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# Preface

This bulletin summarizes the results of a Bureau of Labor Statistics survey of occupational earnings and employee benefits in the men's and boys' shirts and nightwear industry in June 1987. A similar study was conducted in May 1984.

Summary reports were issued in December 1987 and January 1988 for 11 States and areas of industry concentration.

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Levels analyzed the survey findings and prepared this bulletin. The Bureau's field representatives obtained the data through personal visits to a probability-based sample of establishments within the scope of the survey. Fieldwork for the survey was directed by the Bureau's Assistant Regional Commissioners for Operations.

Other industry wage survey reports are listed at the end of this bulletin, along with information on how to obtain them.

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# Men's and Boys' Shirts and Nightwear, June 1987

## Earnings and benefits

Straight-time earnings of production and related workers in the men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing industry averaged \$4.91 an hour in June 1987 (table 1)<sup>1</sup>. Individual earnings, however, varied substantially from the average (table 3). The index of wage dispersion, a statistical measure of such variation, was 43—among the highest recorded in the Bureau's industry wage program.<sup>2</sup>

Contributing to the wide range of earnings were the low incidence of single-rate pay systems (about 5 percent of the workers) and the relatively high incidence of incentive systems (about 80 percent). Also, because a substantial part of the industry's work force continues to be paid at or near the Federal minimum wage, which has not changed since 1981, the disparity between the higher paid and lower paid workers has grown. Nearly 25 percent of the workers were at \$3.70 per hour or less in June 1987. This is within 35 cents of the Federal minimum wage—\$3.35 an hour.<sup>3</sup>

In June 1987, average hourly earnings in the seven regions studied separately were between \$5.83 (New England) and \$4.58 (Pacific Coast), a spread of 27 percent. Workers in the Southeast, who accounted for nearly three-fourths of the production work force, averaged \$4.79 an hour.

<sup>1</sup> Earnings data in this bulletin are straight-time earnings, which exclude premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts. Incentive payments, such as those resulting from piecework or production bonus systems, and cost-of-living increases (but not bonuses) were included as part of the workers' regular pay. Excluded were performance bonuses and lump-sum payments of the type negotiated in the auto and aerospace industries, as well as profit-sharing payments, attendance bonuses, Christmas or yearend bonuses, and other nonproduction bonuses.

In line with the BLS definition of straight-time earnings, the survey data exclude the following lump-sum payments provided under the Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union agreement: \$500 bonus in late 1985; 6.5-percent bonus in late 1986; and 6.5-percent bonus in late 1987. Also excluded was a 25-cents-per-hour wage increase effective after the June 1987 survey reference date.

See appendix A for the scope and method of the survey and for definitions of terms used in this report.

<sup>2</sup> The index of dispersion is computed by dividing the interquartile range (the difference between the third and first quartiles) by the median (the second quartile) and multiplying by 100. For a detailed analysis of wage dispersion by industry, see Carl Barsky and Martin E. Personick, "Measuring Wage Dispersion: Pay Ranges Reflect Industry Traits," *Monthly Labor Review*, April 1981, pp. 35-41.

<sup>3</sup> For an account of the relationship between changes in pay levels in the shirt industry and the Federal minimum wage over the past two decades, see *Industry Wage Survey: Men's and Boys' Shirts and Nightwear, May 1984* BLS Bulletin 2232 (1985), text table 1.

In the 11 States and areas studied separately, average hourly earnings ranged from \$5.74 in the State of Pennsylvania and in the Pottsville-Shamokin area to \$4.13 in Mississippi (table 2). Workers in Alabama, the locality with the highest employment and accounting for one-fifth of the workers in the Southeast region, averaged \$5.01—2 percent above the national average.

Workers in metropolitan areas—one-third of the work force—averaged \$5.20 an hour, 9 percent more than workers employed in nonmetropolitan areas (table 4).<sup>4</sup> In the Southeast, where seven-eighths of the nonmetropolitan work force was employed, the differential was 4 percent in favor of the metropolitan areas (\$4.95-\$4.75).

Pay levels also varied by size of establishment and labor-management contract status. Nationwide, workers in establishments employing at least 250 workers averaged 10 percent more than those in plants with 20-249 workers (\$5.13-\$4.66). Workers in plants where a majority of the production workers were covered by labor-management contracts averaged \$5.54 an hour, 17 percent more than those in nonunion establishments (table 5). The union-nonunion differential, as measured by this survey, was 13 percent in the Middle Atlantic States and in the Southeast, and 17 percent in the Border States—the three regions for which such comparisons could be made.

Workers in plants primarily making dress shirts—one-third of the workers—averaged \$5.05 an hour. This was 5 percent more than those in plants chiefly making sport shirts and 14 percent more than workers in nightwear plants (tables 6-8).

Men, who make up less than 10 percent of the work force, averaged 13 percent more than women—\$5.50 and \$4.86, respectively. Moreover, fewer men than women earned within 5 cents of the Federal minimum—6 percent compared with 13 percent. Men typically held the higher paying cutting room jobs as well as that of sewing-machine repairers. Women were nearly always found in relatively low-paying jobs, such as sewing-machine operators, baggers and boxers, and work distributors.

Twenty-three occupations, accounting for slightly over four-fifths of the work force, were selected to represent the

<sup>4</sup> Metropolitan Statistical Areas as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget through June 1983.

shirtmaking process, from the cutting of the fabric to the pressing and boxing of the finished garment (table 9).<sup>5</sup> Average hourly earnings among these jobs ranged from \$8.02 for sewing-machine repairers to \$4.04 for thread trimmers. The 33,000 sewing-machine operators, by far the largest occupational group studied, averaged \$4.83 an hour. Besides sewing-machine repairers, only three other jobs had hourly averages of \$5.50 or more: Machine cutters (\$6.36), clicker-machine operators (\$5.93), and markers (\$5.50). Together, these four jobs accounted for about 3 percent of the work force.

Occupational pay levels varied widely by region. While they typically exceeded the national averages by 10 to 25 percent in the Middle Atlantic States and by 5 to 10 percent in the Border States, pay levels in the South generally fell below the national levels: about 5 percent in the Southeast and 5 to 20 percent in the Southwest. (Pay relationships for the Middle West and for the New England and Pacific States are not summarized here due to lack of publishable data.)

When nationwide comparisons could be made, occupational pay levels were generally 1 to 15 percent higher in metropolitan than in nonmetropolitan areas (table 13); and usually about 5 to 20 percent higher in plants with at least 250 employees than in smaller establishments (table 14). Occupational averages were nearly always greater in union than in nonunion plants; the union advantage typically fell between 15 and 35 percent (table 10).

Occupational pay levels were almost always higher in plants primarily making dress shirts than in those making sport shirts (tables 11 and 12); the advantage typically ranged between 5 and 20 percent. The difference partly reflects the much greater degree of unionization in dress shirt establishments. One-half of the workers in plants primarily making dress shirts were in unionized plants, compared with under one-tenth in sport shirt plants.

Workers paid under incentive systems, four-fifths of the production workers, usually averaged 5 to 20 percent more than their time-rated counterparts (table 15). Extensive use of these plans, notably individual piece rate systems, contributed to wide ranges of earnings within an occupation and area (tables 16–26). Incentive pay varies according to work experience and effort, as well as work flow or other factors which the worker may not control. Incentive pay was predominant for sewing-machine operators and also among the other sewing and finishing occupations. Time-rated plans, on the other hand, were predominant among sewing-machine repairers, janitors, shipping clerks, and work distributors.

Almost all production workers were in establishments with formal provisions for paid holidays and vacations (tables 29 and 30). Two-thirds of the workers received 5 to 8 holidays annually; nearly one-fifth—mainly workers under contracts negotiated with the Amalgamated Clothing and Textile

Workers Union (ACTWU)—were entitled to 11 holidays.

Vacation plans in the industry typically provided 1 week of pay after 1 year of service and 2 or more weeks' pay after 3 years of service; a third week after 10 years was granted to about two-fifths of the industry's work force. The most liberal provisions were reported for workers in plants covered by the ACTWU plan—a two-tier system that specifies one set of benefits for workers hired prior to September 1, 1985, and another set of benefits (often lower) for workers hired after that date.

The typical ACTWU vacation schedule for employees hired prior to September 1, 1985, provided a 2-week summer vacation and a 1-week winter vacation after employees had attained 1 year of service. To receive the full amount, employees must work a specified number of hours preceding the designated vacation periods. Under this schedule, employees with 20 years of seniority or more were eligible for a fourth week of paid vacation, the scheduling of which is to be mutually determined by the employer and employee.<sup>6</sup>

Life insurance and a variety of basic health benefits, at least partly paid for by employers, were provided for about nine-tenths of the shirt industry's work force (table 31). About seven-tenths of the workers were covered by major medical insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance. Slightly over two-fifths were protected, in part, against temporary loss of income due to illness or an accident, while about one-fifth of the workers were covered by dental insurance plans.

Retirement plans, usually financed entirely by employers, applied to three-fifths of the workers. Regionally, retirement coverage ranged from one-third in the Pacific States to 85 percent or more in the Border States, Middle Atlantic, and New England. The corresponding coverage in the Southeast was three-fifths.

Paid funeral leave applied to two-thirds and jury-duty pay to three-fifths of the industry's work force. Such plans were common in all regions except the Pacific. Technological severance pay and automatic cost-of-living adjustments, however, were found infrequently (table 32).

Three other establishment practices surveyed were commonly available to bolster the earnings of shirt industry workers. Nine-tenths of the workers were in factories that adjusted earnings of incentive workers if production was halted due to a machine breakdown or other factors beyond a worker's control. About two-thirds of the workers were covered by provisions for daily reporting pay, whereby employees who report to their job as scheduled are guaranteed a daily minimum wage (e.g. 4 hours' pay) even if work is not available. Finally, about three-fifths of the production workers were in establishments with a formal policy of adjusting all job pay rates automatically when there is a change in the Federal minimum wage.

<sup>6</sup> The typical ACTWU vacation schedule for employees hired on or after September 1, 1985, specifies 1 week after 1 year of service, 2 weeks after 2 years, and 3 weeks after 3 years.

<sup>5</sup> See appendix B for occupational descriptions.

## Industry characteristics

Shirt manufacturing plants within the scope of the survey (those having 20 workers or more) employed 59,383 production and related workers in June 1987 (appendix table A-1). Factories primarily making sport shirts accounted for three-fifths of the production workers; those chiefly making dress shirts, one-third; and nightwear plants, 4 percent. Plants making other products, including uniform shirts and polo shirts, employed the remainder. Just over two-fifths of the workers were in plants which specialized in one type of garment.

The number of production workers in shirt plants fell by 5,400, or 9 percent, between May 1984 and June 1987. Regionally, changes in employment during this period were mixed; for example, the Southeast lost about 2,320 workers and the Middle Atlantic, 1,760 workers. New England and the Pacific States posted smaller declines, but in the Border States employment increased slightly. Even within regions there were differences. For example, employment fell by 2,375 workers in North Carolina and 1,300 in Alabama, but increased by 525 in Georgia and 275 in South Carolina.

Nearly three-fourths of the industry's workers were in the Southeast region in June 1987. None of the other six regions for which data could be published had at least one-tenth of the national employment total. The seven States for which

separate data were developed employed three-fourths of the industry's production work force. Among these, employment ranged from about 8,700 in Alabama to 2,600 in Pennsylvania.

Nationwide, slightly over one-half of the production workers were in shirt factories employing at least 250 workers. Among the regions, the proportion of workers in larger establishments ranged from seven-tenths in the Southwest to none in the Middle West. The corresponding proportion for the Southeast was about three-fifths.

Virtually all production workers were in establishments that had 40-hour weekly work schedules (table 28). Slightly over one-third of the workers were in factories with provisions for second shifts; and one-fourth of the industry's work force was covered by third-shift provisions. Less than 5 percent of the workers, however, actually were employed on late shifts at the time of the survey.

Plants with union contracts covering a majority of the production workers accounted for one-fifth of the work force in June 1987. With few exceptions, collective bargaining agreements were with the Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union (AFL-CIO). The proportions in union establishments were three-fourths in the Middle Atlantic region, one-third in the Border States, and about one-eighth each in the Southeast and the Pacific States. No establishments visited in the Southwest had union agreements.

**Table 1. Average hourly earnings by selected characteristics**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Characteristic	United States <sup>3</sup>		New England		Middle Atlantic		Border States		Southeast		Southwest		Middle West		Pacific	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
All production workers .....	59,383	\$4.91	1,304	\$5.83	3,823	\$5.74	4,194	\$5.17	43,312	\$4.79	3,990	\$4.96	671	\$4.77	1,196	\$4.58
Men .....	5,327	5.50	148	6.47	386	6.29	380	5.28	3,474	5.59	590	4.57	43	5.14	223	5.06
Women .....	54,056	4.86	1,156	5.75	3,437	5.68	3,814	5.16	39,838	4.72	3,400	5.03	628	4.75	973	4.47
Type of area:																
Metropolitan areas <sup>4</sup> .....	19,576	5.20	591	5.71	3,574	5.69	2,185	5.48	8,301	4.95	2,833	5.28	-	-	1,196	4.58
Nonmetropolitan areas .....	39,807	4.77	-	-	-	-	2,009	4.83	35,011	4.75	1,157	4.17	647	4.81	-	-
Size of establishment:																
20 - 249 workers .....	27,564	4.66	-	-	2,654	5.50	2,288	5.17	18,934	4.46	1,194	4.58	671	4.77	883	4.66
250 workers or more .....	31,819	5.13	-	-	1,169	6.29	1,906	5.17	24,378	5.05	2,796	5.12	-	-	-	-
Labor-management contract coverage:																
Establishments with --																
Majority of workers covered .....	12,469	5.54	-	-	2,896	5.90	1,407	5.73	6,384	5.31	-	-	-	-	-	-
None or minority covered .....	46,914	4.75	-	-	927	5.23	2,787	4.89	36,928	4.70	3,990	4.96	-	-	1,052	4.41
Primary product: <sup>5</sup>																
Dress shirts .....	19,819	5.05	-	-	3,017	5.78	1,715	5.24	11,180	4.88	2,509	4.41	-	-	-	-
Sport shirts .....	35,283	4.81	-	-	427	5.16	2,167	5.24	29,725	4.79	-	-	647	4.81	1,052	4.41
Nightwear .....	2,122	4.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,122	4.42	-	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Metropolitan Statistical Areas as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget

through June 1983.

<sup>5</sup> Also studied were establishments with major products in addition to those shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria.

**Table 2. Average hourly earnings and employment characteristics—selected States and areas<sup>1</sup>**

(Number of workers, average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>2</sup> and percent distribution of production workers by selected characteristics in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, June 1987)

State or area	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Percent of production workers in establishments according to —									Union contract status <sup>4</sup>
			Primary product			Primary production system <sup>3</sup>		Type of area		Size of establishment		
			Dress shirts	Sport shirts	Nightwear	Line system	Bundle system	Metropolitan areas <sup>5</sup>	Nonmetropolitan areas	20 - 249 workers	250 workers or more	
<b>States</b>												
Alabama .....	8,668	\$5.01	38	58	5	—	100	22	78	32	68	20-24
Georgia .....	7,927	4.79	47	53	—	—	100	9	91	32	68	25-29
Mississippi .....	4,306	4.13	9	85	—	—	100	—	100	54	46	( <sup>6</sup> )
North Carolina .....	8,108	4.73	9	91	—	11	89	25	75	60	40	( <sup>6</sup> )
Pennsylvania .....	2,573	5.74	77	9	—	—	100	90	10	78	22	85-89
South Carolina .....	5,886	5.16	23	77	—	22	78	23	77	36	64	5-9
Tennessee .....	6,615	4.69	25	51	24	8	92	14	86	45	55	30-34
<b>Areas</b>												
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill .....	2,077	5.27	—	100	—	18	82	100	—	60	40	( <sup>6</sup> )
Los Angeles-Long Beach .....	675	4.38	—	100	—	—	93	100	—	100	—	( <sup>6</sup> )
Miami-Hialeah .....	1,150	4.52	14	84	—	—	100	100	—	60	40	( <sup>6</sup> )
Pottsville-Shamokin .....	920	5.74	39	20	—	—	100	73	27	38	63	60-64

<sup>1</sup> For definitions of areas, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 2.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>3</sup> Under the line system, operators perform standard tasks on garment pieces which are then passed down the line to the next operator; under the bundle system, workers perform multiple tasks on a single garment.

<sup>4</sup> Data are for establishments with a majority of workers covered by labor-management agreements. Estimates are presented in 5-percent bands.

<sup>5</sup> Metropolitan Statistical Areas as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget through June 1983.

<sup>6</sup> None of the establishments visited had labor-management agreements covering a majority of their production workers.

NOTE: Overall data may include primary products or production systems in addition to those shown separately. Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 3. Earnings distribution: All establishments**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States, selected regions, States, and areas,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>			Regions						
	Total	Men	Women	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
Number of workers .....	59,383	5,327	54,056	1,304	3,823	4,194	43,312	3,990	671	1,196
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> .....	\$4.91	\$5.50	\$4.86	\$5.83	\$5.74	\$5.17	\$4.79	\$4.96	\$4.77	\$4.58
Median <sup>1</sup> .....	4.62	5.04	4.58	5.81	5.66	5.10	4.50	4.43	4.41	4.19
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>										
First quartile .....	3.75	4.00	3.72	4.91	4.72	3.79	3.69	3.74	3.68	3.50
Third quartile .....	5.75	6.50	5.67	6.62	6.53	6.09	5.52	6.00	5.48	5.16
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	12.2	5.9	12.8	-	4.0	15.7	12.9	12.1	18.2	16.0
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	1.8	1.5	1.8	-	.1	.7	2.2	1.1	.4	2.6
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	1.5	.7	1.6	-	.3	.8	1.8	1.4	.3	1.4
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	4.6	3.4	4.7	3.2	1.9	4.6	4.7	5.9	1.5	8.1
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	3.3	2.3	3.4	.9	1.7	1.9	3.6	2.9	4.8	3.6
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	3.2	2.6	3.2	1.2	1.2	1.4	3.6	3.2	1.8	5.3
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	2.4	2.0	2.4	.4	.7	1.3	2.7	2.9	.7	2.6
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	2.8	2.0	2.9	1.2	.8	1.3	3.0	4.7	6.3	2.3
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	6.4	7.4	6.3	6.6	4.9	5.6	6.5	6.7	2.5	8.9
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	5.9	6.0	5.9	3.0	3.8	3.4	6.2	7.2	13.0	5.4
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	5.2	5.5	5.2	3.1	3.9	3.4	5.5	6.1	4.2	5.6
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	4.9	5.0	4.9	3.7	3.2	4.2	5.2	4.9	3.3	5.3
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	4.3	2.8	4.5	2.9	3.4	3.6	4.7	2.9	5.8	3.2
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.3	6.0	5.2	6.4	6.6	4.3	5.4	3.9	5.5	5.4
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.1	4.4	4.1	4.7	5.6	4.2	4.2	2.1	3.7	3.0
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	4.2	3.3	4.3	5.2	4.4	5.6	4.2	3.0	5.7	2.3
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	3.6	2.2	3.8	4.6	7.3	4.7	3.4	1.7	3.7	2.2
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	4.0	3.3	4.0	8.2	7.7	5.6	3.7	2.0	2.2	1.6
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	3.3	3.7	3.3	7.9	5.5	4.7	3.0	1.7	3.4	3.5
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	2.4	3.8	2.3	5.8	4.5	3.6	2.1	2.2	1.0	1.8
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	2.3	3.5	2.2	5.5	4.6	3.8	1.9	2.1	2.5	1.5
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	1.9	2.5	1.9	4.5	3.9	2.6	1.6	2.0	.9	.9
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	1.5	1.5	1.6	3.6	2.4	2.6	1.2	3.3	1.3	1.4
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	1.4	1.8	1.4	3.1	2.7	2.3	.9	3.7	1.6	1.1
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	1.2	.9	1.2	2.8	2.5	1.3	.8	3.2	1.2	.3
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.0	1.8	1.0	2.5	2.4	.9	.8	1.7	1.0	1.1
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	.9	2.0	.8	2.1	1.8	.9	.8	.9	.7	.7
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	.6	1.1	.6	1.5	1.0	1.0	.5	1.2	.6	.1
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	.7	2.5	.5	1.0	1.3	.6	.7	.8	-	.7
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.6	1.2	.5	1.2	1.2	.5	.5	.6	.4	.5
\$8.40 and over .....	2.2	7.5	1.7	3.2	4.9	3.1	1.9	2.2	1.5	1.8

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 3. Earnings distribution: All establishments—Continued**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States, selected regions, States, and areas,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	States							Areas			
	Alabama	Georgia	Mississippi	North Carolina	Pennsylvania	South Carolina	Tennessee	Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC	Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA	Miami-Hialeah, FL	Pottsville-Shamokin, PA
Number of workers .....	8,668	7,927	4,306	8,108	2,573	5,886	6,615	2,077	675	1,150	920
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> .....	\$5.01	\$4.79	\$4.13	\$4.73	\$5.74	\$5.16	\$4.69	\$5.27	\$4.38	\$4.52	\$5.74
Median <sup>4</sup> .....	4.84	4.59	3.97	4.47	5.66	4.91	4.35	5.01	4.00	4.10	5.66
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>											
First quartile .....	3.76	3.68	3.50	3.75	4.72	3.94	3.60	4.35	3.50	3.50	4.60
Third quartile .....	5.86	5.61	4.50	5.32	6.59	5.97	5.45	6.00	5.00	5.07	6.62
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	7.4	15.4	20.0	10.9	2.8	7.3	18.1	1.2	21.5	21.9	1.4
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	4.5	1.4	2.0	.7	( <sup>5</sup> )	3.9	1.1	.1	2.4	.7	.1
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	.9	3.3	1.5	3.1	.3	.6	1.1	.1	1.2	.3	.1
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	6.3	2.6	8.1	5.6	1.7	2.2	4.2	3.2	8.7	4.9	3.7
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	3.7	2.6	7.3	2.1	1.7	3.2	4.9	3.3	3.9	1.7	2.9
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.4	1.0	4.2	4.0	2.3	5.3	7.0	1.5
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	2.2	2.4	3.7	2.7	.9	2.8	3.2	3.2	2.1	2.3	1.2
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	3.8	2.3	4.9	3.0	1.2	2.0	2.9	2.6	2.2	1.6	1.5
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	3.8	5.8	12.7	8.4	4.6	4.8	5.6	5.3	8.0	12.3	5.0
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	4.9	5.7	8.7	8.1	4.8	5.3	5.6	10.2	5.6	5.3	4.3
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	4.3	5.7	5.2	6.3	4.2	5.8	6.0	6.4	5.3	6.2	3.0
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	4.3	6.0	4.2	6.9	3.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.5	4.2	2.8
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	4.1	4.8	3.8	6.3	3.5	5.8	3.3	6.1	3.3	2.0	4.2
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.2	5.6	3.8	4.7	7.0	6.9	5.9	6.0	6.5	6.3	7.0
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.7	3.9	3.2	4.5	6.5	4.6	3.9	6.3	3.3	3.7	4.2
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	5.4	4.5	2.4	3.5	4.5	4.1	4.1	4.6	2.4	3.5	3.6
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	3.9	3.7	1.1	3.3	6.6	4.5	2.9	6.5	2.1	1.9	7.9
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	5.5	5.3	.9	2.3	5.9	2.7	3.3	2.8	1.3	1.3	4.6
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	3.7	3.1	.8	2.9	4.5	4.3	2.2	5.3	2.1	1.4	4.9
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	2.5	2.0	.3	1.8	4.4	1.8	3.3	2.6	1.0	2.5	3.0
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	2.6	2.0	.6	1.9	5.4	2.6	1.1	3.1	1.0	2.3	7.1
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	2.7	1.6	.3	.9	4.0	2.4	1.1	3.3	.4	2.1	3.7
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	1.8	1.3	.2	1.1	2.6	1.3	.9	1.6	1.6	.3	4.2
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	1.4	.9	.1	.8	3.1	1.4	.8	1.0	.3	.7	2.8
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	1.0	1.0	( <sup>5</sup> )	.6	2.9	1.4	.7	1.3	.1	.1	1.8
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.1	.7	.2	.5	2.6	1.4	.8	1.4	.4	.6	2.2
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	.8	.5	.1	.7	2.1	1.1	1.3	1.2	.3	.1	1.8
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	1.0	.4	( <sup>5</sup> )	.1	1.0	.8	.4	.4	-	.2	1.6
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	.6	1.0	( <sup>5</sup> )	.7	1.5	1.1	.4	.7	.6	.7	1.5
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.8	.5	-	.4	1.2	.9	.2	.7	.6	.5	1.6
\$8.40 and over .....	2.2	1.1	.2	1.7	3.9	4.0	1.8	2.7	.9	1.5	4.3

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions and areas, see appendix A, table A-1, footnotes 1 and 2.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges of earnings.

<sup>5</sup> Less than 0.05 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 4. Earnings distribution: By type of area**

 (Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>		Regions									
	Metropolitan areas <sup>4</sup>	Nonmetropolitan areas	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States		Southeast		Southwest		Middle West	Pacific
			Metropolitan areas	Metropolitan areas	Metropolitan areas	Nonmetropolitan areas	Metropolitan areas	Nonmetropolitan areas	Metropolitan areas	Nonmetropolitan areas	Nonmetropolitan areas	Metropolitan areas
Number of workers .....	19,576	39,807	591	3,574	2,185	2,009	8,301	35,011	2,833	1,157	647	1,196
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>5</sup> .....	\$5.20	\$4.77	\$5.71	\$5.69	\$5.48	\$4.83	\$4.95	\$4.75	\$5.28	\$4.17	\$4.81	\$4.58
Median <sup>5</sup> .....	5.02	4.46	5.58	5.66	5.47	4.38	4.75	4.45	4.84	4.06	4.50	4.19
Middle range: <sup>5</sup>												
First quartile .....	4.00	3.65	4.80	4.62	4.46	3.46	3.90	3.65	3.85	3.55	3.89	3.50
Third quartile .....	6.05	5.50	6.53	6.47	6.29	5.96	5.73	5.48	6.78	4.55	5.52	5.16
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	9.0	13.8	-	4.2	8.7	23.2	10.8	13.3	9.4	18.6	18.7	16.0
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	1.3	2.1	-	.1	.3	1.1	2.0	2.3	1.0	1.3	.5	2.6
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	.6	2.0	-	.3	.1	1.5	.5	2.1	1.0	2.3	.3	1.4
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	4.2	4.8	7.1	2.0	6.2	2.9	3.2	5.1	6.4	4.8	1.2	8.1
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	2.5	3.7	1.2	1.8	1.3	2.5	2.1	3.9	2.7	3.5	1.9	3.6
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	2.8	3.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.5	3.7	3.5	2.7	4.4	1.9	5.3
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	1.8	2.7	.3	.7	.5	2.1	2.3	2.8	2.4	4.0	.8	2.6
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	1.8	3.3	.8	.7	.5	2.1	2.1	3.3	3.5	7.6	6.5	2.3
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	6.0	6.6	3.6	5.2	2.7	8.7	7.1	6.4	5.2	10.4	2.6	8.9
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	5.6	6.0	3.0	3.9	2.2	4.7	7.2	5.9	5.8	10.6	13.4	5.4
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	4.7	5.5	2.9	4.1	2.7	4.0	5.5	5.6	5.0	8.7	4.3	5.6
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	4.4	5.2	5.1	3.3	4.8	3.5	4.6	5.3	4.1	6.7	3.4	5.3
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	3.8	4.6	3.0	3.3	4.3	2.7	4.6	4.7	2.2	4.8	6.0	3.2
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.9	5.0	10.3	6.9	5.1	3.4	6.1	5.2	4.2	3.2	5.6	5.4
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.6	3.9	5.4	5.7	4.8	3.6	4.9	4.0	2.4	1.3	3.9	3.0
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	4.9	3.9	6.3	4.5	7.7	3.4	5.3	3.9	2.7	3.5	5.9	2.3
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	4.6	3.2	5.9	7.1	7.0	2.2	4.2	3.3	1.9	1.0	3.9	2.2
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	4.9	3.5	2.7	7.9	9.2	1.8	4.4	3.5	2.2	1.5	2.3	1.6
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	4.0	2.9	7.8	5.6	3.8	5.8	3.8	2.7	2.2	.4	3.6	3.5
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	3.2	2.0	5.4	4.6	4.3	2.7	2.6	2.0	2.8	.5	1.1	1.8
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	3.1	1.9	5.1	4.3	3.9	3.8	2.6	1.7	2.8	.4	2.6	1.5
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	2.6	1.6	4.1	3.8	2.7	2.5	2.1	1.5	2.7	.1	.9	.9
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	2.1	1.3	2.9	2.1	3.5	1.6	1.1	1.2	4.6	.1	1.4	1.4
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	2.2	1.0	2.2	2.6	3.0	1.4	1.2	.9	5.2	.1	1.7	1.1
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	1.8	.9	2.4	2.5	2.0	.6	.8	.8	4.4	-	1.2	.3
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.4	.9	2.0	2.2	.6	1.2	1.0	.8	2.4	-	1.1	1.1
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	1.0	.8	1.7	1.8	.7	1.1	.5	.8	1.2	-	.8	.7
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	.7	.6	1.4	.8	.6	1.3	.3	.5	1.7	-	.6	.1
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	.9	.6	1.2	1.2	.5	.6	.7	.7	1.1	-	-	.7
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.7	.5	1.7	1.0	.6	.4	.6	.5	.9	-	.5	.5
\$8.40 and over .....	3.0	1.9	3.4	4.8	4.3	1.8	1.8	1.9	3.1	.1	1.5	1.8

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Metropolitan Statistical Areas as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget through June 1983.

<sup>5</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges of earnings.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 5. Earnings distribution: By labor-management contract coverage**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>		Regions							
			Middle Atlantic		Border States		Southeast		Southwest	Pacific
	Majority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered	Majority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered	Majority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered	Majority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered	None or minority of workers covered
Number of workers .....	12,469	46,914	2,896	927	1,407	2,787	6,384	36,928	3,990	1,052
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> ...	\$5.54	\$4.75	\$5.90	\$5.23	\$5.73	\$4.89	\$5.31	\$4.70	\$4.96	\$4.41
Median <sup>4</sup> .....	5.51	4.42	5.81	4.87	5.81	4.75	5.16	4.40	4.43	4.00
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>										
First quartile .....	4.39	3.65	5.05	3.90	4.59	3.56	4.14	3.64	3.74	3.50
Third quartile .....	6.37	5.46	6.61	6.25	6.56	5.79	6.11	5.39	6.00	4.90
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	6.9	13.6	2.1	9.7	12.7	17.2	7.5	13.8	12.1	16.8
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	1.5	1.9	-	.3	.1	1.0	2.8	2.1	1.1	2.9
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	.6	1.8	.2	.5	-	1.1	1.0	1.9	1.4	1.5
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	1.5	5.4	.7	5.6	.4	6.7	2.2	5.1	5.9	9.2
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	1.2	3.9	.9	4.2	1.7	2.0	1.2	4.0	2.9	4.1
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	1.5	3.6	.7	3.0	1.0	1.5	2.1	3.8	3.2	5.9
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	1.3	2.7	.4	1.4	1.1	1.4	2.0	2.8	2.9	2.9
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	1.5	3.2	.7	1.1	1.0	1.4	2.1	3.2	4.7	2.6
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	4.5	6.9	3.5	9.6	2.0	7.4	5.2	6.8	6.7	9.8
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	4.6	6.3	3.8	3.9	2.3	3.9	5.2	6.3	7.2	6.1
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	3.5	5.7	3.3	6.0	2.8	3.7	3.8	5.8	6.1	5.7
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	4.2	5.1	3.1	3.3	3.9	4.3	4.9	5.2	4.9	5.6
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	3.8	4.4	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.8	4.5	4.7	2.9	3.3
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.8	5.1	6.4	7.3	4.2	4.3	6.1	5.2	3.9	5.3
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.8	4.0	6.5	2.8	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.2	2.1	2.9
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	4.6	4.1	4.8	3.1	4.0	6.5	4.8	4.1	3.0	2.3
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	5.0	3.3	8.7	2.9	5.0	4.6	3.7	3.4	1.7	1.7
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	8.5	2.8	9.6	1.7	8.8	4.0	8.4	2.8	2.0	1.1
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	5.6	2.7	5.8	4.4	7.7	3.2	4.5	2.7	1.7	2.0
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	4.5	1.9	5.0	2.8	4.1	3.3	4.2	1.7	2.2	1.0
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	4.2	1.8	5.1	3.1	6.0	2.7	3.2	1.7	2.1	1.2
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	3.4	1.6	4.6	1.9	3.4	2.2	2.5	1.5	2.0	.6
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	2.4	1.3	2.6	1.7	3.4	2.2	1.8	1.0	3.3	1.1
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	2.2	1.2	2.8	2.3	2.3	2.2	1.7	.8	3.7	.4
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	2.1	.9	2.7	1.9	2.7	.6	1.5	.7	3.2	.2
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.7	.9	2.7	1.5	1.1	.8	1.2	.8	1.7	.9
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	1.8	.6	1.8	1.7	1.3	.7	1.9	.6	.9	.7
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	.9	.5	1.0	1.0	1.2	.9	.7	.5	1.2	-
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	1.2	.6	1.2	1.5	1.3	.2	1.2	.6	.8	.6
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.9	.5	1.3	.8	1.1	.2	.7	.5	.6	.4
\$8.40 and over .....	3.8	1.8	4.7	5.5	6.3	1.5	2.9	1.7	2.2	1.3

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges of earnings.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 6. Earnings distribution: Dress shirts**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>			Regions			
	Total	Men	Women	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest
Number of workers .....	19,819	1,800	18,019	3,017	1,715	11,180	2,509
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> .....	\$5.05	\$5.60	\$5.00	\$5.78	\$5.24	\$4.88	\$4.41
Median <sup>4</sup> .....	4.83	5.17	4.80	5.70	5.15	4.66	4.25
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>							
First quartile .....	3.88	4.00	3.85	4.81	3.63	3.75	3.68
Third quartile .....	5.91	6.70	5.86	6.55	6.25	5.75	4.87
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	11.0	7.1	11.4	4.6	20.1	11.7	14.2
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	1.2	.9	1.2	.1	1.0	1.6	1.3
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	1.5	1.7	1.5	.3	1.0	2.0	2.0
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	4.4	3.7	4.4	1.2	2.1	6.0	4.5
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	2.6	2.6	2.5	1.7	1.9	2.4	3.5
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	2.9	2.3	3.0	.9	1.1	3.7	4.3
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	1.8	1.6	1.8	.5	1.3	1.9	3.5
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	2.5	2.4	2.5	.7	1.3	2.5	5.9
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	5.7	6.8	5.6	4.4	6.7	5.2	8.3
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	5.6	5.6	5.6	3.4	3.1	5.9	10.1
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	5.3	4.7	5.3	4.0	2.5	5.4	8.8
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	5.0	4.8	5.0	3.0	3.1	5.5	7.0
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	4.1	3.1	4.2	2.9	2.3	5.0	4.2
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.3	3.2	5.5	6.3	2.9	5.4	5.0
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.3	1.8	4.5	5.7	3.3	4.3	2.8
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	3.9	2.4	4.1	4.5	3.0	4.1	3.0
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	3.8	2.5	4.0	7.7	3.8	3.2	2.2
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	5.8	4.5	5.9	8.9	6.7	5.3	2.1
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	4.3	4.2	4.3	5.8	6.3	3.7	1.7
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	3.1	4.2	3.0	4.9	3.4	2.7	1.5
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	2.8	3.6	2.7	4.4	4.8	2.1	1.1
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	2.4	3.4	2.3	4.3	2.6	1.9	.9
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	1.6	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.6	1.2	.8
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	1.6	2.2	1.5	2.8	1.8	1.2	.4
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	1.3	1.2	1.3	2.7	2.2	.9	.1
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.0	1.1	1.0	2.4	.9	.6	( <sup>5</sup> )
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	1.1	3.1	.9	1.9	.9	1.0	.1
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	.6	1.3	.5	.8	.9	.5	-
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	.8	2.6	.6	1.1	1.0	.8	.4
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.6	1.7	.4	1.2	.8	.4	.1
\$8.40 and over .....	2.4	8.2	1.8	5.0	4.4	1.7	.3

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges of earnings.

<sup>5</sup> Less than 0.05 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 7. Earnings distribution: Sport shirts**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>			Regions				
	Total	Men	Women	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Middle West	Pacific
Number of workers .....	35,283	3,098	32,185	427	2,167	29,725	647	1,052
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> .....	\$4.81	\$5.47	\$4.75	\$5.16	\$5.24	\$4.79	\$4.81	\$4.41
Median <sup>4</sup> .....	4.50	5.00	4.46	4.90	5.25	4.47	4.50	4.00
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>								
First quartile .....	3.68	4.00	3.65	4.00	4.08	3.66	3.89	3.50
Third quartile .....	5.55	6.40	5.48	5.84	6.11	5.50	5.52	4.90
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	13.3	5.5	14.1	2.3	14.4	13.2	18.7	16.8
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	2.3	2.0	2.4	.2	.5	2.6	.5	2.9
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	1.7	.2	1.8	.2	.6	1.8	.3	1.5
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	4.2	3.1	4.3	5.6	2.1	4.1	1.2	9.2
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	3.8	2.2	4.0	2.3	1.8	4.0	1.9	4.1
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	3.4	3.0	3.4	4.0	.9	3.5	1.9	5.9
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	2.7	2.4	2.7	1.9	1.4	2.9	.8	2.9
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	3.0	1.4	3.2	1.4	1.3	3.1	6.5	2.6
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	6.7	7.9	6.6	11.2	4.5	6.9	2.6	9.8
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	6.0	6.7	6.0	6.6	3.0	6.0	13.4	6.1
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	5.4	5.7	5.3	5.4	3.8	5.5	4.3	5.7
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	4.9	4.5	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.9	3.4	5.6
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	4.5	2.5	4.7	5.9	4.5	4.6	6.0	3.3
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	5.2	7.3	5.0	8.4	5.4	5.1	5.6	5.3
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	4.1	5.3	4.0	6.1	4.9	4.1	3.9	2.9
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	4.4	3.7	4.5	4.4	8.0	4.2	5.9	2.3
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	3.7	2.2	3.8	4.0	5.4	3.6	3.9	1.7
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	3.2	2.6	3.3	2.3	5.5	3.2	2.3	1.1
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	2.9	3.4	2.9	4.0	4.0	2.8	3.6	2.0
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	2.1	3.3	1.9	3.0	4.1	1.9	1.1	1.0
\$6.40 and under \$6.60 .....	2.1	3.5	1.9	2.8	3.5	1.9	2.6	1.2
\$6.60 and under \$6.80 .....	1.7	2.2	1.6	1.2	3.0	1.6	.9	.6
\$6.80 and under \$7.00 .....	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	2.9	1.2	1.4	1.1
\$7.00 and under \$7.20 .....	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.4	3.0	.9	1.7	.4
\$7.20 and under \$7.40 .....	.9	.8	.9	1.4	.8	.9	1.2	.2
\$7.40 and under \$7.60 .....	1.0	2.0	.9	1.4	.8	1.0	1.1	.9
\$7.60 and under \$7.80 .....	.7	1.6	.7	.5	1.0	.7	.8	.7
\$7.80 and under \$8.00 .....	.6	.9	.5	.9	1.2	.5	.6	-
\$8.00 and under \$8.20 .....	.7	2.7	.5	.9	.3	.7	-	.6
\$8.20 and under \$8.40 .....	.5	.8	.5	-	.3	.5	.5	.4
\$8.40 and over .....	2.1	7.8	1.5	4.0	2.5	2.1	1.5	1.3

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and

middle ranges of earnings.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 8. Earnings distribution: Nightwear**

(Percent distribution of production workers in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Hourly earnings	United States <sup>3</sup>		
	Total	Men	Women
Number of workers .....	2,122	263	1,859
Average (mean) hourly earnings <sup>4</sup> .....	\$4.42	\$4.98	\$4.34
Median <sup>4</sup> .....	4.26	4.80	4.20
Middle range: <sup>4</sup>			
First quartile .....	3.68	4.23	3.63
Third quartile .....	5.08	5.38	5.04
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$3.35 and under \$3.40 .....	14.6	3.4	16.2
\$3.40 and under \$3.45 .....	.5	-	.5
\$3.45 and under \$3.50 .....	.7	-	.8
\$3.50 and under \$3.60 .....	5.8	4.2	6.1
\$3.60 and under \$3.70 .....	3.8	1.9	4.0
\$3.70 and under \$3.80 .....	4.3	1.5	4.7
\$3.80 and under \$3.90 .....	5.3	.8	5.9
\$3.90 and under \$4.00 .....	4.9	7.2	4.6
\$4.00 and under \$4.20 .....	6.9	5.7	7.1
\$4.20 and under \$4.40 .....	7.2	3.4	7.7
\$4.40 and under \$4.60 .....	6.3	7.2	6.2
\$4.60 and under \$4.80 .....	6.4	14.1	5.3
\$4.80 and under \$5.00 .....	4.9	5.3	4.8
\$5.00 and under \$5.20 .....	9.2	8.7	9.3
\$5.20 and under \$5.40 .....	6.0	11.8	5.2
\$5.40 and under \$5.60 .....	5.2	5.7	5.2
\$5.60 and under \$5.80 .....	2.7	-	3.1
\$5.80 and under \$6.00 .....	1.6	3.0	1.5
\$6.00 and under \$6.20 .....	.6	1.1	.5
\$6.20 and under \$6.40 .....	1.3	7.6	.4
\$6.40 and over .....	1.9	7.2	1.1

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> All workers were located in the Southeast region.

<sup>4</sup> See appendix A for method used to compute means, medians, and middle ranges of earnings.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate that no data were reported.

**Table 9. Occupational averages: All establishments**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment <sup>2</sup>	United States <sup>4</sup>		New England		Middle Atlantic		Border States		Southeast		Southwest		Middle West		Pacific	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>																
Assemblers .....	786	\$4.93	-	-	64	\$5.79	17	\$5.43	611	\$4.95	28	\$3.79	-	-	-	-
Men .....	104	4.74	-	-	6	6.29	-	-	87	4.60	-	-	-	-	6	\$4.27
Time .....	82	4.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	4.33	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	22	5.90	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	6.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	682	4.96	-	-	58	5.73	14	5.27	524	5.01	28	3.79	-	-	-	-
Time .....	456	4.39	-	-	19	4.77	-	-	359	4.42	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	226	6.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	165	6.29	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	177	5.93	-	-	24	7.28	18	5.40	110	5.73	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	85	6.45	-	-	15	6.87	11	5.15	43	6.64	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	33	5.09	-	-	8	6.75	-	-	17	4.29	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	52	7.31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	92	5.45	-	-	9	7.95	7	5.79	67	5.14	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	61	4.80	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	4.79	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	31	6.71	-	-	9	7.95	-	-	18	6.08	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	655	6.36	6	\$8.47	70	7.59	21	6.59	478	6.19	36	5.84	-	-	20	6.70
Men .....	507	6.52	-	-	55	7.55	17	6.85	382	6.36	18	6.08	-	-	20	6.70
Time .....	384	6.34	-	-	36	7.73	-	-	311	6.17	8	7.04	-	-	18	6.53
Incentive .....	123	7.09	-	-	-	-	11	7.53	71	7.20	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	148	5.81	-	-	15	7.76	-	-	96	5.49	18	5.60	-	-	-	-
Time .....	99	5.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	5.12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	49	6.73	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	6.49	11	5.78	-	-	-	-
Markers .....	212	5.50	-	-	19	7.33	-	-	175	5.25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	75	6.47	-	-	18	7.29	-	-	51	6.18	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	70	6.38	-	-	18	7.29	-	-	47	6.03	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	137	4.97	-	-	-	-	-	-	124	4.86	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	113	4.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	107	4.81	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	24	5.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	5.21	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	758	5.24	9	9.04	80	6.08	37	5.48	571	5.01	23	5.94	-	-	21	4.68
Men .....	629	5.25	-	-	62	5.76	29	5.38	484	5.12	19	6.07	-	-	20	4.69
Time .....	395	4.56	-	-	52	5.60	-	-	309	4.42	-	-	-	-	16	4.17
Incentive .....	234	6.43	-	-	-	-	16	6.37	175	6.34	17	6.15	-	-	-	-
Women .....	129	5.14	-	-	18	7.19	-	-	87	4.43	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	93	4.60	-	-	10	6.09	-	-	71	4.25	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	36	6.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	5.20	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 9. Occupational averages: All establishments—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment <sup>3</sup>	United States <sup>4</sup>		New England		Middle Atlantic		Border States		Southeast		Southwest		Middle West		Pacific	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Sewing department</b>																
Collar pointers .....	284	\$5.16	-	-	24	\$6.24	19	\$5.47	205	\$4.90	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	105	5.28	-	-	18	5.94	-	-	66	4.97	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	99	5.31	-	-	18	5.94	-	-	63	5.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	570	5.04	-	-	58	5.51	63	5.49	394	4.94	29	\$4.35	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	1,600	5.10	-	-	40	5.34	-	-	1,390	5.13	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	33,397	4.83	541	\$5.75	2,064	5.63	2,500	5.20	25,141	4.69	1,648	5.11	411	\$4.68	579	\$4.55
Dress and sport shirts .....	30,683	4.80	541	5.75	1,907	5.58	2,340	5.25	23,323	4.68	1,111	4.38	369	4.62	579	4.55
Underpressers .....	270	4.86	-	-	40	6.08	-	-	150	4.39	43	4.74	-	-	-	-
Men .....	38	4.83	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	4.71	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	32	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	4.71	-	-	-	-
Women .....	232	4.86	-	-	38	6.19	-	-	144	4.39	18	4.79	-	-	-	-
Time .....	32	3.85	-	-	9	4.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	200	5.02	-	-	29	6.57	-	-	121	4.58	18	4.79	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	92	4.09	-	-	11	5.16	-	-	67	3.74	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	86	4.12	-	-	9	5.42	-	-	63	3.76	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	28	3.83	-	-	8	4.87	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	58	4.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	3.92	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	178	5.25	-	-	29	6.43	-	-	-	-	41	4.75	-	-	-	-
Men .....	32	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	4.71	-	-	-	-
Women .....	146	5.30	-	-	29	6.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>																
Baggers and boxers .....	1,261	4.78	27	4.94	92	5.42	75	5.05	891	4.75	116	4.31	-	-	44	4.19
Men .....	77	4.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	4.79	-	-	-	-	12	4.66
Time .....	65	4.68	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	4.77	-	-	-	-	12	4.66
Incentive .....	12	4.87	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	4.87	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	1,184	4.78	26	4.98	84	5.47	72	5.08	841	4.75	113	4.32	-	-	32	4.01
Time .....	567	4.39	-	-	60	5.15	7	5.05	427	4.32	24	4.26	-	-	30	3.97
Incentive .....	617	5.14	-	-	24	6.27	65	5.08	414	5.19	89	4.34	-	-	-	-
Folders, garment .....	2,012	5.01	-	-	96	5.73	92	5.53	1,594	4.97	127	4.04	-	-	7	6.19
Hand .....	1,224	5.02	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,021	4.97	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	369	5.50	-	-	17	6.94	-	-	287	5.31	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	419	4.58	-	-	-	-	-	-	286	4.64	104	4.00	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	392	4.99	10	6.57	42	5.81	47	4.93	259	4.88	24	4.19	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	443	4.90	-	-	53	4.84	26	5.22	343	4.91	16	4.11	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	2,179	4.80	-	-	137	5.71	206	5.04	1,530	4.51	132	5.79	24	5.83	40	4.88
Pressers, finish .....	1,348	4.78	34	5.92	179	6.25	-	-	836	4.53	78	4.68	-	-	58	4.30
Hand .....	867	4.70	-	-	154	6.04	-	-	541	4.45	14	4.48	-	-	46	4.23
Machine .....	397	4.88	34	5.92	-	-	18	6.76	258	4.67	64	4.72	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	84	5.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	170	4.04	-	-	25	5.40	-	-	124	3.83	-	-	-	-	15	3.79

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 9. Occupational averages: All establishments—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment <sup>3</sup>	United States <sup>4</sup>		New England		Middle Atlantic		Border States		Southeast		Southwest		Middle West		Pacific	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																
Janitors .....	566	\$4.43	9	\$5.64	24	\$4.90	43	\$4.59	437	\$4.36	28	\$4.49	7	\$4.25	8	\$4.68
Men .....	390	4.53	7	5.52	21	4.92	36	4.75	283	4.45	23	4.59	-	-	8	4.68
Women .....	176	4.22	-	-	-	-	7	3.79	154	4.18	-	-	-	-	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine <sup>5</sup> .....	607	8.02	-	-	30	8.70	47	7.25	486	8.05	12	7.39	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	340	5.22	-	-	41	5.47	17	5.83	233	5.13	9	4.86	6	5.41	13	6.02
Men .....	233	5.32	-	-	29	5.48	11	5.85	153	5.23	-	-	-	-	13	6.02
Women .....	107	5.00	-	-	12	5.42	6	5.79	80	4.94	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stock clerks .....	203	5.22	-	-	28	5.99	11	4.71	146	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	123	5.29	-	-	21	5.78	-	-	82	5.11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	80	5.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	4.95	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	1,463	4.78	19	5.90	88	4.97	128	5.10	1,051	4.78	112	4.13	-	-	-	-
Men .....	346	4.31	-	-	13	5.68	27	4.16	211	4.28	77	4.22	-	-	-	-
Women .....	1,117	4.92	16	6.04	75	4.85	101	5.35	840	4.91	35	3.93	-	-	-	-
Time .....	1,015	4.89	16	6.04	71	4.89	101	5.35	743	4.86	34	3.91	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	102	5.24	-	-	-	-	-	-	97	5.29	-	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, virtually all workers were women.

<sup>4</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>5</sup> Virtually all workers were men.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 10. Occupational averages: By labor-management contract coverage**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States <sup>3</sup>				Middle Atlantic				Border States			
	Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	124	\$6.54	662	\$4.63	-	-	16	\$4.97	11	\$5.51	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	57	7.58	120	5.14	19	\$7.38	-	-	10	5.67	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	80	7.67	575	6.18	56	7.66	14	7.30	9	8.20	12	\$5.39
Markers .....	20	7.48	192	5.29	10	8.00	9	6.58	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	122	6.71	636	4.95	69	6.20	11	5.32	18	6.35	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	138	5.80	146	4.56	19	6.28	-	-	10	5.64	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	46	5.75	59	4.91	15	5.97	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	98	6.35	472	4.76	21	6.02	37	5.23	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	1,007	5.38	593	4.63	40	5.34	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	6,542	5.32	26,855	4.71	1,554	5.77	510	5.21	811	5.36	1,689	5.12
Dress and sport shirts .....	6,386	5.30	24,297	4.66	1,398	5.71	509	5.20	811	5.36	1,529	5.19
Underpressers .....	141	5.48	129	4.18	36	6.10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	19	5.58	73	3.70	11	5.16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	122	5.46	56	4.80	25	6.51	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	208	5.88	1,053	4.56	79	5.48	13	5.09	23	6.42	52	4.44
Folders, garment .....	781	5.21	1,231	4.89	-	-	18	5.83	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	467	5.18	757	4.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	166	5.47	203	5.53	9	6.28	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	148	5.01	271	4.34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	84	5.82	308	4.76	32	5.85	10	5.70	10	5.85	37	4.68
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	72	5.54	371	4.78	33	5.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	376	5.71	1,803	4.61	110	5.63	27	6.01	62	5.78	144	4.73
Pressers, finish .....	396	5.89	952	4.32	158	6.44	-	-	54	5.95	-	-
Hand .....	207	5.89	660	4.32	141	6.26	-	-	36	5.55	-	-
Machine .....	171	5.68	226	4.27	-	-	-	-	18	6.76	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	66	4.46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	36	5.60	134	3.63	24	5.47	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 10. Occupational averages: By labor-management contract coverage—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States <sup>3</sup>				Middle Atlantic				Border States			
	Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	99	\$5.48	467	\$4.21	16	\$4.98	8	\$4.75	10	\$5.31	33	\$4.38
Repairers, sewing machine .....	182	8.19	425	7.94	23	8.92	7	7.99	17	8.53	30	6.53
Shipping clerks .....	74	5.87	266	5.04	28	5.82	13	4.71	9	6.28	8	5.32
Stock clerks .....	50	5.82	153	5.03	24	6.12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	298	5.63	1,165	4.56	39	5.64	49	4.44	45	5.77	83	4.74

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 10. Occupational averages: By labor-management contract coverage—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Southeast				Southwest		Pacific	
	Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>								
Assemblers .....	-	-	553	\$4.71	28	\$3.79	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	-	-	89	4.97	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	7	\$7.03	471	6.17	36	5.84	18	\$6.53
Markers .....	-	-	172	5.20	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	-	-	551	4.90	23	5.94	17	4.19
<b>Sewing department</b>								
Collar pointers .....	84	5.51	121	4.48	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	-	-	46	4.95	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	-	-	355	4.80	29	4.35	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	878	5.36	512	4.74	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	3,363	5.05	21,778	4.63	1,648	5.11	500	4.37
Dress and sport shirts .....	3,363	5.05	19,960	4.62	1,111	4.38	500	4.37
Underpressers .....	-	-	76	3.78	43	4.74	-	-
Hand .....	-	-	65	3.65	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	11	4.58	41	4.75	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>								
Baggers and boxers .....	89	6.07	802	4.61	116	4.31	42	4.10
Folders, garment .....	532	4.92	1,062	4.99	127	4.04	-	-
Hand .....	-	-	702	4.98	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	195	5.44	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	165	4.54	104	4.00	-	-
Garment repairers .....	26	5.60	233	4.80	24	4.19	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	29	5.80	314	4.83	16	4.11	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	113	5.67	1,417	4.42	132	5.79	34	4.77
Pressers, finish .....	148	5.25	688	4.37	78	4.68	56	4.20
Hand .....	-	-	511	4.45	14	4.48	46	4.23
Machine .....	118	5.44	140	4.01	64	4.72	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	-	-	112	3.61	-	-	15	3.79

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 10. Occupational averages: By labor-management contract coverage—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Southeast				Southwest		Pacific	
	Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Miscellaneous</b>								
Janitors .....	55	\$5.74	382	\$4.16	28	\$4.49	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	124	7.99	362	8.07	12	7.39	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	26	6.20	207	4.99	9	4.86	13	\$6.02
Stock clerks .....	15	5.68	131	4.96	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	175	5.65	876	4.61	112	4.13	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 11. Occupational averages—dress shirts: By labor-management contract coverage**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' dress shirt manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States						Middle Atlantic					
	All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	204	\$5.93	93	\$6.96	111	\$5.06	62	\$5.79	-	-	15	\$5.03
Clicker-machine operators .....	87	6.44	47	7.56	40	5.12	21	7.49	18	\$7.41	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	155	6.82	61	7.54	94	6.35	52	7.36	45	7.35	7	7.47
Markers .....	46	6.20	14	7.52	32	5.62	14	7.30	6	7.99	-	-
Spreaders .....	166	6.26	76	7.21	90	5.46	47	6.81	44	6.83	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	179	5.47	121	5.82	58	4.73	17	6.38	13	6.51	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	56	5.53	44	5.75	12	4.72	15	6.10	13	5.99	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	201	5.56	76	6.80	125	4.80	47	5.57	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	1,137	5.12	875	5.36	262	4.35	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	10,044	4.93	5,040	5.43	5,004	4.44	1,623	5.65	1,316	5.71	307	5.38
Dress and sport shirts .....	10,039	4.94	5,036	5.43	5,003	4.44	1,619	5.65	1,312	5.71	307	5.38
Underpressers .....	175	5.17	126	5.32	49	4.79	30	6.04	28	6.03	-	-
Hand .....	15	4.91	13	4.97	-	-	11	5.16	11	5.16	-	-
Machine .....	160	5.20	-	-	47	4.80	19	6.54	17	6.59	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	371	5.13	153	6.11	218	4.45	58	5.83	50	5.87	8	5.56
Folders, garment .....	995	4.92	713	5.16	282	4.31	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	510	4.94	439	5.12	71	3.82	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	152	5.45	126	5.51	26	5.19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	333	4.66	148	5.01	185	4.37	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	120	5.38	71	5.98	49	4.52	37	5.92	31	5.86	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	123	4.94	64	5.49	59	4.36	38	4.75	32	4.98	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	571	5.05	308	5.69	263	4.29	113	5.73	96	5.57	-	-
Pressers, finish .....	639	5.21	339	5.94	300	4.38	169	6.26	148	6.47	-	-
Hand .....	306	5.11	162	6.13	144	3.96	144	6.05	131	6.28	-	-
Machine .....	279	5.17	159	5.53	120	4.69	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	54	5.97	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	81	4.59	33	5.64	48	3.87	22	5.43	21	5.51	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	158	4.94	82	5.68	76	4.14	17	5.13	14	5.05	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	225	8.11	152	8.35	73	7.59	25	8.59	21	8.99	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	80	5.53	51	5.91	29	4.88	27	5.60	22	5.94	-	-
Stock clerks .....	63	5.61	38	6.02	25	4.97	22	6.18	19	6.29	-	-
Work distributors .....	495	4.98	246	5.80	249	4.16	70	5.09	36	5.59	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 11. Occupational averages--dress shirts: By labor-management contract coverage--Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' dress shirt manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Border States				Southeast					Southwest				
	All workers		Majority of workers covered		All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		All workers		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>														
Assemblers .....	-	-	-	-	109	\$6.46	-	-	72	\$5.49	-	-	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	-	-	-	-	39	6.31	-	-	24	4.71	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	8	\$8.23	8	\$8.23	59	6.52	-	-	57	6.53	28	\$5.82	28	\$5.82
Markers .....	-	-	-	-	18	5.68	-	-	15	5.23	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	-	-	-	-	84	5.76	-	-	75	5.46	-	-	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>														
Collar pointers .....	13	5.11	10	5.64	121	5.23	74	\$5.51	47	4.78	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	-	-	-	-	26	4.83	-	-	6	4.20	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	35	6.16	-	-	72	5.82	-	-	48	4.97	29	4.35	29	4.35
Loaders, machine .....	-	-	-	-	969	5.17	764	5.34	205	4.54	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	887	5.00	739	5.29	5,905	4.75	2,448	5.22	3,457	4.41	1,018	4.43	1,018	4.43
Dress and sport shirts .....	887	5.00	739	5.29	5,904	4.75	2,448	5.22	3,456	4.41	1,018	4.43	1,018	4.43
Underpressers .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	4.74	43	4.74
Hand .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	4.75	41	4.75
<b>Finishing department</b>														
Baggers and boxers .....	33	6.07	22	6.42	147	5.20	65	6.20	82	4.41	113	4.32	113	4.32
Folders, garment .....	-	-	-	-	650	4.79	500	4.91	150	4.37	118	4.04	118	4.04
Hand .....	-	-	-	-	370	4.78	-	-	51	3.72	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	202	4.80	-	-	81	4.85	104	4.00	104	4.00
Garment repairers .....	11	5.63	10	5.85	36	5.16	18	5.89	18	4.43	23	4.20	23	4.20
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	-	-	-	-	68	4.98	-	-	44	4.49	9	4.28	9	4.28
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	84	5.16	58	5.83	230	4.49	77	5.31	153	4.08	61	4.45	61	4.45
Pressers, finish .....	95	4.69	44	6.09	260	4.76	111	5.17	149	4.45	71	4.78	71	4.78
Hand .....	-	-	-	-	77	4.27	-	-	72	4.23	7	5.32	7	5.32
Machine .....	18	6.76	18	6.76	151	5.02	106	5.19	45	4.62	64	4.72	64	4.72
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	-	-	-	-	57	4.30	-	-	45	3.89	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>														
Janitors .....	15	4.84	10	5.31	91	4.95	46	5.95	45	3.93	21	4.48	21	4.48
Repairers, sewing machine .....	25	7.72	16	8.57	158	8.06	101	8.18	57	7.86	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	8	6.25	8	6.25	29	5.54	13	6.15	16	5.04	-	-	-	-
Stock clerks .....	-	-	-	-	27	5.35	11	5.93	16	4.95	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	58	5.36	45	5.77	248	5.12	140	5.85	108	4.18	89	4.02	89	4.02

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 12. Occupational averages--sport shirts: By labor-management contract coverage**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' sport shirt manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States						Middle Atlantic					
	All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered		All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	559	\$4.60	31	\$5.26	528	\$4.56	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	79	5.33	-	-	70	5.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	461	6.22	17	8.19	444	6.14	14	\$8.57	9	\$9.30	-	-
Markers .....	144	5.21	-	-	142	5.20	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	530	4.93	43	5.85	487	4.84	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	95	4.57	-	-	84	4.45	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	44	4.83	-	-	44	4.83	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	298	4.84	-	-	283	4.87	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	437	5.02	-	-	323	4.86	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	21,080	4.76	1,360	4.83	19,720	4.75	214	5.06	-	-	118	\$4.57
Dress and sport shirts .....	20,424	4.73	1,350	4.83	19,074	4.72	203	5.06	-	-	117	4.55
Underpressers .....	66	4.18	7	7.32	59	3.81	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	56	3.99	6	6.91	50	3.64	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	10	5.29	-	-	9	4.79	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	833	4.64	52	5.15	781	4.61	-	-	-	-	-	-
Folders, garment .....	916	5.20	63	5.60	853	5.17	15	4.72	-	-	9	4.40
Hand .....	626	5.20	-	-	598	5.16	10	4.30	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	211	5.51	-	-	176	5.59	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	79	4.34	-	-	79	4.34	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	259	4.84	12	4.92	247	4.84	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	292	4.88	8	5.94	284	4.85	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	1,430	4.63	60	5.63	1,370	4.58	16	5.09	-	-	-	-
Pressers, finish .....	612	4.41	55	5.54	557	4.29	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	468	4.49	43	4.95	425	4.45	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	117	4.18	-	-	105	3.78	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	86	3.49	-	-	86	3.49	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	382	4.23	17	4.50	365	4.22	6	4.28	-	-	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	345	8.05	28	7.31	317	8.12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	231	5.08	21	5.74	210	5.01	11	4.74	-	-	-	-
Stock clerks .....	102	5.33	12	5.18	90	5.36	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	894	4.70	49	4.76	845	4.69	8	4.21	-	-	8	4.21

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 12. Occupational averages--sport shirts: By labor-management contract coverage--Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' sport shirt manufacturing establishments, by labor-management contract coverage, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Border States				Southeast					
	All workers		None or minority of workers covered		All workers		Majority of workers covered		None or minority of workers covered	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>										
Assemblers .....	-	-	-	-	479	\$4.64	-	-	458	\$4.61
Clicker-machine operators .....	10	\$5.16	-	-	65	5.40	-	-	59	5.03
Cutters, machine .....	13	5.58	12	\$5.39	389	6.15	-	-	384	6.13
Markers .....	-	-	-	-	139	5.16	-	-	139	5.16
Spreaders .....	26	5.05	-	-	442	4.91	-	-	431	4.84
<b>Sewing department</b>										
Collar pointers .....	-	-	-	-	81	4.43	-	-	71	4.28
Collar top trimmers .....	-	-	-	-	37	4.92	-	-	37	4.92
Inspectors, intermediate .....	-	-	-	-	258	4.88	-	-	243	4.92
Loaders, machine .....	-	-	-	-	413	5.05	-	-	299	4.89
Sewing-machine operators .....	1,453	5.40	1,381	5.37	17,872	4.70	915	\$4.57	16,957	4.71
Dress and sport shirts .....	1,453	5.40	1,381	5.37	17,284	4.67	915	4.57	16,369	4.67
Underpressers .....	-	-	-	-	53	3.84	-	-	51	3.72
Hand .....	-	-	-	-	46	3.73	-	-	44	3.59
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	7	4.55	-	-	7	4.55
<b>Finishing department</b>										
Baggers and boxers .....	38	4.19	37	4.12	696	4.69	24	5.69	672	4.65
Folders, garment .....	-	-	-	-	856	5.20	-	-	824	5.21
Hand .....	-	-	-	-	571	5.21	-	-	571	5.21
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	208	5.51	-	-	176	5.59
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	77	4.31	-	-	77	4.31
Garment repairers .....	36	4.72	36	4.72	213	4.87	8	4.94	205	4.87
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	-	-	-	-	274	4.89	-	-	269	4.88
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	122	4.96	118	4.96	1,201	4.55	-	-	1,165	4.49
Pressers, finish .....	-	-	-	-	486	4.44	-	-	449	4.35
Hand .....	30	4.46	-	-	378	4.51	-	-	353	4.51
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	106	4.16	-	-	94	3.71
Thread trimmers .....	-	-	-	-	67	3.42	-	-	67	3.42
<b>Miscellaneous</b>										
Janitors .....	28	4.46	28	4.46	325	4.21	-	-	316	4.20
Repairers, sewing machine .....	18	7.12	17	7.07	306	8.12	23	7.20	283	8.20
Shipping clerks .....	9	5.46	8	5.32	179	5.02	-	-	166	4.93
Stock clerks .....	-	-	-	-	81	5.29	-	-	77	5.30
Work distributors .....	56	5.03	56	5.03	765	4.70	35	4.89	730	4.70

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 13. Occupational averages: By type of area**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States <sup>3</sup>				Middle Atlantic		Border States			
	Metropolitan areas <sup>4</sup>		Nonmetropolitan areas		Metropolitan areas		Metropolitan areas		Nonmetropolitan areas	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>										
Assemblers .....	243	\$4.75	543	\$5.02	64	\$5.79	14	\$5.27	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	65	6.27	112	5.73	23	7.29	12	5.79	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	255	6.85	400	6.05	68	7.60	14	6.16	-	-
Markers .....	58	6.50	154	5.12	15	7.14	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	225	5.57	533	5.09	77	6.06	17	6.00	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>										
Collar pointers .....	68	5.63	216	5.01	18	6.39	10	5.86	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	43	5.36	62	5.22	16	5.95	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	188	5.29	382	4.91	51	5.45	-	-	57	\$5.12
Loaders, machine .....	414	5.24	1,186	5.05	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	10,336	5.14	23,061	4.68	1,922	5.57	1,353	5.58	1,147	4.75
Dress and sport shirts .....	9,100	5.09	21,583	4.67	1,907	5.58	1,193	5.72	1,147	4.75
Underpressers .....	107	5.59	163	4.37	32	6.01	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	23	5.08	69	3.75	11	5.16	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	84	5.73	-	-	21	6.46	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>										
Baggers and boxers .....	417	4.99	844	4.68	89	5.37	52	4.83	-	-
Folders, garment .....	595	5.32	1,417	4.89	91	5.67	30	7.02	-	-
Hand .....	377	5.26	847	4.91	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	80	6.57	289	5.20	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	138	4.74	281	4.50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	142	5.28	250	4.82	41	5.82	17	5.28	30	4.73
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	156	4.99	287	4.85	53	4.84	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	715	5.18	1,464	4.61	129	5.65	100	5.54	106	4.58
Pressers, finish .....	466	5.33	882	4.49	177	6.25	46	5.77	-	-
Hand .....	346	5.14	521	4.40	152	6.04	38	5.46	-	-
Machine .....	98	5.44	299	4.69	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	62	4.27	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	91	4.01	79	4.08	22	5.43	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>										
Janitors .....	157	4.76	409	4.31	24	4.90	21	4.93	22	4.27
Repairers, sewing machine .....	169	8.40	438	7.87	28	8.74	20	7.57	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	122	5.33	218	5.16	39	5.42	9	6.13	8	5.49
Stock clerks .....	97	5.21	106	5.24	28	5.99	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	508	4.89	955	4.72	85	4.93	62	5.06	66	5.14

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 13. Occupational averages: By type of area—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Southeast				Southwest		Middle West		Pacific	
	Metropolitan areas		Nonmetropolitan areas		Metropolitan areas		Nonmetropolitan areas		Metropolitan areas	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>										
Assemblers .....	74	\$4.52	537	\$5.01	28	\$3.79	-	-	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	6	4.80	104	5.78	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	93	6.94	385	6.01	36	5.84	-	-	20	\$6.70
Markers .....	26	6.52	149	5.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	75	5.00	496	5.01	23	5.94	-	-	21	4.68
<b>Sewing department</b>										
Collar pointers .....	28	5.29	177	4.84	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	12	4.47	54	5.08	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	87	5.22	307	4.87	20	4.43	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	342	5.26	1,048	5.09	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	4,397	4.77	20,744	4.67	1,255	5.40	392	\$4.73	579	4.55
Dress and sport shirts .....	3,873	4.78	19,450	4.67	718	4.50	350	4.67	579	4.55
Underpressers .....	-	-	140	4.26	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	-	-	67	3.74	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>										
Baggers and boxers .....	172	5.20	719	4.65	-	-	-	-	44	4.19
Folders, garment .....	384	5.17	1,210	4.91	46	4.02	-	-	7	6.19
Hand .....	248	5.25	773	4.88	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	237	5.19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	86	4.55	200	4.68	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	52	5.26	207	4.78	20	4.24	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	61	5.32	282	4.82	16	4.11	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	293	4.54	1,237	4.50	-	-	24	5.83	40	4.88
Pressers, finish .....	130	4.57	706	4.52	28	4.70	-	-	58	4.30
Hand .....	92	4.15	449	4.51	14	4.48	-	-	46	4.23
Machine .....	38	5.60	220	4.50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	-	-	76	4.04	-	-	-	-	15	3.79
<b>Miscellaneous</b>										
Janitors .....	66	4.77	371	4.28	22	4.48	-	-	8	4.68
Repairers, sewing machine .....	93	8.68	393	7.90	12	7.39	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	31	5.12	202	5.13	9	4.86	6	5.41	13	6.02
Stock clerks .....	52	4.64	94	5.26	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	235	4.96	816	4.73	59	4.36	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Metropolitan Statistical Areas as defined by the U.S. Office of

Management and Budget through June 1983.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 14. Occupational averages: By size of establishment**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States <sup>3</sup>				Middle Atlantic				Border States			
	20 - 249 workers		250 workers or more		20 - 249 workers		250 workers or more		20 - 249 workers		250 workers or more	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	443	\$4.62	343	\$5.33	58	\$5.67	-	-	-	-	10	\$5.59
Clicker-machine operators .....	90	5.13	87	6.75	14	6.99	10	\$7.68	12	\$5.25	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	411	6.20	244	6.63	57	7.50	-	-	12	5.47	9	8.09
Markers .....	120	5.48	92	5.52	10	7.36	9	7.29	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	412	4.70	346	5.87	60	5.59	20	7.56	21	4.81	16	6.37
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	73	4.85	211	5.27	11	6.19	13	6.27	-	-	18	5.31
Collar top trimmers .....	43	4.77	62	5.63	11	5.78	7	6.19	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	244	4.39	326	5.52	19	4.32	39	6.09	31	4.84	32	6.12
Loaders, machine .....	223	4.58	1,377	5.18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	16,156	4.60	17,241	5.04	1,494	5.38	570	6.31	1,505	5.33	995	5.01
Dress and sport shirts .....	15,541	4.61	15,142	4.98	1,479	5.38	428	6.26	1,345	5.42	995	5.01
Nightwear .....	295	4.07	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Underpressers .....	71	4.88	199	4.85	17	5.83	23	6.26	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	39	4.05	53	4.11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	32	5.89	146	5.11	10	7.00	19	6.13	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	607	4.45	654	5.09	73	5.18	19	6.35	43	4.41	32	5.90
Folders, garment .....	602	4.88	1,410	5.07	-	-	-	-	33	6.04	-	-
Hand .....	398	4.97	826	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	61	5.39	308	5.52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	143	4.42	276	4.66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	163	4.71	229	5.19	17	5.37	-	-	36	4.75	11	5.54
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	191	4.34	252	5.32	50	4.77	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	1,195	4.48	984	5.18	108	5.46	29	6.64	104	5.49	102	4.59
Pressers, finish .....	753	4.46	595	5.19	98	5.66	-	-	71	4.58	-	-
Hand .....	509	4.52	358	4.95	93	5.61	-	-	42	4.77	-	-
Machine .....	177	4.25	220	5.38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	67	4.51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	72	3.82	98	4.21	10	5.15	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	269	4.12	297	4.71	20	4.81	-	-	22	4.37	21	4.83
Repairers, sewing machine .....	293	8.05	314	7.98	21	8.90	9	8.26	27	7.38	20	7.09
Shipping clerks .....	197	5.08	143	5.42	30	5.30	-	-	12	5.59	-	-
Stock clerks .....	91	5.27	112	5.18	17	5.78	-	-	-	-	8	4.51
Work distributors .....	619	4.47	844	5.01	58	4.87	-	-	71	4.98	57	5.25

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 14. Occupational averages: By size of establishment—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Southeast				Southwest				Middle West		Pacific	
	20 - 249 workers		250 workers or more		20 - 249 workers		250 workers or more		20 - 249 workers		20 - 249 workers	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	340	\$4.47	271	\$5.56	6	\$4.32	-	-	-	-	11	\$4.40
Clicker-machine operators .....	54	4.67	56	6.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	291	5.93	187	6.58	19	6.39	-	-	-	-	16	6.55
Markers .....	104	5.25	71	5.24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	289	4.42	282	5.62	-	-	19	\$6.19	-	-	19	4.75
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	49	4.43	156	5.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	25	4.45	41	5.29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	173	4.30	221	5.45	9	4.61	20	4.23	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	182	4.58	1,208	5.21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	11,363	4.36	13,778	4.96	421	4.82	1,227	5.21	411	\$4.68	435	4.59
Dress and sport shirts .....	11,067	4.37	12,256	4.97	319	4.94	792	4.16	369	4.62	435	4.59
Nightwear .....	295	4.07	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Underpressers .....	31	3.83	119	4.54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	20	3.42	47	3.88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	11	4.58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	385	4.28	506	5.11	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	4.50
Folders, garment .....	382	4.66	1,212	5.07	-	-	56	4.00	-	-	7	6.19
Hand .....	277	4.83	744	5.02	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	39	4.06	248	5.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	66	4.32	220	4.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	91	4.54	168	5.06	-	-	16	4.11	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	113	4.04	230	5.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	860	4.16	670	4.96	27	4.58	-	-	24	5.83	29	4.78
Pressers, finish .....	480	4.19	356	4.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	4.19
Hand .....	319	4.24	222	4.76	12	4.53	-	-	-	-	38	4.08
Machine .....	124	3.93	134	5.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	41	3.56	83	3.96	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	3.79
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	192	3.92	245	4.70	13	4.76	15	4.26	7	4.25	7	4.85
Repairers, sewing machine .....	223	8.05	263	8.06	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	124	4.88	109	5.42	6	5.31	-	-	6	5.41	11	6.13
Stock clerks .....	61	5.08	85	5.01	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	414	4.32	637	5.08	32	3.82	80	4.25	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 15. Occupational averages: By method of wage payment**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	United States <sup>3</sup>				Middle Atlantic				Border States			
	Timeworkers		Incentive workers		Timeworkers		Incentive workers		Timeworkers		Incentive workers	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>												
Assemblers .....	538	\$4.40	248	\$6.10	23	\$5.02	-	-	-	-	10	\$5.59
Clicker-machine operators .....	94	4.90	83	7.09	8	6.75	16	\$7.54	12	\$5.25	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	483	6.14	172	6.99	41	7.64	29	7.52	10	5.56	11	7.53
Markers .....	183	5.48	29	5.63	19	7.33	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	488	4.57	270	6.44	62	5.68	18	7.46	20	4.83	17	6.25
<b>Sewing department</b>												
Collar pointers .....	13	4.34	271	5.20	-	-	21	6.37	-	-	19	5.47
Collar top trimmers .....	-	-	103	5.29	-	-	16	6.08	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	355	4.99	215	5.12	-	-	44	5.52	24	5.22	39	5.65
Loaders, machine .....	-	-	1,576	5.11	-	-	40	5.34	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	706	4.58	32,691	4.83	149	5.33	1,915	5.66	-	-	2,496	5.20
Dress and sport shirts .....	574	4.59	30,109	4.80	138	5.35	1,769	5.60	-	-	2,336	5.24
Underpressers .....	38	3.82	232	5.02	11	4.80	29	6.57	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	34	3.80	58	4.25	10	4.69	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	174	5.28	-	-	28	6.45	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>												
Baggers and boxers .....	632	4.42	629	5.14	68	5.12	24	6.27	10	4.85	65	5.08
Folders, garment .....	42	3.86	1,970	5.04	-	-	91	5.75	-	-	92	5.53
Hand .....	18	3.75	1,206	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	10	4.47	359	5.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	14	3.58	405	4.61	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	313	4.85	79	5.52	39	5.78	-	-	45	5.00	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	239	4.66	204	5.18	35	5.09	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	410	4.29	1,769	4.91	-	-	123	5.73	-	-	190	5.15
Pressers, finish .....	111	4.40	1,237	4.82	18	5.69	161	6.31	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	89	4.34	778	4.74	-	-	142	6.06	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	14	4.48	383	4.89	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	6.76
Hand and machine .....	8	4.93	76	5.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	76	3.87	94	4.18	-	-	11	5.20	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>												
Janitors .....	563	4.44	-	-	24	4.90	-	-	43	4.59	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	596	8.05	-	-	30	8.70	-	-	45	7.24	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	338	5.22	-	-	41	5.47	-	-	17	5.83	-	-
Stock clerks .....	202	5.22	-	-	28	5.99	-	-	10	4.56	-	-
Work distributors .....	1,361	4.74	102	5.24	84	5.01	-	-	128	5.10	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 15. Occupational averages: By method of wage payment—Continued**

(Number of workers and average straight-time hourly earnings<sup>1</sup> in selected occupations in men's and boys' shirt and nightwear manufacturing establishments, United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Department and occupation	Southeast				Southwest				Middle West				Pacific			
	Timeworkers		Incentive workers		Timeworkers		Incentive workers		Timeworkers		Incentive workers		Timeworkers		Incentive workers	
	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings	Number of workers	Average hourly earnings
<b>Cutting room</b>																
Assemblers .....	432	\$4.40	179	\$6.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clicker-machine operators .....	66	4.66	44	7.32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	381	5.98	97	7.01	15	\$6.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	\$6.53	-	-
Markers .....	154	5.18	21	5.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	380	4.39	191	6.25	-	-	19	\$6.19	-	-	-	-	17	4.19	-	-
<b>Sewing department</b>																
Collar pointers .....	8	3.97	197	4.94	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Collar top trimmers .....	-	-	66	4.97	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, intermediate .....	305	4.95	89	4.92	-	-	23	4.28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loaders, machine .....	-	-	1,367	5.14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	363	4.07	24,778	4.70	111	5.42	1,537	5.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	575	\$4.55
Dress and sport shirts .....	313	4.15	23,010	4.69	-	-	1,040	4.30	-	-	350	\$4.67	-	-	575	4.55
Underpressers .....	27	3.42	123	4.61	-	-	43	4.74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	-	-	43	3.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	4.75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Finishing department</b>																
Baggers and boxers .....	465	4.36	426	5.18	27	4.21	89	4.34	-	-	-	-	42	4.16	-	-
Folders, garment .....	31	3.66	1,563	5.00	-	-	124	4.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	-	-	1,009	4.98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Machine .....	-	-	281	5.34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	273	4.69	-	-	103	4.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment repairers .....	194	4.70	65	5.40	24	4.19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	169	4.55	174	5.26	13	4.11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	346	4.26	1,184	4.58	15	4.68	117	5.93	-	-	24	5.83	11	4.23	29	5.13
Pressers, finish .....	71	4.29	765	4.55	6	4.27	72	4.71	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	4.49
Hand .....	60	4.22	481	4.48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	4.37
Machine .....	-	-	250	4.65	-	-	63	4.73	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand and machine .....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	-	-	68	4.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																
Janitors .....	434	4.36	-	-	28	4.49	-	-	7	\$4.25	-	-	8	4.68	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	477	8.09	-	-	12	7.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shipping clerks .....	231	5.13	-	-	9	4.86	-	-	6	5.41	-	-	13	6.02	-	-
Stock clerks .....	146	5.04	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	954	4.73	97	5.29	111	4.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupation may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 16. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Alabama**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of—																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over	
<b>All production workers</b> .....	8,668	\$5.01	13	11	8	5	6	5	6	7	5	6	4	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Time .....	1,320	5.24	13	7	4	4	3	4	5	7	12	7	11	5	6	6	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	7,348	4.97	13	12	9	5	6	5	6	6	5	6	4	2	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	583	5.79	12	6	4	3	2	2	4	6	5	4	6	6	9	2	3	2	3	2	4	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	
Time .....	480	5.62	13	6	4	3	3	1	4	7	6	4	6	5	10	11	1	3	2	2	1	5	2	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	103	6.61	4	7	5	2	1	6	2	1	1	1	6	8	5	3	5	4	4	4	5	3	3	6	4	9	2	-	2	
Women .....	8,085	4.96	13	11	8	5	6	5	6	6	7	5	7	4	2	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	840	5.03	12	7	4	5	3	5	5	7	15	9	13	5	4	3	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	(?)	-	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	7,245	4.95	13	12	9	5	6	5	6	6	6	5	6	4	2	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																														
<b>Cutting room</b>																														
Assemblers .....	112	4.93	9	11	5	9	3	19	1	6	17	1	4	2	3	-	2	2	-	3	1	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	84	4.50	12	12	6	11	1	25	1	5	20	1	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	28	6.22	-	7	4	4	7	-	-	11	7	-	4	4	11	-	7	7	-	11	4	-	7	4	4	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	19	4.45	42	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	21	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	17	4.19	47	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	93	5.03	2	13	2	11	3	23	1	8	20	-	1	2	2	-	1	2	-	3	1	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	67	4.58	3	15	1	13	1	31	1	6	25	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	26	6.19	-	8	4	4	8	-	-	12	8	-	4	4	8	-	4	8	-	12	4	-	8	4	4	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	13	5.71	-	-	-	-	23	8	-	8	8	-	-	-	23	8	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	8	6.10	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13	13	-	-	-	25	13	13	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	12	5.71	-	-	-	-	25	8	-	8	8	-	-	-	25	8	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	8	6.10	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	13	13	-	-	-	25	13	13	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	47	6.67	-	2	-	-	2	2	2	2	6	6	17	15	6	2	2	6	4	6	4	4	4	4	-	2	2	-	-	
Time .....	22	6.05	-	-	-	-	5	5	5	5	9	9	23	23	5	-	9	-	-	9	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	25	7.21	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	12	8	8	4	4	4	4	8	12	8	4	8	4	8	4	4	4	
Men .....	26	7.01	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	8	4	19	15	-	4	4	4	4	8	8	8	8	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Time .....	12	6.23	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	17	-	25	33	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	14	7.68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	14	-	-	7	7	-	7	14	14	7	7	-	7	7	-	-	-	
Women .....	21	6.24	-	5	-	-	-	5	5	5	5	10	14	14	14	-	-	10	5	5	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	10	5.83	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	10	-	-	20	20	10	10	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers .....	37	4.22	54	5	-	-	-	-	16	11	-	-	5	-	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	35	4.13	57	6	-	-	-	-	14	11	-	-	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	89	5.88	15	3	7	3	2	3	1	4	3	2	4	3	13	2	3	3	2	3	3	-	2	6	3	3	1	-	-	
Time .....	39	4.71	33	-	5	5	3	3	8	8	3	3	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	50	6.79	-	6	8	2	-	4	-	2	-	2	6	6	4	6	6	4	6	6	6	-	4	10	6	6	2	-	-	
Men .....	75	6.14	16	4	1	1	1	3	-	5	4	1	4	4	15	3	4	4	3	4	4	-	3	7	4	4	1	-	-	
Time .....	28	4.74	43	-	-	-	4	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	47	6.98	-	6	2	2	-	4	-	2	-	2	6	6	4	4	6	6	4	6	6	-	4	11	6	6	2	-	-	
Women .....	14	4.46	7	-	36	14	7	7	7	-	7	7	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	11	4.61	9	-	18	18	9	9	9	-	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Sewing department</b>																														
Collar pointers .....	61	4.89	15	10	8	10	10	3	5	5	3	2	5	-	11	-	5	5	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	87	5.00	23	5	6	7	2	2	-	2	2	7	23	8	5	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Time .....	61	5.63	-	5	3	8	3	3	-	2	3	10	33	11	7	5	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	
Women .....	81	4.85	25	5	6	7	2	2	-	2	1	7	23	7	5	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	55	5.48	-	5	4	9	4	4	-	2	2	11	35	11	7	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Loaders, machine .....	356	4.99	10	12	2	9	4	6	4	8	7	11	2	9	2	7	-	4	(?)	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	337	5.02	11	10	2	9	4	7	4	8	7	11	2	9	2	7	-	5	(?)	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	5,626	4.92	13	13	9	5	6	5	6	6	6	4	4	4	2	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Dress and sport shirts .....	4,853	4.88	14	14	9	6	6	5	6	6	6	4	4	4	2	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 16. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Alabama--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																													
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.25	4.25-4.50	4.50-4.75	4.75-5.00	5.00-5.25	5.25-5.50	5.50-5.75	5.75-6.00	6.00-6.25	6.25-6.50	6.50-6.75	6.75-7.00	7.00-7.25	7.25-7.50	7.50-7.75	7.75-8.00	8.00-8.25	8.25-8.50	8.50-8.75	8.75-9.00	9.00-9.25	9.25-9.50	9.50-9.75	9.75 and over			
<b>Finishing department</b>																																
Baggers and boxers .....	202	\$4.85	24	5	5	3	2	2	4	5	32	2	( <sup>2</sup> )	4	1	2	1	1	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )		
Time .....	117	4.74	23	4	7	3	2	-	1	5	52	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Incentive .....	85	5.00	25	7	4	5	4	6	8	6	4	6	1	5	2	5	2	2	1	-	2	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Men .....	25	4.72	36	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Women .....	177	4.87	22	6	6	4	3	3	5	6	29	3	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Time .....	94	4.72	20	5	9	3	2	-	1	6	52	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Incentive .....	83	5.03	24	6	4	5	4	6	8	6	4	6	1	5	2	5	2	2	1	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )		
Folders, garment .....	461	5.15	5	5	11	5	5	5	7	8	5	4	27	3	2	1	1	2	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	-	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	( <sup>2</sup> )		
Hand .....	260	5.39	3	6	8	4	3	4	5	5	5	7	32	4	2	2	1	3	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	1	1	-	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	( <sup>2</sup> )		
Machine .....	74	4.81	11	5	31	-	1	-	-	5	-	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Garment repairers .....	53	5.40	15	4	6	6	-	-	-	-	28	-	9	8	6	2	2	2	4	4	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Time .....	38	5.03	21	3	-	8	-	-	-	-	39	-	11	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	41	5.27	5	5	2	5	5	7	12	2	10	2	15	24	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	37	5.36	5	3	3	3	5	8	11	3	8	3	16	27	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	209	4.96	33	7	3	3	4	4	9	5	4	1	2	2	4	2	2	-	2	2	6	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	1		
Time .....	28	5.33	-	4	4	4	14	7	18	4	18	4	-	4	7	-	-	-	4	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	181	4.90	38	7	3	3	2	3	8	6	2	1	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	6	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	1		
Pressers, finish .....	156	4.42	24	13	10	3	7	9	5	4	8	2	8	3	3	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	119	4.36	26	15	8	3	8	9	3	4	7	3	8	2	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	61	4.29	13	20	15	8	8	13	5	5	5	-	3	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	32	4.16	3	31	13	9	13	19	-	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Machine .....	95	4.50	32	8	7	-	6	6	5	3	9	3	11	3	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	87	4.44	34	9	7	-	7	6	5	2	8	3	10	2	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Thread trimmers .....	36	4.17	56	-	6	3	6	-	3	3	8	-	8	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	25	4.21	48	-	8	4	8	-	4	4	12	-	4	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																																
Janitors .....	85	4.50	27	12	2	2	2	4	7	18	6	1	14	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	44	4.69	16	11	5	5	2	-	14	16	7	2	14	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	41	4.29	39	12	-	-	2	7	-	20	5	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairers, sewing machine .....	94	7.46	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	2	2	5	1	-	5	1	11	7	12	2	22	7	2	1	1	2	3	3	3	3	
Shipping clerks .....	26	5.83	-	-	-	8	-	8	-	12	4	12	15	15	8	12	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	24	5.85	-	-	-	8	-	4	-	13	4	13	17	17	4	13	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	17	6.18	-	-	-	6	-	6	-	-	-	6	18	24	12	18	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	15	6.27	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	20	27	7	20	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	9	5.16	-	-	-	11	-	11	-	33	11	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stock clerks .....	25	5.40	-	-	-	-	16	12	-	12	16	12	4	4	12	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	172	5.09	12	5	6	2	1	2	6	1	2	26	31	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	42	3.90	48	14	7	7	-	-	19	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	130	5.48	-	2	6	1	2	3	2	2	3	35	41	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 17. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Georgia**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over		
All production workers .....	7,927	\$4.79	20	6	7	7	7	7	6	6	5	6	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Time .....	1,301	5.03	11	8	5	8	7	8	7	6	10	5	11	3	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	1	3	2	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1	
Incentive .....	6,626	4.75	22	6	7	7	7	7	7	5	5	5	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	638	5.46	8	7	5	8	6	7	7	5	4	5	5	3	2	3	2	1	1	2	7	3	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	1	2		
Time .....	526	5.42	10	8	6	9	6	5	7	4	5	4	5	3	2	2	2	1	1	2	7	4	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	1	2		
Incentive .....	112	5.65	1	-	2	3	10	16	4	20	2	5	5	3	4	2	6	2	2	3	1	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	-		
Women .....	7,289	4.74	21	6	7	7	7	7	6	6	5	6	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	775	4.77	11	7	4	8	8	10	7	6	14	6	15	1	(?)	1	1	(?)	-	-	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	6,514	4.73	22	6	7	7	7	7	6	5	5	5	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>  Cutting room</b>																															
Assemblers .....	100	4.84	4	2	8	19	10	19	18	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	70	4.44	6	3	9	16	6	27	26	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	30	5.79	-	-	7	27	20	-	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	12	5.44	-	-	-	-	17	-	33	17	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	8	4.77	-	-	-	-	25	-	50	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	88	4.76	5	2	9	22	9	22	16	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	62	4.40	6	3	10	18	3	31	23	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	24	5.00	-	-	8	-	-	21	21	25	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	20	5.10	-	-	-	-	25	20	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	85	5.98	-	-	2	4	8	-	5	7	2	15	9	13	1	1	6	13	5	2	1	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	63	5.74	-	-	3	5	11	-	3	6	3	17	13	14	-	5	13	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	22	6.67	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	9	-	9	5	5	9	14	9	9	9	9	9	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	69	6.10	-	-	3	4	3	-	6	6	3	19	3	13	1	1	7	14	6	3	1	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	48	5.86	-	-	4	6	4	-	4	4	4	23	4	15	-	6	17	4	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	21	6.65	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	10	-	10	5	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	16	5.45	-	-	-	-	31	-	13	-	-	-	38	13	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	15	5.33	-	-	-	-	33	-	13	-	-	-	40	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers:																															
Men .....	11	5.18	-	-	-	-	18	36	18	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	141	4.56	11	13	9	6	14	12	9	16	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	82	3.97	18	23	15	10	12	6	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>  Sewing department</b>																															
Inspectors, intermediate .....	33	4.50	-	-	9	24	24	21	-	6	9	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	30	4.57	-	-	-	27	27	23	-	7	10	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	19	4.69	-	-	16	11	11	26	-	11	16	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	16	4.85	-	-	-	13	13	31	-	13	19	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	4,260	4.72	24	5	6	6	7	7	6	7	5	5	4	4	3	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Dress and sport shirts .....	4,260	4.72	24	5	6	6	7	7	6	7	5	5	4	4	3	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 17. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Georgia--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.25	4.25-4.50	4.50-4.75	4.75-5.00	5.00-5.25	5.25-5.50	5.50-5.75	5.75-6.00	6.00-6.25	6.25-6.50	6.50-6.75	6.75-7.00	7.00-7.25	7.25-7.50	7.50-7.75	7.75-8.00	8.00-8.25	8.25-8.50	8.50-8.75	8.75-9.00	9.00-9.25	9.25-9.50	9.50-9.75	9.75 and over	
<b>Finishing department</b>																														
Baggers and boxers .....	123	\$4.78	5	7	10	15	7	6	17	3	11	1	5	11	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	49	4.65	10	-	8	16	6	2	27	6	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	74	4.87	1	12	11	14	8	8	11	1	1	1	8	18	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	490	4.72	16	5	10	8	9	9	8	6	4	6	12	3	1	2	1	(?)	1	1	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	409	4.76	16	5	8	8	9	7	8	5	5	6	13	3	(?)	2	1	(?)	1	1	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Garment repairers .....	56	4.82	-	9	9	7	18	7	-	7	21	7	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	34	4.44	-	15	12	12	29	6	-	6	18	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	22	5.42	-	-	5	-	-	9	-	9	27	14	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	275	4.77	16	9	6	9	6	9	4	7	9	4	6	5	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	51	5.03	-	2	4	4	4	20	10	8	29	14	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	224	4.71	20	11	7	10	6	7	3	7	5	1	7	6	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	
Pressers, finish .....	142	4.80	18	7	5	5	6	7	8	10	6	4	8	4	4	4	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	105	4.54	24	8	7	7	5	10	9	9	5	3	8	2	4	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																														
Janitors .....	85	4.47	31	4	9	7	7	6	6	2	2	-	15	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	56	4.54	27	5	14	4	4	4	9	4	4	-	13	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	29	4.34	38	-	-	14	14	10	-	-	-	-	21	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairers, sewing machine .....	112	8.16	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	4	4	4	4	3	7	31	19	1	5	2	1	4	10	
Shipping clerks .....	24	5.59	-	-	-	-	17	8	-	-	25	4	-	29	-	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	15	6.06	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	7	-	40	-	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	9	4.81	-	-	-	-	44	22	-	-	22	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stock clerks .....	14	6.08	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	7	-	29	14	14	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	9	6.06	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	22	22	22	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Work distributors .....	274	4.98	3	8	4	14	5	4	6	7	7	13	26	1	1	(?)	1	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	222	4.97	3	9	4	15	4	3	5	5	5	14	32	-	-	-	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	40	4.35	10	30	10	18	-	-	-	8	13	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	234	5.09	2	4	3	13	6	5	7	6	6	14	30	1	2	(?)	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	182	5.11	1	5	3	14	4	4	6	5	4	15	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 18. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Mississippi**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over	
<b>All production workers</b> .....	4,306	\$4.13	23	17	11	15	8	6	5	4	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Time .....	925	4.45	7	13	11	24	11	5	3	7	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Incentive .....	3,381	4.04	28	18	11	13	8	6	6	4	3	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	457	4.80	5	10	9	10	11	9	7	6	13	3	2	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	390	4.84	5	10	10	10	12	9	5	5	11	3	3	2	3	3	1	1	2	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Women .....	3,849	4.05	26	18	11	16	8	5	5	4	3	2	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	535	4.16	9	16	12	34	10	2	2	8	3	2	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	3,314	4.03	28	18	11	13	8	6	6	4	2	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																														
<b>  Cutting room</b>																														
Assemblers .....	81	4.27	2	14	10	33	4	10	2	22	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	61	4.32	3	18	10	21	5	7	3	30	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	8	4.66	-	-	-	25	13	38	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	73	4.23	3	15	11	34	3	7	3	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	53	4.27	4	21	11	21	4	2	4	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	16	4.92	-	13	6	6	6	13	13	6	-	13	-	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	10	4.97	-	-	10	10	10	-	20	10	-	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	68	5.14	3	6	-	6	26	-	3	10	3	19	-	4	6	3	3	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	62	5.15	3	6	-	6	26	-	11	3	21	-	2	6	3	3	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	39	5.35	5	10	-	5	5	-	5	15	5	15	-	3	10	5	5	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	35	5.44	6	11	-	6	-	-	-	17	6	17	-	3	11	6	6	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women:																														
Time .....	27	4.78	-	-	-	7	59	-	-	4	-	26	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers .....	16	4.85	-	13	-	-	31	13	6	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	14	4.93	-	14	-	-	21	14	7	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	6	5.46	-	-	-	-	50	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	10	4.49	-	20	-	-	20	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	8	4.54	-	25	-	-	-	25	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	86	4.46	2	16	6	21	13	8	5	3	17	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	80	4.49	3	18	6	18	11	9	5	4	19	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	79	4.48	3	18	4	20	11	8	5	4	19	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	73	4.51	3	19	4	16	10	8	5	4	21	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>  Sewing department</b>																														
Collar pointers .....	21	4.41	10	29	-	10	-	10	10	10	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Collar top trimmers .....	7	4.11	14	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	63	3.93	17	19	6	38	10	-	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	36	4.01	6	17	-	56	17	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	2,373	3.98	32	17	10	15	7	5	5	3	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Dress and sport shirts .....	2,313	3.96	33	17	10	16	8	5	4	3	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 18. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Mississippi--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of—																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over	
<b>Finishing department</b>																														
Baggers and boxers .....	126	\$4.09	15	17	9	29	5	9	2	11	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	84	3.95	17	23	12	27	5	7	2	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	42	4.37	12	5	2	33	5	12	2	24	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	117	4.31	12	19	13	9	12	9	12	3	3	1	5	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand and machine .....	70	4.52	7	14	10	1	16	14	19	3	3	1	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Garment repairers .....	16	3.79	-	63	13	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	51	4.36	-	8	18	35	4	6	-	16	10	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	45	4.39	-	4	20	36	4	2	-	18	11	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	48	4.32	-	8	17	38	4	6	-	15	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	42	4.35	-	5	19	38	5	2	-	17	12	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	152	3.92	18	39	10	15	5	4	1	-	1	4	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pressers, finish .....	105	4.06	30	12	11	11	4	15	6	8	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	99	4.06	31	13	12	6	4	16	6	8	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	59	4.28	25	5	3	14	-	27	10	10	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	53	4.31	28	6	4	4	-	30	11	11	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																														
Janitors .....	56	3.87	18	9	54	4	4	5	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	38	3.89	18	13	42	5	5	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	18	3.80	17	-	78	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairs, sewing machine .....	46	6.84	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	4	-	2	9	-	7	11	17	9	-	9	7	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Shipping clerks .....	38	4.94	-	5	-	8	32	5	3	-	26	8	-	-	3	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	29	5.03	-	7	-	-	41	-	3	-	21	10	-	-	3	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	9	4.68	-	-	-	33	-	22	-	-	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stock clerks .....	11	5.23	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	45	-	18	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Work distributors .....	102	4.14	8	20	16	21	10	11	1	13	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	46	4.16	11	9	17	15	11	24	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	56	4.12	5	29	14	25	9	-	2	13	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 19. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--North Carolina**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.25	4.25-4.50	4.50-4.75	4.75-5.00	5.00-5.25	5.25-5.50	5.50-5.75	5.75-6.00	6.00-6.25	6.25-6.50	6.50-6.75	6.75-7.00	7.00-7.25	7.25-7.50	7.50-7.75	7.75-8.00	8.00-8.25	8.25-8.50	8.50-8.75	8.75-9.00	9.00-9.25	9.25-9.50	9.50-9.75	9.75 and over		
All production workers .....	8,108	\$4.73	15	9	8	10	9	9	8	6	6	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1
Time .....	1,426	5.00	6	7	10	15	10	10	9	7	5	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	(?)	2	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	3	
Incentive .....	6,682	4.67	17	9	7	9	9	8	8	5	6	4	4	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	524	5.99	2	6	3	12	8	8	4	7	5	2	4	3	2	4	2	1	1	4	1	6	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	8
Time .....	472	5.92	2	6	3	13	9	8	4	8	5	1	3	3	1	3	2	1	(?)	3	1	5	3	2	1	(?)	(?)	2	1	8	
Incentive .....	52	6.62	2	2	6	2	-	6	-	-	2	4	8	6	8	10	-	2	6	12	4	12	6	2	-	4	-	-	-		
Women .....	7,584	4.64	16	9	8	10	9	9	8	6	6	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	954	4.55	7	7	14	15	10	11	11	7	5	3	2	1	1	1	(?)	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	6,630	4.66	17	9	7	9	9	8	8	5	6	4	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>Cutting room</b>																															
Assemblers .....	94	4.62	6	15	9	2	11	10	15	9	16	1	2	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	79	4.46	5	18	10	-	11	11	16	10	16	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	15	5.44	13	-	-	13	7	-	7	-	13	-	13	7	-	-	7	13	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	89	4.57	7	16	9	2	11	10	15	9	16	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	76	4.43	5	18	11	-	12	12	16	11	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	14	4.84	-	-	21	7	29	-	-	-	14	-	21	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	9	4.46	-	-	33	11	33	-	-	-	11	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	13	4.76	-	-	23	8	31	-	-	-	15	-	15	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	9	4.46	-	-	33	11	33	-	-	-	11	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	110	6.34	-	1	-	-	7	3	7	14	3	2	2	9	1	7	7	5	1	14	3	6	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	
Time .....	94	6.15	-	1	-	-	9	2	9	16	3	2	2	11	-	9	9	3	-	12	1	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Incentive .....	16	7.49	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	19	6	25	13	13	6	-	-	6	-	-		
Markers .....	21	6.64	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	5	19	14	5	24	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	
Women .....	12	5.59	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	33	25	8	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	65	5.27	5	6	8	15	9	6	3	11	3	3	2	3	3	3	-	-	3	9	-	2	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	
Time .....	38	4.59	5	8	5	26	11	11	5	16	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	27	6.22	4	4	11	-	7	-	-	4	-	7	4	7	7	7	-	-	7	11	-	4	7	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	49	5.54	2	8	2	16	4	8	-	12	4	4	2	4	4	4	-	-	4	10	-	2	4	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	28	4.75	-	11	-	29	7	14	-	21	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	21	6.59	5	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	10	5	10	10	10	-	-	10	10	-	5	10	5	-	5	-	-	-	-		
Women .....	16	4.44	13	-	25	13	25	-	13	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	10	4.14	20	-	20	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Sewing department</b>																															
Collar pointers .....	30	4.50	17	27	-	-	13	7	13	-	3	3	3	3	-	3	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Collar top trimmers .....	16	5.47	-	13	-	13	-	13	-	-	6	13	25	6	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	61	5.08	7	-	-	-	7	41	16	11	7	5	-	-	-	2	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Loaders, machine .....	110	4.78	12	4	6	12	15	9	7	9	5	4	4	4	3	1	2	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	4,542	4.62	18	9	8	10	8	8	8	5	6	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	4,542	4.62	18	9	8	10	8	8	8	5	6	4	3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	

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**Table 19. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions—North Carolina—Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of—																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over	
<b>Finishing department</b>																														
Baggers and boxers .....	141	\$4.68	11	11	9	17	9	8	4	11	5	1	4	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	53	3.90	17	23	13	15	23	2	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	88	5.15	7	5	6	18	-	11	2	17	8	1	6	2	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	100	5.29	-	11	6	-	8	6	12	11	5	14	8	3	2	3	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	
Hand .....	92	5.36	-	9	3	-	9	7	13	12	5	15	9	3	2	3	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	
Garment repairers .....	67	4.65	13	3	10	1	6	10	7	28	9	6	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	55	4.69	15	2	11	-	4	7	7	33	9	7	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	96	4.34	20	16	2	15	18	4	5	4	4	1	2	2	3	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	65	4.37	25	23	-	3	14	6	3	5	6	2	2	2	5	3	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	387	4.29	13	9	20	11	11	12	8	5	3	2	1	1	2	1	-	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	181	4.51	23	8	7	8	9	6	8	8	6	5	2	3	3	2	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pressers, finish .....	198	4.46	22	25	6	7	7	4	8	3	4	2	1	3	3	1	-	1	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	1	
Hand .....	194	4.47	22	25	5	7	6	4	8	3	4	2	1	3	3	1	-	1	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	1	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																														
Janitors .....	75	4.18	4	11	13	40	7	8	3	11	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	47	4.27	-	11	11	40	6	13	2	11	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	28	4.04	11	11	18	39	7	-	4	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairers, sewing machine .....	80	8.67	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	6	1	-	1	1	4	25	8	11	6	1	8	3	20	
Shipping clerks .....	42	4.65	-	19	-	10	17	12	5	7	19	5	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	27	4.61	-	30	-	15	11	-	-	-	30	7	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	15	4.72	-	-	-	-	27	33	13	20	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stock clerks .....	12	4.82	-	-	8	-	17	25	17	8	8	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	8	4.84	-	-	13	-	38	25	-	-	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Work distributors .....	171	4.36	11	5	8	27	8	16	9	5	4	2	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	45	4.56	-	4	-	29	13	31	7	2	4	-	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	126	4.28	14	6	11	27	6	10	10	6	4	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

<sup>3</sup> Workers were distributed as follows: 1 percent at \$9.75 and under \$10; 5 percent at \$10 and under \$10.25; 1 percent at \$10.75 and under \$11; 3 percent at \$11 and under \$11.25; 8 percent at \$11.50 and under \$11.75; and 3 percent at \$12.50 and under \$12.75.

percent at \$12.50 and under \$12.75.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 20. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Pennsylvania**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over		
All production workers .....	2,573	\$5.74	3	4	3	5	6	5	5	9	7	8	7	5	7	6	3	4	3	3	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	1
Time .....	425	5.86	1	7	2	5	4	2	4	7	2	10	10	10	8	9	4	4	2	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	-	-	2	
Incentive .....	2,148	5.71	3	3	3	6	6	5	5	10	7	7	7	5	6	5	3	4	3	4	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	1	(?)	1	1	
Men .....	244	6.39	1	5	1	5	2	1	2	3	2	4	4	9	10	17	7	7	3	3	2	5	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	3	
Time .....	197	6.35	1	7	2	5	2	1	3	3	1	5	3	7	11	15	8	8	1	3	2	5	2	2	2	1	-	-	4		
Women .....	2,329	5.67	3	4	3	5	6	5	5	10	7	8	7	5	6	4	3	4	3	3	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	1	(?)	1	1	
Time .....	228	5.44	2	7	2	4	5	4	5	10	4	14	15	12	6	4	(?)	1	3	1	1	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	2,101	5.69	3	3	3	6	6	5	5	10	8	7	7	4	6	4	3	4	3	4	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	1	(?)	1	1	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>  Cutting room</b>																															
<b>Assemblers:</b>																															
Time .....	7	5.79	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	29	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	6	6.29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	17	6.97	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	12	18	18	29	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	8	6.75	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	38	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	15	6.87	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	13	20	20	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	8	6.75	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	38	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	43	7.00	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	5	2	-	-	-	-	21	12	14	19	9	7	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Time .....	25	6.93	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	4	20	24	16	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Men .....	37	6.96	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	5	3	-	-	-	-	24	14	16	5	11	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
Time .....	21	6.87	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	10	-	-	-	-	-	5	24	29	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	
Markers .....	11	7.72	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	27	27	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	10	7.70	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	20	30	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	46	6.31	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	9	30	15	28	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	36	6.35	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	11	11	19	36	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	38	6.40	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	16	34	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	30	6.45	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	20	43	13	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	8	5.93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	50	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>  Sewing department</b>																															
Collar pointers .....	15	6.48	7	7	-	-	-	7	7	7	-	-	-	7	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	7	7	7	-	-	-	-	
Collar top trimmers .....	13	5.75	-	8	-	8	8	-	-	15	15	8	8	-	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	12	5.93	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	17	17	8	8	-	8	-	-	-	8	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	14	5.56	7	14	-	7	7	7	7	7	-	-	7	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	12	5.80	8	8	-	8	8	-	8	8	-	-	8	-	8	-	-	17	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	
Loaders, machine .....	38	5.30	5	-	5	3	13	3	11	11	13	8	8	5	5	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	1,521	5.60	4	4	3	6	7	6	5	10	8	6	6	4	7	4	3	4	2	4	1	2	1	1	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	1	1	
Dress and sport shirts .....	1,375	5.51	4	5	3	6	7	7	5	11	8	6	6	4	7	4	3	4	2	4	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Underpressers .....	33	5.98	-	-	-	21	-	-	9	3	3	15	3	3	3	3	12	3	3	9	-	3	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	26	6.47	-	-	-	4	-	-	8	4	4	19	4	4	4	4	15	4	4	12	-	4	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	31	6.11	-	-	-	16	-	-	10	3	3	16	3	3	3	3	13	3	3	10	-	3	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	26	6.47	-	-	-	4	-	-	8	4	4	19	4	4	4	4	15	4	4	12	-	4	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	
Machine .....	26	6.47	-	-	-	4	-	-	8	4	4	19	4	4	4	4	15	4	4	12	-	4	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 20. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Pennsylvania--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																										
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 3.75	3.75 4.00	4.00 4.25	4.25 4.50	4.50 4.75	4.75 5.00	5.00 5.25	5.25 5.50	5.50 5.75	5.75 6.00	6.00 6.25	6.25 6.50	6.50 6.75	6.75 7.00	7.00 7.25	7.25 7.50	7.50 7.75	7.75 8.00	8.00 8.25	8.25 8.50	8.50 8.75	8.75 9.00	9.00 9.25	9.25 9.50	9.50 9.75	9.75 and over
<b>Finishing department</b>																													
Baggers and boxers .....	49	\$5.75	-	-	2	6	-	6	10	2	-	10	31	12	2	4	4	6	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	28	5.53	-	-	4	-	-	7	18	-	-	14	36	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	21	6.04	-	-	-	14	-	5	-	5	-	5	24	-	5	10	10	14	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	84	5.55	-	1	7	8	-	2	6	13	10	11	14	4	6	4	4	7	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-		
Garment repairers .....	16	5.68	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	25	6	6	13	-	25	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Time .....	13	5.55	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	23	8	8	15	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Inspectors, final (inspect only) .....	37	4.73	-	3	16	16	5	5	3	32	-	11	5	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	97	5.55	4	4	2	5	16	4	8	4	6	2	4	8	9	2	2	-	3	3	4	3	3	1	-	-	-		
Pressers, finish .....	122	6.30	-	2	2	2	3	2	6	10	8	9	7	7	3	6	4	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	-	5	2		
Hand .....	121	6.33	-	2	2	2	3	2	6	10	8	9	7	7	3	6	4	3	3	3	2	2	3	2	-	5	2		
Thread trimmers .....	24	5.37	-	4	4	-	8	-	4	8	4	58	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Incentive .....	11	5.20	-	-	9	-	18	-	9	18	9	18	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																													
Janitors .....	14	4.89	14	7	7	14	-	7	14	7	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	13	4.88	15	8	8	15	-	8	15	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairs, sewing machine .....	24	8.73	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	21	17	8	8	4	-		
Shipping clerks .....	15	6.10	-	-	-	-	7	-	7	7	-	7	7	13	27	20	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-		
Men .....	11	6.18	-	-	-	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	9	18	18	27	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-		
Work distributors .....	55	5.21	2	5	2	11	15	2	2	4	2	18	18	15	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Time .....	51	5.29	-	6	-	12	14	2	2	2	2	20	20	16	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Men .....	13	5.68	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	15	15	31	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Women .....	42	5.07	2	7	2	7	19	2	2	5	2	19	19	10	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Time .....	38	5.16	-	8	-	8	18	3	3	3	3	21	21	11	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

<sup>3</sup> Workers were distributed as follows: 17 percent at \$10 and under \$10.25; 4 percent at \$12.50 and under \$12.75; and 4 percent at \$13 and over.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 21. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--South Carolina**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																											
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.50	8.50 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.50	9.50 - 10.00	10.00 - 10.50	10.50 - 11.00	11.00 - 11.50	11.50 - 12.00	12.00 and over	
All production workers .....	5,886	\$5.16	12	6	8	7	6	7	7	8	6	5	4	5	3	3	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
Time .....	882	5.31	5	3	7	7	7	14	10	12	5	4	2	9	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Incentive .....	5,004	5.14	13	7	8	6	6	5	7	8	6	5	4	4	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	396	6.29	4	1	3	5	5	8	6	13	7	4	3	6	2	2	2	3	1	6	2	2	2	3	4	1	2	3	1	
Time .....	324	6.09	5	2	3	6	6	8	6	12	9	4	3	6	2	2	2	1	4	2	2	2	2	4	4	2	2	1	1	
Incentive .....	72	7.20	3	-	-	1	-	6	6	18	-	1	1	7	1	1	6	8	3	14	3	-	1	-	6	-	-	11	3	
Women .....	5,490	5.08	12	7	8	7	6	7	7	8	6	5	4	5	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	
Time .....	558	4.86	5	3	9	8	8	18	12	12	3	4	1	10	1	5	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	4,932	5.11	13	7	8	6	6	5	7	7	6	5	4	4	3	3	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																														
<b>  Cutting room</b>																														
Assemblers .....	65	5.66	-	2	8	17	2	3	18	6	5	3	-	12	-	-	-	3	3	6	-	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	36	4.79	-	3	14	17	-	6	33	6	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	29	6.73	-	-	-	17	3	-	7	10	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	14	-	14	7	7	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	7	4.31	-	-	14	57	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	58	5.82	-	2	7	12	2	3	21	3	5	3	-	14	-	-	-	3	3	7	-	7	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	31	4.92	-	3	13	6	-	6	39	6	-	-	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	27	6.85	-	-	-	19	4	-	-	11	7	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	15	-	15	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Clicker-machine operators .....	13	5.35	-	-	8	-	-	38	-	8	15	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	9	5.55	-	-	-	-	-	44	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	9	5.62	-	-	11	-	-	11	-	11	22	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	63	7.19	-	-	5	-	2	3	-	5	3	-	10	10	8	5	3	3	3	11	6	5	5	11	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	38	7.24	-	-	8	-	3	5	-	5	-	-	3	8	5	5	-	5	5	5	8	8	8	5	18	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	25	7.12	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	20	12	12	4	8	-	-	16	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	48	7.70	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	4	-	4	13	6	6	4	4	4	4	10	8	6	6	15	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	33	7.70	-	-	-	3	-	-	6	6	-	3	9	6	6	-	6	6	9	9	9	9	6	21	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers .....	16	6.14	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	38	19	6	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	
Time .....	10	6.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	20	10	10	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	15	6.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	40	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	
Time .....	9	6.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	49	5.62	6	4	4	6	2	10	2	14	2	2	4	12	-	-	4	12	4	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	29	6.32	7	-	-	3	-	7	-	7	-	3	-	21	-	-	7	21	7	14	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	31	6.15	6	-	-	3	-	6	-	16	3	3	6	6	-	6	19	6	13	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	8	5.14	-	-	-	-	25	-	38	13	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	23	6.50	9	-	-	4	-	-	9	-	4	-	9	-	-	9	26	9	17	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>  Sewing department</b>																														
Collar pointers .....	16	4.35	19	-	31	-	13	6	-	19	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	38	6.07	-	-	-	3	-	5	3	13	3	5	-	13	-	50	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	36	6.15	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	14	3	6	-	14	-	53	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Loaders, machine .....	223	5.15	9	9	8	3	9	8	9	7	4	3	5	4	4	5	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Sewing-machine operators .....	3,417	5.08	14	7	8	7	6	5	6	8	5	5	4	4	3	3	1	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	
Dress and sport shirts .....	3,417	5.08	14	7	8	7	6	5	6	8	5	5	4	4	3	3	1	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	-	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 21. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--South Carolina--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.25	4.25-4.50	4.50-4.75	4.75-5.00	5.00-5.25	5.25-5.50	5.50-5.75	5.75-6.00	6.00-6.25	6.25-6.50	6.50-6.75	6.75-7.00	7.00-7.25	7.25-7.50	7.50-8.00	8.00-8.50	8.50-9.00	9.00-9.50	9.50-10.00	10.00-10.50	10.50-11.00	11.00-11.50	11.50-12.00	12.00 and over		
<b>Finishing department</b>																															
Baggers and boxers .....	92	\$5.29	15	1	7	5	4	11	15	3	3	4	2	3	1	9	-	-	-	-	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	33	4.24	30	-	6	6	3	18	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	59	5.87	7	2	7	5	5	7	3	5	5	7	3	5	2	14	-	-	-	-	20	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	87	5.32	16	1	7	6	5	11	10	3	3	5	2	3	1	9	-	-	-	-	14	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	59	5.87	7	2	7	5	5	7	3	5	5	7	3	5	2	14	-	-	-	-	20	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	127	6.01	10	2	9	4	3	7	3	2	5	3	2	4	1	3	8	5	4	6	9	6	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Hand .....	41	5.07	22	7	7	12	-	10	-	-	2	-	2	5	2	5	5	7	7	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Garment repairers .....	52	4.95	-	8	10	-	21	-	-	21	8	27	-	4	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	36	4.82	-	6	14	-	28	-	-	28	-	17	-	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	265	4.92	9	7	13	8	7	6	11	5	6	5	3	3	2	6	-	2	2	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pressers, finish .....	56	5.17	-	5	11	11	13	5	7	11	4	-	7	11	4	-	-	4	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	22	5.79	-	14	9	-	5	5	9	-	-	-	9	9	9	-	-	9	-	18	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																															
Janitors .....	55	4.70	4	7	2	9	11	16	2	27	13	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	39	4.75	5	5	3	10	3	13	3	38	10	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	16	4.56	-	13	-	6	31	25	-	19	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Repairers, sewing machine .....	66	9.09	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	6	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	3	-	14	5	8	5	8	20	6	11	5	3		
Time .....	58	9.48	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	3	-	9	5	9	5	9	22	7	12	5	3		
Shipping clerks .....	27	4.80	-	4	19	11	7	-	11	26	11	4	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	15	4.54	-	7	20	13	13	-	7	33	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	12	5.12	-	-	17	8	-	-	17	17	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stock clerks .....	12	5.54	-	-	17	-	8	-	-	17	-	8	17	8	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	8	5.00	-	-	25	-	13	-	-	25	-	13	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Work distributors .....	208	4.99	1	1	7	11	8	22	8	4	7	15	1	13	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	( <sup>2</sup> )	-	-	-	
Time .....	166	4.81	2	1	9	13	9	27	9	4	4	5	1	17	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	11	4.85	-	-	9	-	-	45	-	-	36	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	197	5.00	2	1	7	11	8	20	8	5	5	15	1	14	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Time .....	155	4.80	2	1	9	14	10	26	10	4	1	5	1	18	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 22. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Tennessee**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	3.75-4.00	4.00-4.25	4.25-4.50	4.50-4.75	4.75-5.00	5.00-5.25	5.25-5.50	5.50-5.75	5.75-6.00	6.00-6.25	6.25-6.50	6.50-6.75	6.75-7.00	7.00-7.25	7.25-7.50	7.50-7.75	7.75-8.00	8.00-8.25	8.25-8.50	8.50-8.75	8.75-9.00	9.00-9.25	9.25-9.50	9.50-9.75	9.75 and over		
			3.35	3.50	3.75	4.00	4.25	4.50	4.75	5.00	5.25	5.50	5.75	6.00	6.25	6.50	6.75	7.00	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.00	8.25	8.50	8.75	9.00	9.25	9.50	9.75	and over	
All production workers .....	6,615	\$4.69	20	10	9	7	6	7	5	7	5	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1	
Time .....	1,450	4.72	7	13	15	9	7	11	3	7	8	4	2	5	1	(?)	1	(?)	3	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	5,165	4.68	24	10	7	7	6	6	5	7	4	5	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Men .....	679	5.37	8	8	9	7	4	11	3	5	7	3	4	3	6	1	1	2	1	7	2	(?)	1	1	(?)	1	1	1	1	2	
Time .....	605	5.11	8	9	9	7	4	13	3	6	8	4	5	3	7	1	1	(?)	7	(?)	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Women .....	5,936	4.61	22	11	9	7	6	6	5	7	4	5	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Time .....	845	4.45	6	15	18	10	9	10	3	7	8	4	4	1	3	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	5,091	4.64	24	10	7	7	6	6	5	7	4	5	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>Cutting room</b>																															
Assemblers .....	132	5.52	3	17	8	16	5	8	-	2	4	4	-	2	-	-	6	2	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	5		
Time .....	75	4.18	5	31	5	24	8	9	-	4	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Men .....	33	4.27	6	36	12	9	12	-	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	29	4.11	7	41	7	10	14	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	99	5.94	2	11	7	18	3	11	-	-	2	5	-	3	3	-	-	-	6	3	6	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	8	6
Time .....	46	4.22	4	24	4	33	4	15	-	-	4	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cutters, machine .....	66	5.66	-	-	3	8	-	11	12	12	8	-	3	12	14	2	8	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	
Men .....	53	5.72	-	-	4	9	-	8	6	15	9	-	4	9	17	2	9	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	13	5.41	-	-	-	-	-	23	38	-	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers .....	32	5.39	-	6	-	6	16	6	-	6	22	3	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	29	5.13	-	7	-	7	17	7	-	7	24	3	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	16	5.84	-	-	-	-	19	13	-	13	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	16	4.95	-	13	-	13	13	-	-	44	6	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	113	5.04	7	17	3	12	3	20	1	4	12	4	-	-	3	2	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	3	3	
Time .....	93	4.41	9	20	3	14	2	25	-	5	14	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	3	
Men .....	100	5.13	8	13	-	13	3	23	1	3	13	5	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	80	4.42	10	16	-	16	3	29	-	4	16	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	13	4.35	-	46	23	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Sewing department</b>																															
Collar top trimmers .....	11	5.13	18	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	8	5.53	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, intermediate .....	105	5.10	1	14	16	6	7	10	-	20	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	14	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	81	4.37	1	19	21	7	9	12	-	26	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sewing-machine operators .....	4,018	4.46	26	11	9	7	6	6	5	8	4	5	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Dress and sport shirts .....	3,084	4.48	29	11	8	6	5	7	4	6	3	3	3	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Finishing department</b>																															
Baggers and boxers .....	138	4.96	17	16	4	4	9	7	7	2	6	-	2	1	7	8	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Time .....	69	4.03	20	28	7	3	14	13	4	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	69	5.88	13	4	-	6	4	-	10	4	1	-	4	1	13	16	-	-	7	-	-	-	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Folders, garment .....	229	4.66	12	5	9	12	14	5	8	10	6	6	5	2	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Hand .....	129	4.42	17	6	11	14	12	4	6	12	5	3	4	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Garment repairers .....	6	4.81	-	-	33	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	180	4.25	33	4	13	8	8	10	5	3	-	6	7	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	160	4.30	37	2	8	8	9	9	6	4	-	6	8	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pressers, finish .....	171	4.55	33	6	11	7	8	4	4	6	6	1	1	2	2	4	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Incentive .....	157	4.61	36	4	8	8	7	3	4	6	6	1	1	2	2	4	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand .....	100	4.23	35	8	13	2	7	4	2	10	10	2	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	86	4.28	41	5	8	2	6	2	2	12	12	2	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Machine .....	71	5.00	31	3	7	14	8	3	7	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	7	-	3	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 22. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Tennessee--Continued**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50	3.75	4.00	4.25	4.50	4.75	5.00	5.25	5.50	5.75	6.00	6.25	6.50	6.75	7.00	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.00	8.25	8.50	8.75	9.00	9.25	9.50	9.75 and over		
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																															
Janitors .....	66	\$4.36	29	11	9	3	9	14	3	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	55	4.51	31	4	4	4	11	16	4	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	11	3.62	18	45	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Repairers, sewing machine .....	79	7.63	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	3	10	5	-	6	3	38	4	4	5	4	-	-	-	4	9	-	
Shipping clerks .....	65	5.28	-	-	6	3	8	6	18	5	15	6	3	3	23	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	44	5.32	-	-	5	-	11	5	14	7	20	9	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	21	5.18	-	-	10	10	-	10	29	-	5	-	10	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stock clerks .....	56	4.55	14	5	18	-	9	25	-	-	14	-	5	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	30	4.46	13	7	30	-	-	27	-	-	7	-	10	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	26	4.66	15	4	4	-	19	23	-	-	23	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Work distributors .....	72	4.89	8	8	10	6	11	18	-	3	-	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	27	4.26	22	7	22	7	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	45	5.26	-	9	2	4	18	13	-	4	-	-	-	-	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 23. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Charlotte--Gastonia--Rock Hill, NC--SC**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of—																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50-3.75	4.00	4.25	4.50	4.75	5.00	5.25	5.50	5.75	6.00	6.25	6.50	6.75	7.00	7.25	7.50	7.75	8.00	8.25	8.50	8.75	9.00	9.25	9.50	9.75 and over			
<b>All production workers</b> .....	2,077	\$5.27	1	8	7	6	12	7	7	8	7	6	5	6	3	4	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1
Time .....	364	5.69	1	3	6	9	6	12	5	13	5	4	2	7	3	7	1	-	1	2	1	2	2	(?)	1	(?)	1	-	(?)	6	
Incentive .....	1,713	5.18	2	9	7	6	13	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	3	4	3	2	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	-	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Men</b> .....	130	6.96	-	-	2	5	5	3	1	13	5	4	5	5	4	4	2	-	-	6	2	6	5	1	2	1	-	2	-	17	
Time .....	1,947	5.16	1	8	7	6	13	8	7	8	7	6	5	6	3	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	1	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Incentive .....	234	4.98	1	5	8	11	6	16	7	14	5	3	(?)	9	3	9	1	-	1	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	1,713	5.18	2	9	7	6	13	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	3	4	3	2	1	2	1	1	(?)	1	(?)	-	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>Cutting room</b>																															
<b>Assemblers</b> .....	35	4.71	9	6	6	11	9	20	6	6	3	3	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	28	4.76	11	7	7	-	7	25	7	7	-	-	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Cutters, machine</b> .....	36	7.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	6	-	-	3	-	8	-	-	-	-	14	6	22	14	3	3	3	3	-	6	
<b>Spreaders</b> .....	19	5.09	-	-	11	11	11	11	11	21	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	11	5.64	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	36	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Sewing department</b>																															
<b>Sewing-machine operators</b> .....	978	5.20	2	9	7	6	10	6	7	7	8	6	7	7	2	4	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	-	(?)	(?)	-	-	-	(?)	
Dress and sport shirts .....	978	5.20	2	9	7	6	10	6	7	7	8	6	7	7	2	4	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	-	(?)	(?)	-	-	-	(?)	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																															
<b>Repairers, sewing machine</b> .....	23	10.38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	4	-	9	-	3	74	
<b>Stock clerks</b> .....	8	5.30	-	-	-	-	25	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Work distributors</b> .....	86	5.11	-	-	7	15	6	12	7	6	9	28	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	44	4.54	-	-	14	27	9	23	11	5	-	2	2	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

<sup>3</sup> Workers were distributed as follows: 13 percent at \$9.75 and under \$10; 4 percent at \$10 and under \$10.25; 4 percent at \$10.25 and under \$10.50; 4 percent at \$10.75 and under \$11; 9 percent at \$11 and under \$11.25; 9 per-

cent at \$11.25 and under \$11.50; 22 percent at \$11.50 and under \$11.75; and 9 percent at \$12.50 and under \$12.75.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 24. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions—Los Angeles—Long Beach, CA**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of—																										
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over
All production workers .....	675	\$4.38	25	14	8	9	6	8	4	7	4	3	2	2	1	1	2	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)	1	1	(?)	-	(?)	-	-	(?)
Time .....	255	4.52	21	18	7	10	7	5	3	9	1	4	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	(?)	2	2	(?)	-	(?)	-	-	1
Incentive .....	420	4.29	27	12	8	9	5	10	5	6	6	3	2	2	(?)	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	168	4.94	13	15	8	7	6	5	5	10	3	5	1	5	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	-	1	-	-	1
Time .....	131	5.03	9	18	7	7	6	5	5	11	1	4	2	5	2	5	1	2	1	2	2	3	3	-	-	2	-	-	2
Incentive .....	37	4.63	27	3	11	5	5	5	5	11	11	-	5	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	507	4.19	29	14	8	10	6	9	4	6	4	3	2	2	1	1	2	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	(?)	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	124	3.98	34	17	8	13	8	6	1	6	1	3	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	383	4.26	27	13	8	9	5	10	5	6	5	2	2	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Selected occupations</b>																													
<b>  Cutting room</b>																													
Assemblers .....	10	4.19	-	30	10	20	-	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	8	4.29	-	25	-	25	-	25	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	6	4.27	-	17	17	33	-	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cutters, machine .....	12	6.13	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	33	-	8	-	-	-	-	8	17	8	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spreaders .....	15	4.21	7	27	7	13	13	7	7	13	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	14	4.19	7	29	7	14	14	-	7	14	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>  Sewing department</b>																													
Sewing-machine operators .....	309	4.23	32	10	9	6	6	12	4	6	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	24	4.35	42	-	13	-	8	8	8	8	4	-	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(?)
Women .....	285	4.22	31	11	9	6	6	12	4	6	5	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dress and sport shirts .....	309	4.23	32	10	9	6	6	12	4	6	6	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Men .....	24	4.35	42	-	13	-	8	8	8	8	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	285	4.22	31	11	9	6	6	12	4	6	5	3	1	2	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>  Finishing department</b>																													
Baggers and boxers .....	23	4.36	30	4	-	9	22	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	21	4.32	33	5	-	10	24	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	13	4.03	23	8	-	15	38	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	11	3.90	27	9	-	18	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	23	4.58	13	22	-	4	-	17	9	13	4	9	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	11	4.23	27	27	-	9	-	-	-	9	9	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	12	4.91	-	17	-	-	-	33	17	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	19	4.37	16	26	-	5	-	21	11	5	-	11	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time .....	10	4.10	30	30	-	10	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	9	4.67	-	22	-	-	-	44	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pressers, finish .....	47	4.07	36	19	6	11	2	2	11	2	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	37	4.26	22	22	8	14	3	3	14	3	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	44	4.06	34	20	7	11	2	2	11	2	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Incentive .....	36	4.22	22	22	8	14	3	3	14	3	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand .....	37	4.07	38	16	8	11	3	3	8	3	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Women .....	34	4.07	35	18	9	12	3	3	9	3	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thread trimmers .....	9	3.56	56	22	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>  Miscellaneous</b>																													
Shipping clerks .....	11	6.13	-	-	-	-	9	27	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.



**Table 26. Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear: Occupational earnings distributions--Pottsville-Shamokin, PA**

(Percent distribution of workers in selected occupations by straight-time hourly earnings,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Department, occupation, sex, and method of wage payment	Number of workers	Average (mean) hourly earnings	Percent of workers receiving straight-time hourly earnings (in dollars) of--																												
			3.35 and under 3.50	3.50 - 3.75	3.75 - 4.00	4.00 - 4.25	4.25 - 4.50	4.50 - 4.75	4.75 - 5.00	5.00 - 5.25	5.25 - 5.50	5.50 - 5.75	5.75 - 6.00	6.00 - 6.25	6.25 - 6.50	6.50 - 6.75	6.75 - 7.00	7.00 - 7.25	7.25 - 7.50	7.50 - 7.75	7.75 - 8.00	8.00 - 8.25	8.25 - 8.50	8.50 - 8.75	8.75 - 9.00	9.00 - 9.25	9.25 - 9.50	9.50 - 9.75	9.75 and over		
All production workers .....	920	\$5.74	2	7	4	5	5	4	5	8	5	8	7	5	6	6	5	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	(?)	-	1	
Time .....	182	5.48	-	15	4	4	7	2	4	12	2	9	9	4	2	8	6	3	-	1	2	3	2	-	1	1	-	-	1		
Incentive .....	738	5.80	2	5	4	5	5	4	5	7	5	7	6	6	7	6	5	4	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	-	1		
Men .....	89	6.08	-	11	3	4	4	1	4	2	3	1	4	7	4	11	13	4	-	1	4	4	6	-	1	1	-	-	1		
Time .....	80	6.05	-	13	4	4	5	1	5	3	3	1	4	6	4	11	14	5	-	1	4	5	5	-	1	1	-	-	1		
Incentive .....	9	6.38	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	11	-	11	11	11	11	11	-	-	11	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Women .....	831	5.70	2	7	4	5	6	4	5	9	5	8	7	5	6	6	4	3	2	3	2	2	1	1	-	-	1	(?)	-	1	
Time .....	102	5.03	-	17	4	5	8	3	4	20	1	16	13	2	1	5	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Incentive .....	729	5.79	2	5	4	5	5	4	5	7	5	7	6	6	7	6	5	4	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	-	1		
<b>Selected occupations</b>																															
<b>Cutting room</b>																															
Cutters, machine .....	11	6.30	-	-	9	-	-	-	9	9	9	-	-	-	-	9	27	9	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	9	6.22	-	-	11	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	11	33	11	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Markers .....	7	7.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	-	-	43	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	6	7.23	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	33	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spreaders .....	18	6.11	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	22	11	6	28	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Sewing department</b>																															
Inspectors, intermediate .....	12	5.15	8	17	-	8	8	8	8	8	-	7	8	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	
Sewing-machine operators .....	555	5.66	2	7	5	5	4	5	6	8	6	7	6	6	8	5	4	3	2	3	2	1	2	1	1	1	(?)	-	(?)	-	1
Dress and sport shirts .....	413	5.38	3	10	5	6	5	6	5	8	6	8	6	6	8	4	3	3	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	(?)	-	-	-	(?)	
Underpressers .....	18	6.08	-	-	-	6	-	-	11	6	6	17	6	6	6	6	11	6	6	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Machine .....	18	6.08	-	-	-	6	-	-	11	6	6	17	6	6	6	6	11	6	6	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Finishing department</b>																															
Baggers and boxers .....	13	5.40	-	-	8	23	-	-	15	-	-	15	-	15	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	7	5.29	-	-	14	-	-	-	29	-	-	29	-	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	6	5.53	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Folders, garment .....	15	5.16	-	7	13	27	-	-	7	7	-	7	-	7	7	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	14	5.25	-	7	7	29	-	-	7	7	-	7	-	7	7	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	12	4.87	-	8	17	25	-	-	8	8	-	8	-	8	8	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Incentive .....	11	4.96	-	9	9	27	-	-	9	9	-	9	-	9	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hand:																															
Women .....	7	4.04	-	14	29	43	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Garment repairers .....	7	5.59	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	43	-	14	-	-	-	-	14	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Inspectors, final (and thread trimmers) .....	18	5.72	-	-	-	17	28	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	11	-	6	6	-	6	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>																															
Repairers, sewing machine .....	11	8.33	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	18	36	-	9	9	-	-	-	9	
Shipping clerks .....	7	6.05	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	-	14	-	29	14	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Men .....	6	6.22	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	33	17	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Work distributors .....	23	4.74	4	13	4	9	30	-	4	-	-	4	26	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	19	4.86	-	16	-	11	32	-	-	-	-	5	32	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Women .....	21	4.63	5	14	5	10	33	-	5	-	5	19	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time .....	17	4.73	-	18	-	12	35	-	-	-	-	6	24	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

<sup>1</sup> Excludes premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data. Overall classification may include data for subclassifications not shown separately.

**Table 27. Method of wage payment**

(Percent of production workers in establishments by method of wage payment,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Method	United States <sup>3</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Time-rated workers .....	20	22	27	15	18	25	19	30
Formal plans .....	9	11	8	6	9	2	14	5
Single rate .....	4	8	3	3	4	-	4	4
Range of rates .....	5	3	4	3	5	2	10	1
Length of service .....	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-
Merit review .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	1	-	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-
Combination .....	3	3	3	1	3	2	10	1
Individual rates .....	11	11	20	9	9	23	6	26
Incentive workers .....	80	78	73	85	82	75	81	70
Individual piecework .....	80	78	73	84	82	72	75	70
Group piecework .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	( <sup>4</sup> )	1	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-
Individual bonus .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
Group bonus .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-	( <sup>4</sup> )	3	-	-

<sup>1</sup> For definition of method of wage payment, see appendix A.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions, in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals. Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 28. Scheduled weekly hours**

(Percent of production workers in establishments by scheduled weekly hours,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Weekly hours	United States <sup>3</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Under 36 hours .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	1	-	-	-	4	-
37.5 hours .....	1	-	5	3	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-
Over 37.5 and under 40 hours .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-	( <sup>4</sup> )	-	-	-
40 hours .....	98	84	94	90	99	100	96	100
Over 40 and under 45 hours .....	( <sup>4</sup> )	16	-	-	-	-	-	-
Over 45 hours .....	1	-	-	7	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> Data relate to the predominant schedule for full-time, day-shift workers in each establishment.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions, in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal 100. Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 29. Paid holidays**(Percent of production workers in establishments with formal provisions for paid holidays, United States and selected regions,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Benefit	United States <sup>2</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Workers in establishments providing paid holidays .....	96	100	100	95	96	100	96	87
Under 5 days .....	5	-	-	-	6	-	-	-
5 days .....	15	-	-	-	19	9	7	3
6 days .....	19	6	5	54	19	2	5	28
6 days plus 1 or 2 half days .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
7 days .....	13	-	3	-	16	9	6	39
7 days plus 1 or 2 half days .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
8 days .....	19	-	18	7	17	51	43	1
8 days plus 1 or 2 half days .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
9 days .....	3	-	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	1	28	-	12
9 days plus 1 or 2 half days .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
10 days .....	5	16	4	12	4	-	35	-
11 days .....	18	79	68	21	14	-	-	-
11 days plus 1 or 2 half days .....	( <sup>3</sup> )	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

<sup>1</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.<sup>2</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.<sup>3</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals. Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 30. Paid vacations**

(Percent of production workers in establishments with formal provisions for paid vacations after selected periods of service, United States and selected regions,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Benefit	United States <sup>2</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
<b>Method of payment</b>								
Workers in establishments providing paid vacations .....	97	100	100	95	98	100	95	80
Length-of-time payment .....	48	59	92	56	46	15	53	51
Percentage payment .....	49	41	8	39	51	85	41	29
<b>Amount of vacation pay<sup>3</sup></b>								
After 6 months of service:								
Under 1 week .....	32	-	9	39	31	65	43	-
1 week .....	26	94	61	25	24	-	35	12
Over 1 week .....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
After 1 year of service:								
1 week or less .....	60	2	31	65	65	45	52	68
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	12	-	-	-	11	55	-	-
2 weeks .....	12	45	17	23	10	-	43	-
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	(*)	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
3 weeks .....	13	53	52	7	11	-	-	12
After 2 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	42	2	7	12	48	44	45	66
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	13	-	-	3	17	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	25	45	33	73	22	3	50	2
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	3	-	1	-	-	51	-	-
3 weeks .....	14	53	59	7	11	-	-	12
After 3 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	26	2	2	-	32	18	10	49
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	9	-	-	-	12	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	39	20	17	64	39	29	85	19
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	6	-	1	-	3	51	-	-
3 weeks .....	17	79	81	31	11	-	-	12
After 5 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	12	2	-	-	15	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	5	-	-	-	7	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	53	4	18	41	60	40	85	22
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	6	-	1	-	3	51	-	-
3 weeks or more .....	20	94	81	55	12	-	-	13
After 8 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	11	2	-	-	13	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	5	-	-	-	7	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	50	4	17	41	58	40	7	22
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	4	-	1	-	-	51	35	-
3 weeks or more .....	27	94	82	55	20	-	43	13

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 30. Paid vacations—Continued**

(Percent of production workers in establishments with formal provisions for paid vacations after selected periods of service, United States and selected regions,<sup>1</sup> June 1987)

Benefit	United States <sup>2</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
<b>Amount of vacation pay<sup>3</sup>—Continued</b>								
After 10 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	9	2	-	-	11	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	5	-	-	-	7	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	34	4	16	12	43	5	7	5
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	4	-	1	-	-	51	35	-
3 weeks or more .....	45	94	84	83	36	35	43	30
After 12 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	9	2	-	-	11	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	5	-	-	-	7	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	31	4	16	12	39	5	7	5
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	4	-	1	-	1	51	-	-
3 weeks or more .....	47	94	84	83	39	35	78	30
After 15 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	9	2	-	-	11	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	5	-	-	-	7	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	28	4	14	12	35	5	7	4
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
3 weeks .....	47	94	86	83	39	35	78	31
Over 3 weeks .....	7	-	1	-	5	51	-	-
After 20 years of service:								
1 week or less .....	9	2	-	-	11	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	3	-	-	-	4	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	30	4	14	12	38	5	7	4
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
3 weeks .....	23	16	21	44	22	9	-	19
Over 3 and under 4 weeks .....	4	-	1	-	1	51	35	-
4 weeks .....	25	79	64	39	18	26	43	12
Over 4 weeks .....	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
After 25 years of service: <sup>5</sup>								
1 week or less .....	9	2	-	-	11	7	10	45
Over 1 and under 2 weeks .....	3	-	-	-	4	2	-	-
2 weeks .....	27	4	13	-	35	5	7	4
Over 2 and under 3 weeks .....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
3 weeks .....	22	16	22	57	20	9	-	19
Over 3 and under 4 weeks .....	4	-	1	-	1	51	35	-
4 weeks or more .....	31	79	64	39	26	26	43	12

<sup>1</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>2</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> Vacation payments, such as percent of annual earnings, were converted to an equivalent time basis. Periods of service were chosen arbitrarily and do not necessarily reflect individual establishment provisions for progression. For example, changes indicated at 20 years may include changes that oc-

curred between 15 and 20 years.

<sup>4</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

<sup>5</sup> Vacation provisions were virtually the same after longer periods of service.

NOTE: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals. Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 31. Health, insurance, and retirement plans**

(Percent of production workers in establishments with specified health, insurance, and retirement plans,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1987)

Benefit	United States <sup>3</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Workers in establishments providing:								
Life insurance .....	88	98	92	95	89	89	85	13
Noncontributory plans .....	63	98	92	88	58	59	78	13
Accidental death and dismemberment insurance .....	72	20	46	79	75	89	50	13
Noncontributory plans .....	50	20	46	79	48	59	43	13
Sickness and accident insurance or sick leave or both <sup>4</sup> .....	43	79	64	52	40	34	78	2
Sickness and accident insurance ....	41	79	58	52	38	33	78	-
Noncontributory plans .....	34	79	58	52	31	7	78	-
Sick leave (full pay, no waiting period) .....	1	-	6	-	1	1	-	2
Sick leave (partial pay or waiting period) .....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Long-term disability insurance .....	1	-	7	-	-	2	-	-
Noncontributory plans .....	1	-	7	-	-	2	-	-
Hospitalization insurance .....	90	100	95	95	92	96	50	13
Noncontributory plans .....	44	94	93	41	40	33	-	13
Surgical insurance .....	90	100	95	95	92	96	50	13
Noncontributory plans .....	44	94	93	41	40	33	-	13
Medical insurance .....	88	100	95	95	89	96	50	13
Noncontributory plans .....	42	94	93	41	37	33	-	13
Major medical insurance .....	70	21	24	67	76	84	50	13
Noncontributory plans .....	24	16	21	13	26	26	-	13
Dental insurance .....	18	-	19	-	22	1	43	12
Noncontributory plans .....	8	-	18	-	10	-	-	12
Retirement plans <sup>5</sup> .....	62	94	88	85	59	40	43	32
Pensions .....	53	94	88	51	51	32	43	15
Noncontributory plans .....	49	94	88	51	46	30	43	15
Severance pay .....	9	-	-	34	8	12	-	17

<sup>1</sup> Includes those plans for which the employer pays at least part of the cost and excludes legally required plans such as workers' compensation and Social Security; however, plans required by State temporary disability insurance laws are included if the employer contributes more than is legally required or employees receive benefits over legal requirements. "Noncontributory plans" include only those plans financed entirely by the employer.

<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.

<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> Unduplicated total of workers receiving sickness and accident insurance and sick leave shown separately.

<sup>5</sup> Unduplicated total of workers covered by pension plans and severance pay shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate no data.

**Table 32. Other selected benefits**(Percent of production workers in establishments with formal provisions for selected benefits,<sup>1</sup> United States and selected regions,<sup>2</sup> June 1967)

Benefit	United States <sup>3</sup>	New England	Middle Atlantic	Border States	Southeast	Southwest	Middle West	Pacific
All workers .....	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Workers in establishments with provisions for:								
Funeral leave .....	66	96	84	85	61	89	78	14
Jury-duty leave .....	59	79	79	61	53	85	85	42
Technological severance pay .....	4	-	-	21	3	-	43	-
Daily reporting pay .....	65	98	85	77	61	65	84	50
Machine downtime pay .....	90	100	90	100	91	73	91	64
Federal minimum wage adjustment .....	63	-	39	49	68	69	13	76
Cost-of-living adjustments .....	10	26	56	18	6	-	-	12
Based on BLS CPI .....	10	26	56	18	6	-	-	12

<sup>1</sup> For definitions of items, see appendix A.<sup>2</sup> For definitions of regions, see appendix A, table A-1, footnote 1.<sup>3</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

NOTE: Dashes indicate no data.

# Appendix A. Scope and Method of Survey

## Scope of survey

The survey included establishments engaged primarily in manufacturing men's, youths', and boys' shirts (including polo and sport shirts) and nightwear, cut and sewn from purchased woven or knit fabric (industry 2321, as defined in the 1972 edition of the *Standard Industrial Classification Manual* prepared by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget). Excluded from the survey were separate auxiliary units, such as central offices or warehouses, and plants primarily engaged in manufacturing work shirts (industry 2254) and outerwear (industry 2253).

Establishments studied were selected from those employing 20 workers or more at the time of reference of the data used in compiling the universe lists. Table A-1 shows the number of establishments and workers estimated to be within the scope of the survey, as well as the number actually studied by the Bureau.

## Products

Classification of establishments by product was based on the principal type of apparel manufactured. For example, if 60 percent of the total value of an establishment's production was dress shirts, and 40 percent was sport shirts, all workers in that establishment were considered as producing dress shirts.

## Method of study

Data were obtained by personal visits of the Bureau's field representatives to a probability-based sample of establishments within the scope of the survey. To obtain appropriate accuracy at minimum cost, a greater proportion of large than of small establishments was studied. In combining the data, each establishment was given an appropriate weight. All estimates are presented, therefore, as relating to all establishments in the industry, excluding only those below the minimum size at the time of reference of the universe data.

## Establishment definition

An establishment is defined for this study as a single physical location where manufacturing operations are performed. An establishment is not necessarily identical with a company, which may consist of one establishment or more.

## Employment

Estimates of the number of workers within the scope of

the study are intended as a general guide to the size and composition of the industry's labor force, rather than as precise measures of employment.

## Production workers

The terms "production workers" and "production and related workers," used interchangeably in this bulletin, include working supervisors and all nonsupervisory workers engaged in nonoffice activities. Administrative, executive, professional, and technical personnel, and force-account construction employees, who are used as a separate work force on the firm's own property, are excluded.

## Occupational classification

Occupational classification was based on a uniform set of job descriptions designed to take account of interestablishment and interarea variations in duties within the same job. (See appendix B for these descriptions.) The criteria for selection of the occupations were: The number of workers in the occupation; the usefulness of the data in wage and salary administration and in collective bargaining; and appropriate representation of the entire job scale in the industry. Working supervisors, apprentices, learners, beginners, trainees, and handicapped, part-time, temporary, and probationary workers were not reported in the data for selected occupations, but were included in the data for all production workers.

## Wage data

Information on wages relates to straight-time hourly earnings, excluding premium pay for overtime and for work on weekends, holidays, and late shifts. Incentive payments, such as those resulting from piecework or production bonus systems, and cost-of-living pay increases (but not bonuses) were included as part of the workers' regular pay. Excluded are performance bonuses and lump-sum payments of the type negotiated in the auto and aerospace industries, as well as profit-sharing payments, attendance bonuses, Christmas or year-end bonuses, and other nonproduction bonuses.

*Average (mean) hourly rates or earnings* for each occupation were calculated by weighting each rate (or hourly earnings) by the number of workers receiving the rate, totaling, and dividing by the number of individuals.

The *median* designates position; that is, one-half of the employees surveyed received more than this rate and one-half received less. The *middle range* is defined by two rates of pay such that one-fourth of the employees earned less than the lower of these rates and one-fourth earned more than the higher rate.

**Table A-1. Estimated number of establishments and employees within the scope of the study and the number studied, men's and boys' shirts and nightwear manufacturing establishments, June 1987**

Region, <sup>1</sup> State, and area <sup>2</sup>	Number of establishments <sup>3</sup>		Workers in establishments		
	Within scope of study	Actually studied	Within scope of study		Total actually studied <sup>4</sup>
			Total <sup>5</sup>	Production workers	
United States <sup>6</sup> .....	353	218	65,073	59,383	46,038
New England .....	5	5	1,606	1,304	1,606
Middle Atlantic <sup>7</sup> .....	29	25	4,240	3,823	3,489
Pennsylvania <sup>7</sup> .....	18	14	2,733	2,573	1,982
Pottsville-Shamokin .....	7	7	974	920	974
Border States .....	21	14	4,553	4,194	3,339
Southeast <sup>7</sup> .....	240	127	47,330	43,312	31,002
Alabama .....	40	26	9,401	8,668	7,394
Florida:					
Miami-Hialeah .....	16	9	1,315	1,150	1,024
Georgia .....	35	19	8,529	7,927	5,167
Mississippi .....	25	14	5,008	4,306	3,275
North Carolina .....	53	25	8,735	8,108	5,725
South Carolina <sup>7</sup> .....	25	14	6,352	5,886	4,388
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill .....	13	7	2,261	2,077	1,507
Tennessee .....	42	16	7,307	6,615	3,346
Southwest .....	20	16	4,169	3,990	3,765
Middle West .....	8	7	720	671	603
Pacific <sup>7</sup> .....	21	15	1,492	1,196	1,271
Los Angeles-Long Beach .....	18	12	949	675	728

<sup>1</sup> The regions as defined for this study were: *New England*—Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont; *Middle Atlantic*—New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; *Border States*—Delaware, District of Columbia, Kentucky, Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia; *Southeast*—Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee; *Southwest*—Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; *Great Lakes*—Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, and Wisconsin; *Middle West*—Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota; *Mountain*—Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming; *Pacific*—California, Nevada, Oregon, and Washington. Alaska and Hawaii were not included in the study.

<sup>2</sup> The areas as defined for this study were: *Pottsville-Shamokin, PA*—Columbia, Northumberland, and Schuylkill Coun-

ties; *Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC*—Cabarrus, Gaston, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, and Union Counties, North Carolina; and York County, South Carolina; *Miami-Hialeah, FL*—Dade County; *Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA*—Los Angeles County.

<sup>3</sup> Includes only establishments with 20 workers or more at the time of reference of the universe data.

<sup>4</sup> Data relate to total employment in establishments actually visited.

<sup>5</sup> Includes executive, professional, managerial, office, and other workers in addition to the production worker category shown separately.

<sup>6</sup> Includes data for regions in addition to those shown separately.

<sup>7</sup> Includes data for States and areas in addition to those shown separately.

## Type of area

Tabulations by type of area pertain to metropolitan and non-metropolitan areas. The term "metropolitan areas," as used in this bulletin, refers to the Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA's) as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget through June 1983. In general, an MSA is defined as a county or group of contiguous counties which contains at least one central city of at least 50,000 inhabitants or a central urbanized area of at least 100,000. Counties contiguous to the one containing such a city or area are included in an MSA if, according to certain criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central city. In New England, where the city and town are administratively more important than the county, they are the units used in defining MSA's.

## Labor-management agreements

Separate wage data are presented, where possible, for establishments that had (1) a majority of the production workers covered by labor-management contracts, and (2) none or a minority of the production workers covered by labor-management contracts.

## Method of wage payment

Tabulations by method of wage payment relate to the number of workers paid under the various time and incentive wage systems. Formal rate structures for time-rated workers provide single rates or a range of rates for individual job categories. In the absence of a formal rate structure, pay rates are determined primarily by the qualifications of the individual worker. A single rate structure is one in which the same rate is paid to all experienced workers in the same job classification. Learners, apprentices, or probationary workers may be paid according to rate schedules which start below the single rate and permit the workers to achieve the full job rate over a period of time. An experienced worker occasionally may be paid above or below the single rate for special reasons, but such payments are exceptions. Range-of-rate plans are those in which the minimum, maximum, or both of these rates paid experienced workers for the same job are specified. Specific rates of individual workers within the range may be determined by merit, length of service, or a combination of these. Incentive workers are classified under piecework or bonus plans. Piecework is work for which a predetermined rate is paid for each unit of output. Production bonuses are for production in excess of a quota or for completion of a task in less than standard time.

## Scheduled weekly hours

Data on weekly hours refer to the predominant work schedule for full-time production workers employed on the day shift.

## Establishment practices and employee benefits

Employee benefits in an establishment were considered applicable to all production workers if they applied to half or more of such workers in the establishment. Similarly, if fewer than half of the workers were covered, the benefit was considered nonexistent in the establishment. Because of length-of-service and other eligibility requirements, the proportion of workers receiving the benefits may be smaller than estimated.

*Paid holidays.* Paid-holiday provisions relate to full-day and half-day holidays provided annually.

*Paid vacations.* The summary of vacation plans is limited to formal arrangements and excludes informal plans whereby time off with pay is granted at the discretion of the employer or supervisor. Payments not on a time basis were converted; for example, a payment of 2 percent of annual earnings was considered the equivalent of 1 week's pay. The periods of service for which data are presented represent the most common practices, but they do not necessarily reflect individual establishment provisions for progression. For example, changes in proportions indicated at 20 years of service may include changes which occurred between 15 and 20 years.

Some workers in the industry received vacations in accordance with provisions in agreements with the Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union (ACTWU), AFL-CIO. Establishments having contracts with the ACTWU now employ a 2-tier benefit schedule: one for employees hired prior to September 1, 1985, and one for employees hired on or after that date.

Workers hired prior to September 1, 1985, were provided two vacation periods each year with vacation pay directly paid by employers to their employees as follows: 1 week of vacation pay after 6 months of service, 3 weeks after 1 year, and 4 weeks after 20 years. If agreed to at the local level, employees with 20 years of service or more may elect to work the fourth week of vacation at straight-time pay in addition to receiving vacation pay.

Workers hired on or after September 1, 1985, were provided 1 week of vacation pay after 1 year of service, 2 weeks after 2 years, and 3 weeks after 3 years. Some variation in vacation policy was reported among plants having ACTWU contracts.

*Health, insurance, and retirement plans.* Data are presented for health, insurance, pension, and retirement severance plans for which the employer pays all or a part of the cost, excluding programs required by law such as workers' compensation and Social Security.<sup>1</sup> Among plans included are

<sup>1</sup> Temporary disability insurance which provides benefits to covered workers disabled by injury or illness which is not work-connected is mandatory under State laws in California, New Jersey, New York, and Rhode

those underwritten by a commercial insurance company and those paid directly by the employer from current operating funds or from a fund set aside for this purpose.

Death benefits are included as a form of life insurance. Sickness and accident insurance is limited to that type of insurance under which predetermined cash payments are made directly to the insured on a weekly or monthly basis during illness or accident disability.

Tabulations of paid sick leave plans are limited to formal plans<sup>2</sup> which provide full pay or a proportion of the worker's pay during absence from work because of illness; informal arrangements have been omitted. Separate tabulations are provided for (1) plans which provide full pay and no waiting period, and (2) plans providing either partial pay or a waiting period.

Medical insurance refers to plans providing for complete or partial payment of doctors' fees. Such plans may be underwritten by a commercial insurance company or a non-profit organization, or they may be a form of self-insurance.

Major medical insurance, sometimes referred to as extended medical or catastrophe insurance, includes plans designed to cover employees for sickness or injury involving an expense which exceeds the normal coverage of hospitalization, medical, and surgical plans.

Dental insurance, for purposes of this survey, covers routine dental work, such as fillings, extractions, and X-rays. Excluded are plans which cover only oral surgery or accidental injury.

Tabulations of retirement pensions are limited to plans which provide regular payments for the remainder of the retiree's life. Data are presented separately for retirement severance pay (one payment or several over a specified period of time) made to employees on retirement. Establishments providing both retirement severance payments and retirement pensions to employees were considered as having both retirement pensions and retirement severance plans; however, establishments having optional plans providing employees a choice of either retirement severance payments or pensions were considered as having only retirement pension benefits.

Island. Establishment plans which meet only the legal requirements are excluded from these data, but those under which (1) employers contribute more than is legally required or (2) benefits exceed those specified in the State law are included. In Rhode Island, benefits are paid out of a State fund to which only employees contribute. In each of the other three States, benefits are paid either from a State fund or through a private plan.

*State fund financing:* In California, only employees contribute to the State fund; in New Jersey, employees and employers contribute; in New York, employees contribute up to a specified maximum and employers pay the difference between the employees' share and the total contribution required.

*Private plan financing:* In California and New Jersey, employees cannot be required to contribute more than they would if they were covered by the State fund; in New York, employees can agree to contribute more if the State rules that additional contribution is commensurate with the benefit provided.

<sup>2</sup> An establishment is considered as having a formal plan if it specifies at least the minimum amount of sick leave available to each employee. Such a plan need not be written, but informal sick leave allowances determined on an individual basis are excluded.

*Paid funeral and jury-duty leave.*<sup>3</sup> Data for paid funeral and jury-duty leave relate to formal plans which provide at least partial payment for time lost as a result of attending funerals of specified family members or serving as a juror.

*Technological severance pay.* Data relate to formal plans providing for payments to employees permanently separated from the company because of a technological change or plant closing.

*Machine downtime pay.* Data relate to a formal establishment policy of adjusting the earnings of incentive workers who are required to wait for work due to machine breakdowns or other causes beyond a worker's control. Such for-

<sup>3</sup> When paid jury-duty leave is required by law, as it is in Alabama, Nebraska, Tennessee, and parts of Massachusetts, plans are included only if the employer provides the employees with benefits exceeding the legal requirement.

mal provisions may require a waiting period before adjustments are made and that the employee notify a supervisor.

*Daily reporting pay.* Data relate to plans guaranteeing a daily minimum wage to an employee who reports to work as scheduled, but finds either no work available or not enough work to fill a guaranteed period.

*Federal minimum wage adjustment.* Data relate to formal policies of establishments that adjust the occupational pay of all production workers when there is a change in the Federal minimum wage in order to maintain the differential among occupations.

*Cost-of-living adjustments.* Data relate to formal plans for adjustments to wages in keeping with changes in the BLS Consumer Price Index or some other measure.

# Appendix B. Occupational Descriptions

The primary purpose of preparing job descriptions for the Bureau's wage surveys is to assist its field representatives 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 permits 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 used in individual establishments or those prepared for other purposes. In applying these job descriptions, the Bureau's field representatives are instructed to exclude apprentices, learners, beginners, trainees, and handicapped, part-time, temporary, and probationary workers.

The titles and codes below the job titles in this appendix are taken from the 1980 edition of the *Standard Occupational Classification Manual* (SOC), issued by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards.

In general, the Bureau of Labor Statistics occupational descriptions are much more specific than those found in the SOC manual. For example, one SOC code (7655: Textile sewing machine operator and tender) includes three of the job titles used in this survey of manufacturers of men's and boys' shirts and nightwear (except work shirts). And, one of the three jobs, sewing-machine operator, is classified for purposes of this survey, by the principal garment sewn. Thus, in comparing the results of this survey with other sources, differences in occupational definitions should be taken into consideration.

## Cutting

### Assembler

(785: Grader and sorter, except agriculture)  
(Garment bundler; assorter; fitter)

Gathers garment parts after they are cut and assembles or groups them into bundles or batches for distribution to sewing units. May match pieces by color, size, and design, and place an identifying ticket or number in each bundle or on each piece. May mark location for buttons and buttonholes and may cut small parts. Excludes workers assembling cloth before it is cut, and folders assembling completed pieces at the end of the production process just before packaging.

### Clicker-machine operator

(7654: Textile cutting machine operator and tender)  
(Beam machine operator; clicker; clicker operator; die-cutting machine operator; die-press operator; power-press operator)

Operates a clicker or die-cutting machine to cut or stamp small pieces of various shapes from knitted materials, cloth, cardboard, and other light materials. Work involves the following: Turning crank to adjust distance between power hammer and bed of machine; laying material on bed of machine; setting and holding die on material and centering it under hammer or clamping die to ram; shifting lever that trips hammer, causing it to descend and cut out piece of material; feeding material under ram so as to obtain the largest number of cuts of material and repeating operation.

### Cutter, machine

(7654: Textile cutting machine operator and tender)

Operates or guides the moving knife or blade of a power cutting machine along a pattern outline to cut out articles from single or multiple layers of fabric. In addition, may spread or lay up layers of cloth, or may arrange pattern on material and outline with chalk.

### Marker

(7759: Miscellaneous hand-working occupations)

Arranges garment patterns on cloth or knitted material in such a manner as to minimize waste when material is cut. Work includes tracing of pattern or material with chalk, soap, or crayon, and marking design number and size within outline. May arrange pattern on paper to produce marker which serves as a cutting outline. Excludes workers engaged in simple tracing (tracers) around patterns laid out on the material by others and workers who lay out patterns according to prepared diagrams.

### Spreader

(7659: Miscellaneous textile machine operator and tender)  
(7759: Miscellaneous hand-working occupations)

Spreads (lays up) multiple layers of cloth smoothly and evenly one upon the other on a cutting table by hand or with

the aid of a spreading machine. Cuts each ply to length from the bolt of material.

## Sewing

### Collar pointer

(7657: Pressing machine operator)  
(Block tipper)

Operates a collar-pointing machine to shape and press the points at the front of collars. Work involves the following: Inserting die into unfinished collar and placing collar and die on buck (lower jaw) of press; actuating controls to close and open press; removing collar from machine and pulling collar from die.

### Collar top trimmer

(7654: Textile cutting machine operator and tender)

Operates a collar-trimming machine to trim neckband edges of collar after they have been sewed. Work involves the following: Placing collars, which are inside out, in position under knife on machine; actuating controls that cause knife to descend and shear away excess material.

### Inspector, intermediate

(782: Production inspector, checker, and examiner)  
(Inspector of parts)

Examines and inspects garment parts such as collars, cuffs, facings on sleeves, and pockets prior to or during assembly of garment. Work involves determining whether parts of garments conform to shop standard of quality.

### Loader, machine

(7655: Textile sewing-machine operator and tender)  
(Automatic sewing-machine operator;  
automatic sewing-machine tender)

Tends a machine, or a group of machines, that automatically joins or attaches parts of garments and sews them together. Work involves: Stacking parts of garments to be joined and sewn (e.g., pockets to shirt fronts) into feeder trays on the machine; starting machine; observing machine as it joins and sews the parts automatically. Excludes operators of standard or special-purpose sewing machines that require guidance from the operator. (See sewing-machine operator).

### Sewing-machine operator

(7655: Textile sewing-machine operator and tender)

Uses a standard or special-purpose sewing machine to perform the sewing operations required in making parts of garments, in joining various sections together, in attaching previously completed parts to partially completed garments, or

in sewing on buttons or sewing buttonholes. May make complete garments.

For wage survey purposes, operators are classified according to the principal garment worked on as follows:

*Dress and sport shirts*  
*Nightwear*  
*Other*

Excludes sewing-machine operators primarily engaged in repairing garments (see garment repairer) and loaders and tenders of automatic sewing machines (see loader, machine).

### Underpresser

(7657: Pressing machine operator)  
(Forepresser, parts presser)

Uses a hand iron, machine iron, or a powered press to press garment parts such as pockets, seams, shoulders, etc., during the fabricating process.

Workers were classified according to the type of pressing equipment used:

*Hand*  
*Machine*

## Finishing

### Bagger and boxer

(8761: Hand packer and packager)

Places garments in bags (cellophane) and boxes for shipment. Frequently, one worker places garment in bag and another puts the bagged garments in boxes.

### Folder, garments

(7659: Miscellaneous textile machine operator and tender)  
(7759: Miscellaneous hand-working occupations)

Folds completed garments for shipment either by hand or by a folding machine. May fold garments around cardboard forms or insert tissue paper between folds; may also pin folds in garments. For wage survey purposes, garment folders were classified as follows:

*Hand*  
*Machine*  
*Hand and machine*

### Garment repairer

(7655: Textile sewing-machine operator and tender)  
(Match-up person, mender)

Operates a sewing machine to repair damaged or defective garments. Examines repair tags and matchings on garments to locate defects or damage, such as irregular stitches and torn or snagged parts. Cuts and pulls seam threads to

remove defective or damaged parts, using scissors or knife. Joins replacement parts to finished garments or resews defective seams.

### **Inspector, final (inspect only)**

(782: Production inspector, checker, and examiner)

Examines and inspects completed garments prior to pressing or shipping. Work involves determining whether the garments conform to shop standards of quality, and marking defects such as dropped stitches, bad seams, etc. In many shops manufacturing inexpensive garments, no inspectors fall within this classification; in such shops, inspection is usually combined with thread-trimming—see inspector, final (and thread trimmer).

### **Inspector, final (and thread trimmer)**

(782: Production inspector, checker, and examiner)

Primarily responsible for inspection of completed garments prior to pressing or shipping, but also trims threads incidental to inspection operation. Work involves primarily determining whether the garments conform to shop standards of quality and marking defects such as dropped stitches, bad seams, etc.

### **Presser, finish**

(7657: Pressing machine operator)

(Off-presser, over-presser, top presser)

Performs final pressing operations on garments or garment parts by means of a hand pressing iron and/or powered press, mangle, or power press equipped with steam jets.

For wage survey purposes, pressers were classified by type of pressing equipment operated:

*Hand*

*Machine*

*Hand and machine*

Workers were classified as "pressers, hand and machine" when sizable proportions of their work were performed by each of the two methods. Otherwise, the predominant type of pressing was the determining factor in the classification.

### **Thread trimmer**

(7654: Textile cutting machine operator and tender)

(7753: Hand cutting and trimming occupation)

Trims loose thread ends, basting threads, and seam edges of garments with scissors or machines prior to pressing or packing. Workers whose primary responsibility is the inspection of garments, but who also trimmed threads incidental to the inspection operation, were classified as inspector, final (and thread trimmer).

## **Miscellaneous**

### **Janitor**

(5244: Janitor and cleaner)

Cleans and keeps in an orderly condition factory working areas and washrooms, or premises of an office 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. Excludes workers who specialize in window washing.

### **Repairers, sewing machine**

(613: Industrial machinery repairer)

(Adjusters)

Adjusts and repairs sewing machines used in the establishment. Work involves most of the following: Examining machines faulty in operation to diagnose source of trouble; dismantling or partly dismantling machines, replacing broken or worn out parts or performing other repairs, and reassembling machines; adjusting machines to function efficiently by turning adjustment screws and nuts; regulating length of stroke of needle, and horizontal movement feeding mechanism under needle; replacing or repairing transmission belts; preparing specifications for major repairs and initiating orders for replacement parts; using a variety of handtools in fitting and replacing parts. Includes adjusters working on automatic sewing machines.

### **Shipping clerk**

(4753: Traffic, shipping, and receiving clerk)

Prepares merchandise for shipment. Duties usually involve a knowledge of shipping procedures and practices, routes, rates, and available means of transportation. Prepares records of goods shipped, makes up bills of lading, posting weight and shipping charges. Keeps a file of shipping records. May direct or assist in preparing merchandise for shipment.

### **Stock clerk**

(Supply clerk)

Receives, stores, and issues equipment, material, merchandise, or tools in a stockroom or storeroom. Work involves: Checking incoming order against items as listed on requisitions or invoices, and counting, grading, or weighing the articles. Excludes stockroom laborers and employees who supervise stock clerks and laborers.

## **Work distributor**

(4751: Dispatcher)

(Bundle handler)

Carries or trucks garments in various stages of completion to the worker who is to perform the next operation on garment. May exercise some discretion in distribution of work, but has no supervisory responsibilities.

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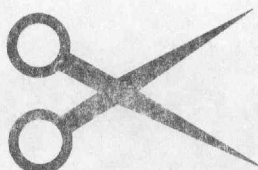
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