

MISSISSIPPI

OCCUPATIONAL EMPLOYMENT PROJECTIONS

Year 2016 Projected to Year 2026

SOUTHCENTRAL MISSISSIPPI WORKS
Workforce Development Area



MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

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Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)		2016 Employment	2026 Projected Employment	Projected Employment Growth 2016-2026		Total Projected Avg. Annual Job Openings
Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	356,800	373,420	16,620	4.7%	41,205
11-0000	Management Occupations	22,800	24,440	1,640	7.2%	2,020
11-1000	Top Executives	11,290	11,980	690	6.1%	1,000
11-1011	Chief Executives	210	190	(20)	(9.5%)	15
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	10,880	11,580	700	6.4%	975
11-1031	Legislators	210	220	10	4.8%	20
11-2000	Advertising, Marketing, Promotions, Public Relations, and Sales Managers	850	910	60	7.1%	80
11-2011	Advertising and Promotions Managers	70	70	0	0.0%	10
11-2021	Marketing Managers	260	280	20	7.7%	25
11-2022	Sales Managers	440	470	30	6.8%	40
11-2031	Public Relations and Fundraising Managers	100	110	10	10.0%	10
11-3000	Operations Specialties Managers	4,850	5,310	460	9.5%	430
11-3011	Administrative Services Managers	1,420	1,510	90	6.3%	125
11-3021	Computer and Information Systems Managers	560	600	40	7.1%	50
11-3031	Financial Managers	1,360	1,570	210	15.4%	130
11-3051	Industrial Production Managers	460	510	50	10.9%	40
11-3061	Purchasing Managers	170	180	10	5.9%	15
11-3071	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	380	390	10	2.6%	30
11-3111	Compensation and Benefits Managers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
11-3121	Human Resources Managers	390	420	30	7.7%	35
11-3131	Training and Development Managers	110	110	0	0.0%	10
11-9000	Other Management Occupations	5,820	6,260	440	7.6%	515
11-9013	Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	260	270	10	3.9%	20
11-9021	Construction Managers	360	370	10	2.8%	30
11-9031	Education Administrators, Preschool and Childcare Center/Program	130	130	0	0.0%	10
11-9032	Education Administrators, Elementary and Secondary School	670	720	50	7.5%	60
11-9033	Education Administrators, Postsecondary	540	590	50	9.3%	50
11-9039	Education Administrators, All Other	70	70	0	0.0%	5

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11-9041	Architectural and Engineering Managers	290	310	20	6.9%	25
11-9051	Food Service Managers	480	540	60	12.5%	60
11-9061	Funeral Service Managers	50	50	0	0.0%	5
11-9071	Gaming Managers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
11-9081	Lodging Managers	200	220	20	10.0%	25
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	970	1,070	100	10.3%	90
11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	130	140	10	7.7%	15
11-9131	Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	80	70	(10)	(12.5%)	5
11-9141	Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers	400	440	40	10.0%	35
11-9151	Social and Community Service Managers	560	610	50	8.9%	55
11-9161	Emergency Management Directors	80	80	0	0.0%	10
11-9199	Managers, All Other	600	620	20	3.3%	45
13-0000	Business and Financial Operations Occupations	14,780	15,350	570	3.9%	1,375
13-1000	Business Operations Specialists	9,310	9,620	310	3.3%	885
13-1011	Agents and Business Managers of Artists, Performers, and Athletes	10	10	0	0.0%	5
13-1021	Buyers and Purchasing Agents, Farm Products	50	40	(10)	(20.0%)	5
13-1022	Wholesale and Retail Buyers, Except Farm Products	120	120	0	0.0%	15
13-1023	Purchasing Agents, Except Wholesale, Retail, and Farm Products	490	470	(20)	(4.1%)	40
13-1031	Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators	870	820	(50)	(5.8%)	65
13-1032	Insurance Appraisers, Auto Damage	10	10	0	0.0%	5
13-1041	Compliance Officers	930	980	50	5.4%	80
13-1051	Cost Estimators	310	330	20	6.5%	35
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	970	1,000	30	3.1%	100
13-1074	Farm Labor Contractors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
13-1075	Labor Relations Specialists	720	640	(80)	(11.1%)	60
13-1081	Logisticians	220	240	20	9.1%	25
13-1111	Management Analysts	1,100	1,170	70	6.4%	105
13-1121	Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	280	300	20	7.1%	35

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13-1131	Fundraisers	260	290	30	11.5%	30
13-1141	Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists	180	180	0	0.0%	15
13-1151	Training and Development Specialists	630	680	50	7.9%	70
13-1161	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	820	970	150	18.3%	100
13-1199	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	1,400	1,460	60	4.3%	135
13-2000	Financial Specialists	5,470	5,740	270	4.9%	495
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	2,710	2,850	140	5.2%	260
13-2021	Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate	90	100	10	11.1%	10
13-2031	Budget Analysts	190	200	10	5.3%	15
13-2041	Credit Analysts	110	120	10	9.1%	10
13-2051	Financial Analysts	150	170	20	13.3%	15
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	340	350	10	2.9%	30
13-2053	Insurance Underwriters	290	270	(20)	(6.9%)	20
13-2061	Financial Examiners	100	110	10	10.0%	10
13-2071	Credit Counselors	140	150	10	7.1%	15
13-2072	Loan Officers	820	870	50	6.1%	75
13-2081	Tax Examiners and Collectors, and Revenue Agents	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	15
13-2082	Tax Preparers	190	190	0	0.0%	20
13-2099	Financial Specialists, All Other	230	240	10	4.4%	25
15-0000	Computer and Mathematical Occupations	5,580	5,870	290	5.2%	405
15-1100	Computer Occupations	5,410	5,660	250	4.6%	390
15-1111	Computer and Information Research Scientists	120	120	0	0.0%	10
15-1121	Computer Systems Analysts	990	1,000	10	1.0%	65
15-1122	Information Security Analysts	160	180	20	12.5%	15
15-1131	Computer Programmers	570	490	(80)	(14.0%)	25
15-1132	Software Developers, Applications	490	620	130	26.5%	50
15-1133	Software Developers, Systems Software	380	410	30	7.9%	30
15-1134	Web Developers	210	220	10	4.8%	20

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15-1141	Database Administrators	330	350	20	6.1%	25
15-1142	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	590	600	10	1.7%	40
15-1143	Computer Network Architects	160	170	10	6.3%	15
15-1151	Computer User Support Specialists	920	980	60	6.5%	75
15-1152	Computer Network Support Specialists	330	350	20	6.1%	30
15-1199	Computer Occupations, All Other	200	210	10	5.0%	15
15-2000	Mathematical Science Occupations	180	210	30	16.7%	20
15-2011	Actuaries	50	60	10	20.0%	5
15-2021	Mathematicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
15-2031	Operations Research Analysts	70	90	20	28.6%	10
15-2041	Statisticians	50	60	10	20.0%	5
17-0000	Architecture and Engineering Occupations	5,150	5,500	350	6.8%	425
17-1000	Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers	340	350	10	2.9%	25
17-1011	Architects, Except Landscape and Naval	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	15
17-1012	Landscape Architects	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-1021	Cartographers and Photogrammetrists	10	20	10	100.0%	5
17-1022	Surveyors	170	180	10	5.9%	15
17-2000	Engineers	3,120	3,390	270	8.7%	245
17-2011	Aerospace Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-2031	Biomedical Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-2041	Chemical Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-2051	Civil Engineers	850	880	30	3.5%	65
17-2061	Computer Hardware Engineers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
17-2071	Electrical Engineers	390	420	30	7.7%	30
17-2072	Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	230	260	30	13.0%	20
17-2081	Environmental Engineers	320	330	10	3.1%	25
17-2111	Health and Safety Engineers, Except Mining Safety Engineers and Inspectors	40	50	10	25.0%	5
17-2112	Industrial Engineers	490	610	120	24.5%	50

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17-2121	Marine Engineers and Naval Architects	90	100	10	11.1%	10
17-2131	Materials Engineers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	280	310	30	10.7%	25
17-2151	Mining and Geological Engineers, Including Mining Safety Engineers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-2161	Nuclear Engineers	170	180	10	5.9%	15
17-2171	Petroleum Engineers	100	100	0	0.0%	10
17-2199	Engineers, All Other	130	130	0	0.0%	10
17-3000	Drafters, Engineering Technicians, and Mapping Technicians	1,700	1,770	70	4.1%	160
17-3011	Architectural and Civil Drafters	150	150	0	0.0%	15
17-3012	Electrical and Electronics Drafters	60	60	0	0.0%	5
17-3013	Mechanical Drafters	40	40	0	0.0%	5
17-3019	Drafters, All Other	30	40	10	33.3%	5
17-3022	Civil Engineering Technicians	330	350	20	6.1%	30
17-3023	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians	520	550	30	5.8%	50
17-3024	Electro-Mechanical Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
17-3025	Environmental Engineering Technicians	70	70	0	0.0%	10
17-3026	Industrial Engineering Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
17-3027	Mechanical Engineering Technicians	150	160	10	6.7%	15
17-3029	Engineering Technicians, Except Drafters, All Other	160	160	0	0.0%	15
17-3031	Surveying and Mapping Technicians	200	210	10	5.0%	25
19-0000	Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	2,960	3,120	160	5.4%	285
19-1000	Life Scientists	1,090	1,140	50	4.6%	100
19-1011	Animal Scientists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1012	Food Scientists and Technologists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-1013	Soil and Plant Scientists	40	50	10	25.0%	5
19-1021	Biochemists and Biophysicists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1022	Microbiologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-1023	Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists	80	80	0	0.0%	10

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19-1029	Biological Scientists, All Other	150	150	0	0.0%	15
19-1031	Conservation Scientists	480	500	20	4.2%	45
19-1032	Foresters	70	70	0	0.0%	10
19-1041	Epidemiologists	40	50	10	25.0%	5
19-1042	Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	220	240	20	9.1%	25
19-2000	Physical Scientists	670	710	40	6.0%	65
19-2012	Physicists	70	70	0	0.0%	10
19-2021	Atmospheric and Space Scientists	60	60	0	0.0%	5
19-2031	Chemists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
19-2041	Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health	340	360	20	5.9%	35
19-2042	Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists and Geographers	110	120	10	9.1%	15
19-2043	Hydrologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-2099	Physical Scientists, All Other	60	60	0	0.0%	5
19-3000	Social Scientists and Related Workers	490	510	20	4.1%	40
19-3011	Economists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-3022	Survey Researchers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3031	Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists	220	240	20	9.1%	20
19-3039	Psychologists, All Other	40	40	0	0.0%	5
19-3051	Urban and Regional Planners	30	40	10	33.3%	5
19-3091	Anthropologists and Archeologists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
19-3092	Geographers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
19-3093	Historians	100	100	0	0.0%	10
19-3099	Social Scientists and Related Workers, All Other	90	90	0	0.0%	10
19-4000	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians	720	770	50	6.9%	85
19-4011	Agricultural and Food Science Technicians	40	50	10	25.0%	5
19-4021	Biological Technicians	230	240	10	4.4%	25
19-4031	Chemical Technicians	70	80	10	14.3%	10
19-4041	Geological and Petroleum Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5

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19-4051	Nuclear Technicians	50	50	0	0.0%	10
19-4061	Social Science Research Assistants	20	30	10	50.0%	5
19-4091	Environmental Science and Protection Technicians, Including Health	90	100	10	11.1%	15
19-4092	Forensic Science Technicians	90	100	10	11.1%	15
19-4093	Forest and Conservation Technicians	60	60	0	0.0%	10
19-4099	Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, All Other	80	80	0	0.0%	10
21-0000	Community and Social Service Occupations	4,970	5,330	360	7.2%	585
21-1000	Counselors, Social Workers, and Other Community and Social Service Specialists	4,570	4,910	340	7.4%	535
21-1011	Substance Abuse and Behavioral Disorder Counselors	200	220	20	10.0%	25
21-1012	Educational, Guidance, School, and Vocational Counselors	640	700	60	9.4%	75
21-1013	Marriage and Family Therapists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
21-1014	Mental Health Counselors	200	210	10	5.0%	25
21-1015	Rehabilitation Counselors	150	150	0	0.0%	20
21-1019	Counselors, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	930	990	60	6.5%	105
21-1022	Healthcare Social Workers	490	530	40	8.2%	55
21-1023	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers	240	250	10	4.2%	30
21-1029	Social Workers, All Other	160	160	0	0.0%	20
21-1091	Health Educators	170	180	10	5.9%	25
21-1092	Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists	170	180	10	5.9%	20
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	710	770	60	8.5%	95
21-1094	Community Health Workers	450	490	40	8.9%	60
21-1099	Community and Social Service Specialists, All Other	70	80	10	14.3%	10
21-2000	Religious Workers	400	420	20	5.0%	55
21-2011	Clergy	100	110	10	10.0%	15
21-2021	Directors, Religious Activities and Education	220	220	0	0.0%	30
21-2099	Religious Workers, All Other	100	100	0	0.0%	15
23-0000	Legal Occupations	2,980	3,130	150	5.0%	210

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23-1000	Lawyers, Judges, and Related Workers	1,850	1,920	70	3.8%	90
23-1011	Lawyers	1,680	1,740	60	3.6%	80
23-1012	Judicial Law Clerks	10	10	0	0.0%	5
23-1021	Administrative Law Judges, Adjudicators, and Hearing Officers	60	60	0	0.0%	5
23-1022	Arbitrators, Mediators, and Conciliators	30	30	0	0.0%	5
23-1023	Judges, Magistrate Judges, and Magistrates	100	100	0	0.0%	5
23-2000	Legal Support Workers	1,140	1,220	80	7.0%	125
23-2011	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	1,030	1,100	70	6.8%	115
23-2091	Court Reporters	40	50	10	25.0%	5
23-2093	Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
23-2099	Legal Support Workers, All Other	40	40	0	0.0%	5
25-0000	Education, Training, and Library Occupations	21,770	23,530	1,760	8.1%	2,060
25-1000	Postsecondary Teachers	4,080	4,600	520	12.8%	380
25-1011	Business Teachers, Postsecondary	180	210	30	16.7%	20
25-1021	Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary	50	50	0	0.0%	5
25-1022	Mathematical Science Teachers, Postsecondary	70	80	10	14.3%	10
25-1031	Architecture Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1032	Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1041	Agricultural Sciences Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1042	Biological Science Teachers, Postsecondary	60	70	10	16.7%	10
25-1052	Chemistry Teachers, Postsecondary	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-1054	Physics Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1062	Area, Ethnic, and Cultural Studies Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1065	Political Science Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1066	Psychology Teachers, Postsecondary	70	80	10	14.3%	10
25-1067	Sociology Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1069	Social Sciences Teachers, Postsecondary, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1071	Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	1,150	1,440	290	25.2%	130

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25-1072	Nursing Instructors and Teachers, Postsecondary	170	200	30	17.7%	20
25-1081	Education Teachers, Postsecondary	100	100	0	0.0%	10
25-1082	Library Science Teachers, Postsecondary	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-1111	Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1112	Law Teachers, Postsecondary	40	40	0	0.0%	5
25-1113	Social Work Teachers, Postsecondary	20	30	10	50.0%	5
25-1121	Art, Drama, and Music Teachers, Postsecondary	230	260	30	13.0%	25
25-1122	Communications Teachers, Postsecondary	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-1123	English Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary	120	140	20	16.7%	15
25-1124	Foreign Language and Literature Teachers, Postsecondary	20	30	10	50.0%	5
25-1125	History Teachers, Postsecondary	60	70	10	16.7%	10
25-1126	Philosophy and Religion Teachers, Postsecondary	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-1191	Graduate Teaching Assistants	30	40	10	33.3%	5
25-1193	Recreation and Fitness Studies Teachers, Postsecondary	40	50	10	25.0%	5
25-1194	Vocational Education Teachers, Postsecondary	720	700	(20)	(2.8%)	55
25-1199	Postsecondary Teachers, All Other	850	930	80	9.4%	75
25-2000	Preschool, Primary, Secondary, and Special Education School Teachers	10,310	11,010	700	6.8%	840
25-2011	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	590	610	20	3.4%	60
25-2012	Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	360	380	20	5.6%	40
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	4,440	4,750	310	7.0%	355
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	1,670	1,780	110	6.6%	135
25-2023	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Middle School	90	90	0	0.0%	10
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	1,900	2,040	140	7.4%	150
25-2032	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School	280	290	10	3.6%	25
25-2051	Special Education Teachers, Preschool	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-2052	Special Education Teachers, Kindergarten and Elementary School	560	600	40	7.1%	45
25-2053	Special Education Teachers, Middle School	230	240	10	4.4%	20
25-2054	Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	200	210	10	5.0%	20

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25-2059	Special Education Teachers, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
25-3000	Other Teachers and Instructors	3,000	3,240	240	8.0%	360
25-3011	Adult Basic and Secondary Education and Literacy Teachers and Instructors	260	240	(20)	(7.7%)	25
25-3021	Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	660	720	60	9.1%	80
25-3097	Teachers and Instructors, All Other, Except Substitute Teachers	380	400	20	5.3%	45
25-3098	Substitute Teachers	1,720	1,890	170	9.9%	215
25-4000	Librarians, Curators, and Archivists	720	770	50	6.9%	85
25-4011	Archivists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-4012	Curators	30	40	10	33.3%	5
25-4013	Museum Technicians and Conservators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-4021	Librarians	430	460	30	7.0%	45
25-4031	Library Technicians	250	270	20	8.0%	35
25-9000	Other Education, Training, and Library Occupations	3,670	3,930	260	7.1%	405
25-9011	Audio-Visual and Multimedia Collections Specialists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
25-9021	Farm and Home Management Advisors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
25-9031	Instructional Coordinators	370	400	30	8.1%	40
25-9041	Teacher Assistants	3,260	3,480	220	6.8%	365
25-9099	Education, Training, and Library Workers, All Other	40	40	0	0.0%	5
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	3,720	3,790	70	1.9%	380
27-1000	Art and Design Workers	760	750	(10)	(1.3%)	70
27-1011	Art Directors	50	50	0	0.0%	5
27-1012	Craft Artists	30	40	10	33.3%	5
27-1013	Fine Artists, Including Painters, Sculptors, and Illustrators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1014	Multimedia Artists and Animators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1019	Artists and Related Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	0
27-1021	Commercial and Industrial Designers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-1022	Fashion Designers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-1023	Floral Designers	130	110	(20)	(15.4%)	10

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27-1024	Graphic Designers	370	390	20	5.4%	40
27-1025	Interior Designers	70	70	0	0.0%	10
27-1026	Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	90	90	0	0.0%	10
27-1027	Set and Exhibit Designers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-2000	Entertainers and Performers, Sports and Related Workers	700	760	60	8.6%	95
27-2011	Actors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-2012	Producers and Directors	130	140	10	7.7%	15
27-2021	Athletes and Sports Competitors	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-2022	Coaches and Scouts	400	450	50	12.5%	60
27-2023	Umpires, Referees, and Other Sports Officials	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-2031	Dancers	100	100	0	0.0%	15
27-2032	Choreographers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-2041	Music Directors and Composers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
27-2042	Musicians and Singers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
27-3000	Media and Communication Workers	1,990	2,060	70	3.5%	200
27-3011	Radio and Television Announcers	70	60	(10)	(14.3%)	5
27-3012	Public Address System and Other Announcers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-3021	Broadcast News Analysts	40	50	10	25.0%	5
27-3022	Reporters and Correspondents	90	80	(10)	(11.1%)	10
27-3031	Public Relations Specialists	1,340	1,400	60	4.5%	140
27-3041	Editors	260	260	0	0.0%	25
27-3042	Technical Writers	40	50	10	25.0%	5
27-3043	Writers and Authors	90	90	0	0.0%	10
27-3091	Interpreters and Translators	80	90	10	12.5%	10
27-3099	Media and Communication Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4000	Media and Communication Equipment Workers	280	240	(40)	(14.3%)	20
27-4011	Audio and Video Equipment Technicians	80	90	10	12.5%	10
27-4012	Broadcast Technicians	70	70	0	0.0%	10

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27-4014	Sound Engineering Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4021	Photographers	100	50	(50)	(50.0%)	5
27-4031	Camera Operators, Television, Video, and Motion Picture	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4032	Film and Video Editors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
27-4099	Media and Communication Equipment Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	27,730	29,760	2,030	7.3%	1,730
29-1000	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners	17,680	19,350	1,670	9.5%	1,030
29-1011	Chiropractors	50	50	0	0.0%	5
29-1021	Dentists, General	230	230	0	0.0%	10
29-1022	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons	10	10	0	0.0%	0
29-1023	Orthodontists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-1029	Dentists, All Other Specialists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1031	Dietitians and Nutritionists	170	180	10	5.9%	15
29-1041	Optometrists	70	70	0	0.0%	5
29-1051	Pharmacists	940	970	30	3.2%	45
29-1061	Anesthesiologists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1062	Family and General Practitioners	350	360	10	2.9%	10
29-1063	Internists, General	20	30	10	50.0%	5
29-1064	Obstetricians and Gynecologists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-1065	Pediatricians, General	70	70	0	0.0%	5
29-1066	Psychiatrists	40	40	0	0.0%	5
29-1067	Surgeons	90	100	10	11.1%	5
29-1069	Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	940	1,000	60	6.4%	35
29-1071	Physician Assistants	60	80	20	33.3%	5
29-1081	Podiatrists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-1122	Occupational Therapists	420	480	60	14.3%	30
29-1123	Physical Therapists	680	780	100	14.7%	40
29-1124	Radiation Therapists	60	60	0	0.0%	5

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29-1125	Recreational Therapists	100	100	0	0.0%	5
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists	570	690	120	21.1%	45
29-1127	Speech-Language Pathologists	430	480	50	11.6%	30
29-1128	Exercise Physiologists	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-1129	Therapists, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-1131	Veterinarians	140	160	20	14.3%	10
29-1141	Registered Nurses	11,020	12,020	1,000	9.1%	685
29-1151	Nurse Anesthetists	100	110	10	10.0%	10
29-1171	Nurse Practitioners	970	1,160	190	19.6%	70
29-1181	Audiologists	60	70	10	16.7%	5
29-1199	Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners, All Other	90	90	0	0.0%	5
29-2000	Health Technologists and Technicians	9,690	10,030	340	3.5%	680
29-2011	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists	560	580	20	3.6%	40
29-2012	Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians	400	420	20	5.0%	30
29-2021	Dental Hygienists	460	460	0	0.0%	30
29-2031	Cardiovascular Technologists and Technicians	170	180	10	5.9%	10
29-2032	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	200	230	30	15.0%	15
29-2033	Nuclear Medicine Technologists	80	80	0	0.0%	5
29-2034	Radiologic Technologists	680	700	20	2.9%	40
29-2035	Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologists	220	230	10	4.6%	15
29-2041	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	620	640	20	3.2%	40
29-2051	Dietetic Technicians	110	110	0	0.0%	10
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	820	890	70	8.5%	75
29-2053	Psychiatric Technicians	80	80	0	0.0%	10
29-2054	Respiratory Therapy Technicians	120	60	(60)	(50.0%)	0
29-2055	Surgical Technologists	630	660	30	4.8%	55
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	140	150	10	7.1%	15
29-2057	Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	100	100	0	0.0%	10

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29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	3,140	3,230	90	2.9%	235
29-2071	Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	710	740	30	4.2%	50
29-2081	Opticians, Dispensing	90	100	10	11.1%	10
29-2091	Orthotists and Prosthetists	30	30	0	0.0%	5
29-2092	Hearing Aid Specialists	20	30	10	50.0%	5
29-2099	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	390	420	30	7.7%	30
29-9000	Other Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	370	390	20	5.4%	25
29-9011	Occupational Health and Safety Specialists	200	210	10	5.0%	15
29-9012	Occupational Health and Safety Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
29-9091	Athletic Trainers	70	80	10	14.3%	5
29-9092	Genetic Counselors	10	10	0	0.0%	5
29-9099	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All Other	80	80	0	0.0%	5
31-0000	Healthcare Support Occupations	10,200	11,220	1,020	10.0%	1,305
31-1000	Nursing, Psychiatric, and Home Health Aides	7,330	8,110	780	10.6%	940
31-1011	Home Health Aides	1,670	2,060	390	23.4%	250
31-1013	Psychiatric Aides	1,780	1,890	110	6.2%	220
31-1014	Nursing Assistants	3,750	4,020	270	7.2%	460
31-1015	Orderlies	140	150	10	7.1%	20
31-2000	Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapist Assistants and Aides	410	470	60	14.6%	60
31-2011	Occupational Therapy Assistants	100	110	10	10.0%	15
31-2012	Occupational Therapy Aides	10	10	0	0.0%	5
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	270	310	40	14.8%	40
31-2022	Physical Therapist Aides	50	60	10	20.0%	10
31-9000	Other Healthcare Support Occupations	2,470	2,650	180	7.3%	310
31-9011	Massage Therapists	100	120	20	20.0%	15
31-9091	Dental Assistants	710	710	0	0.0%	80
31-9092	Medical Assistants	870	960	90	10.3%	110
31-9093	Medical Equipment Preparers	80	90	10	12.5%	10

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31-9094	Medical Transcriptionists	50	40	(10)	(20.0%)	5
31-9095	Pharmacy Aides	20	20	0	0.0%	5
31-9096	Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	370	420	50	13.5%	65
31-9097	Phlebotomists	210	220	10	4.8%	25
31-9099	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	100	100	0	0.0%	15
33-0000	Protective Service Occupations	10,970	11,370	400	3.7%	1,140
33-1000	Supervisors of Protective Service Workers	1,020	1,050	30	2.9%	80
33-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Correctional Officers	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	10
33-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Police and Detectives	330	350	20	6.1%	25
33-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers	260	270	10	3.9%	20
33-1099	First-Line Supervisors of Protective Service Workers, All Other	280	280	0	0.0%	30
33-2000	Fire Fighting and Prevention Workers	990	1,050	60	6.1%	80
33-2011	Firefighters	870	920	50	5.8%	65
33-2021	Fire Inspectors and Investigators	80	80	0	0.0%	10
33-2022	Forest Fire Inspectors and Prevention Specialists	50	60	10	20.0%	10
33-3000	Law Enforcement Workers	4,320	4,320	0	0.0%	300
33-3011	Bailiffs	40	40	0	0.0%	5
33-3012	Correctional Officers and Jailers	1,600	1,470	(130)	(8.1%)	110
33-3021	Detectives and Criminal Investigators	380	390	10	2.6%	25
33-3031	Fish and Game Wardens	10	10	0	0.0%	5
33-3041	Parking Enforcement Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	2,280	2,410	130	5.7%	165
33-3052	Transit and Railroad Police	10	10	0	0.0%	5
33-9000	Other Protective Service Workers	4,660	4,960	300	6.4%	690
33-9011	Animal Control Workers	50	50	0	0.0%	10
33-9021	Private Detectives and Investigators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
33-9031	Gaming Surveillance Officers and Gaming Investigators	60	60	0	0.0%	10
33-9032	Security Guards	4,050	4,330	280	6.9%	575

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
33-9091	Crossing Guards	120	130	10	8.3%	25
33-9092	Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	140	140	0	0.0%	35
33-9093	Transportation Security Screeners	90	90	0	0.0%	10
33-9099	Protective Service Workers, All Other	150	160	10	6.7%	40
35-0000	Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	26,420	29,370	2,950	11.2%	4,785
35-1000	Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	2,600	2,960	360	13.9%	425
35-1011	Chefs and Head Cooks	190	210	20	10.5%	30
35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	2,410	2,750	340	14.1%	400
35-2000	Cooks and Food Preparation Workers	11,430	12,180	750	6.6%	1,770
35-2011	Cooks, Fast Food	4,670	4,660	(10)	(0.2%)	645
35-2012	Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	1,740	1,790	50	2.9%	250
35-2013	Cooks, Private Household	20	20	0	0.0%	5
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	2,490	2,910	420	16.9%	420
35-2015	Cooks, Short Order	540	550	10	1.9%	80
35-2019	Cooks, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
35-2021	Food Preparation Workers	1,990	2,260	270	13.6%	380
35-3000	Food and Beverage Serving Workers	10,550	12,210	1,660	15.7%	2,225
35-3011	Bartenders	460	490	30	6.5%	80
35-3021	Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	3,820	4,690	870	22.8%	860
35-3022	Counter Attendants, Cafeteria, Food Concession, and Coffee Shop	470	490	20	4.3%	105
35-3031	Waiters and Waitresses	4,670	5,240	570	12.2%	985
35-3041	Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	1,150	1,320	170	14.8%	200
35-9000	Other Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers	1,850	2,040	190	10.3%	375
35-9011	Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	380	420	40	10.5%	75
35-9021	Dishwashers	800	860	60	7.5%	135
35-9031	Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	630	710	80	12.7%	160
35-9099	Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers, All Other	50	60	10	20.0%	10
37-0000	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	12,780	13,770	990	7.8%	1,770

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37-1000	Supervisors of Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Workers	710	770	60	8.5%	85
37-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Workers	340	370	30	8.8%	45
37-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service, and Groundskeeping Workers	370	410	40	10.8%	40
37-2000	Building Cleaning and Pest Control Workers	10,210	10,980	770	7.5%	1,445
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	5,580	6,060	480	8.6%	795
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	4,380	4,630	250	5.7%	615
37-2021	Pest Control Workers	260	290	30	11.5%	40
37-3000	Grounds Maintenance Workers	1,870	2,040	170	9.1%	250
37-3011	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	1,780	1,940	160	9.0%	235
37-3012	Pesticide Handlers, Sprayers, and Applicators, Vegetation	10	10	0	0.0%	5
37-3013	Tree Trimmers and Pruners	60	70	10	16.7%	10
37-3019	Grounds Maintenance Workers, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
39-0000	Personal Care and Service Occupations	12,500	13,750	1,250	10.0%	2,045
39-1000	Supervisors of Personal Care and Service Workers	560	590	30	5.4%	65
39-1011	Gaming Supervisors	70	60	(10)	(14.3%)	10
39-1012	Slot Supervisors	20	20	0	0.0%	5
39-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	480	510	30	6.3%	50
39-2000	Animal Care and Service Workers	630	730	100	15.9%	110
39-2011	Animal Trainers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
39-2021	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	620	710	90	14.5%	110
39-3000	Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers	960	970	10	1.0%	205
39-3011	Gaming Dealers	220	210	(10)	(4.6%)	30
39-3012	Gaming and Sports Book Writers and Runners	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-3019	Gaming Service Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-3021	Motion Picture Projectionists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-3031	Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	180	180	0	0.0%	45
39-3091	Amusement and Recreation Attendants	480	500	20	4.2%	115
39-3092	Costume Attendants	20	20	0	0.0%	5

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39-3093	Locker Room, Coatroom, and Dressing Room Attendants	40	50	10	25.0%	10
39-3099	Entertainment Attendants and Related Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
39-4000	Funeral Service Workers	150	150	0	0.0%	20
39-4011	Embalmers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-4021	Funeral Attendants	60	60	0	0.0%	10
39-4031	Morticians, Undertakers, and Funeral Directors	80	80	0	0.0%	10
39-5000	Personal Appearance Workers	720	740	20	2.8%	90
39-5012	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	520	520	0	0.0%	65
39-5092	Manicurists and Pedicurists	100	100	0	0.0%	15
39-5093	Shampooers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
39-5094	Skincare Specialists	120	120	0	0.0%	15
39-6000	Baggage Porters, Bellhops, and Concierges	30	40	10	33.3%	5
39-6011	Baggage Porters and Bellhops	20	20	0	0.0%	5
39-6012	Concierges	10	20	10	100.0%	5
39-7000	Tour and Travel Guides	80	90	10	12.5%	15
39-7011	Tour Guides and Escorts	70	70	0	0.0%	15
39-7012	Travel Guides	10	20	10	100.0%	5
39-9000	Other Personal Care and Service Workers	9,400	10,480	1,080	11.5%	1,550
39-9011	Childcare Workers	3,790	3,790	0	0.0%	545
39-9021	Personal Care Aides	4,140	5,150	1,010	24.4%	750
39-9031	Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	470	500	30	6.4%	85
39-9032	Recreation Workers	540	570	30	5.6%	95
39-9041	Residential Advisors	360	380	20	5.6%	65
39-9099	Personal Care and Service Workers, All Other	120	120	0	0.0%	20
41-0000	Sales and Related Occupations	39,090	40,540	1,450	3.7%	5,885
41-1000	Supervisors of Sales Workers	5,040	5,360	320	6.4%	565
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	4,400	4,680	280	6.4%	505
41-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	650	690	40	6.2%	65

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41-2000	Retail Sales Workers	27,070	27,890	820	3.0%	4,525
41-2011	Cashiers	12,820	13,020	200	1.6%	2,420
41-2012	Gaming Change Persons and Booth Cashiers	50	50	0	0.0%	10
41-2021	Counter and Rental Clerks	1,110	1,130	20	1.8%	145
41-2022	Parts Salespersons	650	670	20	3.1%	85
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	12,450	13,050	600	4.8%	1,880
41-3000	Sales Representatives, Services	3,620	3,770	150	4.1%	420
41-3011	Advertising Sales Agents	250	230	(20)	(8.0%)	30
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	1,190	1,260	70	5.9%	125
41-3031	Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents	170	160	(10)	(5.9%)	15
41-3041	Travel Agents	60	50	(10)	(16.7%)	10
41-3099	Sales Representatives, Services, All Other	1,970	2,080	110	5.6%	255
41-4000	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	2,250	2,340	90	4.0%	240
41-4011	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	340	350	10	2.9%	35
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	1,910	2,000	90	4.7%	205
41-9000	Other Sales and Related Workers	1,130	1,200	70	6.2%	135
41-9011	Demonstrators and Product Promoters	10	10	0	0.0%	5
41-9021	Real Estate Brokers	40	30	(10)	(25.0%)	5
41-9022	Real Estate Sales Agents	520	530	10	1.9%	50
41-9031	Sales Engineers	40	50	10	25.0%	5
41-9041	Telemarketers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
41-9091	Door-to-Door Sales Workers, News and Street Vendors, and Related Workers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
41-9099	Sales and Related Workers, All Other	520	580	60	11.5%	80
43-0000	Office and Administrative Support Occupations	54,690	53,120	(1,570)	(2.9%)	5,755
43-1000	Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,880	3,840	(40)	(1.0%)	370
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	3,880	3,840	(40)	(1.0%)	370
43-2000	Communications Equipment Operators	260	200	(60)	(23.1%)	25
43-2011	Switchboard Operators, Including Answering Service	250	200	(50)	(20.0%)	25

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43-2021	Telephone Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-2099	Communications Equipment Operators, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-3000	Financial Clerks	7,640	7,430	(210)	(2.8%)	785
43-3011	Bill and Account Collectors	700	660	(40)	(5.7%)	70
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	1,240	1,310	70	5.7%	135
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	4,760	4,550	(210)	(4.4%)	495
43-3041	Gaming Cage Workers	40	30	(10)	(25.0%)	5
43-3051	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	420	410	(10)	(2.4%)	40
43-3061	Procurement Clerks	350	340	(10)	(2.9%)	35
43-3071	Tellers	110	110	0	0.0%	15
43-3099	Financial Clerks, All Other	40	50	10	25.0%	5
43-4000	Information and Record Clerks	14,650	14,880	230	1.6%	1,805
43-4011	Brokerage Clerks	130	130	0	0.0%	15
43-4021	Correspondence Clerks	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-4031	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	600	630	30	5.0%	55
43-4041	Credit Authorizers, Checkers, and Clerks	580	550	(30)	(5.2%)	55
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	6,510	6,630	120	1.8%	840
43-4061	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs	460	480	20	4.4%	45
43-4071	File Clerks	360	300	(60)	(16.7%)	35
43-4081	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	930	990	60	6.5%	155
43-4111	Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	690	690	0	0.0%	80
43-4121	Library Assistants, Clerical	160	170	10	6.3%	25
43-4131	Loan Interviewers and Clerks	900	980	80	8.9%	100
43-4141	New Accounts Clerks	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-4151	Order Clerks	180	180	0	0.0%	20
43-4161	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	230	220	(10)	(4.4%)	25
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	2,410	2,400	(10)	(0.4%)	310
43-4181	Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents and Travel Clerks	100	110	10	10.0%	15

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43-4199	Information and Record Clerks, All Other	450	470	20	4.4%	55
43-5000	Material Recording, Scheduling, Dispatching, and Distributing Workers	9,190	9,250	60	0.7%	935
43-5011	Cargo and Freight Agents	40	40	0	0.0%	5
43-5021	Couriers and Messengers	180	180	0	0.0%	20
43-5031	Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	410	440	30	7.3%	40
43-5032	Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	400	390	(10)	(2.5%)	35
43-5041	Meter Readers, Utilities	200	190	(10)	(5.0%)	15
43-5051	Postal Service Clerks	410	380	(30)	(7.3%)	30
43-5052	Postal Service Mail Carriers	1,680	1,550	(130)	(7.7%)	100
43-5053	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators	480	440	(40)	(8.3%)	30
43-5061	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	490	510	20	4.1%	55
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	1,120	1,130	10	0.9%	115
43-5081	Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	3,670	3,870	200	5.5%	495
43-5111	Weighers, Measurers, Checkers, and Samplers, Recordkeeping	170	180	10	5.9%	20
43-6000	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	11,520	10,290	(1,230)	(10.7%)	1,040
43-6011	Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	1,540	1,220	(320)	(20.8%)	115
43-6012	Legal Secretaries	450	340	(110)	(24.4%)	35
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	900	970	70	7.8%	110
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	8,640	7,770	(870)	(10.1%)	790
43-9000	Other Office and Administrative Support Workers	7,590	7,250	(340)	(4.5%)	815
43-9011	Computer Operators	140	100	(40)	(28.6%)	10
43-9021	Data Entry Keyers	290	220	(70)	(24.1%)	25
43-9022	Word Processors and Typists	80	50	(30)	(37.5%)	5
43-9031	Desktop Publishers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-9041	Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	650	690	40	6.2%	75
43-9051	Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Postal Service	150	140	(10)	(6.7%)	15
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	6,030	5,780	(250)	(4.2%)	660
43-9071	Office Machine Operators, Except Computer	70	60	(10)	(14.3%)	10

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43-9081	Proofreaders and Copy Markers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
43-9111	Statistical Assistants	50	50	0	0.0%	10
43-9199	Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other	180	190	10	5.6%	25
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	5,640	5,460	(180)	(3.2%)	785
45-1000	Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	570	610	40	7.0%	85
45-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Workers	570	610	40	7.0%	85
45-2000	Agricultural Workers	4,240	4,020	(220)	(5.2%)	595
45-2011	Agricultural Inspectors	50	60	10	20.0%	10
45-2021	Animal Breeders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
45-2041	Graders and Sorters, Agricultural Products	270	260	(10)	(3.7%)	35
45-2091	Agricultural Equipment Operators	60	60	0	0.0%	10
45-2092	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	570	580	10	1.8%	90
45-2093	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Animals	3,290	3,060	(230)	(7.0%)	460
45-2099	Agricultural Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
45-3000	Fishing and Hunting Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
45-3011	Fishers and Related Fishing Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
45-4000	Forest, Conservation, and Logging Workers	830	830	0	0.0%	110
45-4021	Fallers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
45-4022	Logging Equipment Operators	800	800	0	0.0%	105
45-4023	Log Graders and Scalers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-0000	Construction and Extraction Occupations	11,100	11,580	480	4.3%	1,225
47-1000	Supervisors of Construction and Extraction Workers	1,490	1,560	70	4.7%	155
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	1,490	1,560	70	4.7%	155
47-2000	Construction Trades Workers	7,630	7,920	290	3.8%	820
47-2011	Boilermakers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
47-2021	Brickmasons and Blockmasons	80	80	0	0.0%	10
47-2022	Stonemasons	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2031	Carpenters	550	560	10	1.8%	55

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47-2041	Carpet Installers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
47-2042	Floor Layers, Except Carpet, Wood, and Hard Tiles	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2044	Tile and Marble Setters	50	50	0	0.0%	5
47-2051	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	170	170	0	0.0%	20
47-2053	Terrazzo Workers and Finishers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-2061	Construction Laborers	2,350	2,460	110	4.7%	255
47-2071	Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators	130	130	0	0.0%	15
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	630	650	20	3.2%	75
47-2081	Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-2111	Electricians	1,310	1,340	30	2.3%	150
47-2121	Glaziers	90	90	0	0.0%	15
47-2131	Insulation Workers, Floor, Ceiling, and Wall	50	40	(10)	(20.0%)	5
47-2132	Insulation Workers, Mechanical	80	80	0	0.0%	10
47-2141	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	360	370	10	2.8%	35
47-2151	Pipelayers	110	110	0	0.0%	15
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	840	910	70	8.3%	100
47-2161	Plasterers and Stucco Masons	80	80	0	0.0%	10
47-2171	Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-2181	Roofers	290	300	10	3.5%	30
47-2211	Sheet Metal Workers	210	220	10	4.8%	25
47-2221	Structural Iron and Steel Workers	200	210	10	5.0%	25
47-3000	Helpers, Construction Trades	630	660	30	4.8%	95
47-3011	Helpers--Brickmasons, Blockmasons, Stonemasons, and Tile and Marble Setters	60	60	0	0.0%	10
47-3012	Helpers--Carpenters	70	80	10	14.3%	10
47-3013	Helpers--Electricians	250	250	0	0.0%	35
47-3014	Helpers--Painters, Paperhangers, Plasterers, and Stucco Masons	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-3015	Helpers--Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	190	200	10	5.3%	30
47-3016	Helpers--Roofers	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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47-3019	Helpers, Construction Trades, All Other	50	60	10	20.0%	10
47-4000	Other Construction and Related Workers	760	810	50	6.6%	90
47-4011	Construction and Building Inspectors	160	170	10	6.3%	20
47-4031	Fence Erectors	30	40	10	33.3%	5
47-4041	Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	50	50	0	0.0%	10
47-4051	Highway Maintenance Workers	480	500	20	4.2%	55
47-4061	Rail-Track Laying and Maintenance Equipment Operators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-4071	Septic Tank Servicers and Sewer Pipe Cleaners	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-4091	Segmental Pavers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
47-4099	Construction and Related Workers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-5000	Extraction Workers	610	650	40	6.6%	80
47-5011	Derrick Operators, Oil and Gas	50	60	10	20.0%	10
47-5012	Rotary Drill Operators, Oil and Gas	30	30	0	0.0%	5
47-5013	Service Unit Operators, Oil, Gas, and Mining	40	50	10	25.0%	5
47-5021	Earth Drillers, Except Oil and Gas	20	20	0	0.0%	5
47-5071	Roustabouts, Oil and Gas	360	380	20	5.6%	50
47-5081	Helpers--Extraction Workers	120	130	10	8.3%	20
47-5099	Extraction Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	16,190	17,100	910	5.6%	1,650
49-1000	Supervisors of Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	1,490	1,580	90	6.0%	140
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	1,490	1,580	90	6.0%	140
49-2000	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	1,740	1,780	40	2.3%	185
49-2011	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers	250	250	0	0.0%	25
49-2021	Radio, Cellular, and Tower Equipment Installers and Repairers	50	60	10	20.0%	10
49-2022	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	1,110	1,100	(10)	(0.9%)	115
49-2091	Avionics Technicians	30	30	0	0.0%	5
49-2092	Electric Motor, Power Tool, and Related Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-2093	Electrical and Electronics Installers and Repairers, Transportation Equipment	20	20	0	0.0%	5

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49-2094	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	60	60	0	0.0%	5
49-2095	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Powerhouse, Substation, and Relay	80	80	0	0.0%	10
49-2096	Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers, Motor Vehicles	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-2097	Electronic Home Entertainment Equipment Installers and Repairers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-2098	Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers	150	170	20	13.3%	20
49-3000	Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	4,930	5,120	190	3.9%	490
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	140	140	0	0.0%	15
49-3021	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	310	320	10	3.2%	35
49-3022	Automotive Glass Installers and Repairers	100	100	0	0.0%	10
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	2,170	2,240	70	3.2%	210
49-3031	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	1,070	1,140	70	6.5%	105
49-3041	Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians	190	200	10	5.3%	20
49-3042	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	440	460	20	4.6%	45
49-3043	Rail Car Repairers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
49-3051	Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians	50	40	(10)	(20.0%)	5
49-3052	Motorcycle Mechanics	40	40	0	0.0%	5
49-3053	Outdoor Power Equipment and Other Small Engine Mechanics	40	50	10	25.0%	5
49-3092	Recreational Vehicle Service Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-3093	Tire Repairers and Changers	400	390	(10)	(2.5%)	50
49-9000	Other Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	8,040	8,640	600	7.5%	840
49-9012	Control and Valve Installers and Repairers, Except Mechanical Door	50	50	0	0.0%	5
49-9021	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	680	750	70	10.3%	75
49-9031	Home Appliance Repairers	70	60	(10)	(14.3%)	10
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	790	910	120	15.2%	85
49-9043	Maintenance Workers, Machinery	350	410	60	17.1%	45
49-9044	Millwrights	160	170	10	6.3%	15
49-9045	Refractory Materials Repairers, Except Brickmasons	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9051	Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	1,020	1,090	70	6.9%	90

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49-9052	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	380	420	40	10.5%	45
49-9061	Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	0
49-9062	Medical Equipment Repairers	190	190	0	0.0%	20
49-9063	Musical Instrument Repairers and Tuners	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9064	Watch Repairers	20	10	(10)	(50.0%)	5
49-9069	Precision Instrument and Equipment Repairers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	3,690	3,910	220	6.0%	390
49-9091	Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers and Repairers	70	50	(20)	(28.6%)	5
49-9094	Locksmiths and Safe Repairers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
49-9096	Riggers	110	120	10	9.1%	15
49-9097	Signal and Track Switch Repairers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
49-9098	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	320	340	20	6.3%	45
49-9099	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other	170	170	0	0.0%	20
51-0000	Production Occupations	20,880	21,280	400	1.9%	2,430
51-1000	Supervisors of Production Workers	1,470	1,580	110	7.5%	160
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	1,470	1,580	110	7.5%	160
51-2000	Assemblers and Fabricators	5,840	5,820	(20)	(0.3%)	670
51-2021	Coil Winders, Tapers, and Finishers	180	160	(20)	(11.1%)	20
51-2022	Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers	850	760	(90)	(10.6%)	85
51-2023	Electromechanical Equipment Assemblers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-2031	Engine and Other Machine Assemblers	60	50	(10)	(16.7%)	5
51-2041	Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters	100	90	(10)	(10.0%)	10
51-2091	Fiberglass Laminators and Fabricators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-2092	Team Assemblers	4,400	4,510	110	2.5%	525
51-2099	Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	260	250	(10)	(3.9%)	30
51-3000	Food Processing Workers	2,870	2,940	70	2.4%	360
51-3011	Bakers	130	150	20	15.4%	20
51-3021	Butchers and Meat Cutters	70	70	0	0.0%	10

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51-3022	Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	1,560	1,580	20	1.3%	195
51-3023	Slaughterers and Meat Packers	570	590	20	3.5%	75
51-3091	Food and Tobacco Roasting, Baking, and Drying Machine Operators and Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-3092	Food Batchmakers	180	180	0	0.0%	30
51-3093	Food Cooking Machine Operators and Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-3099	Food Processing Workers, All Other	350	360	10	2.9%	45
51-4000	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers	3,180	3,320	140	4.4%	355
51-4011	Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	160	170	10	6.3%	20
51-4012	Computer Numerically Controlled Machine Tool Programmers, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4021	Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	60	60	0	0.0%	10
51-4022	Forging Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4023	Rolling Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	260	260	0	0.0%	30
51-4031	Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	240	240	0	0.0%	30
51-4032	Drilling and Boring Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4033	Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-4034	Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-4035	Milling and Planing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-4041	Machinists	420	460	40	9.5%	50
51-4051	Metal-Refining Furnace Operators and Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-4052	Pourers and Casters, Metal	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4061	Model Makers, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4062	Patternmakers, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4071	Foundry Mold and Coremakers	40	30	(10)	(25.0%)	5
51-4072	Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	150	150	0	0.0%	20
51-4081	Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	130	150	20	15.4%	20
51-4111	Tool and Die Makers	80	90	10	12.5%	10
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	740	810	70	9.5%	90
51-4122	Welding, Soldering, and Brazing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	640	640	0	0.0%	70

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51-4191	Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4192	Layout Workers, Metal and Plastic	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-4193	Plating and Coating Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-4194	Tool Grinders, Filers, and Sharpeners	70	70	0	0.0%	10
51-4199	Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other	60	60	0	0.0%	10
51-5100	Printing Workers	500	470	(30)	(6.0%)	50
51-5111	Prepress Technicians and Workers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-5112	Printing Press Operators	430	410	(20)	(4.7%)	45
51-5113	Print Binding and Finishing Workers	60	60	0	0.0%	10
51-6000	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers	1,230	1,200	(30)	(2.4%)	145
51-6011	Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers	450	430	(20)	(4.4%)	60
51-6021	Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	320	280	(40)	(12.5%)	35
51-6031	Sewing Machine Operators	290	310	20	6.9%	35
51-6041	Shoe and Leather Workers and Repairers	40	30	(10)	(25.0%)	5
51-6051	Sewers, Hand	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-6052	Tailors, Dressmakers, and Custom Sewers	50	50	0	0.0%	10
51-6091	Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Synthetic and Glass Fibers	50	60	10	20.0%	10
51-6092	Fabric and Apparel Patternmakers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-6093	Upholsterers	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-6099	Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-7000	Woodworkers	590	590	0	0.0%	70
51-7011	Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-7041	Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Wood	290	290	0	0.0%	35
51-7042	Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing	280	270	(10)	(3.6%)	30
51-7099	Woodworkers, All Other	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-8000	Plant and System Operators	810	800	(10)	(1.2%)	70
51-8011	Nuclear Power Reactor Operators	110	100	(10)	(9.1%)	10
51-8012	Power Distributors and Dispatchers	90	90	0	0.0%	10

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Code	Occupation			Number	Percent	
51-8013	Power Plant Operators	110	110	0	0.0%	10
51-8021	Stationary Engineers and Boiler Operators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-8031	Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	260	250	(10)	(3.9%)	20
51-8092	Gas Plant Operators	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-8093	Petroleum Pump System Operators, Refinery Operators, and Gaugers	180	190	10	5.6%	20
51-8099	Plant and System Operators, All Other	30	30	0	0.0%	5
51-9000	Other Production Occupations	4,430	4,600	170	3.8%	565
51-9011	Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9012	Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and Still Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9021	Crushing, Grinding, and Polishing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-9022	Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9023	Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	240	260	20	8.3%	30
51-9032	Cutting and Slicing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	140	140	0	0.0%	15
51-9041	Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	100	100	0	0.0%	15
51-9051	Furnace, Kiln, Oven, Drier, and Kettle Operators and Tenders	80	80	0	0.0%	10
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	600	560	(40)	(6.7%)	65
51-9071	Jewelers and Precious Stone and Metal Workers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
51-9081	Dental Laboratory Technicians	80	80	0	0.0%	10
51-9082	Medical Appliance Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9083	Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9111	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	490	510	20	4.1%	60
51-9121	Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	450	490	40	8.9%	55
51-9122	Painters, Transportation Equipment	170	180	10	5.9%	20
51-9123	Painting, Coating, and Decorating Workers	70	80	10	14.3%	10
51-9151	Photographic Process Workers and Processing Machine Operators	20	20	0	0.0%	5
51-9191	Adhesive Bonding Machine Operators and Tenders	80	80	0	0.0%	10
51-9192	Cleaning, Washing, and Metal Pickling Equipment Operators and Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
51-9193	Cooling and Freezing Equipment Operators and Tenders	60	60	0	0.0%	10

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51-9194	Etchers and Engravers	110	130	20	18.2%	20
51-9195	Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Plastic	60	60	0	0.0%	10
51-9196	Paper Goods Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	140	150	10	7.1%	15
51-9198	Helpers--Production Workers	1,210	1,270	60	5.0%	195
51-9199	Production Workers, All Other	270	300	30	11.1%	35
53-0000	Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	23,990	25,140	1,150	4.8%	3,000
53-1000	Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers	840	880	40	4.8%	95
53-1011	Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	30	30	0	0.0%	5
53-1021	First-Line Supervisors of Helpers, Laborers, and Material Movers, Hand	340	360	20	5.9%	40
53-1031	First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material-Moving Machine and Vehicle Operators	480	500	20	4.2%	55
53-2000	Air Transportation Workers	200	210	10	5.0%	20
53-2011	Airline Pilots, Copilots, and Flight Engineers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
53-2012	Commercial Pilots	130	130	0	0.0%	15
53-2021	Air Traffic Controllers	40	40	0	0.0%	5
53-2022	Airfield Operations Specialists	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-3000	Motor Vehicle Operators	11,740	12,110	370	3.2%	1,325
53-3011	Ambulance Drivers and Attendants, Except Emergency Medical Technicians	50	50	0	0.0%	10
53-3021	Bus Drivers, Transit and Intercity	200	220	20	10.0%	30
53-3022	Bus Drivers, School or Special Client	1,740	1,790	50	2.9%	215
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	720	680	(40)	(5.6%)	70
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	6,530	6,820	290	4.4%	735
53-3033	Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	2,290	2,370	80	3.5%	255
53-3041	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	210	170	(40)	(19.1%)	15
53-3099	Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other	50	50	0	0.0%	10
53-4000	Rail Transportation Workers	240	240	0	0.0%	25
53-4011	Locomotive Engineers	90	100	10	11.1%	10
53-4012	Locomotive Firers	10	10	0	0.0%	0
53-4013	Rail Yard Engineers, Dinkey Operators, and Hostlers	10	10	0	0.0%	5

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53-4021	Railroad Brake, Signal, and Switch Operators	50	50	0	0.0%	5
53-4031	Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters	90	100	10	11.1%	10
53-4099	Rail Transportation Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-5000	Water Transportation Workers	560	590	30	5.4%	65
53-5011	Sailors and Marine Oilers	70	70	0	0.0%	10
53-5021	Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels	470	500	30	6.4%	55
53-5031	Ship Engineers	30	30	0	0.0%	5
53-6000	Other Transportation Workers	510	550	40	7.8%	85
53-6011	Bridge and Lock Tenders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-6021	Parking Lot Attendants	60	60	0	0.0%	10
53-6031	Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants	380	420	40	10.5%	70
53-6041	Traffic Technicians	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-6051	Transportation Inspectors	50	50	0	0.0%	5
53-6061	Transportation Attendants, Except Flight Attendants	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-6099	Transportation Workers, All Other	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7000	Material Moving Workers	9,930	10,570	640	6.5%	1,400
53-7011	Conveyor Operators and Tenders	40	40	0	0.0%	5
53-7021	Crane and Tower Operators	180	190	10	5.6%	25
53-7031	Dredge Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7032	Excavating and Loading Machine and Dragline Operators	70	70	0	0.0%	10
53-7041	Hoist and Winch Operators	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	1,800	1,920	120	6.7%	220
53-7061	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	840	910	70	8.3%	130
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	5,750	6,100	350	6.1%	835
53-7063	Machine Feeders and Offbearers	510	550	40	7.8%	75
53-7064	Packers and Packagers, Hand	470	500	30	6.4%	80
53-7072	Pump Operators, Except Wellhead Pumpers	20	20	0	0.0%	5
53-7073	Wellhead Pumpers	60	60	0	0.0%	10

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53-7081	Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors	180	190	10	5.6%	25
53-7121	Tank Car, Truck, and Ship Loaders	10	10	0	0.0%	5
53-7199	Material Moving Workers, All Other	40	50	10	25.0%	5