SIC 88) is excluded.

⁴ Total lost workday cases involve days away from work, or days of restricted work activity, or both.

⁵ Days-away-from-work cases include those which result in days away from work with or without restricted work activity.

⁶ Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

⁷ Fewer than 50 cases.

⁸ Data conforming to OSHA definitions for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining and for employers in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; and the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries.

⁹ In 1996, air courier operations previously classified in Industry Groups 421, 422, 423, 452, 473, and 478 were reclassified to Industry Group 451. As a result, the 1996 estimates for these SIC's and Major Industry Groups 42, 45, and 47 are not comparable to those for prior years. In addition, the 1996 estimates for transportation and public utilities may have more variability than those for prior years.

NOTE: Because of rounding, components may not add to totals.

n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified.

— Data not available.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating State agencies.