

Table 11. Major Occupation Group of the Employed Civilian Population 55 Years and Over by Age and Sex: March 2002
(Numbers in thousands.)

| Sex and occupation group | Total | | Age | | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|-------------------|---------|
| | | | 55 to 59 years | | 60 to 64 years | | 65 years and over | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Total | 19,618 | 100.0 | 9,878 | 100.0 | 5,408 | 100.0 | 4,331 | 100.0 |
| Managerial and professional | 6,561 | 33.4 | 3,590 | 36.3 | 1,731 | 32.0 | 1,241 | 28.6 |
| Technical, sales, and admin. support | 5,668 | 28.9 | 2,720 | 27.5 | 1,608 | 29.7 | 1,340 | 30.9 |
| Service occupations | 2,525 | 12.9 | 1,130 | 11.4 | 733 | 13.6 | 662 | 15.3 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair | 1,820 | 9.3 | 1,044 | 10.6 | 488 | 9.0 | 288 | 6.6 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers | 2,344 | 11.9 | 1,163 | 11.8 | 680 | 12.6 | 501 | 11.6 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing | 700 | 3.6 | 233 | 2.4 | 169 | 3.1 | 299 | 6.9 |

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| Male | 10,598 | 100.0 | 5,237 | 100.0 | 2,861 | 100.0 | 2,499 | 100.0 |
| Managerial and professional | 3,701 | 34.9 | 1,868 | 35.7 | 1,025 | 35.8 | 808 | 32.3 |
| Technical, sales, and admin. support | 2,072 | 19.5 | 984 | 18.8 | 541 | 18.9 | 546 | 21.9 |
| Service occupations | 938 | 8.9 | 387 | 7.4 | 273 | 9.5 | 278 | 11.1 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair | 1,633 | 15.4 | 956 | 18.3 | 427 | 14.9 | 250 | 10.0 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers | 1,731 | 16.3 | 859 | 16.4 | 477 | 16.7 | 395 | 15.8 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing | 523 | 4.9 | 183 | 3.5 | 118 | 4.1 | 221 | 8.9 |

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| Female | 9,020 | 100.0 | 4,641 | 100.0 | 2,547 | 100.0 | 1,832 | 100.0 |
| Managerial and professional | 2,860 | 31.7 | 1,722 | 37.1 | 705 | 27.7 | 432 | 23.6 |
| Technical, sales, and admin. support | 3,596 | 39.9 | 1,736 | 37.4 | 1,066 | 41.9 | 794 | 43.3 |
| Service occupations | 1,587 | 17.6 | 743 | 16.0 | 461 | 18.1 | 384 | 20.9 |
| Precision production, craft, and repair | 187 | 2.1 | 87 | 1.9 | 61 | 2.4 | 38 | 2.1 |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers | 613 | 6.8 | 304 | 6.5 | 203 | 8.0 | 107 | 5.8 |
| Farming, forestry, and fishing | 177 | 2.0 | 49 | 1.1 | 51 | 2.0 | 78 | 4.2 |

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