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Preface

The Bureau of Labor Statistics regularly conducts

This report was prepared in the Bureau's regional

areawide wage surveys in a number of important industrial centers. The studies, made from late fall to early spring,

relate to occupational earnings and related supplementary benefits. A preliminary report is available on completion of the study in each area, usually in the month following the payroll period studied. This bulletin provides additional

data not included in the earlier report. A consolidated analytical bulletin summarizing the results of all of the year's surveys is issued after completion of the final area

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* NOTE: Similar tabulations are available in the Kansas City area reports for October 1951, October 1952, December 1956, and January 1960, which also include data on establishment practices and supplementary wage provisions. A directory indicating date of study and the price of the reports, as well as reports for other major areas, is available upon request.

Current reports on occupational earnings and supplementary wage practices in the Kansas City area are also available for banking (May 1960), fluid milk (June 1960), hotels (June 1960), and power laundries and dry cleaners (June 1960). Union scales, indicative of prevailing pay levels, are available for the following trades or industries: Building construction, printing, local-transit operating employees, and motortruck drivers and helpers.

Occupational Wage Survey—Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.

Introduction

This area is one of several important industrial centers in which the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics conducts surveys of occupational earnings and related wage benefits on an area basis.

The bulletin presents current occupational employment and earnings information obtained largely by mail from the establishments visited by Bureau field economists in the last previous survey for occupations reported in that earlier study. Personal visits were made to nonrespondents and to those respondents reporting unusual changes since the previous survey.

In each area, data are obtained from representative establishments within six broad industry divisions: Manufacturing; transportation, ¹ communication, and other public utilities; wholesale trade; retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; and services. Major industry groups excluded from these studies are government operations and the construction and extractive industries. Establishments having fewer than a prescribed number of workers are omitted also because they furnish insufficient employment in the occupations studied to warrant inclusion. Wherever possible, separate tabulations are provided for each of the broad industry divisions.

These surveys are conducted on a sample basis because of the unnecessary cost involved in surveying all establishments. To obtain appropriate accuracy at minimum cost, a greater proportion of large than of small establishments is studied. In combining the data, however, all establishments are given their appropriate weight. Estimates based on the establishments studied are presented, therefore, as relating to all establishments in the industry grouping and area, except for those below the minimum size studied.

Occupations and Earnings

The occupations selected for study are common to a variety of manufacturing and nonmanufacturing industries. Occupational classification is based on a uniform set of job descriptions designed to take account of interestablishment variation in duties within the same job. (See appendix for listing of these descriptions.) Earnings data are presented (in the A-series tables) for the following types of occupations: (a) Office clerical; (b) professional and technical; (c) maintenance and powerplant; and (d) custodial and material movement.

Occupational employment and earnings data are shown for full-time workers, i.e., those hired to work a regular weekly schedule in the given occupational classification. Earnings data exclude premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts. Nonproduction bonuses are excluded also, but cost-ofliving bonuses and incentive earnings are included. Where weekly hours are reported, as for office clerical occupations, reference is to the work schedules (rounded to the nearest half hour) for which straight-time salaries are paid; average weekly earnings for these occupations have been rounded to the nearest half dollar.

Average earnings of men and women are presented separately for selected occupations in which both sexes are commonly employed. Differences in pay levels of men and women in these occupations are largely due to (1) differences in the distribution of the sexes among industries and establishments; (2) differences in specific duties performed, although the occupations are appropriately classified within the same survey job description; and (3) differences in length of service or merit review when individual salaries are adjusted on this basis. Longer average service of men would result in higher average pay when both sexes are employed within the same rate range. Job descriptions used in classifying employees in these surveys are usually more generalized than those used in individual establishments to allow for minor differences among establishments in specific duties performed.

Occupational employment estimates represent the total in all establishments within the scope of the study and not the number actually surveyed. Because of differences in occupational structure among establishments, the estimates of occupational employment obtained from the sample of establishments studied serve only to indicate the relative importance of the jobs studied. These differences in occupational structure do not materially affect the accuracy of the earnings data.

¹ Railroads, formerly excluded from the scope of these studies, were included in all of the areas studied since July 1959, except Baltimore, Buffalo, Cleveland, and Seattle. Railroads are now included in the scope of all labor-market wage surveys.

	Number of est	ablishments	Workers in es	tablishments
Industry division	Within scope of study ³	Studied	Within scope of study ³	Studied
All divisions	892	207	198, 200	106, 330
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	310 582	73 134	93,000 105,200	53, 500 52, 830
Transportation, communication, and other public utilities ⁴ Wholesale trade ⁵	105	54 20 33	32,100 15,700	26, 210 5, 260
Retail trade ⁵ Finance, insurance, and real estate ⁵ Services ^{5,6}	198 72 74	33 13 14	37,000 11,100 9,300	15, 110 3, 210 3, 040

Table 1. Establishments and workers within scope of survey and number studied in Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., ¹ by major industry division, ² November 1960

¹ The Kansas City Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (Clay and Jackson Counties, Missouri, and Johnson and Wyandotte Counties, Kansas). The "workers within scope of study" estimates shown in this table provide a reasonably accurate description of the size and composition of the labor force included in the survey. The estimates are not intended, however, to serve as a basis of comparison with other area employment indexes to measure employment trends or levels since (1) planning of wage surveys requires the use of establishment data compiled considerably in advance of the payroll period studied, and (2) small establishments are excluded from the scope of the survey.

survey. ² The 1957 revised edition of the Standard Industrial Classification Manual was used in classifying establishments by industry division. Major changes from the earlier edition (used in the Bureau's labor market wage surveys conducted prior to July 1958) are the transfer of milk pasteurization plants and ready-mixed concrete establishments from trade (wholesale or retail) to manufacturing, and the transfer of radio and television broadcasting from services to the transportation, communication, and other public utilities division. ³ Includes all establishments with total employment at or above the minimum-size limitation (50 employees). All outlets (with-

Includes all establishments with total employment at or above the minimum-size limitation (50 employees). All outlets (within the area) of companies in such industries as trade, finance, auto repair service, and motion-picture theaters are considered as 1 establishment.

⁴ Taxicabs and services incidental to water transportation were excluded.

⁵ This industry, division is represented in estimates for "all industries" and "nonmanufacturing" in the Series A tables, although coverage was insufficient to justify separate presentation of data.

⁶ Hotels; personal services; business services; automobile repair shops; motion pictures; nonprofit membership organizations; and engineering and architectural services.

	Inde (October	exes 1952 = 100)		Percent incr	ease from-	
Industry and occupational group	November 1960	January 1960	January 1960 to November 1960	December 1956 to January 1960	October 1952 to December 1956	October 1951 to October 1952
All industries:						
Office clerical (women)	142.0	138.0	2.9	11.7	23.6	5.7
Industrial nurses (women)	154.0	143.0	3.8	13.0	26.6	10.3
Skilled maintenance (men)	145.7	142.1	2,5	13.9	24.8	5.4
Unskilled plant (men)	143.3	134.9	6.2	8.5	24.3	3.8
lanufacturing:						
Office clerical (women)	144.4	140.9	2,5	14.5	23.1	7.6
Industrial nurses (women)	147.7	142.3	3.8	16.4	22.3	11.1
Skilled maintenance (men)	145.1	141.6	2.4	13.4	24.8	5.2
Unskilled plant (men)	147.4	141.2	4.4	11.8	26.3	3.3

Table 2. Indexes of standard weekly salaries and straight-time hourly earnings for selected occupational groups in Kansas City, Mo.-Kans. November 1960 and January 1960, and percents of increase for selected periods

A: Occupational Earnings

Table A-1. Office Occupations

(Average straight-time weekly hours and earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

		Aves	ADE					N	MBER OF	WORKE	RS RECEI	VING STI	AIGHT-T	IME WEE	KLY EAR	NINGS O	F				
Sex, occupation, and industry division	Number of workers	Weakly 1 hours (Standard)	Weekly 1 earnings (Standard)	\$ 40.00 and under 45.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3 110.00 - 115.00	-	-	and
<u>Men</u>																					
Clerks, accounting, class A Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	598 231 367 131	40.0 40.0 40.0 40.0	\$101.00 106.50 97.50 100.50		- - - -			6 6 -	2	12 3 9 -	18 11 7 -	36 15 21 -	43 9 34 6	71 14 57 26	73 9 64 30	111 44 67 38	80 21 59 20	42 19 23 9	31 24 7 1	47 39 8 -	26 23 3 1
Clerks, accounting, class B Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	181 145 56	40.5 40.5 40.0	80.50 76.50 79.00		3 3 -	14 14 8		26 26 10	8 7 6	14 11 1	28 28 7	33 24 2	4 3 2	10 8 2	9 9 9	14 6 6	4 3 -	8 3 3	2		4
Clerks, order Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	283 128 155	40.0 40.5 40.0	97.00 92.00 101.50			-	10 10	-	7 6 1	10 10 -	36 13 23	24 21 3	22 4 18	42 24 18	25 24 1	16 1 15	14 6 8		24 11 13	25 2 23	27 3 22
Clerks, payroll Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	145 80 65 62	40.5 40.5 40.0 40.0	90.00 82.50 99.50 100.50	-	-		-	9 - -	12 12 - -	9 8 1 1	8 - -	16 12 4 1	21 16 5 5	8 2 6 6	12 3 9 9	24 22 22 22	13 - 13 13	5 - 5 5	1 - -	4 - -	3
Office boys Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	237 80 157 38	40.0 40.0 40.0 40.0	52.50 57.50 50.00 62.50	13 44	62 8 54 5	48 13 35 11	30 20 10 6	5 4 1 -	5 - -	9 9 - -	7 7 - -	11 11 11		2 1 1 1	-					-	
Tabulating-machine operators, class A Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	148 120 40	40.0 40.0 40.0	106.50 104.00 105.50			-	-		- -	-	-	2 2 2	11 9 1	17 16 7	22 21 3	23 22 4	22 22 7	6	26 20 15		4 <u>18</u> 8 1
Tabulating-machine operators, class B Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	305 80 225 40	40.0 40.0 40.0 40.0	90.00 93.00 89.00 90.50		-	-		5 5 3	1 - 1 -	23 5 18 2	25 5 20 5	65 17 48 4	39 8 31 2	60 17 43 3	11 4 7 3	36 12 24 17	17 1 16 -	7 3 4 -	4 3 1 1	7 - 7 -	5
Tabulating-machine operators, class C Nonmanufacturing Women	<u>160</u> 120	40.0	_75.50 74.00		14 14	2	6 4	7	<u>14</u> 7	10 4	60 54	24 15	12 10	3		8	-	-	-		
Billers, machine (billing machine) Nonmanufacturing	11 <u>3</u> 85	40.0	71.50		2	15 5	7	15 15	15 12	9 7	23 13	13 13	1	2	11 10			<u> </u>			
Billers, machine (bookkeeping machine)	88 81	40.0	65.00 64.50		1 1	26 26		9	4		2	16 15	6		12	6					
Bookkeeping-machine operators, class A Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	216 58 158	40.0 40.0 40.0	81.00 78.00 82.00		-	7 6 1	-	17 6 11	34	44 16 28	18 6 12	14 10 4	10 5 5	31	12 1 11	19 7 12	1 -	9 - 9			=

See footnotes at end of table.

NOTE: Estimates for all industries, nonmanufacturing, and public utilities include data for railroads (SIC 40), omitted from the scope of all labor market wage surveys made before July 1959. Where significant, the effect of the inclusion of railroads is greatest on the data shown separately for the public utilities division.

Table A-1. Office Occupations-Continued

	1	Ave	BAGE				-	N	MBER O	F WORKE	RS RECE	VING ST	RAIGHT-T	IME WEE	KLY EAR	NING8 O	F				
Sex, occupation, and industry division	Number of workers	Weekly ;	Weekly 1	\$ 40.00 and	\$ 45,00	\$ 50.00	\$ 55.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 70,00	\$ 75.00	80.00	\$5.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 95.00	100.00	\$	\$ 110.00	\$	120.00	\$ 00
	workers	hours (Standard)		and under	-	- 1	- 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		and
				45.00	50.00	55.00	<u>60.00</u> ·	<u>65.00</u>	70.00	75.00	80.00	85.00	90.00	95.00	100.00	105.00	110.00	115.00	120.00	125.00	over
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<u>Women</u> —Continued																					
Bookkeeping-machine operators, class B	534	40.0	\$62.00	72	8	27	97	144	72	38	30	25	10	4	5		z				
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	1 35 399	40.0 40.0	68.00 60.00	15 57	8	27	2 95	43 101	18 54	17 21	19 11	6 19	9 1	2 2	23	-	2 -	[]	-	-	-
Clerks, accounting, class A	619	40.0	83.00	-			17	18	85	95	103	41	51	63	33	38	53	19			3
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing		$40.0 \\ 40.0$	85.00 82.00	-	:	-	14 3	4 14	29 56	16 79	12 91	21 20	3 48	31 32	11 22	13 25	25 28	5 14	-	-	3
Clerks, accounting, class B	1,511	40.0	65.50	34	62	157	217	312 68	279 62	162	109 17	57	60 5	39	17	2	4			-	
Manufacturing	1, 278	40.0	67.50 65.00	34	61	148	186	244	217	145	92	46 18	55 12	34	16	-	4 -	-	-	-	
Public utilities ²	249	40.0	68.50	-	-	35	51	42	33	13	16		12	14	15	-	-	-		-	-
Clerks, file, class A Nonmanufacturing	230 186	<u>39.5</u> 39.5	67.50 67.50			8 8	58 38	64 60	26 22	20 20	25 17	8 2	- 9	2	3	6	-		-		
Clerks, file, class B	914	40.0	53.00	5113	290	268	107	34	40	42	10	4	3			3					ł
Manufacturing	121 793	40.0	58.00 52.00	113	15 275	46 222	14 93	4 30	27 13	9 33	6	- 4	- 3	-	-	3			-		<u> </u>
Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	92	40.0	58.00	-	10	38	20 20	11	5	4	-	1	-	-	-	3] =	-	-	-	-
Clerks, order	<u>239</u> 54	40.0	70.00	2	15	11	·37 6	62 15	<u>29</u> 18	7	7	<u>15</u> 3	5	29	5	14					<u> </u>
Nonmanufacturing	185	40.0	71.50	2	15	5	31	47	11	5	4	12	4	29	5	14	1	-	~	-	j I
Clerks, payroll	414	40.0 40.0	77.50	-	11	9 2	34 14	55 30	65 27	<u>52</u> 21	30 15	<u>39</u> 16	5	18	41		7	11	13	2	1
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	246	40.0	78.50	-	11	7	20	25	38	31	15	23	2	11	25	6 15	5	10	8	-	-
Public utilities ²	64	40.0	84.00	-	-	2	4	2	11	2	5	12	2	-	5	13	4	1	1	-	-
Comptometer operators Manufacturing	712 205	40.0	72.50	27	<u>4</u> 2	<u>29</u> 2	45 7	<u>134</u> 41	128 48	58 18	67 19	71 23	<u>46</u> 8	26 10	24	42	11				
Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	507 49	$40.0 \\ 40.0$	71.50 88.00	27	2	27	38	93 3	80 1	40 4	48 2	48 8	38 1	16 13	20 17	30 -	-	-	-	-	-
Duplicating-machine operators																					
(Mimeograph or Ditto)	53	40.0	<u>61,50</u>	-	5	14	5	8	2_	8	2		-	2				-	-		
Keypunch operators Manufacturing	900 189	40.0	71.00	-	19	47	79 [.] 15	196 48	141 14	115 25	<u>86</u> 22	<u>53</u> 15	48 18	79 11	29 9	8 5	-	-	-	-:-	
Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	711 175	40.0	70.50	-	16	43 17	64 11	148 32	127 21	90 8	64 14	38 2	30 4	68 43	20 20	3	-	-	-	-	-
	293			-	41		11	-	11	15	1	10	1	1	20		-	-	-	-	-
Office girls Nonmanufacturing	293	40.0 40.0	51.00 51.00	108	35	75 70	8	<u>14</u> 11	9	15	-	10	1	1		-	-	-			
Secretaries	1,999	39.5 40.0	87.50				28	75	1 <u>41</u> 28	156 40	249 73	358 121	<u>226</u> 97	168 52	<u>199</u> 50	1 38 45	61 29	104 44	49 14	17 8	30 21
Manufacturing	1, 373	39.5	85.50	-	-	-	28	71 2	113	116	176	237 27	129	116 27	149	45 93 11	32	60	35	9 2	9
Public utilities ²	237	40.0	92.50	-	-	-	-	2	-	26	37	21	17	21	32	11	15	15	18	2	8

(Average straight-time weekly hours and earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-1. Office Occupations-Continued

		Ave	RAGE					NU	MBER O	WORKE	RS RECE	VING STI	RAIGHT-T	IME WEE	KLY EAD	RNINGS C)F				
Sex, occupation, and industry division	Number of workers	Weekly 1 hours (Standard)	Weekly 1 earnings (Standard)	under	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	110.00	-	-	and
<u>Women</u> -Continued											i										
Stenographers, general Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	1, 751 719 1, 032 265	39.5 40.0 39.5 40.0	\$75.00 80.50 71.50 77.50	19 1 18 -	3 - 3 -	70 17 53 23	95 15 80 17	314 105 209 50	215 80 135 30	256 81 175 24	182 60 122 9	131 69 62 13	116 78 38 3	154 102 52 19	98 45 53 48	48 22 26 23	22	9 3 6 6	7 7 - -	6 - -	6 - -
Stenographers, technical	57	40,0	75.50			-		11	12	4	11	11	2	2	3	1		- -			
Switchboard operators Manufacturing Nonmaufacturing Public utilities ²	417 72 345 61	40.0 40.0 40.0 40.0	63.00 76.50 60.00 83.00	⁶ 121 121 -	6 6 1	28 3 25 -	41 13 28 -	34 5 29 3	56 6 50 8	26 7 19 4	17 8 9 2	12 6 6 5	33 6 27 17	31 9 22 21	6 3 3	6 6 - -	-		-	-	
Switchboard operator-receptionists Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	405 194 211 44	40.0 40.0 40.0 40.0	66.00 65.00 67.00 69.00	6 - 6 -	2	24 6 18 6	59 20 39 11	153 107 46 4	83 31 52 4	25 11 14 3	17 9 8 8	7 5 2 -	8 4 4 -	3 - -	8 - 8 8	1 1 - -		9 - 9 -			-
Tabulating-machine operators, class B Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	<u>109</u> 62 30	40.0 40.0 40.0	85.00 86.50 84.00	-	-	- - -	6 - -	-		12 6 2	7 2 2	30 20 17	15 11 8	21 15 -	10 5 1	6 3 -	2		-	-	-
Tabulating-machine operators, class C Nonmanufacturing	67 50	40.0 40.0	62.00 60.50	-		24 18	8	17 14	7	1	2	3	2	2 1	1 -	-				<u></u>	<u></u>
Transcribing-machine operators, general Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	286 77 209	39.5 40.0 39.5	63.00 66.00 62.00	18 18	5 4 1	14 2 12	92 13 79	58 14 44	15 12 3	41 22 19	29 5 24	7 3 4	6 1 5	-	-	1 1 -		<u> -</u> -	-	-	
Typists, class A Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	691 300 391 112	39.5 40.0 39.0 40.0	73.00 79.50 68.00 74.00		 	6	149 8 141 13	90 29 61 6	60 11 49 34	43 7 36 15	124 82 42 17	72 55 17 8	93 70 23 3	32 24 8 2	16 2 14 14	6 6 - -	-				
Typists, class B Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ²	1,433 366 1,049 134	39.5 40.0 39.5 40.0	57.50 60.50 57.00 64.00	108 11 97	191 34 157 12	251 49 202 1	383 99 284 48	198 56 142 31	123 48 75 13	100 47 53 12	47 10 37 2	9 5 4 2	9 6 3 -	14 13 13		-	-	-			

(Average straight-time weekly hours and earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

Standard hours reflect the workweek for which employees receive their regular straight-time salaries and the earnings correspond to these weekly hours.
 Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.
 Workers were distributed as follows: 12 at \$125 to \$135; 10 at \$145 to \$155.
 Workers were distributed as follows: 13 at \$125 to \$135; 5 at \$135 to \$145.
 Includes 4 workers at \$35 to \$40.
 Includes 3 workers at \$30 to \$35; 13 workers at \$35 to \$40.

Table A-2. Professional and Technical Occupations

	1	A.v.#	RAGE					NT	MRER OF	WORKE	RS RECEI	VING STR	AIGHT.T	ME WEE	KLV EAR	NINGS OF	F				
Sex, occupation, and industry division	Number of workars		Weekly expines !	Under \$ 70.00	under	-	-	\$ 85.00 -	9 0.00	\$ 95.00 -	100.00 105.00	\$ 105.00 -	\$ 110.00 -	\$ 115.00	\$ 120.00 -	\$ 125.00 -	\$ 130.00 -	- 1	- 1		and
Men_					13.00	30.00	35.00	- 90.00	- 95,00	100.00	105.00	110.00	115.00	120.00	125.00	130.00	133.00	140.00	145.00	150.00	over
Draftsmen, leader	83	40.0	\$150.00	-	-	-	-		-		-		-	1	2	1	15	12	7	7	2 38
Draftsmen, senior	436	40.0	114.50	_	1	_	7	1	23	33	55	58	29	- 64	76	26	26	14	12	3	8
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	327 109 73	40.0 40.0 40.0	115.50 112.00 111.50	-	- 1		7 - -	- 1 1	15 8 3	17 16 15	37 18 11	49 9 7	26 3 2	47 17 10	68 8 5	10 16 7	15 11 11	13 1 -	12	3	8
Draftsmen, junior	231	40.0	93.50		9	15	23	17	38	21	42	31	4	8	5	-			-	-	
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	178 53 31	40.0 40.0 40.0	96.50 82.50 85.50	11	4 5 4	5 10 6	14 9 4	12 5 2	35 - -	21	41 1 -	28 3 3	4 - -	6 2 2	1 4 4	-	-				-
Women			[l
Nurses, industrial (registered)	<u>97</u> 74	40.0 40.0	95.00 96.00		3	7	12	22 10	8	16 13	4		9	3	4			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	-	<u> </u>
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(Average straight-time weekly hours and earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

Standard hours reflect the workweek for which employees receive their regular straight-time salaries and the earnings correspond to these weekly hours.
 Workers were distributed as follows: 10 at \$150 to \$160; 4 at \$160 to \$170; 22 at \$170 to \$180; 2 at \$180 and over.
 Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.
 Workers were distributed as follows: 3 at \$55 to \$60; 7 at \$60 to \$65; 8 at \$65 to \$70.

NOTE: See note on p. 3, relative to the inclusion of railroads.

Table A-3. Maintenance and Powerplant Occupations

								NUMBE	R OF WOR	KEBS REC	EIVING ST	RAIGHT-T	IME HOUR	LY EARNI	NGS OF-					
Occupation and industry division	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings 1	Under \$	\$ 1.90 and under	\$ 2.00	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.20	\$ 2.30	\$ 2.40	\$ 2.50	3 2.60	\$ 2.70	\$ 2.80	\$ 2.90	\$ 3.00	3 .10	3 , 20	\$ 3.30	\$ 3. 40	\$ 3.50 and
			i.90	under 2.00	2.10	2.20	2.30	2.40	2.50	2,60	2.70	2,80	2.90	3,00	3.10	3.20	3.30	3.40	3,50	over
Carpenters, maintenance Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	229 154 75	\$2.83 2.88 2.73	9 9	10 10 -	-	-	-	12	19 8 11	10 10	4	17 12 5	27 22 5	28 28 -	26 24 2	43 41 2	5			19 219
Public utilities ³	26	2.49	-	-	-	-	-	12	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Electricians, maintenance Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	580 509 71	3.02 3.01 3.05	1 			4 - 4	-		10 10	29 27 2	6	25 25 -	76 74 2	94 94 -	80 80 -	60 60 -	157 133 24	<u>16</u> 16 -	<u>19</u> 19	3
Engineers, stationary Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	377 231 146 41	2.89 3.06 2.61 2.51	10 10 -			6 6 -	-	24 24 24 24	20 20 5	8 	25 10 15 1	31 5 26 -	43 25 18 1	47 36 11 -	34 34 -	75 75 - -	21 21 -	25 25 -	-	8
Firemen, stationary boiler Manufacturing	182 133	2.29 2.29	37 * 30	1		5	30 14	22 18	15 2	7	37 29	12 12	4 4		4 4	4	4	<u>-</u>		<u> -</u>
Helpers, trades, maintenance Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	284 221 63 51	2.41 2.45 2.24 2.24 2.24	2	8 2 6 -	3 - -	46 12 34 34	35 30 5 5	85	18 - 18 12	15 15 - -	24 24 -	46 46 - -	2 - -		-	-		-	-	
Machine-tool operators, toolroom Manufacturing	276	2.98 2.98						-	-	24 24	14 13	21 21	7 <u>9</u> 79	<u> </u>	1	12 12	125 125			<u>-</u>
Machinists, maintenance	567 528	2.93 2.95	-				25 25	6	9	84 76	27 9	19 19	18 18	<u>59</u> 59	<u>169</u> 169	21 21	107 106	10 7	12 12	1
Mechanics, automotive (maintenance) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	727 246 481 454	2.73 2.72 2.73 2.73 2.73	17 		3 - 3 3	17 17 -	8 - 8 8	8 - 8 8	71 9 62 57	91 88 3 3	8 4 4 4	93 5 88 68	285 64 221 221	71 26 45 45	8 7 1 1	47 26 21 21	-		 - -	-
Mechanics, maintenance Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	625 563 62	2.81 2.78 3.02	13 10 3	3	-	4 4 -	18 18 -	4 -	6 6 -	60 59 1	50 50 -	26 18 8	20 <u>4</u> 195 9	113 107 6	89 86 3	-	2	33 4 29	-	-
Millwrights	267 267	3.10 3.10	-										2	64 64	13 13	<u>161</u> 161	27 27		-	
Oilers Manufacturing	126 126	2.39		6	2	31 31	23	6	14	6	23 23	12	<u> </u>	3			-			
Painters, maintenance Manufacturing	128 105	<u>2.81</u> 2.82		<u> </u>	-	2	-	12 12	14 5	4 2	9	12	23 19	15 14	15 15	9	9 9	4 -	-	-
Pipefitters, maintenance Manufacturing	320 313	3.04		<u></u>						3	7-	4 4	36 36	47	97 97	95 95	31 31		<u> </u>	
Sheet-metal workers, maintenance Manufacturing	<u>71</u> 68	2.99 2.98			+:		-	-	4 4	5		+	11	13 13	10 10	11 8	17 17	-		
Tool and die makers Manufacturing	462	<u>3.07</u> 3.07						-	7	7		7	50 50	160 160	54 54	29 29	6	136 136	6	-

(Average straight-time hourly earnings for men in selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.
 Workers were distributed as follows: 2 at \$3.50 to \$3.60; 16 at \$3.60 to \$3.70; 1 over \$3.70.
 Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.
 All workers were at \$1.30 to \$1.40.

NOTE: See note on p. 3, relative to the inclusion of railroads.

Table A-4. Custodial and Material Movement Occupations

	1		1						NUMI	BER OF V	WORKER	S RECEI	VING STI	RAIGHT-	тіме но	URLY E	ARNINGS	OF						
Occupation ¹ and industry division	Number of workers	Average hourly 2 earnings ²	Under \$ 0.90	\$ 0.90 and under 1.00	1 -	-	-	-	\$ 1.40 -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$ 2,20 -	-	-	\$ 2,50 -	- 1	\$ 2.70 -	- 1	\$ 2.90 and
		-		1,00	1.10	1,20	1.30	1.40	1.50	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20	2,30	2,40	2,50	2,60	2,70	2,80	2.90	over
Elevator operators, passenger (women) Nonmanufacturing	205 197	\$1.23	<u> </u> -	51 51	12 12	14 14	53 53	13 7	50 50	4 4	6			-	-	2				-	-	-		
Guards Manufacturing	622 381	2.04		<u>-</u>		170	15	9	17	<u>4</u> 4	27 27	13 13	1	1	12 2	13	6 4	43 42	5	76 76	128 128	79 75	2	1
Janitors, porters, and cleaners (men) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	3,523 1,590 1,933 250	1.72 2.04 1.46 1.91	123	177 177 -	131 131 12	80 24 56 -	116 33 83 4	355 70 285 2	143 42 101 -	323 55 268 15	303 93 210	268 112 156 74	137 69 68 6	121 42 79 8	203 162 41 29	220 138 82 69	251 203 48 15	440 424 16 16	111 102 9 -	7 7 - -	2 2 - -	-	2 2 - -	10 10 -
Janitors, porters, and cleaners (women) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	428 90 338 56	1.46 1.63 1.42 1.85	-	9 - -	12 12 -	34 34 - -	154 7 147 -	22 3 19 -	41 2 39 1	53 3 50 -	33 2 31 27	-	10 7 3 -	5 5 5	12 12 12	<u>14</u> 5 9 9	22 21 1 1	7 6 1 1	-			-	-	
Laborers, material handling Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	5,196 1,935 3,261 1,756	2.12 2.18 2.09 2.39	20 20	-	170 170 -	13 10 3 -	59 53 6 -	323 59 264 -	109 30 79 4	194 92 102 6	96 57 39 2	133 53 80 -	70 17 53 1	495 34 461 162	233 171 62 -	262 170 92 1	636 261 375 321	797 259 538 508	602 294 308 221	334 259 75 -	621 87 534 530	13 13 -	2 2 - -	14 14 - -
Order fillers Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	1,384 316 1,068	2.25 2.34 2.23					13 6 7	54 3 51	19 1 18	62 1 61	12 1 11	<u>19</u> 19	5	12 12	11 9 2	58 48 10	185 52 133	651 89 562	153 57 96	13 12 1	6	35 7 28	72 26 46	4 4 -
Packers, shipping (men) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	1,291 263 1,028	1.93 2.09 1.89	-	-	286 12 274	14 12 2	9 6 3	16 12 4	3	40 40 -	-	2 -	-	20 20 -	4 4 -	506 36 470		88 25 63	244 64 180	29 29	6 - 6 -	-	-	24 24 -
Packers, shipping (women) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	312 94 218	1.42 1.56 1.36	-		104 16 88	46 16 30	25 11 14	24 3 21	16 6 10	16 16 -	7 4 3	1 1	-	18 18	<u>19</u> 19	2	-	15 3 12	<u>19</u> 19 -	-		-	-	
Receiving clerks Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	<u>314</u> 146 168	2, 13 2, 26 2, 01	-			1 1	2	19 6 13	9 - 9	18 9 9	2 -	20 12 8	22 22	23 9 14	3 - -	39 39	44 29 15	17 8 9	24 12 12	24 22 2	39 31 8	2 -	5 - 5	
Shipping clerks Manufacturing	<u>253</u> 123	2.17	<u> -</u>					-		- 14	20 20	20	16 6	19 -	5 4	44 14	27 25	11 11	<u>12</u> 9	<u>31</u> 10	14 14	10 1	<u>1</u>	9 2
Shipping and receiving clerks Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	397 206 191	2.48 2.49 2.45	-		-		-		-	-	-	3	-		9 8 1	6 3 3	66 23 43	20 6 14	42 8 34	200 142 58	17 2 15	4 4 -	20 20	10 10 -
Truckdrivers Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	2,357 835 1,522 885	2,48 2,48 2,47 2,63			- - -	2	3	7 - 7 -	105	64 46 18 -	19 4 15 -	6 6 - -	7 4 3 -	23 21 2 2 2	33 24 9 -	6	206 76 130 2	169 60 109 73	60 57 3 -	125 104 21 2	1177 122 1055 796	313 288 25 10	22 19 3	10 4 6 -
Truckdrivers, light (under 1 ¹ /2 tons) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	156 83 73	1.94 2.03 1.83	-		-	2 - 2	3	7	-	54 36 18	15 15	2 2 -	-	15 13 2		6 - 6	6 2 4	4 3 1	4 1 3	9 9	10 10 -		19 16 3	

(Average straight-time hourly earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A-4. Custodial and Material Movement Occupations-Continued

									NUMI	BER OF	VORKER	3 RECEI	VING ST	RAIGHT-	TIME HO	URLY E	ARNINGS	8 OF		_				
Occupation ¹ and industry division	Number af workers	Average hourly 2 earnings	\$	and		\$ 1.10 -	\$ 1.20	\$ 1.30 -	\$ 1.40 -	\$ 1.50 -	\$ 1.60 -	\$ 1.70 -	\$ 1.80 -	\$ 1.90 -	\$ 2.00 -	\$ 2.10 -	\$ 2.20 -	\$2.30 -	\$ 2.40 -	\$ 2.50 -	\$2.60 -	\$ 2.70 -	\$ 2.80 -	\$ 2.90 and
			0.90	under 1.00	1.10	1.20	1.30	1.40	1.50	1.60	1.70	1.80	1.90	2.00	2.10	2.20	2.30	2.40	2.50	2.60	2.70	2.80	2.90	over
Truckdrivers: Continued Truckdrivers, medium (11/2 to and including 4 tons)	845	\$ 2.41	-	-	_	_	_	_	60	10	-	-	3	8	_	_	156	114	55	95	312	23	3	6
Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	263 582 344	2.47 2.39 2.60	-	-	-		-	-	60	10	-		- 3	8	-	-	30 126 2	7 107 72	55 - -	87 8 2	40 272 268	23 - -	3	6
Truckdrivers, heavy (over 4 tons, trailer type) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	632 114 518	2.52 2.40 2.54			-	-			45 45	-	4 -	4 4 -	4 -	-			44 44 -	1 - 1	-	10 6 4	501 48 453	19 4 15	-	-
Truckers, power (forklift) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing	1,015 781 234	2.34 2.42 2.11	-	-	-		-	-	15	-	-	-	14 12 2	102 102	8 - 8	102 100 2	156 122 34	78 40 38	192 165 27	307 304 3	41 38 3	-	-	-
Truckers, power (other than forklift) Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities'	267 173 94 86	2.40 2.54 2.14 2.16		-		-	- - - -	-	-		2	2	5 - 5 5	15 15 11	18 18 18	13 13 13	43 13 30 30	91 88 3 3	14 12 2 2	26 26 -	20 16 4 4	-	1	17 17 - -
Watchmen Manufacturing Nonmanufacturing Public utilities ³	281 132 149 43	1.67 1.89 1.49 1.83	5	3	50 30 20 16	23 23 -	-	45 45 -		8 - -	32 28 4 -	25 25 3	4 - -	1 1 - -	8 - -	4 1 3 3	10 10 10	5 1 4 4	21	15 14 1 1	12 6 6	10 10 -		

(Average straight-time hourly earnings for selected occupations studied on an area basis by industry division, Kansas City, Mo.-Kans., November 1960)

Data limited to men workers except where otherwise indicated.
 Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.
 Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.
 Includes all drivers regardless of size and type of truck operated.

NOTE: See note on p. 3, relative to the inclusion of railroads.

Appendix: Occupational Descriptions

The primary purpose of preparing job descriptions for the Bureau's wage surveys is to assist its field staff in classifying into appropriate occupations workers who are employed under a variety of payroll titles and different work arrangements from establishment to establishment and from area to area. This is essential in order to permit the grouping of occupational wage rates representing comparable job content. Because of this emphasis on interestablishment and interarea comparability of occupational content, the Bureau's job descriptions may differ significantly from those in use in individual establishments or those prepared for other purposes In applying these job descriptions, the Bureau's field economists are instructed to exclude working supervisors, apprentices, learners, beginners, trainees, handicapped workers, part-time, temporary, and probationary workers.

OFFICE

BILLER, MACHINE

Prepares statements, bills, and invoices on a machine other than an ordinary or electromatic typewriter. May also keep records as to billings or shipping charges or perform other clerical work incidental to billing operations. For wage study purposes, billers, machine, are classified by type of machine, as follows:

Biller, machine (billing machine)—Uses a special billing machine (Moon Hopkins, Elliott Fisher, Burroughs, etc., which are combination typing and adding machines) to prepare bills and invoices from customers' purchase orders, internally prepared orders, shipping memorandums, etc. Usually involves application of predetermined discounts and shipping charges and entry of necessary extensions, which may or may not be computed on the billing machine, and totals which are automatically accumulated by machine. The operation usually involves a large number of carbon copies of the bill being prepared and is often done on a fanfold machine.

Biller, machine (bookkeeping machine)—Uses a bookkeeping machine (Sundstrand, Elliott Fisher, Remington Rand, etc., which may or may not have typewriter keyboard) to prepare customers' bills as part of the accounts receivable operation. Generally involves the simultaneous entry of figures on customers' ledger record. The machine automatically accumulates figures on a number of vertical columns and computes and usually prints automatically the debit or credit balances. Does not involve a knowledge of bookkeeping. Works from uniform and standard types of sales and credit slips.

BOOKKEEPING-MACHINE OPERATOR

Operates a bookkeeping machine (Remington Rand, Elliott Fisher, Sundstrand, Burroughs, National Cash Register, with or without a typewriter keyboard) to keep a record of business transactions.

Class A—Keeps a set of records requiring a knowledge of and experience in basic bookkeeping principles and familiarity with the structure of the particular accounting system used. Determines proper records and distribution of debit and credit items to be used in each phase of the work. May prepare consolidated reports, balance sheets, and other records by hand.

Class B—Keeps a record of one or more phases or sections of a set of records usually requiring little knowledge of basic bookkeeping. Phases or sections include accounts payable, payroll, customers' accounts (not including a simple type of billing described under biller, machine), cost distribution, expense distribution, inventory control, etc. May check or assist in preparation of trial balances and prepare control sheets for the accounting department.

CLERK, ACCOUNTING

Class A—Under general direction of a bookkeeper or accountant, has responsibility for keeping one or more sections of a complete set of books or records relating to one phase of an establishment's business transactions. Work involves posting and

CLERK, ACCOUNTING-Continued

balancing subsidiary ledger or ledgers such as accounts receivable or accounts payable; examining and coding invoices or vouchers with proper accounting distribution; requires judgment and experience in making proper assignations and allocations. May assist in preparing, adjusting, and closing journal entries; may direct class B accounting clerks.

Class B—Under supervision, performs one or more routine accounting operations such as posting simple journal vouchers, accounts payable vouchers, entering vouchers in voucher registers; reconciling bank accounts; posting subsidiary ledgers controlled by general ledgers. This job does not require a knowledge of accounting and bookkeeping principles but is found in offices in which the more routine accounting work is subdivided on a functional basis among several workers.

CLERK, FILE

Class A—Responsible for maintaining an established filing system. Classifies and indexes correspondence or other material; may also file this material. May keep records of various types in conjunction with files or supervise others in filing and locating material in the files. May perform incidental clerical duties.

Class B—Performs routine filing, usually of material that has already been classified, or locates or assists in locating material in the files. May perform incidental clerical duties.

CLERK, ORDER

Receives customers' orders for material or merchandise by mail, phone, or personally. Duties involve any combination of the following: Quoting prices to customers; making out an order sheet listing the items to make up the order; checking prices and quantities of items on order sheet; distributing order sheets to respective departments to be filled. May check with credit department to determine credit rating of customer, acknowledge receipt of orders from customers, follow up orders to see that they have been filled, keep file of orders received, and check shipping invoices with original orders.

CLERK, PAYROLL

Computes wages of company employees and enters the necessary data on the payroll sheets. Duties involve: Calculating workers' earnings based on time or production records; posting calculated data on payroll sheet, showing information such as worker's name, working days, time, rate, deductions for insurance, and total wages due. May make out paychecks and assist paymaster in making up and distributing pay envelopes. May use a calculating machine.

COMPTOMETER OPERATOR

Primary duty is to operate a Comptometer to perform mathematical computations. This job is not to be confused with that of statistical or other type of clerk, which may involve frequent use of a Comptometer but, in which, use of this machine is incidental to performance of other duties.

DUPLICATING-MACHINE OPERATOR (MIMEOGRAPH OR DITTO)

Under general supervision and with no supervisory responsibilities, reproduces multiple copies of typewritten or handwritten matter, using a Mimeograph or Ditto machine. Makes necessary adjustments such as for ink and paper feed counter and cylinder speed. Is not required to prepare stencil or Ditto master. May keep file of used stencils or Ditto masters. May sort, collate, and staple completed material.

KEYPUNCH OPERATOR

Under general supervision and with no supervisory responsibilities, records accounting and statistical data on tabulating cards by punching a series of holes in the cards in a specified sequence, using an alphabetical or a numerical keypunch machine, following written information on records. May duplicate cards by using the duplicating device attached to machine. May keep files of punch cards. May verify own work or work of others.

OFFICE BOY OR GIRL

Performs various routine duties such as running errands, operating minor office machines such as sealers or mailers, opening and distributing mail, and other minor clerical work.

SECRETARY

Performs secretarial and clerical duties for a superior in an administrative or executive position. Duties include making appointments for superior; receiving people coming into office; answering and making phone calls; handling personal and important or confidental mail, and writing routine correspondence on own initiative; taking dictation (where transcribing machine is not used) either in shorthand or by Stenotype or similar machine, and transcribing dictation or the recorded information reproduced on a transcribing machine. May prepare special reports or memorandums for information of superior.

STENOGRAPHER, GENERAL

Primary duty is to take dictation from one or more persons, either in shorthand or by Stenotype or similar machine, involving a normal routine vocabulary, and to transcribe this dictation on a typewriter. May also type from written copy. May also set up and keep files in order, keep simple records, etc. Does not include transcribingmachine work (see transcribing-machine operator).

STENOGRAPHER, TECHNICAL

Primary duty is to take dictation from one or more persons, either in shorthand or by Stenotype or similar machine, involving a varied technical or specialized vocabulary such as in legal briefs or reports on scientific research and to transcribe this dictation on a typewriter. May also type from written copy. May also set up and keep files in order, keep simple records, etc. Does not include transcribingmachine work.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR

Operates a single- or multiple-position telephone switchboard. Duties involve handling incoming, outgoing, and intraplant or office calls. May record toll calls and take messages. May give information to persons who call in, or occasionally take telephone orders. For workers who also act as receptionists see switchboard operator-receptionist.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR-RECEPTIONIST

In addition to performing duties of operator, on a single position or monitor-type switchboard, acts as receptionist and may also type or perform routine clerical work as part of regular duties. This typing or clerical work may take the major part of this worker's time while at switchboard.

TABULATING-MACHINE OPERATOR

Operates machine that automatically analyzes and translates information punched in groups of tabulating cards and prints translated data on forms or accounting records; sets or adjusts machine; does simple wiring of plugboards according to established practice or diagrams; places cards to be tabulated in feed magazine and starts machine. May file cards after they are tabulated. May, *in addition*, operate auxiliary machines.

TRANSCRIBING-MACHINE OPERATOR, GENERAL

Primary duty is to transcribe dictation involving a normal routine vocabulary from transcribing-machine records. May also type from written copy and do simple clerical work. Workers transcribing dictation involving a varied technical or specialized vocabulary such as legal briefs or reports on scientific research are not included. A worker who takes dictation in shorthand or by Stenotype or similar machine is classified as a stenographer, general.

TYPIST

Uses a typewriter to make copies of various material or to make out bills after calculations have been made by another person. May do clerical work involving little special training, such as keeping simple records, filing records and reports or sorting and distributing incoming mail.

TYPIST----Continued

Class A—Performs one or more of the following: Typing material in final form from very rough and involved draft; copying from plain or corrected copy in which there is a frequent and varied use of technical and unusual words or from foreign-language copy; combining material from several sources, or planning layout of complicated statistical tables to maintain uniformity and balance

DRAFTSMAN, JUNIOR

(Assistant draftsman)

Draws to scale units or parts of drawings prepared by draftsman or others for engineering, construction, or manufacturing purposes. Uses various types of drafting tools as required. May prepare drawings from simple plans or sketches, or perform other duties under direction of a draftsman.

DRAFTSMAN, LEADER

Plans and directs activities of one or more draftsmen in preparation of working plans and detail drawings from rough or preliminary sketches for engineering, construction, or manufacturing purposes. Duties involve a combination of the following: Interpreting blueprints, sketches, and written or verbal orders; determining work procedures; assigning duties to subordinates and inspecting their work; performing more difficult problems. May assist subordinates during emergencies or as a regular assignment, or perform related duties of a supervisory or administrative nature.

DRAFTSMAN, SENIOR

Prepares working plans and detail drawings from notes, rough or detailed sketches for engineering, construction, or manufacturing purposes. Duties involve a combination of the following: Preparing working plans, detail drawings, maps, cross-sections, etc., to scale by use of drafting instruments; making engineering computations such as those involved in strength of materials, beams and trusses; verifying completed work, checking dimensions, materials to be used, and quantities;

TYPIST—Continued

in spacing; typing tables from rough draft in final form. May type routine form letters, varying details to suit circumstances.

Class B—Performs one or more of the following: Typing from relatively clear or typed drafts; routine typing of forms, insurance policies, etc., setting up simple standard tabulations, or copying more complex tables already set up and spaced properly.

PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL

DRAFTSMAN, SENIOR—Continued

writing specifications; making adjustments or changes in drawings or specifications. May ink in lines and letters on pencil drawings, prepare detail units of complete drawings, or trace drawings. Work is frequently in a specialized field such as architectural, electrical, mechanical, or structural drafting.

NURSE, INDUSTRIAL (REGISTERED)

A registered nurse who gives nursing service to ill or injured employees or other persons who become ill or suffer an accident on the premises of a factory or other establishment. Duties involve a combination of the following: Giving first aid to the ill or injured; attending to subsequent dressing of employees' injuries; keeping records of patients treated; preparing accident reports for compensation or other purposes; conducting physical examinations and health evaluations of applicants and employees; and planning and carrying out programs involving health education, accident prevention, evaluation of plant environment, or other activities affecting the health, welfare, and safety of all personnel.

TRACER

Copies plans and drawings prepared by others, by placing tracing cloth or paper over drawing and tracing with pen or pencil. Uses T-square, compass, and other drafting tools. May prepare simple drawings and do simple lettering.

CARPENTER, MAINTENANCE

Performs the carpentry duties necessary to construct and maintain in good repair building woodwork and equipment such as bins, cribs, counters, benches, partitions, doors, floors, stairs, casings, and trim made of wood in an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Planning and laying out of work from blueprints, drawings, models, or verbal instructions; using a variety of carpenter's handtools, portable power tools, and standard measuring instruments; making standard shop computations relating to dimensions of work; selecting materials necessary for the work. In general, the work of the maintenance carpenter requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

ELECTRICIAN, MAINTENANCE

Performs a variety of electrical trade functions such as the installation, maintenance, or repair of equipment for the generating, distribution, or utilization of electric energy in an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Installing or repairing any of a variety of electrical equipment such as generators, transformers, switchboards, controllers, circuit breakers, motors, heating units, conduit systems, or other transmission equipment; working from blueprints, drawings, layout, or other specifications; locating and diagnosing trouble in the electrical system or equipment; working standard computations relating to load requirements of wiring or electrical equipment; using a variety of electrician's handtools and measuring and testing instruments. In general, the work of the maintenance electrician requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

ENGINEER, STATIONARY

Operates and maintains and may also supervise the operation of stationary engines and equipment (mechanical or electrical) to supply the establishment in which employed with power, heat, refrigeration, or air-conditioning. Work involves: Operating and maintaining equipment such as steam engines, air compressors, generators, motors turbines, ventilating and refrigerating equipment, steam boilers and boiler-fed water pumps; making equipment repairs; keeping a record of operation of machinery, temperature, and fuel consumption. May also supervise these operations. Head or chief engineers in establishments employing more than one engineer are excluded. Fires stationary boilers to furnish the establishment in which employed with heat, power, or steam. Feeds fuels to fire by hand or operates a mechanical stoker, gas, or oil burner; checks water and safety valves. May clean, oil, or assist in repairing boilerroom equipment.

HELPER, TRADES, MAINTENANCE

Assists one or more workers in the skilled maintenance trades, by performing specific or general duties of lesser skill, such as keeping a worker supplied with materials and tools; cleaning working area, machine, and equipment; assisting worker by holding materials or tools; performing other unskilled tasks as directed by journeyman. The kind of work the helper is permitted to perform varies from trade to trade: In some trades the helper is confined to supplying, lifting, and holding materials and tools and cleaning working areas; and in others he is permitted to perform specialized machine operations, or parts of a trade that are also performed by workers on a full-time basis.

MACHINE-TOOL OPERATOR, TOOLROOM

Specializes in the operation of one or more types of machine tools, such as jig borers, cylindrical or surface grinders, engine lathes, or milling machines in the construction of machine-shop tools, gauges, jigs, fixtures, or dies. Work involves most of the following: Planning and performing difficult machining operations; processing items requiring complicated setups or a high degree of accuracy; using a variety of precision measuring instruments; selecting feeds, speeds, tooling and operation sequence; making necessary adjustments during operation to achieve requisite tolerances or dimensions. May be required to recognize when tools need dressing, to dress tools, and to select proper coolants and cutting and lubricating oils. For cross-industry wage study purposes, machine-tool operators, toolroom, in tool and die jobbing shops are excluded from this classification.

MACHINIST, MAINTENANCE

Produces replacement parts and new parts in making repairs of metal parts of mechanical equipment operated in an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Interpreting written instructions and specifications; planning and laying out of work; using a variety of machinist's handtools and precision measuring instruments; setting up and

MACHINIST, MAINTENANCE-Continued

operating standard machine tools; shaping of metal parts to close tolerances; making standard shop computations relating to dimensions of work, tooling, feeds and speeds of machining; knowledge of the working properties of the common metals; selecting standard materials, parts, and equipment required for his work; fitting and assembling parts into mechanical equipment. In general, the machinist's work normally requires a rounded training in machine-shop practice usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

MECHANIC, AUTOMOTIVE (MAINTENANCE)

Repairs automobiles, buses, motortrucks, and tractors of an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Examining automotive equipment to diagnose source of trouble; disassembling equipment and performing repairs that involve the use of such handtools as wrenches, gauges, drills, or specialized equipment in disassembling or fitting parts; replacing broken or defective parts from stock; grinding and adjusting valves; reassembling and installing the various assemblies in the vehicle and making necessary adjustments; alining wheels, adjusting brakes and lights, or tightening body bolts. In general, the work of the automotive mechanic requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

MECHANIC, MAINTENANCE

Repairs machinery or mechanical equipment of an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Examining machines and mechanical equipment to diagnose source of trouble; dismantling or partly dismantling machines and performing repairs that mainly involve the use of handtools in scraping and fitting parts; replacing broken or defective parts with items obtained from stock; ordering the production of a replacement part by a machine shop or sending of the machine to a machine shop for major repairs; preparing written specifications for major repairs or for the production of parts ordered from machine shop; reassembling machines; and making all necessary adjustments for operation. In general, the work of a maintenance mechanic requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience. Excluded from this classification are workers whose primary duties involve setting up or adjusting machines.

MILLWRIGHT

Installs new machines or heavy equipment and dismantles and installs machines or heavy equipment when changes in the plant layour

MILLWRIGHT-Continued

are required. Work involves most of the following: Planning and laying out of the work; interpreting blueprints or other specifications; using a variety of handtools and rigging; making standard shop computations relating to stresses, strength of materials, and centers of gravity; alining and balancing of equipment; selecting standard tools, equipment, and parts to be used; installing and maintaining in good order power transmission equipment such as drives and speed reducers. In general, the millwright's work normally requires a rounded training and experience in the trade acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

OILER

Lubricates, with oil or grease, the moving parts or wearing surfaces of mechanical equipment of an establishment.

PAINTER, MAINTENANCE

Paints and redecorates walls, woodwork, and fixtures of an establishment. Work *involves the following:* Knowledge of surface peculiarities and types of paint required for different applications; preparing surface for painting by removing old finish or by placing putty or filler in nail holes and interstices; applying paint with spray gun or brush. May mix colors, oils, white lead, and other paint ingredients to obtain proper color or consistency. In general, the work of the maintenance painter requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

PIPEFITTER, MAINTENANCE

Installs or repairs water, steam, gas, or other types of pipe and pipefittings in an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Laying out of work and measuring to locate position of pipe from drawings or other written specifications; cutting various sizes of pipe to correct lengths with chisel and hammer or oxyacetylene torch or pipe-cutting machine; threading pipe with stocks and dies; bending pipe by hand-driven or power-driven machines; assembling pipe with couplings and fastening pipe to hangers; making standard shop computations relating to pressures, flow, and size of pipe required; making standard tests to determine whether finished pipes meet specifications. In general, the work of the maintenance pipefitter requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience. Workers primarily engaged in installing and repairing building sanitation or heating systems are excluded.

PLUMBER, MAINTENANCE

Keeps the plumbing system of an establishment in good order. Work involves: Knowledge of sanitary codes regarding installation of vents and traps in plumbing system; installing or repairing pipes and fixtures; opening clogged drains with a plunger or plumber's snake. In general, the work of the maintenance plumber requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

SHEET-METAL WORKER, MAINTENANCE

Fabricates, installs, and maintains in good repair the sheetmetal equipment and fixtures (such as machine guards, grease pans, shelves, lockers, tanks, ventilators, chutes, ducts, metal roofing) of an establishment. Work involves most of the following: Planning and laying out all types of sheet-metal maintenance work from blueprints, models, or other specifications; setting up and operating all available types of sheet-metal-working machines; using a variety of handtools in cutting, bending, forming, shaping, fitting, and assembling; installing sheetmetal articles as required. In general, the work of the maintenance sheet-metal worker requires rounded training and experience usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

TOOL AND DIE MAKER

(Die maker; jig maker; tool maker; fixture maker; gauge maker)

Constructs and repairs machine-shop tools, gauges, jigs, fixtures or dies for forgings, punching and other metal-forming work. Work involves most of the following: Planning and laying out of work from models, blueprints, drawings, or other oral and written specifications; using a variety of tool and die maker's handtools and precision measuring instruments, understanding of the working properties of common metals and alloys; setting up and operating of machine tools and related equipment; making necessary shop computations relating to dimensions of work, speeds, feeds, and tooling of machines; heattreating of metal parts during fabrication as well as of finished tools and dies to achieve required qualities; working to close tolerances; fitting and assembling of parts to prescribed tolerances and allowances; selecting appropriate materials, tools, and processes. In general, the tool and die maker's work requires a rounded training in machine-shop and toolroom practice usually acquired through a formal apprenticeship or equivalent training and experience.

For cross-industry wage study purposes, tool and die makers in tool and die jobbing shops are excluded from this classification.

CUSTODIAL AND MATERIAL MOVEMENT

ELEVATOR OPERATOR, PASSENGER

Transports passengers between floors of an office building, apartment house, department store, hotel or similar establishment. Workers who operate elevators in conjunction with other duties such as those of starters and janitors are excluded.

GUARD

Performs routine police duties, either at fixed post or on tour, maintaining order, using arms or force where necessary. Includes gatemen who are stationed at gate and check on identity of employees and other persons entering.

JANITOR, PORTER, OR CLEANER

(Sweeper; charwoman; janitress)

Cleans and keeps in an orderly condition factory working areas and washrooms, or premises of an office, apartment house, or commercial

JANITOR, PORTER, OR CLEANER-Continued

or other establishment. Duties involve a combination of the following: Sweeping, mopping or scrubbing, and polishing floors; removing chips, trash, and other refuse; dusting equipment, furniture, or fixtures; polishing metal fixtures or trimmings; providing supplies and minor maintenance services; cleaning lavatories, showers, and restrooms. Workers who specialize in window washing are excluded.

LABORER, MATERIAL HANDLING

(Loader and unloader; handler and stacker; shelver; trucker; stockman or stock helper; warehouseman or warehouse helper)

A worker employed in a warehouse, manufacturing plant, store, or other establishment whose duties involve one or more of the following: Loading and unloading various materials and merchandise on or

LABORER, MATERIAL HANDLING-Continued

from freight cars, trucks, or other transporting devices; unpacking, shelving, or placing materials or merchandise in proper storage location; transporting materials or merchandise by hand truck, car, or wheelbarrow. Longshoremen, who load and unload ships are excluded.

ORDER FILLER

(Order picker; stock selector; warehouse stockman)

Fills shipping or transfer orders for finished goods from stored merchandise in accordance with specifications on sales slips, customers' orders, or other instructions. May, in addition to filling orders and indicating items filled or omitted, keep records of outgoing orders. requisition additional stock, or report short supplies to supervisor, and pertorm other related duties.

PACKER, SHIPPING

Prepares finished products for shipment or storage by placing them in shipping containers, the specific operations performed being dependent upon the type, size, and number of units to be packed, the type of container employed, and method of shipment. Work requires the placing of items in shipping containers and may *involve one or more of the following:* Knowledge of various items of stock in order to verify content; selection of appropriate type and size of container; inserting enclosures in container; using excelsior or other material to prevent breakage or damage; closing and sealing container; applying labels or entering identifying data on container. *Packers who also make wooden boxes or crates are excluded*.

SHIPPING AND RECEIVING CLERK

Prepares merchandise for shipment, or receives and is responsible for incoming shipments of merchandise or other materials. Shipping work involves: A knowledge of shipping procedures, practices, routes, available means of transportation and rates; and preparing records of the goods shipped, making up bills of lading, posting weight and shipping charges, and keeping a file of shipping records. May direct or assist in preparing the merchandise for shipment. Receiving work involves: Verifying or directing others in verifying the correctness of shipments against bills of lading, invoices, or other records; checking for shortages and rejecting damaged goods; routing merchandise or materials to proper departments; maintaining necessary records and files.

SHIPPING AND RECEIVING CLERK---Continued

For wage study purposes, workers are classified as follows:

Receiving clerk Shipping clerk Shipping and receiving clerk

TRUCKDRIVER

Drives a truck within a city or industrial area to transport materials, merchandise, equipment, or men between various types of establishments such as: Manufacturing plants, freight depots, warehouses, wholesale and retail establishments, or between retail establishments and customers' houses or places of business. May also load or unload truck with or without helpers, make minor mechanical repairs, and keep truck in good working order. Driver-salesmen and over-the-road drivers are excluded.

For wage study purposes, truckdrivers are classified by size and type of equipment, as follows: (Tractor-trailer should be rated on the basis of trailer capacity.)

> Truckdriver (combination of sizes listed separately) Truckdriver, light (under 1½ tons) Truckdriver, medium (1½ to and including 4 tons) Truckdriver, heavy (over 4 tons, trailer type) Truckdriver, heavy (over 4 tons, other than trailer type)

TRUCKER, POWER

Operates a manually controlled gasoline- or electric-powered truck or tractor to transport goods and materials of all kinds about a warehouse, manufacturing plant, or other establishment.

For wage study purposes, workers are classified by type of truck, as follows:

Trucker, power (forklift) Trucker, power (other than forklift)

WATCHMAN

Makes rounds of premises periodically in protecting property against fire, theft, and illegal entry.

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