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Employment and Unemployment Developments, April 1974

Employment and unemployment showed little movement from March to April, but unemployment was lower than in January and February. The Nation's unemployment rate was 5.0 percent in April; it had been 5.2 percent in both January and February and 5.1 percent in March.

Total employment (as measured by the monthly sample survey of households), at 85.8 million in April, was essentially unchanged from March. Moreover, total employment has been at about this level since October 1973. Nonagricultural payroll jobs (as measured by the monthly survey of business establishments) rose slightly in April and have shown little growth since last fall.

Unemployment

The number of unemployed persons and the unemployment rate showed little change from March to April. However, both have receded slightly from the levels of the first 2 months of the year. At 4.5 million, seasonally adjusted, the level of unemployment was about 200,000 lower in April than in January and February, although still 430,000 higher than in October 1973 when joblessness reached a 3½ year low. The unemployment rate, at 5.0 percent, was not materially different from the 5.1-percent rate of March but was lower than the 5.2-percent rates recorded in both January and February. The April figure was equal to the year-ago rate.

The unemployment rate for teenagers declined from 15.0 percent in March to 13.8 percent in April. This decrease, which was concentrated among 16 and 17 year-olds, resulted from the net exit from the labor force of a relatively large number of youth. This development was also reflected by a drop in the number of unemployed seeking their first job.

Among adult workers, there was little change in unemployment in April. However, at 3.6 percent, the unemployment rate for adult men (20 years and over) has increased substantially from its level in the last few months of 1973 (3.0 percent). The rate for adult women—4.9 percent in April—has shown relatively little movement since the end of the year.

Probably as a reflection of the labor force developments among teenagers, the unemployment rate for part-time workers declined from 8.1 to 7.3 percent from March to April, while the rate for full-time workers held steady at 4.6 percent. Also practically unchanged in April were the jobless rates for household heads and married men, both of which had risen substantially since last fall.

The unemployment rate for Vietnam-era veterans 20 to 34 years old, at 5.1 percent, was about the same in April as in the previous 3 months and a year ago. Their rate had been close to 4 percent in the last quarter of 1973. The jobless rate for the declining number of veterans 20 to 24 years old was 9.2 percent in April, well above that of older veterans 25 to 29 (4.5 percent) and 30 to 34 (2.8 percent). It was also higher than that for non-veterans 20 to 24—7.6 percent. Unemployment among younger veterans has remained high largely because most of them have only recently entered the labor market and consequently lack the seniority and experience gained by many of their nonveteran peers. This difference in the incidence of unemployment between veterans and nonveterans disappears for the older age groups.

The unemployment rate for Negro workers, which had been essentially unchanged since January, edged down from 9.4 to 8.7 percent in April, returning to about its average level for 1973. The rate for white workers, at 4.5 percent, was not significantly changed over the month.

Among the major occupational and industry groups, the jobless situation was little changed in April. The only exceptions were increases in unemployment among non-farm laborers (from 9.0 to 10.4 percent) and construction workers (from 8.4 to 10.3 percent). Since last fall, there has been a substantial increase in the unemployment rate for blue-collar workers, while the rates for white-collar and service workers have shown relatively little change.

The unemployment rate for workers covered by State unemployment insurance programs held at 3.3 percent in April, following consecutive monthly increases during the December-March period.

The average (mean) duration of unemployment rose slightly—from 9.4 to 9.8 weeks—and was about equal to its year-ago level.

Civilian labor force and total employment

The civilian labor force was 90.3 million in April (seasonally adjusted), not significantly changed from March. The labor force has not shown any growth since January, as reduced labor market participation among adult men and teenagers has completely offset the continued expansion among adult women. The number of teenagers in the labor force exhibited a particularly sharp drop from March to April.

Total employment in April, at 85.8 million seasonally adjusted, was also basically unchanged from March. After rising rapidly during the previous 2 years, total employment has, in effect, shown very little growth since last October. This is attributable to employment weakness among adult men and teenagers, which, in turn, reflects a stagnation in the growth of jobs in the blue-collar and service occupations.

The number of persons working part time for economic reasons (those working part-time but wanting full-time jobs) decreased 150,000 in April to 2.4 million, the second straight monthly decline.

Industry payroll employment

Nonfarm payroll employment increased slightly in April to 76.9 million, seasonally adjusted, following a month of little change (as revised). April gains took place in the service-producing industries, but there was also a rebound in manufacturing employment stemming largely from recalls of auto workers.

Employment in the goods-producing sector was essentially unchanged in April, after declining by 90,000 (as revised) in the previous month. Goods-producing employment has fallen by 240,000 jobs since December 1973.

The April job situation in the goods industries was marked by offsetting movements. In manufacturing, employment registered its first increase in 5 months, advancing by 75,000 (seasonally adjusted), all of it in the durable goods industries. The increase resulted mainly from a turn-around in the transportation equipment industry, where 60,000 workers were added to payrolls. This followed 3 months of heavy employment losses. In contrast to the improvement in the manufacturing picture, there was a decline of 70,000 jobs in contract construction.

The increase in employment in the service-producing industries was concentrated in State and local government, services, and retail trade. Employment in this sector

has risen by more than half a million since last December; State and local government accounted for 200,000 of this advance.

Hours of work

The average workweek of production or nonsupervisory workers on private nonfarm payrolls declined by 0.2 hour in April to 36.6 hours (after seasonal adjustment). The workweek curtailment was paced by an 0.9-hour decrease in manufacturing, with cutbacks widespread in both durable and nondurable goods sectors. Average overtime in manufacturing was also off—by 0.8 hour. These declines probably resulted in large part from a normal reduction of work schedules in the Friday and Saturday preceding Easter (the week before Easter was the reference week for the April survey). As a result, comparisons with previous periods are difficult to interpret; prior to April, the factory workweek had declined gradually from highs reached in early 1973.

Hourly and weekly earnings

Average hourly earnings of production workers on private nonfarm payrolls rose at a seasonally adjusted rate of 0.2 percent in April. Since April a year ago, hourly earnings have advanced by 6.3 percent. Average weekly earnings fell by 0.3 percent in April, due entirely to the reduced workweek. Since April 1973, weekly earnings have increased by 4.5 percent.

Before adjustment for seasonality, average hourly earnings rose by 1 cent in April to \$4.07. Since April 1973, hourly earnings have increased by 24 cents. Weekly earnings averaged \$147.74 in April, a decrease of 86 cents from March but up \$6.41 since April 1973.

The hourly earnings index

The Hourly Earnings Index—earnings adjusted for overtime in manufacturing, seasonality, and the effects of changes in the proportion of workers in high-wage and low-wage industries—was 154.6 (1967=100) in April, 0.7 percent higher than in March. The index was 7.1 percent above April a year ago. All industries recorded gains over the past 12 months, ranging from 5.4 percent in finance, insurance, and real estate to 9.2 percent in mining. During the 12-month period ended in March, the Hourly Earnings Index in dollars of constant purchasing power declined 2.9 percent.

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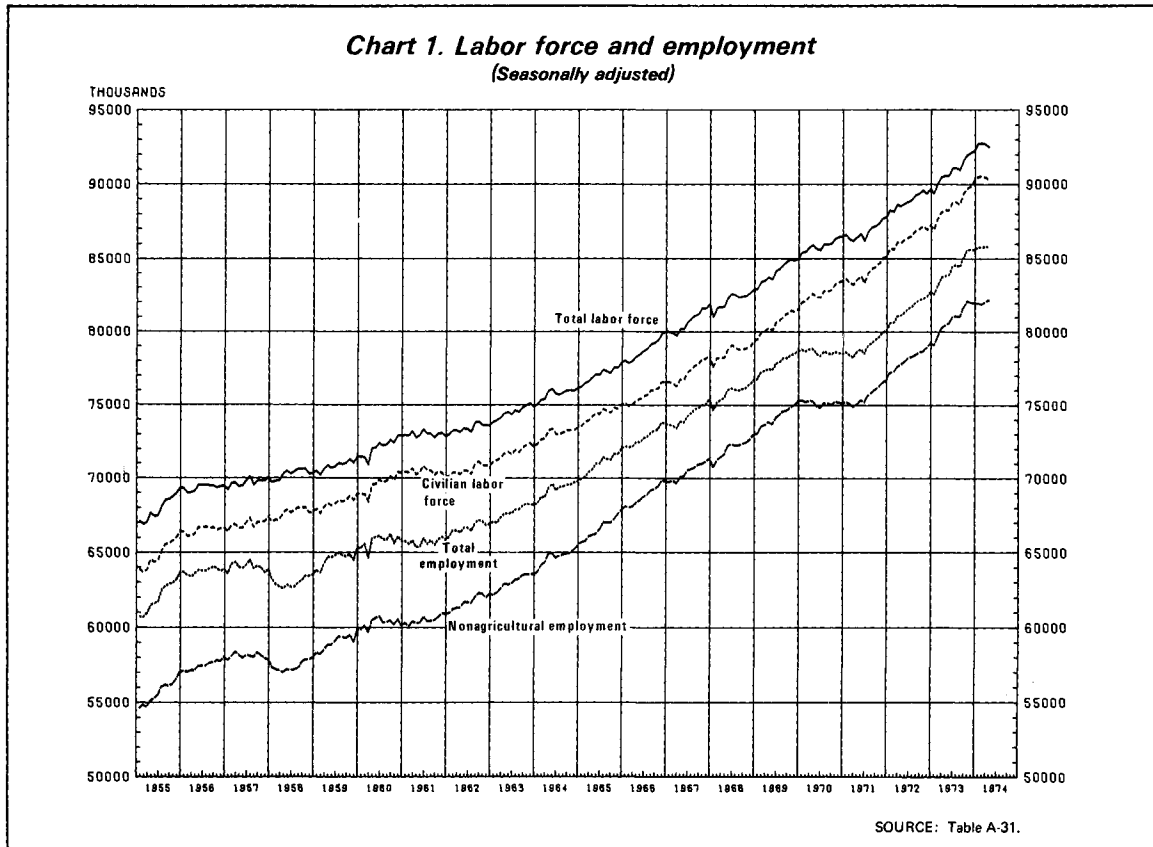
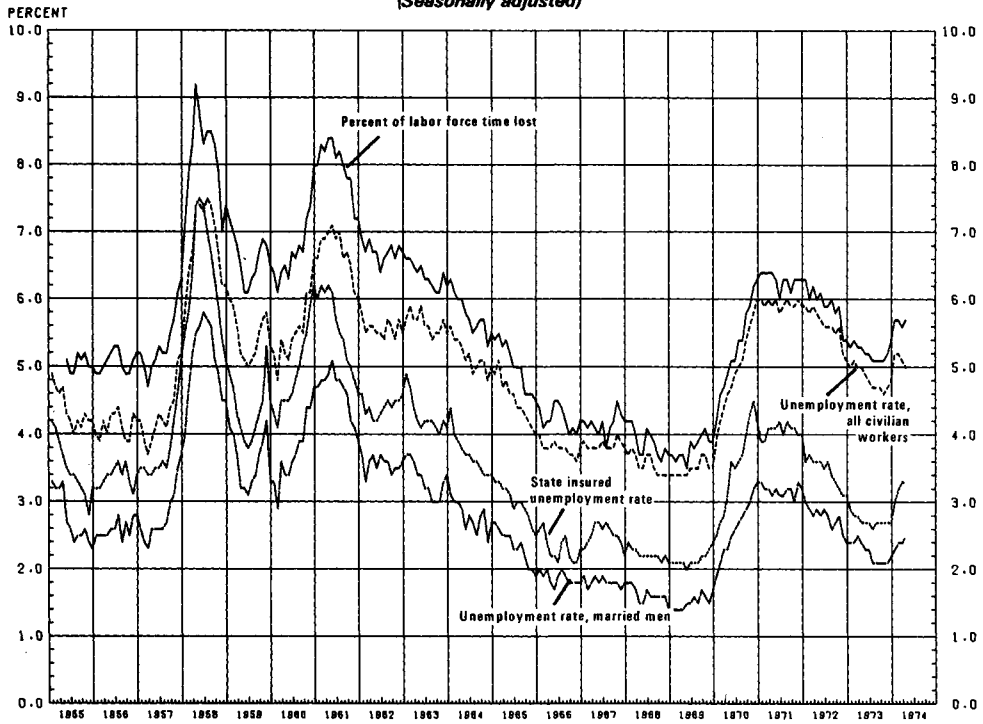
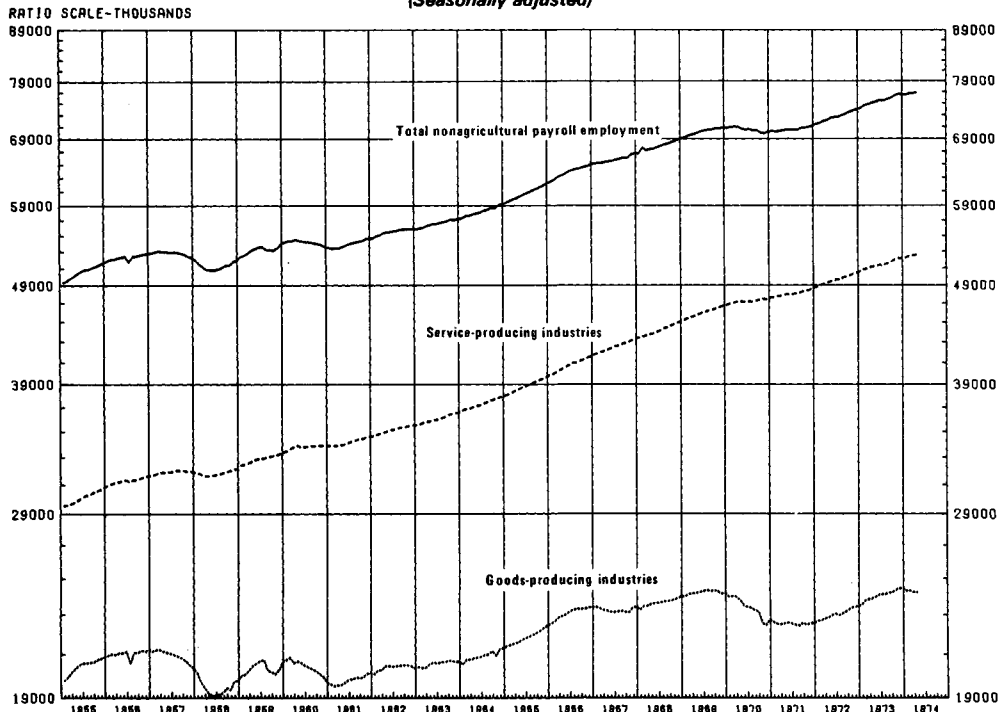


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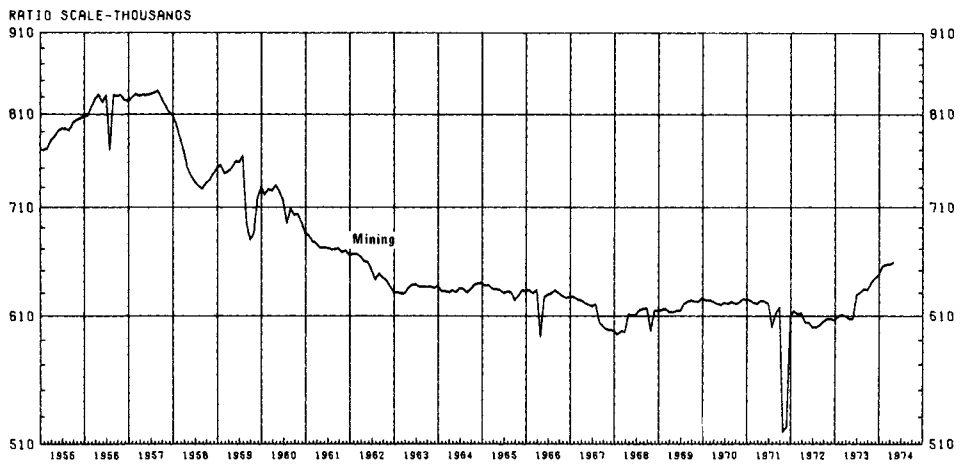
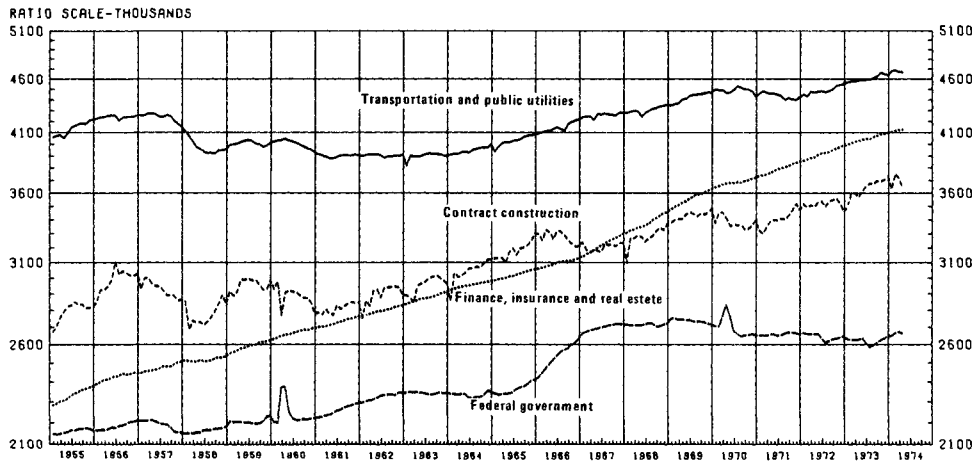
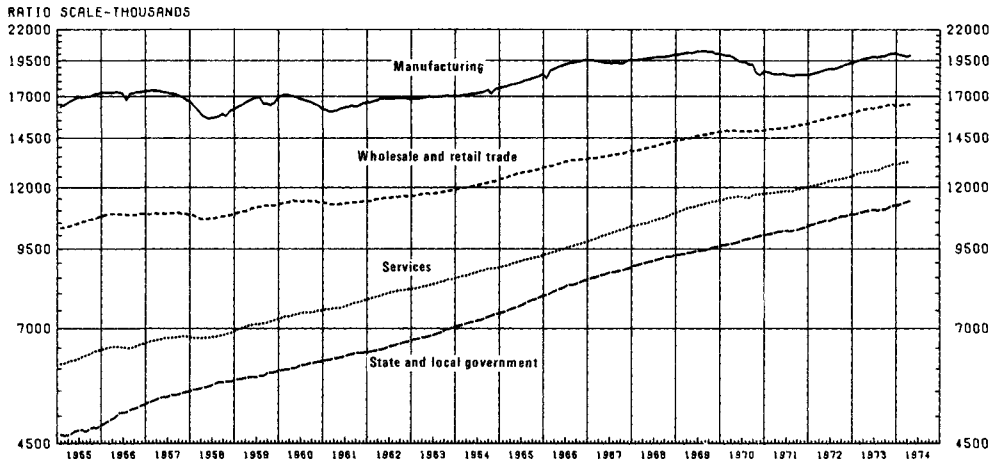
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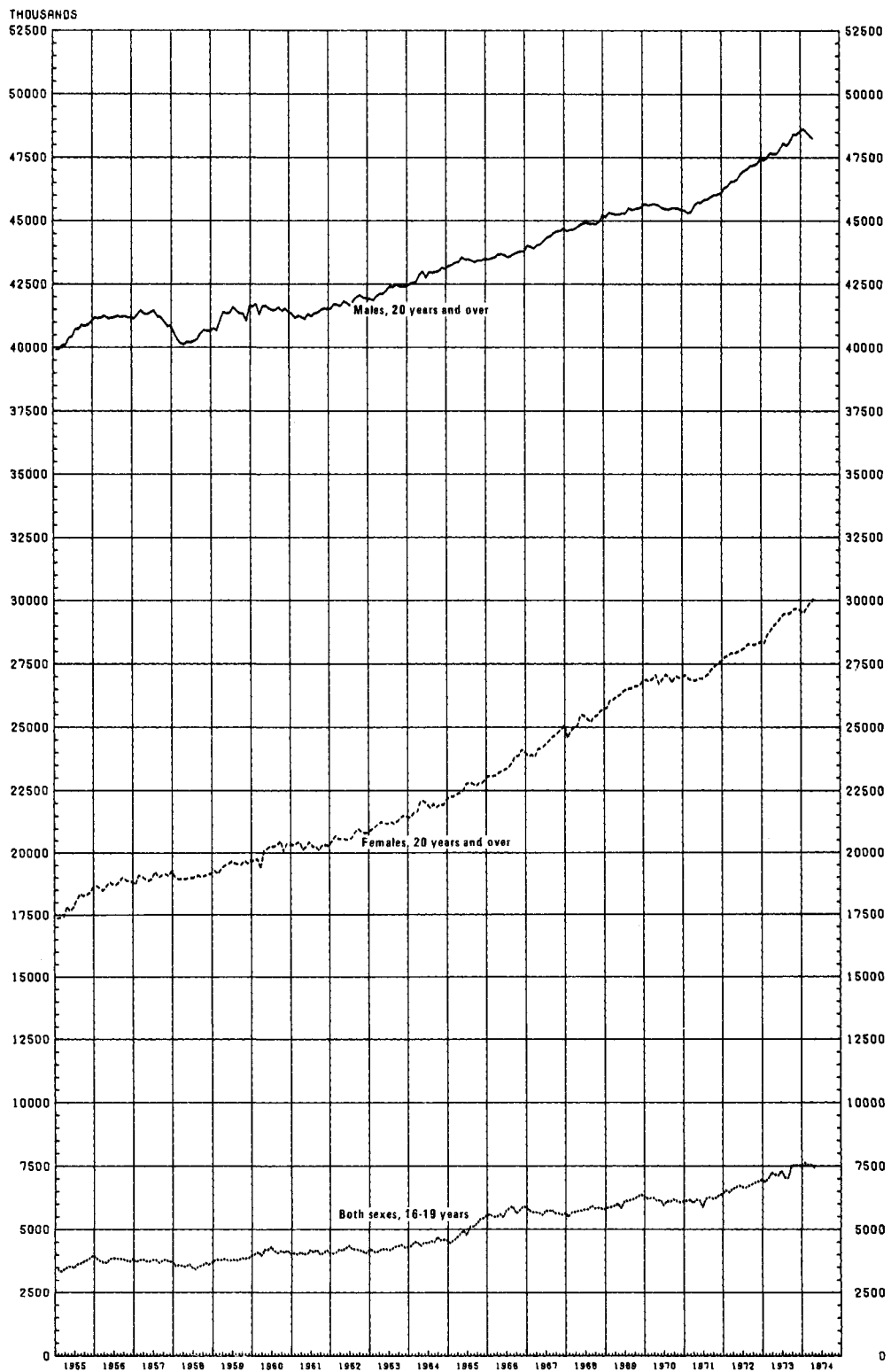
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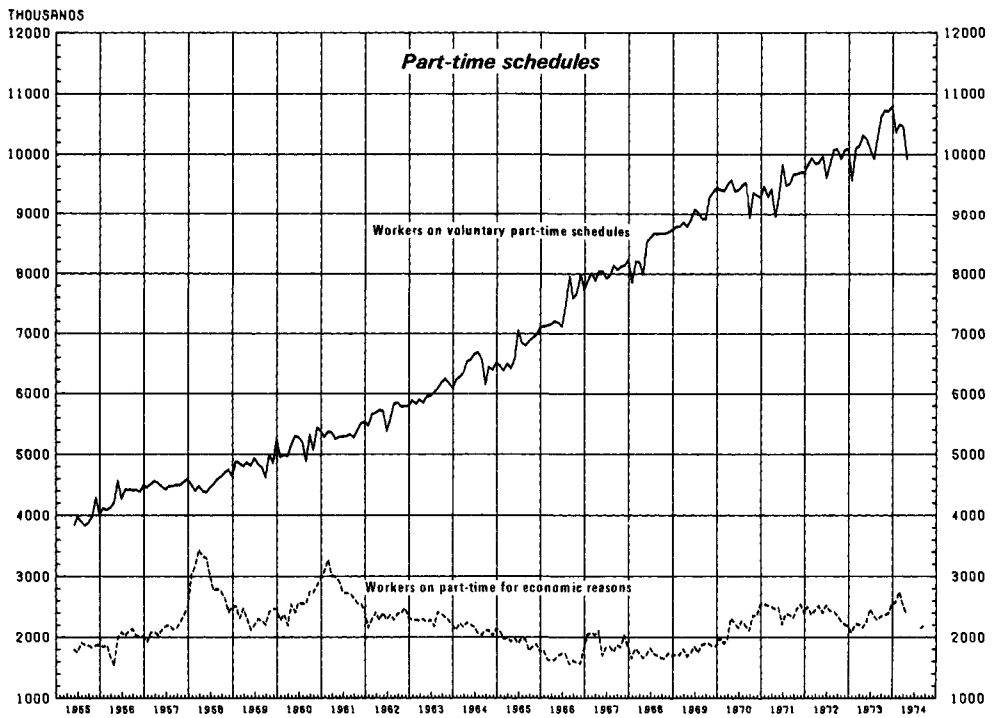
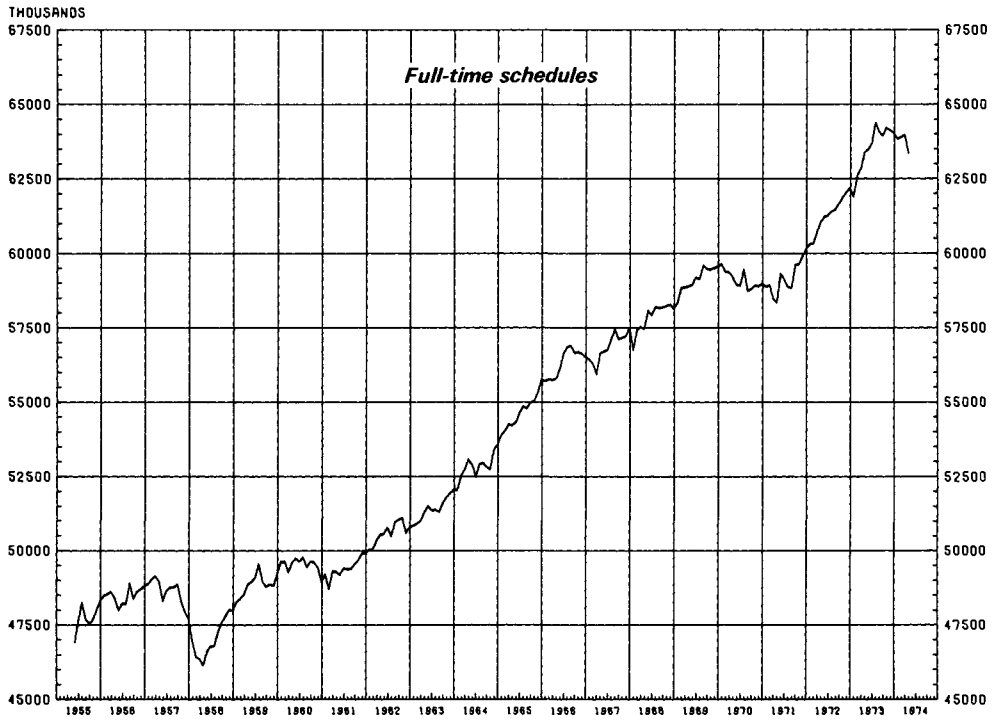
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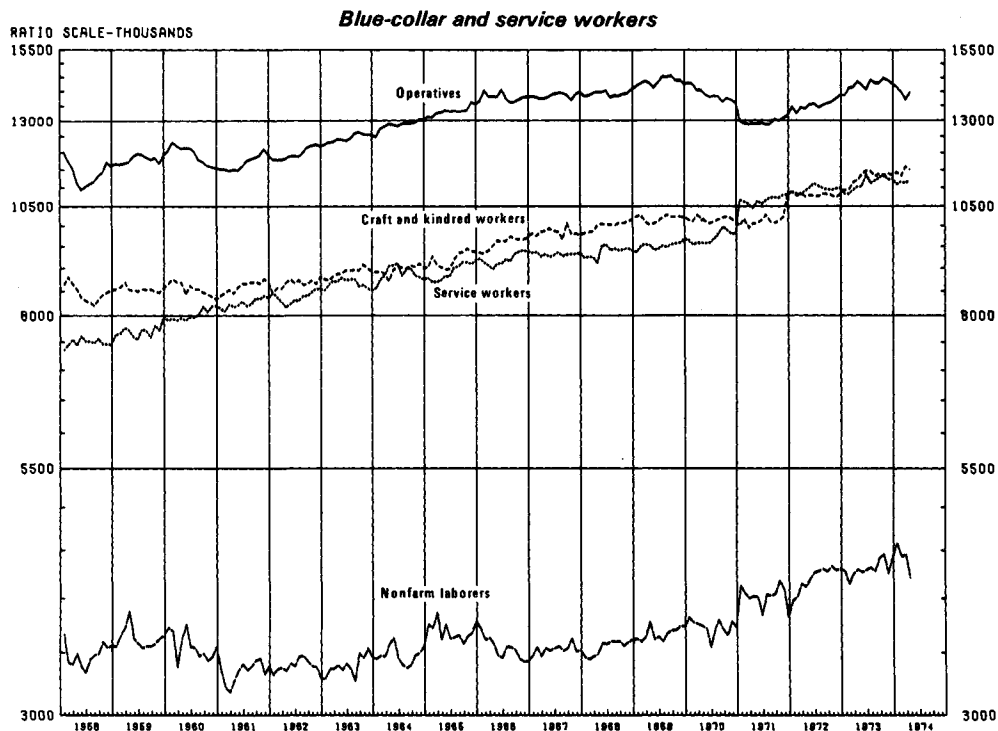
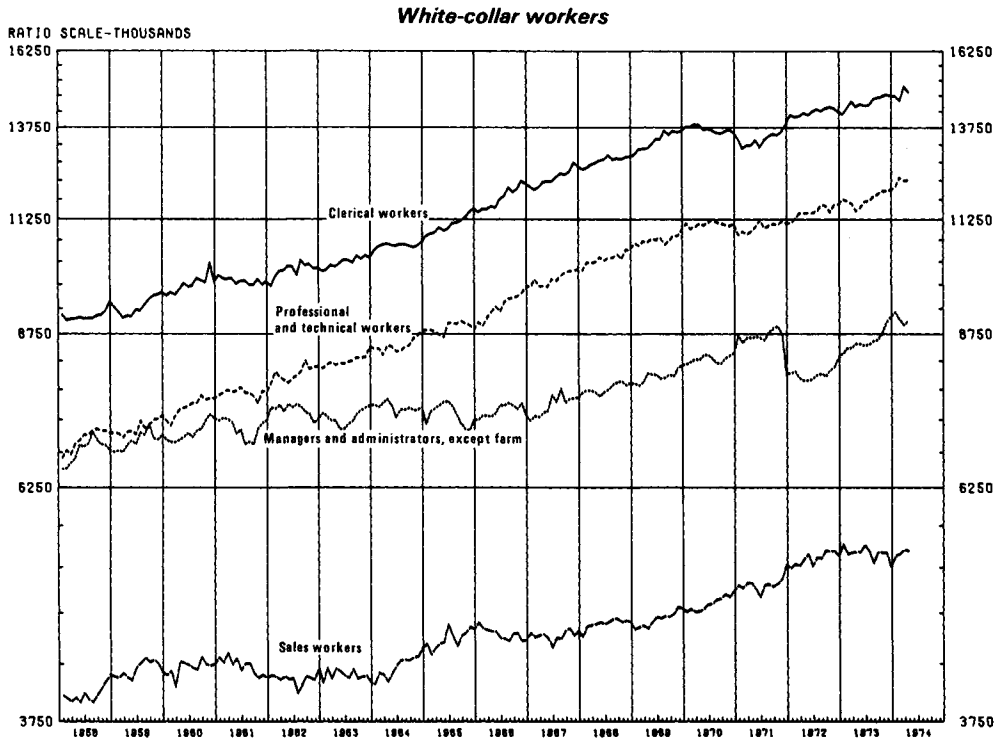
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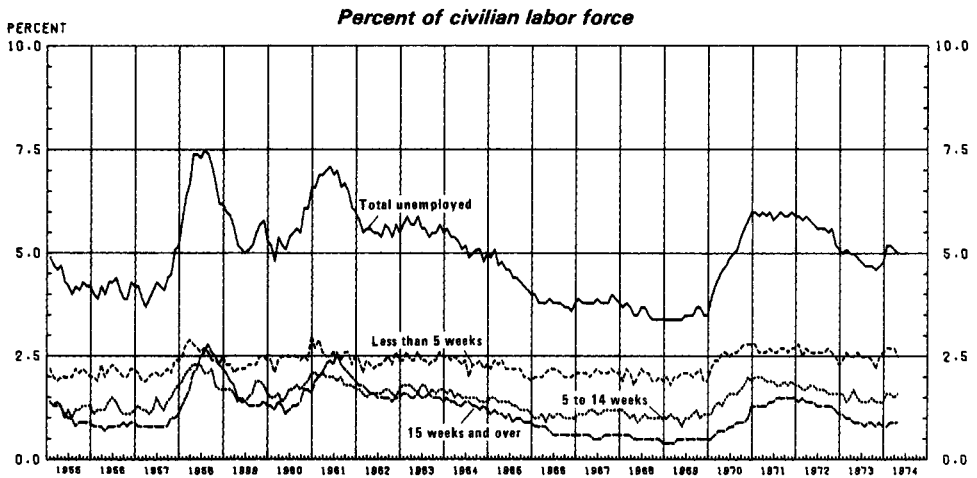
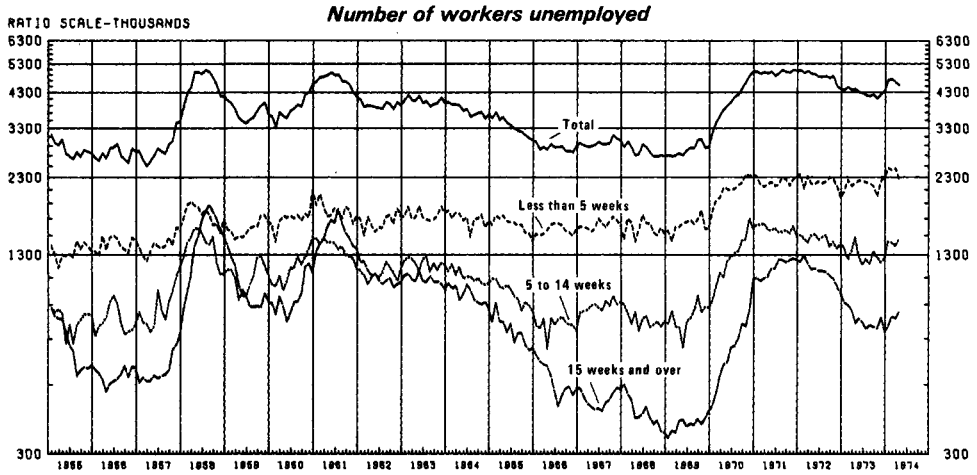
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NOTE: Two breaks in series occurred in 1971 stemming from the reclassification of occupations introduced in January and from a questionnaire change concerning "major activity" introduced in December. See "Changes in occupational classification system" in the Explanatory Notes.

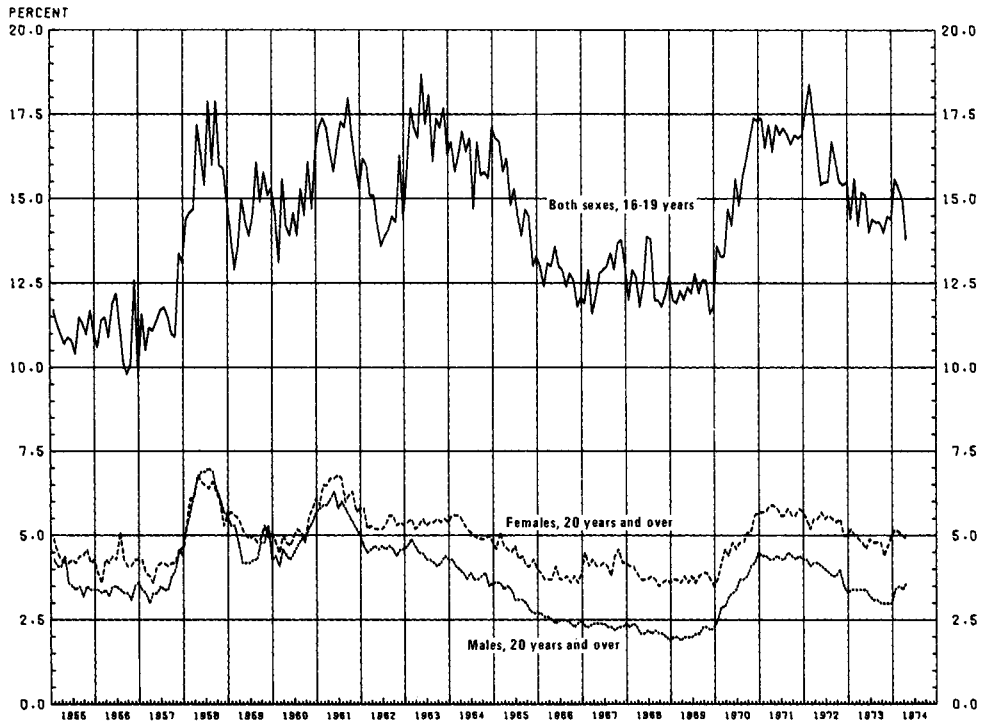
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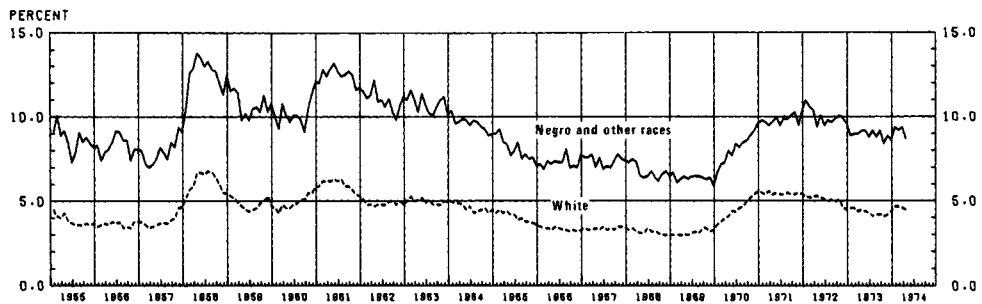
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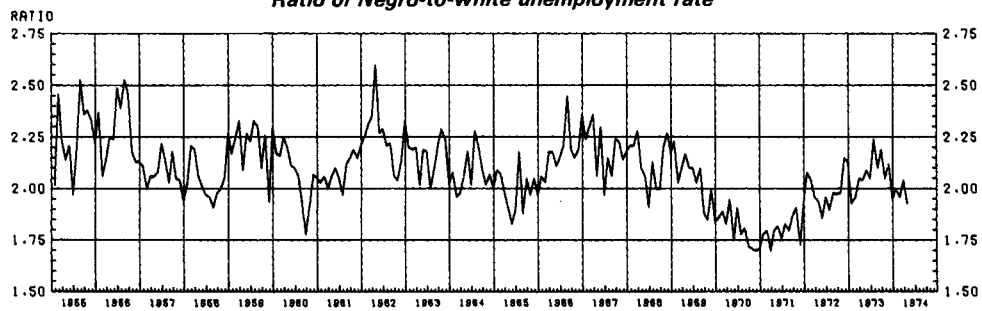


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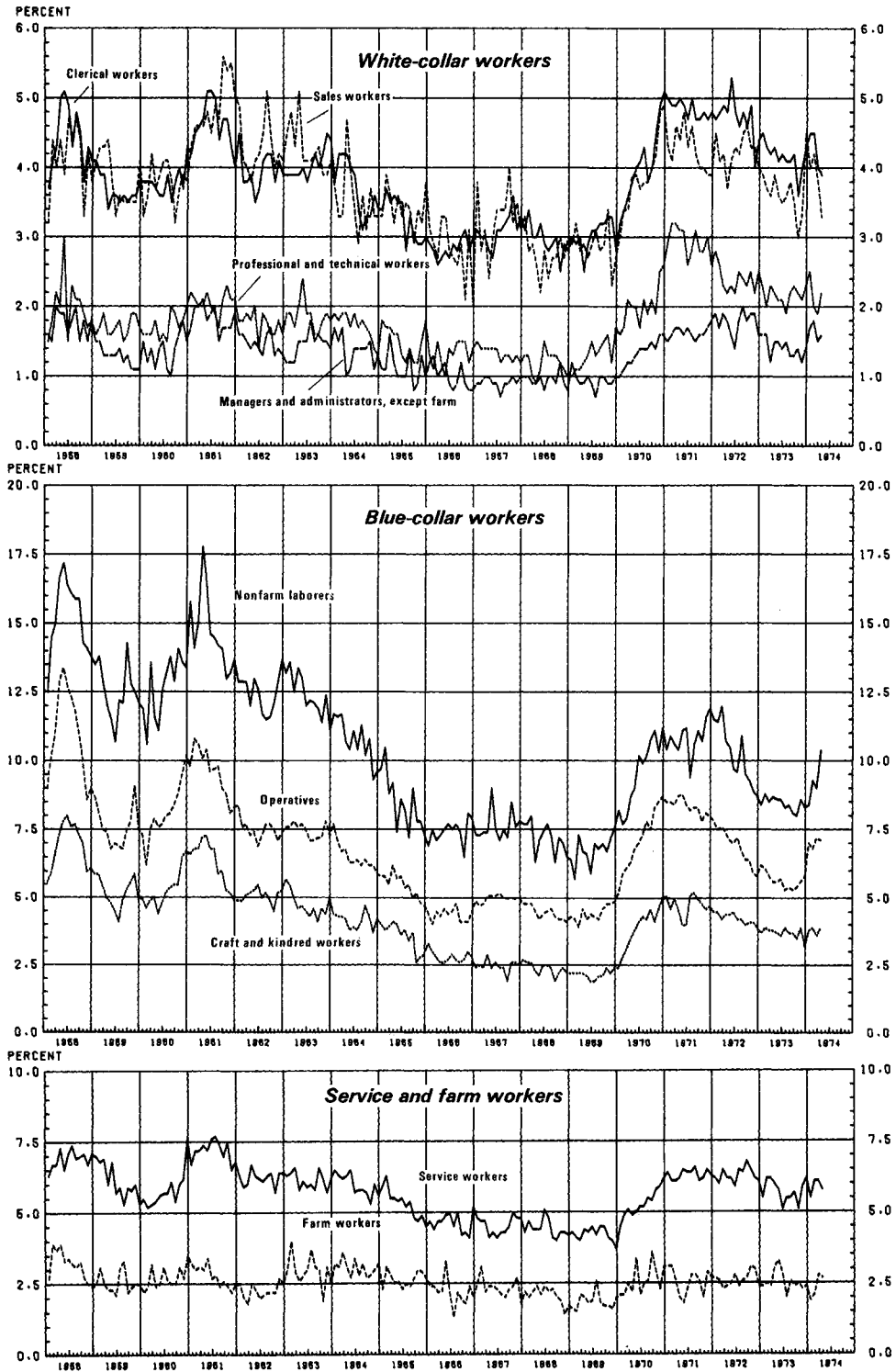


Ratio of Negro-to-white unemployment rate



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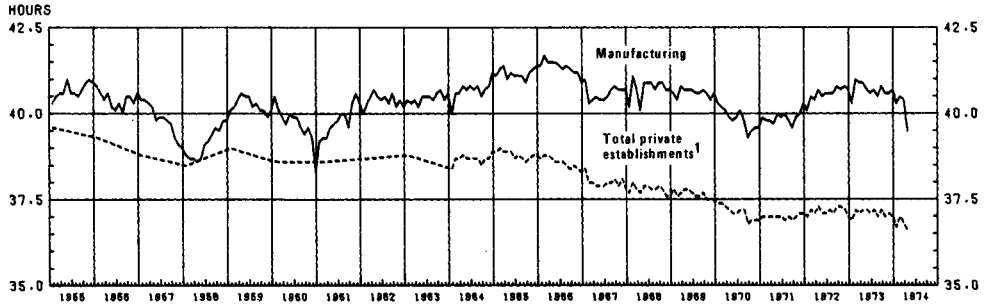
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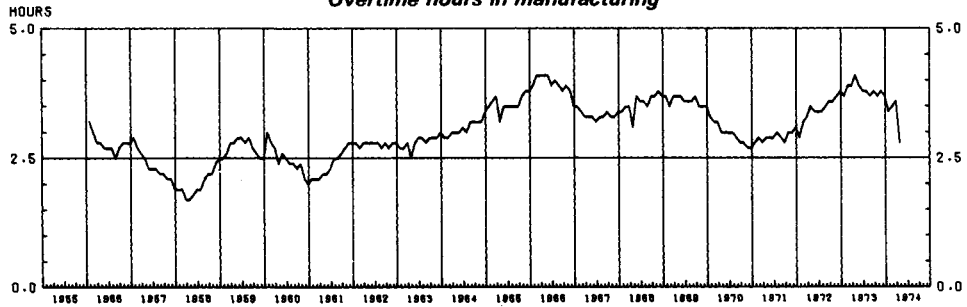
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Chart 12. Average weekly hours in nonagricultural industries

(Seasonally adjusted)



Overtime hours in manufacturing



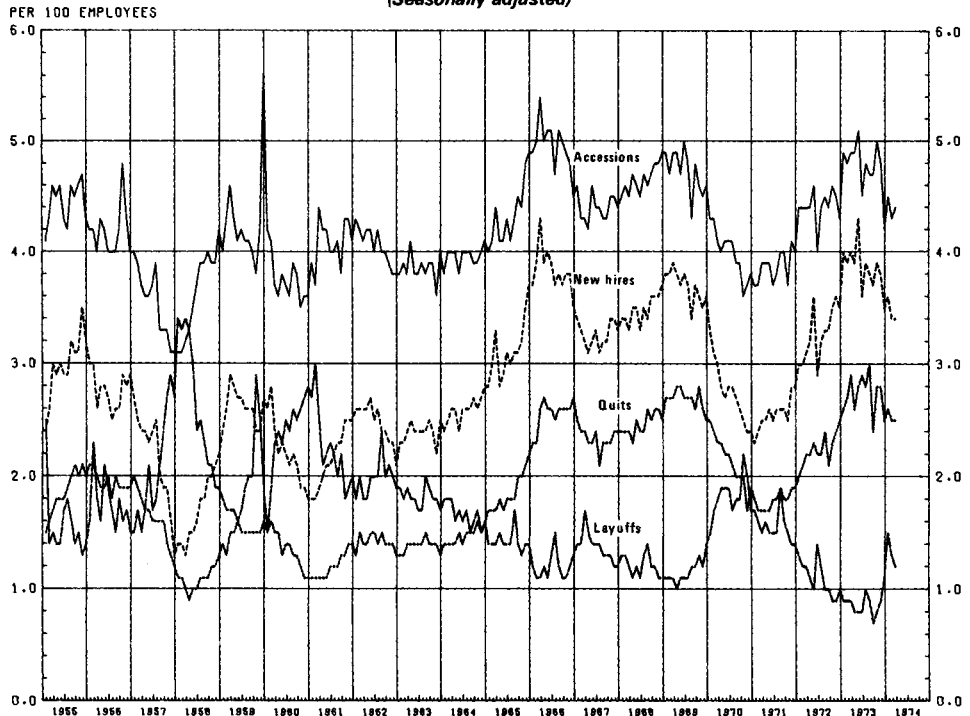
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Chart 13. Labor turnover rates in manufacturing

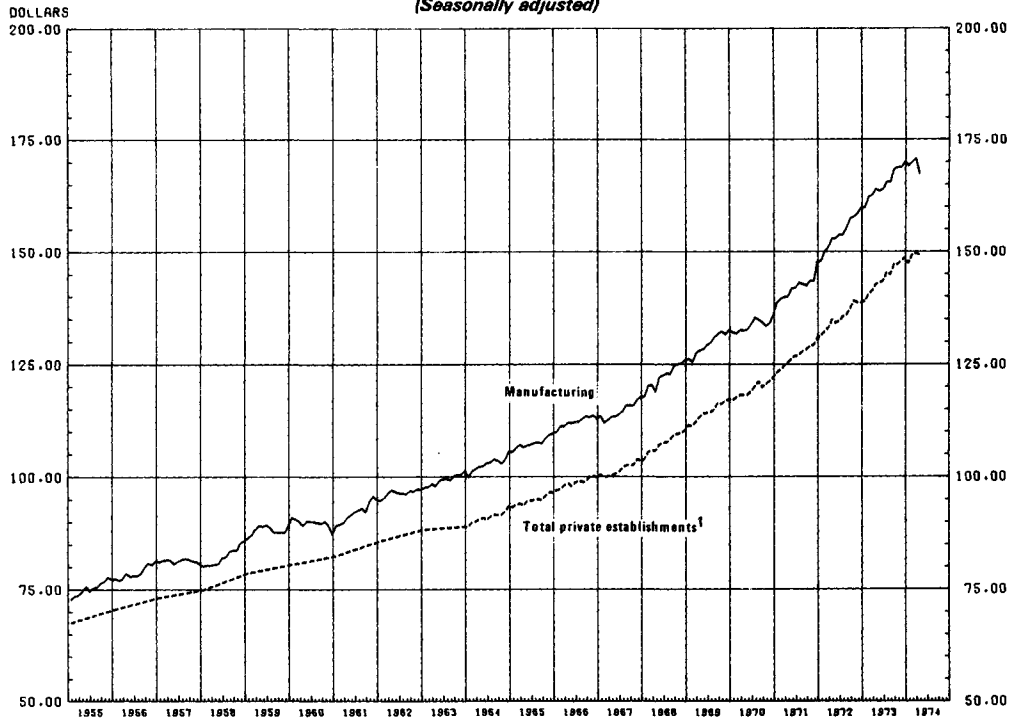
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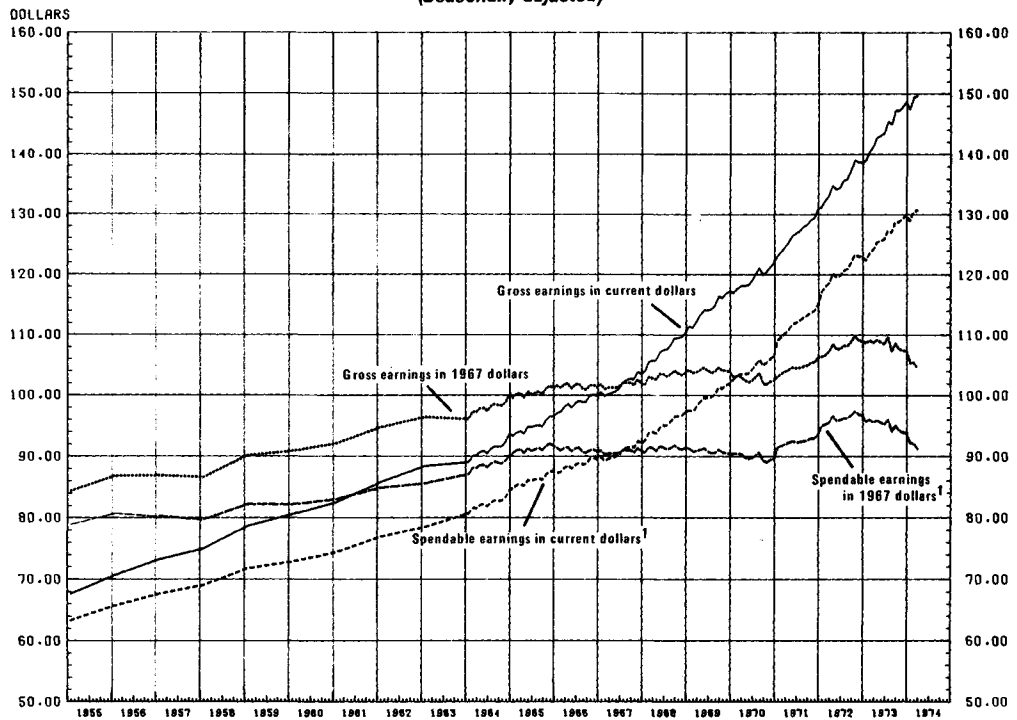
Chart 14. Average weekly earnings in nonagricultural industries
(Seasonally adjusted)



¹ Annual averages prior to 1964.
NOTE: Data for two most recent months are preliminary.

SOURCE: Table C-7 and C-17.

Chart 15. Total private gross and spendable weekly earnings
(Seasonally adjusted)



¹ Worker with three dependents.
NOTE: Data prior to 1964 are annual averages. Data for current month are preliminary.

SOURCE: Table C-17.

HOUSEHOLD DATA

A-1: Employment status of the noninstitutional population, 1929 to date

(In thousands)

Year and month	Total noninstitutional population	Total labor force		Civilian labor force							Not in labor force
		Number	Percent of population	Total	Employed			Unemployed			
					Total	Agriculture	Nonagricultural industries	Number	Percent of labor force		
Persons 14 years of age and over											
1929.....	(1)	49,440	(1)	49,180	47,630	10,450	37,180	1,550	3.2	-	(1)
1930.....	(1)	50,080	(1)	49,820	45,480	10,340	35,140	4,340	8.7	-	(1)
1931.....	(1)	50,680	(1)	50,420	42,400	10,290	32,110	8,020	15.9	-	(1)
1932.....	(1)	51,250	(1)	51,000	38,940	10,170	28,770	12,060	23.6	-	(1)
1933.....	(1)	51,840	(1)	51,590	38,760	10,090	28,670	12,830	24.9	-	(1)
1934.....	(1)	52,490	(1)	52,230	40,890	9,900	30,990	11,340	21.7	-	(1)
1935.....	(1)	53,140	(1)	52,870	42,260	10,110	32,150	10,610	20.1	-	(1)
1936.....	(1)	53,740	(1)	53,440	44,410	10,000	34,410	9,030	16.9	-	(1)
1937.....	(1)	54,320	(1)	54,000	46,300	9,820	36,480	7,700	14.3	-	(1)
1938.....	(1)	54,950	(1)	54,610	44,220	9,690	34,530	10,390	19.0	-	(1)
1939.....	(1)	55,600	(1)	55,230	45,750	9,610	36,140	9,480	17.2	-	(1)
1940.....	100,380	56,180	56.0	55,640	47,520	9,540	37,980	8,120	14.6	-	44,200
1941.....	101,520	57,530	56.7	55,910	50,350	9,100	41,250	5,560	9.9	-	43,990
1942.....	102,610	60,380	58.8	56,410	53,750	9,250	44,500	2,660	4.7	-	42,230
1943.....	103,660	64,560	62.3	55,540	54,470	9,080	45,390	1,070	1.9	-	39,100
1944.....	104,630	66,040	63.1	54,630	53,960	8,950	45,010	670	1.2	-	38,590
1945.....	105,530	65,300	61.9	53,860	52,820	8,580	44,240	1,040	1.9	-	40,230
1946.....	106,520	60,970	57.2	57,520	55,250	8,320	46,930	2,270	3.9	-	45,550
1947.....	107,608	61,758	57.4	60,168	57,812	8,256	49,557	2,356	3.9	-	45,850
Persons 16 years of age and over											
1947.....	103,418	60,941	58.9	59,350	57,039	7,891	49,148	2,311	3.9	-	42,477
1948.....	104,527	62,080	59.4	60,621	58,344	7,629	50,713	2,276	3.8	-	42,447
1949.....	105,611	62,903	59.6	61,286	57,649	7,656	49,990	3,637	5.9	-	42,708
1950.....	106,645	63,858	59.9	62,208	58,920	7,160	51,760	3,288	5.3	-	42,787
1951.....	107,721	65,117	60.4	62,017	59,962	6,726	53,239	2,055	3.3	-	42,606
1952.....	108,823	65,730	60.4	62,138	60,254	6,501	53,753	1,883	3.0	-	43,093
1953 ²	110,601	66,560	60.2	63,015	61,181	6,261	54,922	1,834	2.9	-	44,041
1954.....	111,671	66,993	60.0	63,643	60,110	6,206	53,903	3,532	5.5	-	44,678
1955.....	112,732	68,072	60.4	65,023	62,171	6,449	55,724	2,852	4.4	-	44,660
1956.....	113,811	69,409	61.0	66,552	63,802	6,283	57,517	2,750	4.1	-	44,402
1957.....	115,065	69,729	60.6	66,929	64,071	5,947	58,123	2,859	4.3	-	45,336
1958.....	116,363	70,275	60.4	67,639	63,036	5,586	57,450	4,602	6.8	-	46,088
1959.....	117,881	70,921	60.2	68,369	64,630	5,565	59,065	3,740	5.5	-	46,960
1960 ²	119,759	72,142	60.2	69,628	65,778	5,458	60,318	3,852	5.5	-	47,617
1961.....	121,343	73,031	60.2	70,459	65,746	5,200	60,546	4,714	6.7	-	48,312
1962 ²	122,981	73,442	59.7	70,614	66,702	4,944	61,759	3,911	5.5	-	49,539
1963.....	125,154	74,571	59.6	71,833	67,762	4,687	63,076	4,070	5.7	-	50,583
1964.....	127,224	75,830	59.6	73,091	69,305	4,523	64,782	3,786	5.2	-	51,394
1965.....	129,236	77,178	59.7	74,455	71,088	4,361	66,726	3,366	4.5	-	52,058
1966.....	131,180	78,893	60.1	75,770	72,895	3,979	68,915	2,875	3.8	-	52,288
1967.....	133,319	80,793	60.6	77,347	74,372	3,844	70,527	2,975	3.8	-	52,527
1968.....	135,562	82,272	60.7	78,737	75,920	3,817	72,103	2,817	3.6	-	53,291
1969.....	137,841	84,240	61.1	80,734	77,902	3,606	74,296	2,832	3.5	-	53,602
1970.....	140,182	85,903	61.3	82,715	78,627	3,462	75,165	4,088	4.9	-	54,280
1971.....	142,596	86,929	61.0	84,113	79,120	3,387	75,732	4,993	5.9	-	55,666
1972 ²	145,775	88,991	61.0	86,542	81,702	3,472	78,230	4,840	5.6	-	56,785
1973 ²	148,263	91,040	61.4	88,714	84,409	3,452	80,957	4,304	4.9	-	57,222
1973: April.....	147,729	89,823	60.8	87,473	83,299	3,295	80,004	4,174	4.8	5.0	57,906
October.....	149,001	92,046	61.8	89,757	85,994	3,525	82,469	3,763	4.2	4.6	56,955
November.....	149,208	92,168	61.8	89,884	88,828	3,419	82,409	4,056	4.5	4.7	57,040
December.....	149,436	91,983	61.6	89,701	85,643	3,202	82,441	4,058	4.5	4.8	57,453
1974: January.....	149,656	91,354	61.0	89,096	84,088	3,197	80,891	5,008	5.6	5.2	58,303
February.....	149,857	91,692	61.2	89,434	84,294	3,283	81,011	5,140	5.7	5.2	58,165
March.....	150,066	91,884	61.2	89,633	84,878	3,334	81,544	4,755	5.3	5.1	58,183
April.....	150,283	91,736	61.0	89,493	85,192	3,437	81,756	4,301	4.8	5.0	58,547

¹ Not available.

² Not strictly comparable with prior years due to the introduction of population adjustments in these years. For an explanation, see "Historic Comparability" under Household Data section of Explanatory Notes.

A-2: Employment status of the noninstitutional population 16 years and over by sex, 1947 to date

Year, month, and sex	Total noninstitutional population	Total labor force		Civilian labor force							Not in labor force
		Number	Percent of population	Total	Employed			Unemployed			
					Total	Agriculture	Nonagricultural industries	Number	Percent of labor force		
									Not seasonally adjusted	Seasonally adjusted	
MALE											
1947	50,968	44,258	86.8	42,686	40,994	6,643	34,351	1,692	4.0	-	6,710
1948	51,439	44,729	87.0	43,286	41,726	6,358	35,368	1,559	3.6	-	6,710
1949	51,922	45,097	86.9	43,498	40,926	6,342	34,584	2,572	5.9	-	6,825
1950	52,352	45,446	86.8	43,819	41,580	6,001	35,578	2,239	5.1	-	6,906
1951	52,788	46,063	87.3	43,001	41,780	5,533	36,248	1,221	2.8	-	6,725
1952	53,248	46,416	87.2	42,869	41,684	5,389	36,294	1,185	2.8	-	6,832
1953 ¹	54,248	47,131	86.9	43,633	42,431	5,253	37,178	1,202	2.8	-	7,117
1954	54,706	47,275	86.4	43,965	41,620	5,200	36,418	2,344	5.3	-	7,431
1955	55,122	47,488	86.2	44,475	42,621	5,265	37,357	1,854	4.2	-	7,634
1956	55,547	47,914	86.3	45,091	43,380	5,039	38,340	1,711	3.8	-	7,633
1957	56,082	47,964	85.5	45,197	43,357	4,824	38,532	1,841	4.1	-	8,118
1958	56,640	48,126	85.0	45,521	42,423	4,596	37,827	3,098	6.8	-	8,514
1959	57,312	48,405	84.5	45,886	43,466	4,532	38,934	2,420	5.3	-	8,907
1960 ¹	58,144	48,870	84.0	46,388	43,904	4,472	39,431	2,486	5.4	-	9,274
1961	58,826	49,193	83.6	46,653	43,656	4,298	39,359	2,997	6.4	-	9,633
1962 ¹	59,626	49,395	82.8	46,600	44,177	4,069	40,108	2,423	5.2	-	10,231
1963	60,627	49,835	82.2	47,129	44,657	3,809	40,849	2,472	5.2	-	10,792
1964	61,556	50,387	81.9	47,679	45,474	3,691	41,782	2,205	4.6	-	11,169
1965	62,473	50,946	81.5	48,255	46,340	3,547	42,792	1,914	4.0	-	11,527
1966	63,351	51,560	81.4	48,471	46,919	3,243	43,675	1,551	3.2	-	11,792
1967	64,316	52,398	81.5	48,987	47,479	3,164	44,315	1,508	3.1	-	11,919
1968	65,345	53,030	81.2	49,533	48,114	3,157	44,957	1,419	2.9	-	12,315
1969	66,365	53,688	80.9	50,221	48,818	2,963	45,855	1,403	2.8	-	12,677
1970	67,409	54,343	80.6	51,195	48,960	2,861	46,099	2,235	4.4	-	13,066
1971	68,512	54,797	80.0	52,021	49,245	2,790	46,455	2,776	5.3	-	13,715
1972 ¹	69,864	55,671	79.7	53,265	50,630	2,839	47,791	2,635	4.9	-	14,193
1973 ¹	71,020	56,479	79.5	54,203	51,963	2,833	49,130	2,240	4.1	-	14,541
1973: April	70,770	55,792	78.8	53,489	51,203	2,752	48,451	2,286	4.3	4.4	14,978
October	71,361	56,663	79.4	54,429	52,610	2,880	49,730	1,819	3.3	3.9	14,698
November	71,457	56,543	79.1	54,314	52,289	2,847	49,442	2,025	3.7	4.0	14,914
December	71,596	56,537	79.0	54,315	52,125	2,686	49,438	2,191	4.0	4.0	15,059
1974: January	71,701	56,485	78.8	54,286	51,523	2,696	48,827	2,764	5.1	4.4	15,216
February	71,794	56,475	78.7	54,276	51,376	2,760	48,617	2,899	5.3	4.5	15,320
March	71,891	56,499	78.6	54,312	51,678	2,797	48,881	2,634	4.8	4.4	15,392
April	71,993	56,507	78.5	54,327	51,927	2,887	49,040	2,401	4.4	4.5	15,486
FEMALE											
1947	52,450	16,683	31.8	16,664	16,045	1,248	14,797	619	3.7	-	35,767
1948	53,088	17,351	32.7	17,335	16,618	1,271	15,347	717	4.1	-	35,737
1949	53,689	17,806	33.2	17,788	16,723	1,314	15,409	1,065	6.0	-	35,883
1950	54,293	18,412	33.9	18,389	17,340	1,159	16,182	1,049	5.7	-	35,881
1951	54,933	19,054	34.7	19,016	18,182	1,193	16,990	834	4.4	-	35,879
1952	55,575	19,314	34.8	19,269	18,570	1,112	17,459	698	3.6	-	36,261
1953 ¹	56,353	19,429	34.5	19,382	18,750	1,008	17,744	632	3.3	-	36,924
1954	56,965	19,718	34.6	19,678	18,490	1,006	17,486	1,188	6.0	-	37,247
1955	57,610	20,584	35.7	20,548	19,550	1,184	18,367	998	4.9	-	37,026
1956	58,264	21,495	36.9	21,461	20,422	1,244	19,177	1,039	4.8	-	36,769
1957	58,983	21,765	36.9	21,732	20,714	1,123	19,591	1,018	4.7	-	37,218
1958	59,723	22,149	37.1	22,118	20,613	990	19,623	1,504	6.8	-	37,574
1959	60,569	22,516	37.2	22,483	21,164	1,033	20,131	1,320	5.9	-	38,053
1960 ¹	61,615	23,272	37.8	23,240	21,874	986	20,887	1,366	5.9	-	38,343
1961	62,517	23,838	38.1	23,806	22,090	902	21,187	1,717	7.2	-	38,679
1962 ¹	63,355	24,047	38.0	24,014	22,525	875	21,651	1,488	6.2	-	39,308
1963	64,527	24,736	38.3	24,704	23,105	878	22,227	1,598	6.5	-	39,791
1964	65,668	25,443	38.7	25,412	23,831	832	23,000	1,581	6.2	-	40,225
1965	66,763	26,232	39.3	26,200	24,748	814	23,934	1,452	5.5	-	40,531
1966	67,829	27,333	40.3	27,299	25,976	736	25,240	1,324	4.8	-	40,496
1967	69,003	28,395	41.2	28,360	26,893	680	26,212	1,468	5.2	-	40,608
1968	70,217	29,242	41.6	29,204	27,807	660	27,147	1,397	4.8	-	40,976
1969	71,476	30,551	42.7	30,513	29,084	643	28,441	1,429	4.7	-	40,924
1970	72,774	31,560	43.4	31,520	29,667	601	29,066	1,853	5.9	-	41,214
1971	74,084	32,132	43.4	32,091	29,875	598	29,277	2,217	6.9	-	41,952
1972 ¹	75,911	33,320	43.9	33,277	31,072	633	30,439	2,205	6.6	-	42,591
1973 ¹	77,242	34,561	44.7	34,510	32,446	619	31,827	2,064	6.0	-	42,681
1973: April	76,959	34,031	44.2	33,984	32,096	542	31,553	1,888	5.6	6.0	42,928
October	77,640	35,383	45.6	35,329	33,384	644	32,740	1,945	5.5	5.6	42,257
November	77,751	35,625	45.8	35,570	33,539	572	32,967	2,031	5.7	5.9	42,126
December	77,840	35,446	45.5	35,386	33,519	516	33,003	1,868	5.3	6.2	42,394
1974: January	77,955	34,869	44.7	34,809	32,865	501	32,064	2,244	6.4	6.6	43,087
February	78,063	35,218	45.1	35,158	32,918	523	32,395	2,241	6.4	6.4	42,846
March	78,175	35,384	45.3	35,321	33,200	537	32,662	2,121	6.0	6.2	42,791
April	78,290	35,229	45.0	35,165	33,265	549	32,716	1,900	5.4	5.9	43,062

¹ See footnote 2, table A-1.

A - 3: Employment status of the noninstitutional population by sex, age, and color

April 1974
(In thousands)

Sex, age, and color	Total labor force		Civilian labor force				Not in labor force				
	Number	Percent of population	Total	Employed	Unemployed		Total	Keeping house	Going to school	Unable to work	Other reasons
					Number	Percent of labor force					
MALE											
16 years and over	56,507	78.5	54,327	51,927	2,401	4.4	15,486	286	4,230	1,837	9,132
16 to 21 years	7,922	64.8	7,097	6,255	842	11.9	4,305	22	3,517	50	716
16 to 19 years	4,769	57.6	4,404	3,823	581	13.2	3,512	18	2,906	19	570
16 and 17 years	1,927	45.7	1,893	1,587	306	16.2	2,298	8	1,914	6	362
18 and 19 years	2,842	69.9	2,511	2,236	275	10.9	1,222	10	992	13	207
20 to 64 years	49,777	90.2	47,963	46,200	1,764	3.7	5,391	150	1,324	1,302	2,615
20 to 24 years	7,847	84.9	6,983	6,441	542	7.8	1,393	18	1,021	59	294
25 to 54 years	34,848	94.5	33,899	32,848	1,051	3.1	2,021	85	297	710	928
25 to 29 years	7,439	94.2	7,076	6,730	345	4.9	454	16	196	68	174
30 to 34 years	6,362	97.0	6,123	5,930	193	3.1	196	16	37	44	98
35 to 39 years	5,337	96.8	5,128	4,991	137	2.7	176	8	24	73	72
40 to 44 years	5,258	95.1	5,161	5,048	114	2.2	270	7	16	117	130
45 to 49 years	5,343	93.8	5,313	5,180	133	2.5	354	17	16	159	161
50 to 54 years	5,110	90.0	5,099	4,969	129	2.5	571	22	7	249	293
55 to 64 years	7,083	78.2	7,081	6,910	170	2.4	1,977	46	6	532	1,393
55 to 59 years	4,164	86.1	4,163	4,068	95	2.3	674	18	2	238	416
60 to 64 years	2,918	69.1	2,918	2,842	76	2.6	1,304	29	4	294	977
65 years and over	1,961	23.0	1,961	1,904	56	2.9	6,582	118	--	516	5,948
65 to 69 years	1,181	35.1	1,181	1,139	42	3.6	2,183	34	--	151	1,998
70 years and over	780	15.1	780	766	14	1.8	4,398	84	--	365	3,950
White											
16 years and over	50,604	79.1	48,749	46,802	1,947	4.0	13,331	227	3,516	1,464	8,124
16 to 21 years	7,000	66.5	6,312	5,671	641	10.2	3,523	20	2,914	29	560
16 to 19 years	4,260	60.0	3,957	3,504	453	11.5	2,839	15	2,378	9	436
16 and 17 years	1,766	49.1	1,736	1,483	253	14.6	1,833	8	1,537	2	286
18 and 19 years	2,494	71.3	2,220	2,020	200	9.0	1,005	7	841	7	150
20 to 64 years	44,571	90.8	43,019	41,574	1,445	3.4	4,525	107	1,138	1,033	2,247
20 to 24 years	6,864	85.2	6,135	5,716	420	6.8	1,189	11	899	41	238
25 to 54 years	31,234	95.2	30,412	29,537	875	2.9	1,591	63	233	541	753
25 to 34 years	12,301	96.0	11,782	11,346	436	3.7	515	28	187	87	212
35 to 44 years	9,457	96.6	9,192	8,978	215	2.3	337	8	27	131	171
45 to 54 years	9,476	92.8	9,438	9,213	225	2.4	739	28	19	323	369
55 to 64 years	6,473	78.8	6,471	6,322	150	2.3	1,746	32	5	452	1,257
55 to 59 years	3,818	86.7	3,817	3,733	83	2.2	585	10	2	200	373
60 to 64 years	2,655	69.6	2,655	2,588	67	2.5	1,161	22	4	251	884
65 years and over	1,773	22.9	1,773	1,724	49	2.8	5,967	105	--	422	5,441
Negro and other races											
16 years and over	5,903	73.3	5,578	5,125	454	8.1	2,154	59	714	373	1,008
16 to 21 years	922	54.1	785	584	201	25.6	782	2	603	21	156
16 to 19 years	509	43.0	447	320	127	28.5	674	3	528	10	133
16 and 17 years	161	26.1	157	104	53	33.7	457	--	377	3	76
18 and 19 years	348	61.6	290	216	75	25.7	217	3	150	7	57
20 to 64 years	5,207	85.7	4,944	4,625	319	6.5	867	44	186	269	368
20 to 24 years	983	82.8	848	725	123	14.5	205	7	122	18	57
25 to 54 years	3,614	89.3	3,487	3,311	176	5.0	430	22	63	171	176
25 to 34 years	1,499	91.7	1,416	1,314	103	7.2	136	4	46	25	60
35 to 44 years	1,138	91.2	1,097	1,061	36	3.3	110	7	13	59	31
45 to 54 years	977	84.1	973	936	37	3.8	185	11	4	86	84
55 to 64 years	609	72.5	609	589	21	3.4	231	15	1	81	136
55 to 59 years	346	79.6	346	334	12	3.4	89	8	1	37	42
60 to 64 years	263	64.8	263	254	9	3.3	143	6	--	43	93
65 years and over	187	23.4	187	180	7	3.8	614	13	--	94	507

A-3: Employment status of the noninstitutional population by sex, age, and color--Continued

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(In thousands)

Sex, age, and color	Total labor force		Civilian labor force				Not in labor force				
	Number	Percent of population	Total	Employed	Unemployed		Total	Keeping house	Going to school	Unable to work	Other reasons
					Number	Percent of labor force					
FEMALE											
16 years and over	35,229	45.0	35,165	33,265	1,900	5.4	43,062	34,818	4,203	1,173	2,867
16 to 21 years	5,925	49.5	5,893	5,220	673	11.4	6,054	1,705	3,708	19	621
16 to 19 years	3,569	44.0	3,554	3,106	448	12.6	4,534	846	3,134	10	543
16 and 17 years	1,391	34.0	1,391	1,196	194	14.0	2,696	212	2,124	5	355
18 and 19 years	2,178	54.2	2,164	1,910	254	11.7	1,838	634	1,010	5	188
20 to 64 years	30,657	52.8	30,608	29,189	1,419	4.6	27,428	24,781	1,061	443	1,143
20 to 24 years	5,683	61.5	5,650	5,224	426	7.5	3,559	2,525	820	24	191
25 to 54 years	20,732	53.6	20,717	19,849	868	4.2	17,932	16,843	232	240	617
25 to 29 years	4,335	53.9	4,326	4,074	252	5.8	3,709	3,467	112	26	104
30 to 34 years	3,336	49.3	3,333	3,197	137	4.1	3,429	3,265	50	20	94
35 to 39 years	3,143	54.1	2,141	2,988	154	4.9	2,662	2,501	25	34	102
40 to 44 years	3,198	55.1	3,197	3,081	115	3.6	2,610	2,467	26	35	82
45 to 49 years	3,329	54.7	3,328	3,205	124	3.7	2,761	2,612	8	49	92
50 to 54 years	3,391	55.1	3,391	3,304	87	2.6	2,762	2,532	11	76	143
55 to 64 years	4,242	41.7	4,241	4,117	125	2.9	5,937	5,413	10	179	334
55 to 59 years	2,549	47.8	2,549	2,474	75	2.9	2,780	2,561	8	91	120
60 to 64 years	1,693	34.9	1,693	1,643	50	2.9	3,157	2,852	2	88	215
65 years and over	1,003	8.3	1,003	970	33	3.3	11,100	9,191	8	720	1,181
65 to 69 years	616	14.5	616	592	25	4.0	3,634	3,170	4	156	304
70 years and over	386	4.9	386	378	8	2.1	7,465	6,020	4	564	877
White											
16 years and over	30,720	44.6	30,666	29,148	1,519	5.0	38,176	31,288	3,438	935	2,514
16 to 21 years	5,302	51.9	5,275	4,753	522	9.9	4,919	1,362	3,043	18	496
16 to 19 years	3,236	46.9	3,223	2,869	354	11.0	3,659	663	2,551	10	436
16 and 17 years	1,272	36.7	1,272	1,111	161	12.6	2,195	174	1,713	5	303
18 and 19 years	1,963	57.3	1,951	1,757	194	9.9	1,464	489	837	5	133
20 to 64 years	26,593	52.2	26,551	25,416	1,135	4.3	24,356	22,141	880	328	1,007
20 to 24 years	4,944	62.4	4,916	4,590	326	6.6	2,982	2,125	700	13	143
25 to 54 years	17,851	52.8	17,837	17,144	694	3.9	15,977	15,062	172	184	559
25 to 34 years	648	50.4	6,471	6,168	303	4.7	6,373	6,045	114	37	177
35 to 44 years	5,411	53.7	5,408	5,202	207	3.8	4,672	4,415	39	54	163
45 to 54 years	5,959	54.7	5,958	5,773	185	3.1	4,932	4,602	18	94	219
55 to 64 years	3,797	41.3	3,797	3,682	115	3.0	5,398	4,954	9	130	305
55 to 59 years	2,289	47.5	2,289	2,216	73	3.2	2,534	2,342	7	71	114
60 to 64 years	1,508	34.5	1,508	1,466	42	2.8	2,863	2,612	2	60	190
65 years and over	892	8.1	892	863	29	3.3	10,160	8,484	7	597	1,071
Negro and other races											
16 years and over	4,508	48.0	4,499	4,117	382	8.5	4,886	3,531	765	238	353
16 to 21 years	623	35.4	618	467	151	24.5	1,135	343	665	1	125
16 to 19 years	333	27.6	331	237	94	28.3	874	184	583	--	107
16 and 17 years	118	19.1	118	85	33	28.3	500	38	411	--	52
18 and 19 years	215	36.5	213	152	60	28.4	374	145	173	--	55
20 to 64 years	4,065	57.0	4,058	3,773	285	7.0	3,072	2,640	181	115	136
20 to 24 years	739	56.1	734	633	100	13.7	577	400	120	10	48
25 to 54 years	2,881	59.6	2,880	2,705	174	6.0	1,955	1,781	60	55	59
25 to 34 years	1,190	60.9	1,189	1,103	86	7.2	765	687	47	10	21
35 to 44 years	930	60.8	930	867	62	6.7	600	553	12	14	21
45 to 54 years	762	56.3	762	736	26	3.4	590	541	1	32	16
55 to 64 years	444	45.2	444	434	10	2.3	539	460	1	49	30
55 to 59 years	260	51.4	260	258	2	.9	246	219	1	21	5
60 to 64 years	185	38.6	185	177	8	4.3	293	240	--	28	25
65 years and over	110	10.5	110	107	3	3.1	940	707	1	122	110

A - 4: Labor force by sex, age, and color

Sex, age, and color	Total labor force				Civilian labor force			
	Thousands of persons		Participation rate		Thousands of persons		Participation rate	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
MALE								
16 years and over	55,792	56,507	78.8	78.5	53,489	54,327	78.1	77.8
16 to 19 years	4,681	4,769	57.5	57.6	4,303	4,404	55.4	55.6
16 and 17 years	1,945	1,927	46.9	45.7	1,902	1,893	46.3	45.3
18 and 19 years	2,736	2,842	68.4	69.9	2,401	2,511	65.5	67.3
20 to 24 years	7,828	7,847	85.0	84.9	6,860	6,983	83.2	83.4
25 to 34 years	34,342	34,848	95.0	94.5	33,389	33,899	94.9	94.4
25 to 34 years	13,273	13,800	95.6	95.5	12,676	13,198	95.4	95.3
35 to 44 years	10,591	10,595	96.4	96.0	10,279	10,289	96.3	98.5
45 to 54 years	10,478	10,452	93.1	91.9	10,434	10,412	93.0	91.8
55 to 64 years	7,005	7,083	78.4	78.2	7,002	7,081	78.4	78.2
55 to 59 years	4,104	4,164	85.6	86.1	4,101	4,163	85.6	86.1
60 to 64 years	2,901	2,918	70.1	69.1	2,901	2,918	70.1	69.1
65 years and over	1,936	1,961	23.2	23.0	1,936	1,961	23.2	23.0
White								
16 years and over	49,991	50,604	79.4	79.1	48,000	48,749	78.7	78.5
16 to 19 years	4,160	4,260	59.4	60.0	3,841	3,957	57.5	58.2
16 and 17 years	1,749	1,766	49.2	49.1	1,712	1,736	48.6	48.6
18 and 19 years	2,411	2,494	70.0	71.3	2,129	2,220	67.4	68.8
20 to 24 years	6,829	6,864	85.2	85.2	5,991	6,135	83.5	83.8
25 to 34 years	30,815	31,234	95.6	95.2	29,985	30,412	95.5	95.0
25 to 34 years	11,840	12,301	96.1	96.0	11,322	11,782	95.9	95.8
35 to 44 years	9,470	9,457	97.0	96.6	9,199	9,192	96.9	96.5
45 to 54 years	9,506	9,476	93.7	92.8	9,465	9,438	93.7	92.7
55 to 64 years	6,425	6,473	79.1	78.8	6,423	6,471	79.1	78.8
55 to 59 years	3,768	3,818	86.2	86.7	3,766	3,817	86.2	86.7
60 to 64 years	2,657	2,655	70.8	69.6	2,657	2,655	70.8	69.6
65 years and over	1,761	1,773	23.2	22.9	1,761	1,773	23.2	22.9
Negro and other races								
16 years and over	5,801	5,903	74.1	73.3	5,489	5,578	73.1	72.1
16 to 19 years	520	509	45.4	43.0	462	447	42.5	39.9
16 and 17 years	196	161	33.2	26.1	191	157	32.5	25.5
18 and 19 years	324	348	58.5	61.6	272	290	54.2	57.2
20 to 24 years	998	983	83.7	82.8	869	848	81.8	80.5
25 to 34 years	3,527	3,614	90.3	89.3	3,403	3,487	89.9	89.0
25 to 34 years	1,433	1,499	91.5	91.7	1,354	1,416	91.0	91.3
35 to 44 years	1,121	1,138	91.3	91.2	1,080	1,097	91.0	90.9
45 to 54 years	973	977	87.3	84.1	969	973	87.3	84.0
55 to 64 years	580	609	71.9	72.5	580	609	71.9	72.5
55 to 59 years	336	346	79.2	79.6	336	346	79.2	79.6
60 to 64 years	244	263	63.8	64.8	244	263	63.8	64.8
65 years and over	175	187	22.8	23.4	175	187	22.8	23.4

A- 4: Labor force by sex, age, and color--Continued

Sex, age, and color	Total labor force				Civilian labor force			
	Thousands of persons		Participation rate		Thousands of persons		Participation rate	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
FEMALE								
16 years and over	34,031	35,229	44.2	45.0	33,984	35,165	44.2	45.0
16 to 19 years	3,481	3,569	43.9	44.0	3,471	3,554	43.9	43.9
16 and 17 years	1,428	1,391	35.4	34.0	1,428	1,391	35.4	34.0
18 and 19 years	2,053	2,178	52.7	54.2	2,043	2,164	52.6	54.1
20 to 24 years	5,473	5,683	59.8	61.5	5,449	5,650	59.7	61.4
25 to 54 years	19,817	20,732	52.2	53.6	19,805	20,717	52.2	53.6
25 to 34 years	7,053	7,671	49.6	51.8	7,044	7,660	49.6	51.8
35 to 44 years	6,169	6,341	53.5	54.6	6,166	6,338	53.4	54.6
45 to 54 years	6,596	6,721	54.0	54.9	6,595	6,719	54.0	54.9
55 to 64 years	4,180	4,242	41.3	41.7	4,180	4,241	41.3	41.7
55 to 59 years	2,512	2,549	47.1	47.8	2,512	2,549	47.1	47.8
60 to 64 years	1,668	1,693	34.7	34.9	1,668	1,693	34.7	34.9
65 years and over	1,080	1,003	9.2	8.3	1,080	1,003	9.2	8.3
White								
16 years and over	29,655	30,720	43.7	46.6	29,615	30,666	43.7	44.5
16 to 19 years	3,134	3,236	46.4	46.9	3,125	3,223	46.3	46.8
16 and 17 years	1,302	1,272	38.0	36.7	1,302	1,272	38.0	36.7
18 and 19 years	1,832	1,963	55.0	57.3	1,823	1,951	54.9	57.1
20 to 24 years	4,749	4,944	60.3	62.4	4,728	4,916	60.2	62.2
25 to 54 years	17,060	17,851	51.2	52.8	17,049	17,837	51.2	52.8
25 to 34 years	5,957	6,481	48.2	50.4	5,949	6,471	48.1	50.4
35 to 44 years	5,245	5,411	52.3	53.7	5,243	5,408	52.2	53.7
45 to 54 years	5,858	5,959	53.8	54.7	5,857	5,958	53.8	54.7
55 to 64 years	3,743	3,797	40.8	41.3	3,743	3,797	40.8	41.3
55 to 59 years	2,263	2,289	46.9	47.5	2,262	2,289	46.9	47.5
60 to 64 years	1,480	1,508	34.0	34.5	1,480	1,508	34.0	34.5
65 years and over	970	892	9.0	8.1	970	892	9.0	8.1
Negro and other races								
16 years and over	4,376	4,508	48.2	48.0	4,369	4,499	48.2	47.9
16 to 19 years	347	333	29.7	27.6	346	331	29.6	27.5
16 and 17 years	126	118	20.9	19.1	126	118	20.9	19.1
18 and 19 years	221	215	39.0	36.5	220	213	38.8	36.3
20 to 24 years	724	739	56.8	56.1	721	734	56.7	56.0
25 to 54 years	2,758	2,881	59.1	60.0	2,757	2,880	59.1	59.6
25 to 34 years	1,096	1,190	59.5	60.9	1,095	1,189	59.5	60.8
35 to 44 years	923	930	61.5	60.8	923	930	61.5	60.8
45 to 54 years	738	762	55.7	56.3	738	762	55.7	56.3
55 to 64 years	437	444	45.7	45.2	437	444	45.7	45.2
55 to 59 years	249	260	49.5	51.4	249	260	49.5	51.4
60 to 64 years	188	185	41.5	38.6	188	185	41.5	38.6
65 years and over	109	110	10.9	10.5	109	110	10.9	10.5

A- 5: Employment status of persons 16-21 years of age in the noninstitutional population by color and sex
 April 1974
 (In thousands)

Employment status	Total			White			Negro and other races		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Total noninstitutional population	24,206	12,227	11,979	20,744	10,523	10,221	3,462	1,705	1,758
Total labor force	13,847	7,922	5,925	12,302	7,000	5,302	1,545	922	623
Percent of population	57.2	64.8	49.5	59.3	66.5	51.9	44.6	54.1	35.4
Civilian labor force	12,990	7,097	5,893	11,587	6,312	5,275	1,403	785	618
Employed	11,475	6,255	5,220	10,424	5,671	4,753	1,051	584	467
Agriculture	594	521	74	563	492	72	31	29	2
Nonagricultural industries	10,881	5,734	5,147	9,861	5,179	4,682	1,020	555	465
Unemployed	1,515	842	673	1,163	641	522	352	201	151
Percent of labor force	11.7	11.9	11.4	10.0	10.2	9.9	25.1	25.6	24.5
Looking for full-time work	972	531	441	706	381	325	266	150	116
Looking for part-time work	543	311	232	457	260	197	86	51	35
Not in labor force	10,359	4,305	6,054	8,442	3,523	4,919	1,917	782	1,135
Major activity: going to school									
Civilian labor force	3,322	1,855	1,467	3,050	1,691	1,359	272	164	108
Employed	2,847	1,566	1,280	2,658	1,454	1,204	188	112	77
Agriculture	193	162	31	186	155	31	6	6	--
Nonagricultural industries	2,654	1,405	1,249	2,472	1,299	1,173	182	106	77
Unemployed	475	289	186	392	237	155	83	52	31
Percent of labor force	14.3	15.6	12.7	12.8	14.0	11.4	30.6	31.8	28.9
Looking for full-time work	69	41	27	51	33	19	18	9	9
Looking for part-time work	406	247	159	341	204	137	66	43	22
Not in labor force	7,225	3,517	3,708	5,957	2,914	3,043	1,268	603	665
Major activity: other									
Civilian labor force	9,669	5,242	4,427	8,537	4,621	3,916	1,131	621	510
Employed	8,628	4,689	3,940	7,766	4,217	3,550	862	472	390
Agriculture	402	359	42	377	336	40	25	23	2
Nonagricultural industries	8,227	4,329	3,897	7,389	3,880	3,509	837	449	388
Unemployed	1,040	553	487	771	404	367	269	149	120
Percent of labor force	10.8	10.6	11.0	9.0	8.8	9.4	23.8	24.0	23.6
Looking for full-time work	903	490	414	655	348	306	249	141	107
Looking for part-time work	137	64	73	116	56	60	20	8	13
Not in labor force	3,134	789	2,345	2,485	609	1,876	649	179	469

A- 6: Employment status of the noninstitutional population 16 years and over by sex, age, and color
 (In thousands)

Employment status and color	Total		Men, 20 years and over		Women, 20 years and over		Both sexes, 16-19 years	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
	Total							
Total noninstitutional population	147,729	150,283	62,623	63,712	69,034	70,188	16,072	16,384
Total labor force	89,823	91,736	51,111	51,738	30,550	31,660	8,162	8,338
Percent of population	60.8	61.0	81.6	81.2	44.3	45.1	50.8	50.9
Civilian labor force	87,473	89,493	49,186	49,924	30,513	31,611	7,774	7,958
Employed	83,299	85,192	47,487	48,104	29,146	30,159	6,666	6,929
Agriculture	3,295	3,437	2,488	2,508	502	494	305	435
Nonagricultural industries	80,004	81,756	44,999	45,596	28,644	29,666	6,361	6,494
Unemployed	4,174	4,301	1,699	1,820	1,367	1,452	1,108	1,029
Percent of labor force	4.8	4.8	3.5	3.6	4.5	4.6	14.2	12.9
Not in labor force	57,906	58,547	11,512	11,973	38,484	38,528	7,910	8,046
White								
Total noninstitutional population	130,828	132,831	55,946	56,837	61,124	62,001	13,758	13,993
Total labor force	79,646	81,324	45,831	46,344	26,522	27,485	7,294	7,495
Percent of population	60.9	61.2	81.9	81.5	43.4	44.3	53.0	53.6
Civilian labor force	77,615	79,415	44,159	44,792	26,489	27,443	6,966	7,180
Employed	74,298	75,950	42,763	43,298	25,431	26,279	6,104	6,372
Agriculture	3,009	3,170	2,262	2,292	463	465	284	412
Nonagricultural industries	71,289	72,780	40,501	41,006	24,968	25,814	5,820	5,960
Unemployed	3,316	3,465	1,396	1,494	1,058	1,164	862	808
Percent of labor force	4.3	4.4	3.2	3.3	4.0	4.2	12.4	11.2
Not in labor force	51,181	51,507	10,115	10,492	34,603	34,516	6,463	6,498
Negro and other races								
Total noninstitutional population	16,901	17,452	6,677	6,875	7,910	8,187	2,314	2,390
Total labor force	10,176	10,411	5,280	5,394	4,029	4,175	867	842
Percent of population	60.2	59.7	79.1	78.5	50.9	51.0	37.5	35.2
Civilian labor force	9,859	10,078	5,02	5,131	4,024	4,168	808	778
Employed	9,001	9,242	4,724	4,805	3,715	3,880	563	557
Agriculture	286	267	226	216	38	28	21	23
Nonagricultural industries	8,715	8,975	4,497	4,590	3,676	3,852	541	534
Unemployed	858	835	303	326	309	288	245	221
Percent of labor force	8.7	8.3	6.0	6.4	7.7	6.9	30.4	28.4
Not in labor force	6,725	7,041	1,397	1,481	3,881	4,012	1,447	1,548

A-7: Full- and part-time status of the civilian labor force by color, sex, and age
 April 1974

(Numbers in thousands)

Age and sex	Full-time labor force					Part-time labor force			
	Total	Employed		Unemployed (looking for full-time work)		Total	Employed on voluntary part time ¹	Unemployed (looking for part-time work)	
		Full-time schedules ¹	Part time for economic reasons	Number	Percent of full-time labor force			Number	Percent of part-time labor force
TOTAL									
Total, 16 years and over	75,713	69,993	2,309	3,410	4.5	13,780	12,889	891	6.5
16 to 21 years	7,848	6,364	512	972	12.4	5,142	4,599	543	10.6
16 to 19 years	3,784	2,912	325	547	14.4	4,174	3,692	482	11.5
16 to 17 years	751	495	98	158	21.1	2,533	2,191	342	13.5
18 to 19 years	3,034	2,417	228	388	12.8	1,641	1,501	140	8.5
20 years and over	71,928	67,081	1,984	2,863	4.0	9,606	9,198	409	4.3
20 to 24 years	10,842	9,548	437	857	7.9	1,791	1,680	111	6.2
25 years and over	61,087	57,533	1,546	2,007	3.3	7,815	7,518	297	3.8
25 to 54 years	49,500	46,639	1,157	1,703	3.4	5,117	4,901	216	4.2
55 years and over	11,587	10,894	389	304	2.6	2,698	2,617	81	3.0
Males, 16 years and over	49,557	46,432	1,128	1,997	4.0	4,770	4,366	404	8.5
16 to 21 years	4,441	3,652	257	531	12.0	2,656	2,345	311	11.7
16 to 19 years	2,180	1,704	172	304	13.9	2,224	1,947	277	12.5
20 years and over	47,378	44,728	956	1,693	3.6	2,546	2,419	127	5.0
20 to 24 years	6,225	5,532	207	486	7.8	758	702	56	7.4
25 years and over	41,153	39,196	749	1,208	2.9	1,788	1,717	71	4.0
25 to 54 years	33,288	31,740	533	1,014	3.0	612	575	37	6.0
55 years and over	7,866	7,456	216	193	2.5	1,176	1,142	34	2.9
Females, 16 years and over	26,156	23,561	1,181	1,413	5.4	9,010	8,523	487	5.4
16 to 21 years	3,408	2,712	255	441	12.9	2,486	2,253	232	9.3
16 to 19 years	1,605	1,208	154	243	15.2	1,949	1,744	205	10.5
20 years and over	24,551	22,353	1,028	1,170	4.8	7,060	6,779	282	4.0
20 to 24 years	4,617	4,016	230	371	8.0	1,033	978	55	5.3
25 years and over	19,933	18,337	797	799	4.0	6,027	5,801	227	3.8
25 to 54 years	16,212	14,899	624	689	4.2	4,505	4,326	179	4.0
55 years and over	3,722	3,438	173	110	3.0	1,522	1,475	48	3.2
WHITE									
Males, 16 years and over	44,434	41,881	957	1,595	3.6	4,315	3,964	351	8.1
16 to 21 years	3,875	3,265	229	381	9.8	2,436	2,177	260	10.7
16 to 19 years	1,915	1,540	154	222	11.6	2,042	1,810	232	11.3
20 years and over	42,518	40,341	804	1,374	3.2	2,274	2,154	120	5.3
20 to 24 years	5,436	4,897	169	369	6.8	700	650	50	7.2
25 years and over	37,082	35,443	634	1,004	2.7	1,574	1,505	70	4.4
25 to 54 years	29,881	28,593	451	836	2.8	531	493	39	7.3
55 years and over	7,201	6,850	184	168	2.3	1,043	1,012	31	3.0
Females, 16 years and over	22,490	20,478	917	1,096	4.9	8,176	7,753	423	5.2
16 to 21 years	2,989	2,449	215	325	10.9	2,286	2,089	197	8.6
16 to 19 years	1,412	1,100	131	181	12.8	1,811	1,638	174	9.6
20 years and over	21,078	19,378	785	915	4.3	6,365	6,116	249	3.9
20 to 24 years	3,991	3,537	174	280	7.0	925	879	47	5.0
25 years and over	17,087	15,841	611	636	3.7	5,439	5,238	202	3.7
25 to 54 years	13,704	12,704	469	532	3.9	4,133	3,971	162	3.9
55 years and over	3,383	3,137	143	104	3.1	1,306	1,267	40	3.1
NEGRO AND OTHER RACES									
Males, 16 years and over	5,124	4,552	171	401	7.8	455	402	52	11.5
16 to 21 years	565	387	28	150	26.5	220	169	51	23.2
16 to 19 years	264	164	18	82	31.0	183	137	46	24.9
20 years and over	4,859	4,387	152	319	6.6	272	265	7	2.5
20 to 24 years	789	635	38	117	14.8	58	52	6	(2)
25 years and over	4,070	3,753	114	203	5.0	213	212	4	1.9
25 to 54 years	3,407	3,147	81	178	5.2	82	82	--	--
55 years and over	663	606	33	25	3.8	133	130	4	3.0
Females, 16 years and over	3,666	3,083	264	318	8.7	834	770	64	7.7
16 to 21 years	418	262	40	116	27.8	200	165	35	17.6
16 to 19 years	193	108	22	63	32.4	138	107	31	22.6
20 years and over	3,472	2,975	242	255	7.4	696	663	33	4.7
20 to 24 years	626	478	56	92	14.7	107	99	8	7.7
25 years and over	2,846	2,496	187	163	5.7	588	564	24	4.1
25 to 54 years	2,507	2,195	155	157	6.3	372	355	17	4.6
55 years and over	339	301	31	6	1.8	216	209	7	3.2

¹ Employed persons with a job but not at work are distributed proportionately among the full- and part-time employed categories.² Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A- 8: Unemployed persons by sex and age

Age	Male				Female			
	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates		Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total, 16 years and over	2,286	2,401	4.3	4.4	1,888	1,900	5.6	5.4
16 to 19 years	587	581	13.6	13.2	521	448	15.0	12.6
16 and 17 years	359	306	18.8	16.2	248	194	17.3	14.0
18 and 19 years	228	275	9.5	10.9	273	254	13.4	11.7
20 years and over	1,699	1,820	3.5	3.6	1,367	1,452	4.5	4.6
20 to 24 years	528	542	7.7	7.8	410	426	7.5	7.5
25 years and over	1,171	1,278	2.8	3.0	957	1,026	3.8	4.0
25 to 34 years	422	538	3.3	4.1	363	389	5.2	5.1
35 to 44 years	239	251	2.3	2.4	218	269	3.5	4.2
45 to 54 years	281	262	2.7	2.5	231	211	3.5	3.1
55 to 64 years	185	170	2.6	2.4	118	125	2.8	2.9
55 to 59 years	83	95	2.0	2.3	81	75	3.2	2.9
60 to 64 years	102	76	3.5	2.6	37	50	2.2	2.9
65 years and over	45	56	2.3	2.9	28	33	2.6	3.3
Household head, 16 years and over	1,177	1,230	2.7	2.8	373	414	5.1	5.3
16 to 24 years	175	181	4.4	4.4	86	102	9.5	9.9
25 to 54 years	783	829	2.5	2.6	225	224	5.4	4.9
55 years and over	220	219	2.5	2.5	63	88	2.8	3.9

A- 9: Unemployed persons by marital status, sex, age, and color

Marital status, age, and color	Male				Female			
	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates		Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total, 16 years and over	2,286	2,401	4.3	4.4	1,888	1,900	5.6	5.4
Married, spouse present	989	1,008	2.5	2.5	840	852	4.2	4.2
Widowed, divorced, or separated	185	201	5.8	6.0	370	380	5.8	5.8
Single (never married)	1,113	1,191	10.5	10.7	678	669	8.7	8.2
Total, 20 to 64 years of age	1,654	1,764	3.5	3.7	1,339	1,419	4.5	4.6
Married, spouse present	937	948	2.5	2.5	754	788	4.0	4.0
Widowed, divorced, or separated	175	183	6.0	6.0	337	335	5.9	5.6
Single (never married)	543	632	8.4	9.2	248	297	5.3	6.0
White, 16 years and over	1,851	1,947	3.9	4.0	1,466	1,519	4.9	5.2
Married, spouse present	847	866	2.3	2.4	703	738	4.0	4.0
Widowed, divorced, or separated	138	141	5.4	5.4	271	272	5.3	5.2
Single (never married)	866	940	9.4	9.7	492	508	7.3	7.2
White, 20 to 64 years of age	1,352	1,445	3.2	3.4	1,032	1,135	4.0	4.3
Married, spouse present	797	810	2.3	2.3	638	686	3.7	3.9
Widowed, divorced, or separated	128	130	5.5	5.5	239	240	5.3	5.1
Single (never married)	427	506	7.6	8.5	156	209	4.0	5.0
Negro and other races, 16 years and over	435	454	7.9	8.1	423	382	9.7	8.5
Married, spouse present	142	142	4.1	4.1	137	114	6.6	5.4
Widowed, divorced, or separated	42	60	7.1	8.2	99	108	7.8	8.0
Single (never married)	247	251	18.4	18.1	186	160	18.0	15.2
Negro and other races, 20 to 64 years of age	302	319	6.2	6.5	307	285	7.8	7.0
Married, spouse present	140	138	4.2	4.2	116	102	5.9	5.1
Widowed, divorced, or separated	46	54	7.6	7.9	98	94	8.2	7.4
Single (never married)	116	128	13.1	13.5	93	88	12.4	11.4

A-10: Unemployed persons by occupation of last job and sex

Occupation	Thousands of persons		Unemployment rates					
			Total		Male		Female	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
TOTAL	4,174	4,301	4.8	4.8	4.3	4.4	5.6	5.4
White-collar workers	1,162	1,115	2.8	2.6	1.8	1.7	3.9	3.5
Professional and technical	206	225	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.3	2.0	2.5
Managers and administrators, except farm	118	133	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.4	2.5	1.7
Sales workers	225	189	4.0	3.4	2.7	2.3	5.9	4.9
Clerical workers	613	568	4.1	3.7	3.0	2.7	4.4	4.0
Blue-collar workers	1,689	2,000	5.4	6.4	5.1	5.9	7.2	8.7
Craft and kindred workers	468	496	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.1	5.3	6.8
Carpenters and other construction craft	262	261	7.5	7.2	7.5	7.1	(1)	(1)
All other	206	235	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.6	5.4	6.2
Operatives, except transport	717	860	6.2	7.6	5.4	6.4	7.5	9.2
Transport equipment operatives	123	188	3.6	5.5	3.6	5.7	2.2	2.4
Nonfarm laborers	381	457	8.4	10.1	8.4	10.2	7.9	8.2
Construction laborers	154	178	16.1	19.3	16.1	19.2	(1)	(1)
All other	227	279	6.3	7.7	6.2	7.7	7.7	7.7
Service workers	685	662	5.8	5.5	6.1	5.5	5.6	5.5
Private household	80	61	5.6	4.5	--	--	5.6	4.5
All other	606	600	5.8	5.6	6.1	5.5	5.6	5.8
Farm workers	80	77	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.3	4.2	3.5
No previous work experience	558	447	--	--	--	--	--	--
16 to 19 years	451	347	--	--	--	--	--	--
20 to 24 years	71	76	--	--	--	--	--	--
25 years and over	36	24	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A-11: Unemployed persons by industry of last job and sex

Industry	Percent distribution		Unemployment rates					
			Total		Male		Female	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total	100.0	100.0	4.8	4.8	4.3	4.4	5.6	5.4
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers	74.5	78.5	4.9	5.2	4.4	4.8	5.6	5.8
Mining .....	.4	.4	2.6	3.0	2.8	2.8	(1)	(1)
Construction	10.8	11.7	10.2	11.3	10.6	11.8	3.6	3.7
Manufacturing	21.9	24.7	4.3	5.0	3.4	4.0	6.6	7.3
Durable goods	11.0	14.2	3.7	4.9	3.0	4.1	6.1	7.2
Primary metal industries .....	.8	1.0	2.2	2.9	2.1	2.6	3.4	5.4
Fabricated metal products	2.1	1.8	5.6	5.0	4.4	4.8	10.5	5.8
Machinery .....	.9	1.3	1.6	2.5	1.4	1.8	2.7	5.6
Electrical equipment	2.3	2.4	4.7	4.8	3.6	3.1	6.2	7.0
Motor vehicles and equipment .....	.6	2.4	2.4	9.4	2.3	8.9	3.5	12.4
All other transportation equipment	1.1	1.1	4.8	5.1	4.2	4.2	8.2	10.8
Other durable goods industries	3.1	4.2	4.4	5.9	3.8	5.3	5.9	7.4
Nondurable goods	10.9	10.5	5.3	5.2	4.1	3.8	7.0	7.5
Food and kindred products	3.4	3.0	7.7	7.3	5.6	4.8	13.2	14.2
Textile mill products	1.0	1.0	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.4	4.9
Apparel and other finished textile products	2.3	2.6	6.6	7.8	7.6	8.3	6.3	7.6
Other nondurable goods industries	4.3	3.8	4.0	3.7	3.1	2.8	6.1	5.9
Transportation and public utilities	3.1	3.5	2.8	3.1	3.0	3.1	1.8	3.1
Railroads and railway express .....	.3	.2	1.9	1.2	1.7	.8	(1)	(1)
Other transportation	2.1	2.6	4.0	5.1	4.3	5.3	1.4	3.8
Communication and other public utilities .....	.8	.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.1	2.0	2.5
Wholesale and retail trade	20.5	21.2	5.6	5.7	4.3	4.7	7.2	7.1
Finance, insurance, and real estate	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.5	1.6	2.1	2.9	2.9
Service industries	15.5	14.4	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.3	5.0	4.7
Professional services	5.1	5.5	2.9	3.2	2.8	3.1	3.0	3.2
All other service industries	10.5	8.9	7.0	6.3	6.0	5.5	7.7	6.9
Agricultural wage and salary workers	2.1	2.2	7.0	7.1	6.6	6.6	8.9	10.0
All other classes of workers	10.1	8.9	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	2.3	1.9
No previous work experience	13.4	10.4	--	--	--	--	--	--

¹ Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A-12: Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, sex, age, and color

Reason for unemployment	Total unemployed		Male, 20 years and over		Female, 20 years and over		Both sexes, 16 to 19 years		White		Negro and other races	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Unemployment level												
Total unemployed, in thousands	4,174	4,301	1,699	1,820	1,367	1,452	1,108	1,029	3,316	3,465	858	835
Lost last job	1,728	2,069	1,024	1,217	518	626	187	225	1,411	1,691	318	378
Left last job	615	674	249	261	243	274	122	139	495	568	120	107
Reentered labor force	1,275	1,110	383	304	545	489	347	317	985	870	290	241
Never worked before	556	448	44	38	61	62	452	348	426	338	131	110
Total unemployed, percent distribution . .	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Lost last job	41.4	48.1	60.2	66.8	37.9	43.2	16.9	21.9	42.6	48.8	37.0	45.2
Left last job	14.7	15.7	14.6	14.3	17.8	18.9	11.0	13.5	14.9	16.4	14.0	12.8
Reentered labor force	30.5	25.8	22.5	16.7	39.9	33.7	31.3	30.8	29.7	25.1	33.8	28.8
Never worked before	13.3	10.4	2.6	2.1	4.5	4.3	40.8	33.8	12.8	9.7	15.3	13.2
Unemployment rate												
Total unemployment rate	4.8	4.8	3.5	3.6	4.5	4.6	14.2	12.9	4.3	4.4	8.7	8.3
Job-loser rate ¹	1.9	2.3	2.1	2.4	1.7	2.0	2.4	2.9	1.8	2.1	3.2	3.7
Job-leaver rate ¹ . . . . .	.7	.8	.5	.5	.8	.9	1.6	1.7	.6	.7	1.2	1.1
Reentrant rate ¹	1.5	1.2	.8	.6	1.8	1.5	4.5	4.0	1.3	1.1	2.9	2.4
New entrant rate ¹ . . . . .	.6	.5	.1	.1	.2	.2	5.8	4.4	.5	.4	1.3	1.1

¹Unemployment rates are calculated as a percent of the civilian labor force.

A-13: Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, duration, sex, and age

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(Percent distribution)

Reason, sex, and age	Total unemployed		Duration of unemployment				
	Thousands of persons	Percent	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 weeks and over	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over
Total, 16 years and over	4,301	100.0	44.9	29.2	25.8	16.9	8.9
Lost last job	2,069	100.0	36.2	31.9	31.9	22.5	9.4
Left last job	674	100.0	51.0	28.1	20.9	12.9	8.0
Reentered labor force	1,110	100.0	52.4	26.9	20.6	12.5	8.1
Never worked before	448	100.0	57.4	24.1	18.6	8.3	10.3
Male, 20 years and over	1,820	100.0	35.4	32.3	32.3	21.8	10.5
Lost last job	1,217	100.0	30.8	34.8	34.4	25.0	9.4
Left last job	261	100.0	46.5	31.5	21.9	12.7	9.2
Reentered labor force	304	100.0	46.4	24.0	29.7	18.8	10.9
Never worked before	38	100.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Female, 20 years and over	1,452	100.0	48.3	28.2	23.6	14.4	9.2
Lost last job	626	100.0	41.5	28.9	29.5	18.2	11.3
Left last job	274	100.0	47.3	28.0	24.7	15.6	9.1
Reentered labor force	489	100.0	54.3	29.4	16.3	10.4	5.9
Never worked before	62	100.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years	1,029	100.0	57.0	25.2	17.7	11.9	5.8
Lost last job	225	100.0	50.4	24.8	24.8	20.8	4.0
Left last job	139	100.0	66.9	23.0	10.1	7.2	2.9
Reentered labor force	317	100.0	55.2	26.2	18.6	10.1	8.5
Never worked before	348	100.0	58.9	25.9	15.3	9.8	5.5

¹Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A-14: Unemployed jobseekers by the jobsearch methods used, sex, age, and color

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Sex, age, and color	Thousands of persons		Methods used as a percent of total jobseekers					Average number of methods used	
	Total unemployed	Total job-seekers	Public employment agency	Private employment agency	Employer directly	Placed or answered ads	Friends or relatives		Other
Total	4,301	3,526	26.1	8.1	70.8	26.9	14.9	8.4	1.55
16 to 19 years	1,029	966	17.2	4.8	78.0	23.7	14.1	4.2	1.42
20 to 24 years	968	809	31.4	8.4	74.2	27.3	14.1	7.7	1.63
25 to 34 years	927	724	30.5	10.4	66.3	29.1	18.4	9.7	1.64
35 to 44 years	520	381	28.1	11.5	65.4	26.2	13.1	8.1	1.52
45 to 54 years	473	341	32.8	9.7	62.2	25.8	14.1	14.1	1.59
55 to 64 years	295	231	19.9	6.1	68.8	35.5	13.4	15.6	1.59
65 years and over	89	75	20.0	8.0	60.0	24.0	20.0	10.7	1.43
Males	2,401	1,934	28.3	7.2	71.5	24.8	17.3	12.2	1.61
16 to 19 years	581	539	17.3	2.4	76.8	21.0	17.1	5.8	1.40
20 to 24 years	542	448	33.9	7.8	72.3	28.1	18.8	10.3	1.71
25 to 34 years	538	402	36.3	9.0	68.7	26.9	21.1	14.2	1.76
35 to 44 years	251	179	31.8	11.7	69.8	20.7	16.8	14.5	1.65
45 to 54 years	262	184	33.2	10.3	65.2	20.7	14.1	22.3	1.66
55 to 64 years	170	131	21.4	9.2	69.5	33.6	8.4	21.4	1.64
65 years and over	56	50	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Females	1,900	1,592	23.5	9.2	70.0	29.5	12.1	3.7	1.48
16 to 19 years	448	426	17.4	7.7	79.6	27.0	10.6	2.1	1.44
20 to 24 years	426	361	28.3	9.4	76.5	26.3	8.3	4.4	1.53
25 to 34 years	389	323	23.2	11.8	63.2	31.9	14.9	4.3	1.49
35 to 44 years	269	202	24.3	11.4	60.9	31.2	9.9	2.5	1.40
45 to 54 years	211	157	32.5	8.9	58.6	31.8	14.0	4.5	1.50
55 to 64 years	125	99	18.2	2.0	68.7	38.4	20.2	7.1	1.55
65 years and over	33	24	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
White: Total	3,465	2,783	24.2	7.5	71.8	28.6	14.3	8.6	1.55
Males	1,947	1,529	26.3	7.3	72.4	26.7	16.5	12.5	1.62
Females	1,519	1,254	21.7	7.7	71.1	31.0	11.6	3.7	1.47
Negro and other races: Total	835	742	33.4	10.4	67.1	20.4	17.3	7.7	1.56
Males	454	404	36.1	7.2	68.1	17.3	20.3	11.4	1.60
Females	382	338	30.2	14.2	66.0	24.0	13.6	3.6	1.52

Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

NOTE: The jobseekers total is less than the total unemployed because persons on layoff or waiting to begin a new wage and salary job within 30 days are not actually seeking jobs. It should also be noted that the percent using each method will always total more than 100 because many jobseekers use more than one method.

A-15: Unemployed jobseekers by the jobsearch methods used, sex, and reason for unemployment

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Sex and reason	Thousands of persons		Methods used as a percent of total jobseekers					Average number of methods used	
	Total unemployed	Total job-seekers	Public employment agency	Private employment agency	Employer directly	Placed or answered ads	Friends or relatives		Other
Total, 16 years and over	4,301	3,526	26.1	8.1	70.8	26.9	14.9	8.4	1.55
Lost last job	2,069	1,380	34.4	9.3	68.0	27.0	15.4	12.5	1.67
Left last job	674	659	25.2	8.8	71.3	31.0	15.6	5.0	1.57
Reentered labor force	1,110	1,047	20.9	7.9	70.6	26.0	13.8	6.2	1.45
Never worked before	448	440	13.9	3.9	79.1	22.5	15.0	5.7	1.40
Males, 16 years and over	2,401	1,934	28.3	7.2	71.5	24.8	17.3	12.2	1.61
Lost last job	1,361	937	33.9	7.5	68.1	24.8	16.9	16.6	1.68
Left last job	326	321	26.2	7.2	79.1	25.2	17.4	6.2	1.61
Reentered labor force	493	456	25.9	8.1	68.9	26.8	17.5	9.9	1.57
Never worked before	220	220	12.3	4.1	80.0	20.0	19.5	7.3	1.43
Females, 16 years and over	1,900	1,592	23.5	9.2	70.0	29.5	12.1	3.7	1.48
Lost last job	707	443	35.4	13.1	67.9	31.6	12.6	3.8	1.64
Left last job	349	338	24.3	10.4	63.9	36.4	14.2	3.8	1.53
Reentered labor force	617	591	16.9	7.4	71.9	25.4	11.2	3.4	1.36
Never worked before	227	221	15.8	3.6	77.8	24.9	10.4	4.1	1.37

NOTE: See note, table A-14.

A-16: Unemployed persons by duration of unemployment

Duration of unemployment	Total				Household head			
	Thousands		Percent distribution		Thousands		Percent distribution	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total	4,174	4,301	100.0	100.0	1,550	1,644	100.0	100.0
Less than 5 weeks	1,878	1,931	45.0	44.9	602	641	38.8	39.0
5 to 14 weeks	1,274	1,257	30.5	29.2	478	509	30.8	31.0
5 to 10 weeks	917	826	22.0	19.2	340	304	21.9	18.5
11 to 14 weeks	358	431	8.6	10.0	138	205	8.9	12.5
15 weeks and over	1,022	1,112	24.5	25.9	470	494	30.3	30.0
15 to 26 weeks	649	728	15.5	16.9	303	323	19.5	19.6
27 weeks and over	373	384	8.9	8.9	167	171	10.8	10.4
Average (mean) duration	11.4	11.2	--	--	13.5	12.6	--	--

A-17: Unemployed persons by duration, sex, age, color, and marital status
April 1974

Sex, age, color, and marital status	Thousands of persons					Average (mean) duration, in weeks	Less than 5 weeks as a percent of unemployed in group		15 weeks and over as a percent of unemployed in group	
	Total	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over		Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total	4,301	1,931	1,257	728	384	11.2	45.0	44.9	24.5	25.9
16 to 21 years	1,515	782	418	205	111	9.5	52.9	51.6	16.0	20.8
16 to 19 years	1,029	587	260	123	59	8.3	54.2	57.0	15.8	17.7
20 to 24 years	968	429	304	146	90	11.4	46.9	44.3	21.8	24.4
25 to 34 years	927	406	294	159	67	10.2	44.6	43.8	25.2	24.4
35 to 44 years	520	210	143	115	52	12.9	39.6	40.3	28.0	32.2
45 to 54 years	473	171	142	98	62	13.9	39.4	36.2	32.4	33.8
55 to 64 years	295	98	93	72	33	14.0	29.7	33.1	39.2	35.3
65 years and over	89	31	22	16	20	16.4	(1)	35.2	(1)	40.6
Male	2,401	955	737	475	233	12.2	41.7	39.8	27.3	29.5
16 to 21 years	842	401	236	137	67	10.0	52.4	47.6	17.8	24.3
16 to 19 years	581	311	148	79	43	9.2	55.5	53.6	17.2	20.9
20 to 24 years	542	213	178	103	48	11.8	41.4	39.3	24.2	27.9
25 to 34 years	538	205	179	108	46	11.3	40.3	38.2	25.4	28.5
35 to 44 years	251	80	71	62	37	16.7	34.2	32.0	37.3	39.8
45 to 54 years	262	75	92	66	30	14.7	32.3	28.6	37.2	36.4
55 to 64 years	170	53	55	46	17	14.4	29.7	31.0	40.2	37.0
65 years and over	56	17	14	12	13	17.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Female	1,900	976	521	253	150	9.8	49.0	51.4	21.1	21.2
16 to 21 years	673	381	182	67	44	8.9	53.6	56.5	13.9	16.4
16 to 19 years	448	276	112	44	17	7.3	52.7	61.5	14.3	13.6
20 to 24 years	426	215	126	43	42	11.0	54.0	50.5	18.8	19.9
25 to 34 years	389	201	115	52	21	8.6	49.5	51.6	24.9	18.8
35 to 44 years	269	129	72	53	15	9.4	45.4	48.1	17.7	25.1
45 to 54 years	211	96	50	32	33	12.9	48.0	45.7	26.6	30.6
55 to 64 years	125	45	39	25	16	13.5	29.8	35.9	37.7	33.1
65 years and over	33	14	7	4	7	13.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
White: Total	3,465	1,585	1,001	594	285	10.9	45.1	45.7	23.9	25.4
Male	1,947	796	598	376	178	11.9	41.9	40.9	26.7	28.4
Female	1,519	789	403	218	107	9.6	49.1	52.0	20.3	21.4
Negro and other races: Total	835	346	256	135	98	12.2	44.7	41.5	26.8	27.9
Male	454	159	139	100	56	13.6	40.8	35.1	29.7	34.2
Female	382	187	117	35	43	10.5	48.8	49.0	23.8	20.3
Male: Married, wife present	1,008	367	315	225	101	13.0	33.7	36.4	32.2	32.4
Widowed, divorced, or separated	201	62	72	45	23	14.1	49.2	30.7	37.3	33.7
Single (never married)	1,191	526	350	206	109	11.3	47.5	44.2	21.2	26.4
Female: Married, husband present	852	437	247	113	55	9.0	50.1	51.3	22.2	19.7
Widowed, divorced, or separated	380	184	101	53	41	11.5	49.4	48.3	20.6	25.0
Single (never married)	669	356	172	86	54	9.9	47.5	53.2	20.0	21.1

¹ Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A-18: Unemployed persons by duration, occupation, and industry of last job

April 1974

Occupation and industry	Thousands of persons					Average (mean) duration, in weeks	Less than 5 weeks as a percent of unemployed in group		15 weeks and over as a percent of unemployed in group	
	Total	Less than 5 weeks	5 to 14 weeks	15 to 26 weeks	27 weeks and over		Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
OCCUPATION										
White-collar workers	1,115	511	318	178	109	11.1	45.8	45.8	23.0	25.7
Professional and managerial	358	165	76	70	47	12.8	43.1	46.1	28.6	32.7
Sales workers	189	95	64	18	11	7.9	47.1	50.5	22.2	15.5
Clerical workers	568	250	177	90	51	11.1	46.7	44.1	20.4	24.7
Blue-collar workers	2,000	791	634	419	155	11.5	41.4	39.5	28.3	28.7
Craft and kindred workers	496	189	142	126	38	12.2	39.3	38.2	27.4	33.1
Operatives, except transport	860	350	300	141	69	11.3	45.3	40.8	26.1	24.4
Transport equipment operatives	188	57	59	52	20	12.7	35.0	30.3	30.1	38.3
Nonfarm laborers	457	194	133	101	28	10.8	38.7	42.6	32.7	28.3
Service workers	662	321	182	90	69	11.2	46.6	48.5	23.9	24.0
INDUSTRY¹										
Agriculture	103	62	18	12	11	8.6	35.2	60.5	28.4	21.8
Construction	520	190	139	166	25	11.9	36.7	36.5	34.3	36.8
Manufacturing	1,069	427	371	182	88	11.4	39.7	40.0	26.8	25.3
Durable goods	617	232	245	98	43	10.9	38.0	37.6	26.7	22.8
Nondurable goods	452	195	126	85	45	12.0	41.5	43.3	27.0	28.8
Transportation and public utilities	160	66	46	37	11	10.5	42.3	41.2	24.2	30.1
Wholesale and retail trade	919	413	261	155	90	11.4	49.3	45.0	22.6	26.6
Finance and service industries	879	422	259	112	87	10.4	47.4	48.0	24.3	22.6
Public administration	141	58	37	20	26	16.5	46.6	41.1	15.8	32.8
No previous work experience	447	257	109	37	45	10.4	52.6	57.4	17.1	18.3

¹ Includes wage and salary workers only.

A-19: Employed persons by sex and age

(In thousands)

Age and type of industry	Total		Male		Female	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
All industries	83,299	85,192	51,203	51,927	32,096	33,265
16 to 19 years	6,666	6,929	3,716	3,823	2,950	3,106
16 to 17 years	2,724	2,783	1,544	1,587	1,180	1,196
18 to 19 years	3,942	4,146	2,173	2,236	1,770	1,910
20 to 24 years	11,370	11,665	6,331	6,441	5,038	5,224
25 to 54 years	51,441	52,697	32,447	32,848	18,993	19,849
25 to 34 years	18,936	19,931	12,254	12,660	6,681	7,271
35 to 44 years	15,988	16,108	10,040	10,038	5,948	6,069
45 to 54 years	16,517	16,658	10,153	10,150	6,364	6,509
55 to 64 years	10,879	11,027	6,817	6,910	4,062	4,117
55 to 59 years	6,449	6,542	4,018	4,068	2,431	2,474
60 to 64 years	4,430	4,485	2,799	2,842	1,631	1,643
65 years and over	2,943	2,874	1,891	1,904	1,052	970
Nonagricultural industries	80,004	81,756	48,451	49,040	31,553	32,716
16 to 19 years	6,361	6,494	3,452	3,444	2,909	3,050
16 to 17 years	2,526	2,552	1,373	1,387	1,153	1,165
18 to 19 years	3,835	3,942	2,079	2,057	1,756	1,885
20 to 24 years	11,078	11,327	6,075	6,151	5,003	5,177
25 to 54 years	49,823	51,076	31,163	31,548	18,660	19,529
25 to 34 years	18,458	19,447	11,868	12,266	6,590	7,181
35 to 44 years	15,501	15,602	9,656	9,639	5,845	5,963
45 to 54 years	15,864	16,027	9,639	9,642	6,225	6,385
55 to 64 years	10,215	10,395	6,254	6,381	3,961	4,015
55 to 59 years	6,112	6,207	3,749	3,795	2,363	2,411
60 to 64 years	4,103	4,189	2,504	2,585	1,598	1,603
65 years and over	2,527	2,463	1,507	1,517	1,020	946
Agriculture	3,295	3,437	2,752	2,887	542	549
16 to 19 years	305	435	264	379	41	56
16 to 17 years	198	231	171	200	27	31
18 to 19 years	107	204	94	180	14	24
20 to 24 years	292	337	257	290	35	47
25 to 54 years	1,618	1,621	1,284	1,300	334	321
25 to 34 years	478	484	386	394	91	90
35 to 44 years	487	506	384	400	103	106
45 to 54 years	653	631	514	507	139	124
55 to 64 years	665	632	563	530	101	102
55 to 59 years	337	335	269	273	68	62
60 to 64 years	328	297	295	257	33	39
65 years and over	416	411	383	387	32	24

A-20: Employed persons by occupational group, sex, and age

(In thousands)

Occupation	Total		Male, 20 years and over		Female, 20 years and over		Male, 16-19 years		Female, 16-19 years	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
	Total	83,299	85,192	47,487	48,104	29,146	30,159	3,716	3,823	2,950	3,106
White-collar workers	39,859	41,590	19,713	20,402	17,972	18,916	620	633	1,554	1,639
Professional and technical	11,634	12,446	6,785	7,183	4,693	5,120	76	84	80	59
Health workers	1,892	2,136	693	813	1,179	1,313	--	5	20	5
Teachers, except college	3,036	3,091	900	895	2,107	2,168	4	5	25	22
Other professional and technical	6,706	7,219	5,192	5,475	1,407	1,639	72	74	35	32
Managers and administrators, except farm ..	8,456	8,883	6,834	7,182	1,553	1,643	45	48	25	11
Salaried workers	6,705	7,069	5,454	5,715	1,185	1,298	42	44	24	11
Self-employed workers in retail trade ...	928	940	695	684	230	254	2	2	--	--
Self-employed workers, except retail trade	823	875	685	782	138	91	1	1	--	--
Sales workers	5,398	5,416	3,012	2,924	1,859	1,887	215	233	311	373
Retail trade	3,005	3,079	997	969	1,555	1,561	161	189	293	360
Other industries	2,393	2,337	2,016	1,954	304	326	55	44	18	13
Clerical workers	14,372	14,845	3,083	3,114	9,866	10,266	284	268	1,139	1,197
Stenographers, typists, and secretaries ...	4,112	4,190	64	60	3,673	3,722	8	3	366	405
Other clerical workers	10,260	10,655	3,019	3,054	6,193	6,544	275	265	773	792
Blue-collar workers	29,362	29,182	22,140	21,967	4,725	4,788	2,147	2,056	351	372
Craft and kindred workers	11,057	11,361	10,184	10,461	443	453	399	424	31	23
Carpenters	992	1,104	942	1,051	7	8	43	46	--	--
Construction craft, except carpenters ...	2,241	2,261	2,116	2,142	18	20	99	100	7	--
Mechanics and repairers	2,958	2,998	2,799	2,815	20	34	136	145	2	4
Metal craft	1,188	1,243	1,129	1,150	28	31	28	60	3	3
Blue-collar supervisors, n.e.c.	1,352	1,410	1,237	1,272	104	133	11	4	--	1
All other	2,327	2,345	1,961	2,032	266	226	81	68	19	19
Operatives, except transport	10,823	10,525	5,957	5,670	3,924	3,909	685	671	256	274
Durable goods manufacturing	4,746	4,828	3,037	3,026	1,411	1,458	222	236	75	107
Nondurable goods manufacturing	3,707	3,491	1,494	1,353	1,960	1,890	110	123	142	126
Other industries	2,369	2,206	1,426	1,291	553	561	353	312	39	41
Transport equipment operatives	3,328	3,224	3,003	2,945	138	147	174	118	12	14
Drivers, motor vehicles	2,838	2,748	2,543	2,485	133	143	152	106	10	13
All other	491	477	461	460	5	4	23	12	2	1
Nonfarm laborers	4,154	4,072	2,995	2,890	219	279	888	844	52	60
Construction	802	747	659	628	7	2	136	115	--	2
Manufacturing	1,068	1,069	838	808	98	114	125	134	7	14
Other industries	2,284	2,256	1,498	1,454	114	163	627	595	45	44
Service workers	11,178	11,353	3,408	3,476	6,029	6,044	726	788	1,016	1,047
Private household workers	1,350	1,310	1	9	1,049	1,055	9	11	291	235
Service workers, except private household ...	9,828	10,043	3,407	3,466	4,980	4,989	717	777	725	811
Food service workers	3,389	3,494	603	644	1,891	1,879	424	450	472	521
Protective service workers	1,185	1,221	1,108	1,132	65	70	11	17	1	3
All other	5,254	5,328	1,697	1,690	3,023	3,040	282	310	252	287
Farm workers	2,900	3,066	2,226	2,259	421	411	224	347	29	49
Farmers and farm managers	1,664	1,657	1,550	1,529	102	98	13	30	--	--
Farm laborers and supervisors	1,236	1,409	676	730	318	313	211	317	30	49
Paid workers	893	996	638	667	102	85	131	215	22	29
Unpaid family workers	343	413	38	63	216	228	80	102	8	20

A-21: Employed persons by major occupational group, sex, and color

(Percent distribution)

Occupational group and color	Total		Male		Female	
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total						
Total employed (thousands)	83,299	85,192	51,203	51,927	32,096	33,265
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White-collar workers	47.9	48.8	39.7	40.5	60.8	61.8
Professional and technical	14.0	14.6	13.4	14.0	14.9	15.6
Managers and administrators, except farm	10.2	10.4	13.4	13.9	4.9	5.0
Sales workers	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.8	6.8
Clerical workers	17.3	17.4	6.6	6.5	34.3	34.5
Blue-collar workers	35.2	34.3	47.4	46.3	15.8	15.5
Craft and kindred workers	13.3	13.3	20.7	21.0	1.5	1.4
Operatives, except transport	13.0	12.4	13.0	12.2	13.0	12.6
Transport equipment operatives	4.0	3.8	6.2	5.9	.5	.5
Nonfarm laborers	5.0	4.8	7.6	7.2	.8	1.0
Service workers	13.4	13.3	8.1	8.2	21.9	21.3
Private household workers	1.6	1.5	(1)	(1)	4.2	3.9
Other service workers	11.8	11.8	8.1	8.2	17.8	17.4
Farm workers	3.5	3.6	4.8	5.0	1.4	1.4
Farmers and farm managers	2.0	1.9	3.1	3.0	.3	.3
Farm laborers and supervisors	1.5	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.1	1.1
White						
Total employed (thousands)	74,298	75,950	46,149	46,802	28,149	29,148
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White-collar workers	49.9	50.9	41.5	42.3	63.6	64.8
Professional and technical	14.5	15.1	14.0	14.5	15.3	16.0
Managers and administrators, except farm	10.9	11.3	14.4	14.9	5.2	5.4
Sales workers	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.5	7.4	7.4
Clerical workers	17.5	17.7	6.5	6.4	35.7	36.0
Blue-collar workers	34.6	33.5	46.3	45.1	15.4	14.9
Craft and kindred workers	13.9	13.7	21.4	21.4	1.5	1.4
Operatives, except transport	12.6	11.9	12.6	11.8	12.7	12.0
Transport equipment operatives	3.8	3.6	5.8	5.6	.5	.5
Nonfarm laborers	4.4	4.3	6.5	6.4	.8	1.0
Service workers	11.9	11.8	7.3	7.4	19.5	18.9
Private household workers	1.1	1.0	(1)	(1)	2.9	2.6
Other service workers	10.8	10.8	7.3	7.4	16.6	16.3
Farm workers	3.6	3.7	4.9	5.2	1.5	1.5
Farmers and farm managers	2.2	2.1	3.3	3.2	.4	.3
Farm laborers and supervisors	1.4	1.6	1.6	2.0	1.1	1.1
Negro and other races						
Total employed (thousands)	9,001	9,242	5,054	5,125	3,947	4,117
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
White-collar workers	31.0	31.4	23.1	24.1	41.1	40.4
Professional and technical	9.7	10.9	7.9	9.5	12.0	12.7
Managers and administrators, except farm	4.0	3.4	5.0	4.8	2.6	1.7
Sales workers	2.4	2.2	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.2
Clerical workers	15.0	14.8	7.7	7.5	24.4	23.8
Blue-collar workers	40.5	40.3	57.6	56.5	18.6	20.2
Craft and kindred workers	8.5	10.2	13.8	17.0	1.6	1.7
Operatives, except transport	16.3	16.4	16.8	16.2	15.6	16.7
Transport equipment operatives	5.6	5.0	9.7	8.5	.4	.6
Nonfarm laborers	10.2	8.7	17.4	14.7	1.1	1.1
Service workers	25.8	25.9	15.3	15.6	39.2	38.7
Private household workers	5.7	5.8	--	(1)	13.2	13.0
Other service workers	20.0	20.1	15.4	15.6	26.0	25.6
Farm workers	2.6	2.4	3.9	3.8	1.0	.7
Farmers and farm managers .....	.7	.7	1.2	1.3	(1)	--
Farm laborers and supervisors	2.0	1.7	2.7	2.5	1.0	.7

¹ Less than 0.05 percent.

A-22: Employed persons by class of worker, sex, and age

April 1974
(In thousands)

Age and sex	Nonagricultural industries					Agriculture			
	Wage and salary workers				Self employed	Unpaid family workers	Wage and salary workers	Self employed	Unpaid family workers
	Total	Private household workers	Government	Other					
Total	75,710	1,440	14,148	60,123	5,540	506	1,257	1,758	421
16 to 19 years.....	6,375	302	494	5,578	77	43	281	32	122
16 and 17 years.....	2,474	228	143	2,102	47	31	140	5	86
18 and 19 years.....	3,900	74	351	3,476	29	12	141	27	35
20 to 24 years.....	11,063	105	1,748	9,209	233	32	208	84	45
25 to 34 years.....	18,257	138	3,604	14,516	1,106	84	200	233	50
35 to 44 years.....	14,351	160	2,966	11,225	1,148	103	177	270	59
45 to 54 years.....	14,457	248	3,120	11,090	1,436	134	163	397	71
55 to 64 years.....	9,295	300	1,886	7,109	1,012	89	153	420	59
55 to 59 years.....	5,634	148	1,185	4,301	527	46	79	216	40
60 to 64 years.....	3,661	152	701	2,808	485	43	74	204	19
65 years and over.....	1,913	187	331	1,395	528	22	74	320	17
Male	44,889	140	7,493	37,256	4,101	50	1,073	1,651	164
16 to 19 years.....	3,379	64	224	3,090	47	18	245	33	102
16 and 17 years.....	1,341	46	70	1,225	32	14	125	5	70
18 and 19 years.....	2,037	18	154	1,865	15	4	120	27	32
20 to 24 years.....	5,988	14	776	5,198	147	16	175	83	33
25 to 34 years.....	11,448	9	1,887	9,553	813	5	169	216	9
35 to 44 years.....	8,761	1	1,604	7,156	873	5	144	250	5
45 to 54 years.....	8,565	8	1,761	6,795	1,077	1	130	374	3
55 to 64 years.....	5,621	20	1,030	4,572	756	3	137	389	3
55 to 59 years.....	3,395	11	653	2,731	399	1	70	202	1
60 to 64 years.....	2,226	9	377	1,841	357	2	68	188	2
65 years and over.....	1,127	24	211	892	388	2	72	306	9
Female	30,821	1,300	6,655	22,867	1,438	456	184	107	257
16 to 19 years.....	2,996	238	270	2,488	30	25	36	--	20
16 and 17 years.....	1,133	182	73	878	16	17	15	--	16
18 and 19 years.....	1,863	56	197	1,611	14	8	21	--	3
20 to 24 years.....	5,075	91	972	4,011	86	16	33	2	12
25 to 34 years.....	6,809	129	1,717	4,963	293	79	31	18	41
35 to 44 years.....	5,589	159	1,362	4,069	275	98	33	20	53
45 to 54 years.....	5,892	240	1,358	4,294	359	133	33	23	68
55 to 64 years.....	3,673	280	856	2,538	255	86	16	31	55
55 to 59 years.....	2,239	137	531	1,570	127	45	10	14	38
60 to 64 years.....	1,435	143	325	967	128	41	6	16	17
65 years and over.....	786	163	120	503	140	20	2	14	8

A-23: Employed persons with a job but not at work by reason, pay status, and sex

(In thousands)

Reason not working	All industries		Nonagricultural industries					
	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Total		Wage and salary workers ¹			
			Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Paid absence ²		Unpaid absence ²	
					Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Apr. 1974
Total	3,168	5,171	3,051	5,035	1,201	2,599	1,518	1,967
Vacation	935	2,779	921	2,770	632	1,929	223	686
Illness	1,345	1,398	1,304	1,352	463	553	722	665
Bad weather	183	117	139	69	--	--	--	--
Industrial dispute	53	115	53	115	--	--	--	--
All other reasons	652	762	634	730	107	117	572	617
Male	1,837	2,649	1,734	2,532	764	1,428	792	855
Vacation	556	1,292	541	1,284	399	1,014	98	212
Illness	786	794	752	757	290	352	406	330
All other reasons	495	564	441	492	75	61	288	314
Female	1,331	2,522	1,317	2,503	438	1,170	724	1,112
Vacation	379	1,487	379	1,486	233	915	124	474
Illness	559	604	552	595	173	201	316	335
All other reasons	393	430	386	422	32	55	284	303

¹Excludes private household.²Pay status not available separately for bad weather and industrial dispute; these categories are included in all other reasons.³Includes bad weather and industrial disputes, not shown separately.

A-24: Persons at work by type of industry and hours of work

April 1974

Hours of work	Thousands of persons			Percent distribution		
	All industries	Nonagricultural industries	Agriculture	All industries	Nonagricultural industries	Agriculture
Total at work	80,021	76,720	3,301	100.0	100.0	100.0
1-34 hours	26,084	25,026	1,060	32.6	32.6	32.1
1-4 hours	762	718	45	1.0	.9	1.4
5-14 hours	4,041	3,805	236	5.0	5.0	7.1
15-29 hours	10,226	9,633	593	12.8	12.6	18.0
30-34 hours	11,055	10,870	186	13.8	14.2	5.6
35 hours and over	53,937	51,697	2,242	67.4	67.4	67.9
35-39 hours	5,778	5,630	148	7.2	7.3	4.5
40 hours	29,293	28,914	379	36.6	37.7	11.5
41 hours and over	18,866	17,153	1,715	23.6	22.4	51.9
41 to 48 hours	7,214	6,938	277	9.0	9.0	8.4
49 to 59 hours	6,218	5,743	476	7.8	7.5	14.4
60 hours and over	5,434	4,472	962	6.8	5.8	29.1
Average hours, total at work	37.7	37.4	44.1	--	--	--
Average hours, workers on full-time schedules	41.7	41.3	52.4	--	--	--

A-25: Persons at work 1-34 hours by usual status and reason working part time

April 1974
(In thousands)

Reasons working part time	All industries			Nonagricultural industries		
	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time	Total	Usually work full time	Usually work part time
Total.....	26,084	13,287	12,798	25,026	12,925	12,100
Economic reasons.....	2,309	1,153	1,156	2,132	1,052	1,080
Slack work.....	1,146	811	335	1,013	722	291
Material shortages or repairs to plant and equipment.....	86	86	--	86	86	--
New job started during week.....	166	166	--	158	158	--
Job terminated during week.....	91	91	--	86	86	--
Could find only part-time work.....	821	--	821	789	--	789
Other reasons.....	23,775	12,134	11,641	22,896	11,876	11,020
Does not want, or unavailable for, full-time work.....	9,842	--	9,842	9,338	--	9,338
Vacation.....	1,169	1,169	--	1,162	1,162	--
Illness.....	1,529	1,305	224	1,458	1,271	187
Bad weather.....	672	672	--	494	494	--
Industrial dispute.....	36	36	--	36	36	--
Legal or religious holiday.....	7,907	7,907	--	7,894	7,894	--
Full time for this job.....	1,168	--	1,168	1,131	--	1,131
All other reasons.....	1,453	1,045	408	1,381	1,017	364
Average hours:						
Economic reasons.....	21.1	23.3	18.9	21.5	23.8	19.3
Other reasons.....	23.5	28.7	18.0	23.6	28.8	17.9
Worked 30 to 34 hours:						
Economic reasons.....	623	422	201	607	408	199
Other reasons.....	10,432	8,755	1,677	10,263	8,669	1,594

A-26: Nonagricultural workers by industry and full- or part-time status

April 1974

Industry	Percent distribution							Average hours, total at work	Average hours, workers on full-time schedules
	Total at work	On part time for economic reasons	On voluntary part time	On full-time schedules					
				Total	40 hours or less	41 to 48 hours	49 hours or more		
Total ¹	100.0	2.8	14.4	82.8	60.5	9.0	13.3	37.4	41.3
Wage and salary workers.....	100.0	2.7	14.1	83.2	62.9	9.0	11.3	36.9	40.6
Construction.....	100.0	5.0	4.6	90.3	71.5	8.2	10.6	37.7	39.6
Manufacturing.....	100.0	2.3	3.5	94.2	74.4	10.3	9.5	38.4	39.4
Durable goods.....	100.0	1.4	2.8	95.8	76.5	10.0	9.3	38.5	39.2
Nondurable goods.....	100.0	3.6	4.6	91.8	71.2	10.8	9.8	38.3	39.8
Transportation and public utilities.....	100.0	2.3	6.3	91.4	68.4	9.4	13.6	39.3	41.2
Wholesale and retail trade.....	100.0	3.3	25.7	70.9	44.8	11.8	14.3	36.3	43.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	100.0	1.2	9.6	89.3	71.3	6.9	11.1	38.0	40.2
Service industries.....	100.0	3.0	23.3	73.6	56.9	6.3	10.4	34.1	40.4
Private households.....	100.0	9.6	56.0	34.3	25.5	3.4	5.4	23.1	42.1
All other service.....	100.0	2.5	20.8	76.6	59.3	6.6	10.7	35.0	40.3
Public administration.....	100.0	.7	5.6	93.7	74.8	8.1	10.8	39.5	40.9
Self-employed workers.....	100.0	4.2	16.1	79.7	30.8	9.2	39.7	43.5	50.1
Unpaid family workers.....	100.0	.8	38.5	60.6	31.4	8.3	20.9	36.7	45.6

¹ Includes mining not shown separately.

**A-27: Persons at work in nonagricultural industries by full- or part-time status,
sex, age, color, and marital status**

April 1974

Age, sex, color and marital status	Total at work	On part time for economic reasons	On voluntary part time	On full-time schedules			Average hours, total at work	Average hours, workers on full-time schedules
				Total	40 hours or less	41 hours or more		
(In thousands)								
TOTAL								
Total, 16 years and over.....	76,720	2,132	11,020	63,568	46,415	17,153	37.4	41.3
16 to 21 years	10,404	471	4,065	5,868	4,739	1,129	29.5	39.6
16 to 19 years	6,201	295	3,275	2,631	2,117	514	26.2	39.6
16 and 17 years	2,427	84	1,920	423	330	93	19.5	39.1
18 and 19 years	3,774	212	1,356	2,206	1,785	421	30.4	39.7
20 years and over	70,520	1,837	7,745	60,938	44,301	16,637	38.3	41.3
20 to 24 years	10,783	412	1,472	8,899	6,961	1,938	36.3	40.0
25 years and over	59,736	1,425	6,273	52,038	37,336	14,702	38.7	41.6
25 to 44 years	32,851	731	2,881	29,239	20,670	8,569	39.3	41.7
45 to 64 years	24,631	639	2,367	21,625	15,812	5,813	38.9	41.4
65 years and over	2,255	55	1,024	1,176	855	321	29.5	42.1
Males, 16 years and over	46,508	996	3,607	41,905	27,924	13,981	40.3	42.7
16 to 21 years	5,515	223	2,022	3,270	2,465	805	30.9	40.5
16 to 19 years	3,309	145	1,685	1,479	1,108	371	27.4	40.4
16 and 17 years	1,326	50	994	282	214	68	21.1	39.3
18 and 19 years	1,983	95	691	1,197	896	301	31.6	40.6
20 years and over	43,199	851	1,922	40,426	26,814	13,612	41.3	42.7
20 to 24 years	5,909	188	609	5,112	3,651	1,461	38.3	41.4
25 years and over	37,290	662	1,313	35,315	23,166	12,149	41.7	42.9
25 to 44 years	20,847	351	355	20,141	12,890	7,251	42.4	43.1
45 to 64 years	15,049	273	394	14,382	9,731	4,651	41.7	42.6
65 years and over	1,395	39	563	793	545	248	31.2	42.6
Females, 16 years and over	30,213	1,136	7,413	21,664	18,493	3,171	32.9	38.6
16 to 21 years	4,889	247	2,043	2,599	2,274	325	28.0	38.4
16 to 19 years	2,892	149	1,590	1,153	1,008	145	24.8	38.5
16 and 17 years	1,102	34	926	142	116	26	17.7	38.6
18 and 19 years	1,790	116	665	1,009	891	118	29.1	38.5
20 years and over	27,321	986	5,823	20,512	17,485	3,027	33.7	38.6
20 to 24 years	4,873	223	863	3,787	3,311	476	33.8	38.1
25 years and over	22,447	762	4,960	16,725	14,177	2,548	33.7	38.8
25 to 44 years	12,004	381	2,526	9,097	7,779	1,318	33.6	38.3
45 to 64 years	9,583	365	1,974	7,244	6,083	1,161	34.4	39.1
65 years and over	860	16	461	383	312	71	26.8	41.1
COLOR								
White	68,345	1,732	9,987	56,626	40,541	16,085	37.5	41.5
Male	41,898	847	3,272	37,779	24,544	13,235	40.5	42.9
Female	26,447	884	6,715	18,848	15,997	2,851	32.8	38.6
Negro and other races	8,375	399	1,033	6,943	5,877	1,066	35.9	39.5
Male	4,610	149	335	4,126	3,380	746	38.0	40.3
Female	3,765	251	698	2,816	2,495	321	33.4	38.4
MARITAL STATUS								
Male:								
Married, wife present	34,992	561	1,112	33,319	21,648	11,671	41.9	43.0
Widowed, divorced, or separated	2,780	95	147	2,538	1,730	808	40.3	42.2
Single (never married)	8,736	340	2,348	6,048	4,544	1,504	33.9	41.2
Female:								
Married, husband present	17,554	606	4,275	12,673	10,881	1,792	33.1	38.4
Widowed, divorced, or separated	5,721	266	957	4,498	3,706	792	34.9	39.1
Single (never married)	6,938	264	2,182	4,492	3,905	587	30.6	38.4

A-27: Persons at work in nonagricultural industries by full- or part-time status, sex, age, color, and marital status--Continued
April 1974

Age, sex, color and marital status	Total at work	On part time for economic reasons	On voluntary part time	On full-time schedules		
				Total	40 hours or less	41 hours or more
(Percent distribution)						
TOTAL						
Total, 16 years and over.....	100.0	2.8	14.4	82.9	60.5	22.4
16 to 21 years.....	100.0	4.5	39.1	56.4	45.5	10.9
16 to 19 years.....	100.0	4.8	52.8	42.4	34.1	8.3
16 and 17 years.....	100.0	3.5	79.1	17.4	13.6	3.8
18 and 19 years.....	100.0	5.6	35.9	58.5	47.3	11.2
20 years and over.....	100.0	2.6	11.0	86.4	62.8	23.6
20 to 24 years.....	100.0	3.8	13.7	82.6	64.6	18.0
25 years and over.....	100.0	2.4	10.5	87.1	62.5	24.6
25 to 44 years.....	100.0	2.2	8.8	89.0	62.9	26.1
45 to 64 years.....	100.0	2.6	9.6	87.8	64.2	23.6
65 years and over.....	100.0	2.4	45.4	52.1	37.9	14.2
Males, 16 years and over.....	100.0	2.1	7.8	90.1	60.0	30.1
16 to 21 years.....	100.0	4.0	36.7	59.3	44.7	14.6
16 and 19 years.....	100.0	4.4	50.9	44.7	33.5	11.2
16 and 17 years.....	100.0	3.8	75.0	21.2	16.1	5.1
18 and 19 years.....	100.0	4.8	34.8	60.4	45.2	15.2
20 years and over.....	100.0	2.0	4.4	93.6	62.1	31.5
20 to 24 years.....	100.0	3.2	10.3	86.5	61.8	24.7
25 years and over.....	100.0	1.8	3.5	94.7	62.1	32.6
25 to 44 years.....	100.0	1.7	1.7	96.6	61.8	34.8
45 to 64 years.....	100.0	1.8	2.6	95.6	64.7	30.9
65 years and over.....	100.0	2.8	40.4	56.9	39.1	17.8
Females, 16 years and over.....	100.0	3.8	24.5	71.7	61.2	10.5
16 to 21 years.....	100.0	5.1	41.8	53.1	46.5	6.6
16 to 19 years.....	100.0	5.2	55.0	39.9	34.9	5.0
16 and 17 years.....	100.0	3.1	84.0	12.9	10.5	2.4
18 and 19 years.....	100.0	6.5	37.2	56.4	49.8	6.6
20 years and over.....	100.0	3.6	21.3	75.1	64.0	11.1
20 to 24 years.....	100.0	4.6	17.7	77.7	67.9	9.8
25 years and over.....	100.0	3.4	22.1	74.6	63.2	11.4
25 to 44 years.....	100.0	3.2	21.0	75.8	64.8	11.0
45 to 64 years.....	100.0	3.8	20.6	75.6	63.5	12.1
65 years and over.....	100.0	1.9	53.6	44.6	36.3	8.3
COLOR						
White.....	100.0	2.5	14.6	82.8	59.3	23.5
Male.....	100.0	2.0	7.8	90.2	58.6	31.6
Female.....	100.0	3.3	25.4	71.3	60.5	10.8
Negro and other races.....	100.0	4.8	12.3	82.9	70.2	12.7
Male.....	100.0	3.2	7.3	89.5	73.3	16.2
Female.....	100.0	6.7	18.5	74.8	66.3	8.5
MARITAL STATUS						
Male:						
Married, wife present.....	100.0	1.6	3.2	95.3	61.9	33.4
Widowed, divorced, or separated.....	100.0	3.4	5.3	91.3	62.2	29.1
Single (never married).....	100.0	3.9	26.9	69.2	52.0	17.2
Female:						
Married, husband present.....	100.0	3.5	24.4	72.2	62.0	10.2
Widowed, divorced, or separated.....	100.0	4.6	16.7	78.6	64.8	13.8
Single (never married).....	100.0	3.8	31.4	64.8	56.3	8.5

A-28: Persons at work in nonfarm occupations by full- or part-time status and sex
April 1974

Occupational group and sex	Total at work	On part time for economic reasons	On voluntary part time	On full-time schedules				Average hours, total at work	Average hours, workers on full- time schedules
				Total	40 hours or less	41 to 48 hours	49 hours or more		
				(Thousands of persons)					
TOTAL									
White-collar workers	38,840	590	5,566	32,684	23,078	3,320	6,286	38.1	41.8
Professional and technical	11,127	137	1,251	9,739	6,868	929	1,942	38.4	41.4
Managers and administrators, except farm	8,466	67	353	8,046	4,113	1,049	2,884	45.0	46.4
Sales workers	5,169	142	1,347	3,680	2,319	478	883	36.0	43.2
Clerical workers	14,077	244	2,615	11,218	9,778	864	576	34.5	38.5
Blue-collar workers	27,594	999	1,992	24,603	18,536	2,948	3,119	38.2	40.4
Craft and kindred workers	10,737	275	367	10,095	7,363	1,276	1,456	39.8	41.0
Operatives, except transport	9,936	418	644	8,874	7,187	955	732	37.2	39.1
Transport equipment operatives	3,015	108	263	2,644	1,556	405	683	40.7	43.7
Nonfarm laborers	3,906	198	718	2,990	2,430	312	248	34.4	39.5
Service workers	10,638	572	3,529	6,537	4,945	704	888	32.5	41.8
Private household	1,237	116	678	443	328	43	72	23.8	42.3
Other service workers	9,401	456	2,851	6,094	4,617	661	816	33.6	41.8
MALE									
White-collar workers	19,941	201	1,280	18,460	10,945	2,240	5,275	42.4	44.3
Professional and technical	6,759	64	406	6,289	4,034	646	1,609	41.5	43.2
Managers and administrators, except farm	6,905	55	171	6,679	3,222	890	2,567	46.0	46.9
Sales workers	3,046	44	356	2,646	1,481	383	782	41.0	44.5
Clerical workers	3,231	38	347	2,846	2,209	320	317	38.0	40.6
Blue-collar workers	22,798	695	1,492	20,611	14,964	2,676	2,971	39.0	41.1
Craft and kindred workers	10,302	264	321	9,717	7,052	1,238	1,427	40.0	41.1
Operatives, except transport	6,025	149	345	5,531	4,158	732	641	38.7	40.4
Transport equipment operatives	2,895	101	187	2,607	1,531	404	672	41.4	43.7
Nonfarm laborers	3,576	181	640	2,755	2,223	301	231	34.6	39.7
Service workers	4,035	123	869	3,043	2,127	369	547	37.0	43.4
Private household	20	3	12	5	4	--	1	22.3	45.1
Other service workers	4,015	120	857	3,038	2,124	369	545	37.0	43.4
FEMALE									
White-collar workers	18,899	390	4,286	14,223	12,131	1,080	1,012	33.6	38.5
Professional and technical	4,368	73	845	3,450	2,835	282	333	33.6	37.9
Managers and administrators, except farm	1,562	12	181	1,369	893	159	317	40.9	43.8
Sales workers	2,123	98	991	1,034	837	95	102	28.8	40.0
Clerical workers	10,846	206	2,269	8,371	7,568	544	259	33.5	37.7
Blue-collar workers	4,796	305	499	3,992	3,572	272	148	34.4	37.1
Craft and kindred workers	435	12	47	376	308	38	30	36.2	38.7
Operatives, except transport	3,911	269	299	3,343	3,030	223	90	34.8	36.8
Transport equipment operatives	120	8	76	36	25	--	11	24.2	43.0
Nonfarm laborers	330	17	78	235	207	11	17	31.8	37.9
Service workers	6,603	448	2,660	3,495	2,818	336	341	29.7	40.4
Private household	1,216	113	666	437	323	43	71	23.8	42.2
Other service workers	5,387	335	1,994	3,058	2,495	293	270	31.1	40.2

A-28: Persons at work in nonfarm occupations by full- or part-time status and sex—Continued

April 1974

Occupational group and sex	Total at work	On part time for economic reasons	On voluntary part time	On full-time schedules			
				Total	40 hours or less	41 to 48 hours	49 hours or more
				(Percent distribution)			
TOTAL							
White-collar workers	100.0	1.5	14.3	84.1	59.4	8.5	16.2
Professional and technical	100.0	1.2	11.2	87.5	61.7	8.3	17.5
Managers and administrators, except farm	100.0	.8	4.2	95.1	48.6	12.4	34.1
Sales workers	100.0	2.7	26.1	71.2	44.9	9.2	17.1
Clerical workers	100.0	1.7	18.6	79.7	69.5	6.1	4.1
Blue-collar workers	100.0	3.6	7.2	89.2	67.2	10.7	11.3
Craft and kindred workers	100.0	2.6	3.4	94.1	68.6	11.9	13.6
Operatives, except transport	100.0	4.2	6.5	89.3	72.3	9.6	7.4
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	3.6	8.7	87.7	51.6	13.4	22.7
Nonfarm laborers	100.0	5.1	18.4	76.5	62.2	8.0	6.3
Service workers	100.0	5.4	33.2	61.4	46.5	6.6	8.3
Private household	100.0	9.4	54.8	35.8	26.5	3.5	5.8
Other service workers	100.0	4.9	30.3	64.8	49.1	7.0	8.7
MALE							
White-collar workers	100.0	1.0	6.4	92.6	54.9	11.2	26.5
Professional and technical	100.0	.9	6.0	93.1	59.7	9.6	23.8
Managers and administrators, except farm	100.0	.8	2.5	96.8	46.7	12.9	37.2
Sales workers	100.0	1.4	11.7	86.9	48.6	12.6	25.7
Clerical workers	100.0	1.2	10.7	88.1	68.4	9.9	9.8
Blue-collar workers	100.0	3.0	6.5	90.3	65.6	11.7	13.0
Craft and kindred workers	100.0	2.6	3.1	94.4	68.5	12.0	13.9
Operatives, except transport	100.0	2.5	5.7	91.7	69.0	12.1	10.6
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	3.5	6.5	90.1	52.9	14.0	23.2
Nonfarm laborers	100.0	5.1	17.9	77.1	62.2	8.4	6.5
Service workers	100.0	3.0	21.5	75.4	52.7	9.1	13.6
Private household	100.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Other service workers	100.0	3.0	21.3	75.7	52.9	9.2	13.6
FEMALE							
White-collar workers	100.0	2.1	22.7	75.3	64.2	5.7	5.4
Professional and technical	100.0	1.7	19.3	79.0	64.9	6.5	7.6
Managers and administrators, except farm	100.0	.8	11.6	87.7	57.2	10.2	20.3
Sales workers	100.0	4.6	46.7	48.7	39.4	4.5	4.8
Clerical workers	100.0	1.9	20.9	77.2	69.8	5.0	2.4
Blue-collar workers	100.0	6.4	10.4	83.3	74.5	5.7	3.1
Craft and kindred workers	100.0	2.8	10.8	86.4	70.8	8.7	6.9
Operatives, except transport	100.0	6.9	7.6	85.5	77.5	5.7	2.3
Transport equipment operatives	100.0	6.7	63.3	30.0	20.8	--	9.2
Nonfarm laborers	100.0	5.2	23.6	71.2	62.7	3.3	5.2
Service workers	100.0	6.8	40.3	53.0	42.7	5.1	5.2
Private household	100.0	9.3	54.8	35.9	26.6	3.5	5.8
Other service workers	100.0	6.2	37.0	56.7	46.3	5.4	5.0

¹Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

A-29: Employment status of 14-15 year-olds by sex and color

April 1974
(In thousands)

Employment status	Total			White			Negro and other races		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
Civilian noninstitutional population	8,406	4,272	4,134	7,129	3,634	3,496	1,277	638	638
Civilian labor force	1,365	823	542	1,277	758	520	88	65	23
Employed	1,212	722	490	1,153	678	475	59	44	15
Agriculture	146	120	26	146	120	26	--	--	--
Nonagricultural industries	1,066	602	464	1,007	558	449	59	44	15
Unemployed	153	100	53	124	79	45	29	21	8
Not in labor force	7,041	3,449	3,592	5,852	2,876	2,976	1,189	574	615
Keeping house	67	18	49	53	13	39	14	5	9
Going to school	6,157	3,027	3,130	5,117	2,522	2,596	1,039	505	535
Unable to work	6	3	3	4	3	1	2	1	1
All other reasons	811	401	410	677	338	340	134	64	70

A-30: Employed 14-15 year-olds by sex, class of worker, and major occupational group

April 1974

Characteristics	Thousands of persons			Percent distribution		
	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
CLASS OF WORKER						
Total	1,212	722	490	100.0	100.0	100.0
Nonagricultural industries	1,066	602	464	88.0	83.4	94.9
Wage and salary workers	938	497	441	77.4	68.8	90.2
Private household workers	359	75	284	29.6	10.4	58.1
Government workers	40	21	18	3.3	2.9	3.7
Other wage and salary workers	539	400	139	44.5	55.5	28.4
Self-employed workers	107	87	20	8.8	12.1	4.1
Unpaid family workers	21	18	3	1.7	2.5	.6
Agriculture	146	120	26	12.0	16.6	5.1
Wage and salary workers	65	53	12	5.4	7.4	2.5
Self-employed workers	19	13	5	1.6	1.8	1.0
Unpaid family workers	62	54	8	5.1	7.5	1.6
OCCUPATION						
Total	1,212	722	490	100.0	100.0	100.0
White-collar workers	307	230	77	25.3	31.8	15.7
Professional and technical	13	4	8	1.1	.6	1.6
Managers and administrators, except farm	2	2	--	.2	.3	--
Sales workers	233	194	39	19.2	26.9	8.0
Clerical workers	59	29	30	4.9	4.0	6.1
Blue-collar workers	251	228	23	20.7	31.5	4.7
Craft and kindred workers	14	12	2	1.2	1.7	.4
Operatives, except transport	43	34	8	3.5	4.7	1.6
Transport equipment operatives	6	4	2	.5	.6	.4
Nonfarm laborers	188	177	11	15.5	24.5	2.2
Service workers	520	153	367	42.8	21.2	74.9
Private household workers	298	16	283	24.6	2.2	57.8
Other service workers	221	137	84	18.2	19.0	17.1
Farm workers	134	112	23	11.1	15.5	4.7
Farmers and farm managers	15	9	6	1.2	1.2	1.2
Farm laborers and supervisors	120	103	17	9.9	14.3	3.5

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A-31: Employment status of the noninstitutional population by sex and age, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Employment status, sex, and age	1973								1974				
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Total													
Total labor force	90,622	90,597	91,133	91,139	91,011	91,664	92,038	92,186	92,315	92,801	92,814	92,747	92,556
Civilian labor force	88,272	88,263	88,818	88,828	88,704	89,373	89,749	89,903	90,033	90,543	90,556	90,496	90,313
Employed	83,854	83,950	84,518	84,621	84,513	85,133	85,649	85,649	85,669	85,811	85,803	85,863	85,775
Agriculture	3,356	3,320	3,430	3,512	3,425	3,376	3,455	3,561	3,643	3,794	3,852	3,699	3,511
Nonagricultural industries	80,498	80,630	81,088	81,109	81,088	81,757	82,194	82,088	82,026	82,017	81,951	82,164	82,264
On part time for economic reasons	2,158	2,254	2,473	2,369	2,287	2,353	2,377	2,405	2,562	2,586	2,754	2,540	2,390
Usually work full time	989	1,043	1,099	1,161	1,167	1,106	1,103	1,143	1,192	1,213	1,381	1,249	1,078
Usually work part time	1,169	1,211	1,374	1,208	1,120	1,247	1,274	1,262	1,370	1,373	1,373	1,291	1,312
Unemployed	4,418	4,313	4,300	4,207	4,191	4,240	4,100	4,254	4,364	4,732	4,753	4,633	4,538
Men, 20 years and over													
Total labor force	51,254	51,237	51,350	51,498	51,403	51,522	51,790	51,791	51,931	52,197	52,139	51,912	51,880
Civilian labor force	49,329	49,325	49,460	49,612	49,520	49,651	49,921	49,926	50,085	50,371	50,312	50,091	50,065
Employed	47,655	47,668	47,859	48,087	47,992	48,138	48,432	48,425	48,559	48,660	48,529	48,379	48,272
Agriculture	2,472	2,447	2,498	2,479	2,480	2,472	2,489	2,544	2,569	2,687	2,708	2,646	2,493
Nonagricultural industries	45,183	45,221	45,361	45,608	45,512	45,666	45,943	45,881	45,990	45,973	45,821	45,733	45,779
Unemployed	1,674	1,657	1,601	1,525	1,528	1,513	1,489	1,501	1,526	1,711	1,783	1,712	1,793
Women, 20 years and over													
Civilian labor force	30,500	30,536	30,850	30,981	30,970	30,999	31,042	31,183	31,169	31,133	31,329	31,498	31,612
Employed	29,036	29,145	29,338	29,481	29,483	29,517	29,661	29,704	29,596	29,519	29,722	29,916	30,057
Agriculture	547	508	545	620	545	500	531	550	595	628	641	613	539
Nonagricultural industries	28,489	28,637	28,793	28,861	28,938	29,017	29,130	29,154	29,001	28,891	29,081	29,303	29,518
Unemployed	1,464	1,391	1,512	1,500	1,487	1,482	1,381	1,479	1,573	1,614	1,607	1,582	1,555
Both sexes, 16-19 years													
Civilian labor force	8,443	8,402	8,508	8,235	8,214	8,723	8,786	8,794	8,779	9,039	8,915	8,907	8,636
Employed	7,163	7,137	7,321	7,053	7,038	7,478	7,556	7,520	7,514	7,632	7,552	7,568	7,446
Agriculture	337	365	387	413	400	404	435	467	479	479	503	440	479
Nonagricultural industries	6,826	6,772	6,934	6,640	6,638	7,074	7,121	7,053	7,035	7,153	7,049	7,128	6,967
Unemployed	1,280	1,265	1,187	1,182	1,176	1,245	1,230	1,274	1,265	1,407	1,363	1,339	1,190

NOTE: Because of the independent seasonal adjustment of the various series, detail for the household data shown in tables A-31 through A-40 will not necessarily add to totals.

A-32: Full- and part-time status of the civilian labor force by sex and age, seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

Full- and part-time employment status, sex, and age	1973								1974				
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Full time													
Total, 16 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	75,525	75,665	75,930	75,966	75,801	76,127	76,583	76,764	76,807	77,458	77,585	77,401	77,661
Employed	72,162	72,411	72,681	72,800	72,631	72,942	73,473	73,439	73,406	73,842	73,958	73,841	74,069
Unemployed	3,363	3,254	3,249	3,166	3,170	3,185	3,110	3,325	3,401	3,616	3,627	3,560	3,592
Unemployment rate	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6
Men, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	46,910	46,959	47,076	47,145	47,126	47,193	47,374	47,430	47,536	47,792	47,922	47,685	47,710
Employed	45,402	45,448	45,637	45,790	45,763	45,861	46,042	46,066	46,156	46,256	46,308	46,106	46,052
Unemployed	1,508	1,511	1,439	1,355	1,363	1,332	1,332	1,364	1,380	1,536	1,614	1,579	1,658
Unemployment rate	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.5
Women, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	23,905	23,959	24,163	24,204	24,234	24,159	24,229	24,392	24,366	24,466	24,557	24,601	24,778
Employed	22,724	22,891	22,987	23,056	23,077	23,010	23,154	23,202	23,094	23,179	23,288	23,382	23,546
Unemployed	1,181	1,068	1,176	1,148	1,157	1,149	1,075	1,190	1,272	1,267	1,269	1,219	1,232
Unemployment rate	4.9	4.5	4.9	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.0	5.0
Part time													
Total, 16 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	12,817	12,779	12,646	12,612	12,810	13,307	13,186	13,190	13,317	13,171	13,067	13,097	12,845
Employed	11,777	11,692	11,526	11,534	11,770	12,278	12,203	12,228	12,314	12,085	11,975	12,041	11,903
Unemployed	1,040	1,087	1,120	1,078	1,040	1,029	983	962	1,003	1,086	1,092	1,056	942
Unemployment rate	8.1	8.5	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.5	8.2	8.4	8.1	7.3

NOTE: Persons on part-time schedules for economic reasons are included in the full-time employed category; unemployed persons are allocated by whether seeking full- or part-time work.

A-33: Employment status by color, sex, and age, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Characteristics	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
White													
Total:													
Civilian labor force	78,281	78,402	78,846	78,703	78,654	79,211	79,566	79,673	79,704	80,089	80,122	80,163	80,100
Employed	74,792	74,952	75,440	75,437	75,359	75,881	76,301	76,339	76,223	76,328	76,354	76,498	76,464
Unemployed	3,489	3,450	3,406	3,266	3,295	3,330	3,265	3,334	3,481	3,761	3,768	3,665	3,636
Unemployment rate	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.6c	4.5
Males, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	44,300	44,320	44,434	44,513	44,462	44,560	44,759	44,777	44,910	45,137	45,078	44,900	44,932
Employed	42,936	42,982	43,126	43,298	43,223	43,323	43,557	43,565	43,625	43,729	43,649	43,534	43,472
Unemployed	1,364	1,338	1,308	1,215	1,239	1,237	1,202	1,212	1,285	1,408	1,429	1,366	1,460
Unemployment rate	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.2
Females, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	26,469	26,562	26,866	26,855	26,892	26,889	26,913	27,022	26,941	26,930	27,117	27,337	27,431
Employed	25,326	25,461	25,684	25,699	25,738	25,743	25,830	25,903	25,751	25,675	25,834	26,053	26,174
Unemployed	1,143	1,101	1,182	1,156	1,154	1,146	1,083	1,119	1,190	1,255	1,283	1,284	1,257
Unemployment rate	4.3	4.1	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years:													
Civilian labor force	7,512	7,520	7,546	7,335	7,300	7,762	7,894	7,874	7,853	8,022	7,927	7,926	7,737
Employed	6,530	6,509	6,630	6,440	6,398	6,815	6,914	6,871	6,847	6,924	6,871	6,911	6,818
Unemployed	982	1,011	916	895	902	947	980	1,003	1,006	1,098	1,056	1,015	919
Unemployment rate	13.1	13.4	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.2	12.4	12.7	12.8	13.7	13.3	12.8	11.9
Negro and other races													
Total:													
Civilian labor force	9,958	9,937	9,942	10,096	10,065	10,156	10,187	10,210	10,300	10,499	10,340	10,289	10,168
Employed	9,046	9,023	9,070	9,168	9,184	9,222	9,333	9,299	9,412	9,513	9,390	9,323	9,285
Unemployed	912	914	872	928	881	934	854	911	888	986	950	966	883
Unemployment rate	9.2	9.2	8.8	9.2	8.8	9.2	8.4	8.9	8.6	9.4	9.2	9.4	8.7
Males, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	5,029	5,033	5,044	5,089	5,065	5,076	5,148	5,151	5,174	5,239	5,229	5,170	5,133
Employed	4,719	4,714	4,755	4,779	4,778	4,802	4,863	4,869	4,919	4,935	4,882	4,819	4,800
Unemployed	310	319	289	310	287	274	285	282	255	304	347	351	333
Unemployment rate	6.2	6.3	5.7	6.1	5.7	5.4	5.5	5.5	4.9	5.8	6.6	6.8	6.5
Females, 20 years and over:													
Civilian labor force	4,002	4,005	3,963	4,100	4,108	4,108	4,139	4,127	4,195	4,236	4,174	4,161	4,145
Employed	3,701	3,687	3,651	3,765	3,779	3,776	3,816	3,769	3,829	3,852	3,845	3,870	3,865
Unemployed	301	318	312	335	329	332	323	358	366	384	329	291	280
Unemployment rate	7.5	7.9	7.9	8.2	8.0	8.1	7.8	8.7	8.7	9.1	7.9	7.0	6.8
Both sexes, 16 to 19 years:													
Civilian labor force	927	899	935	907	892	972	900	932	931	1,024	937	958	890
Employed	626	622	664	624	627	644	654	661	664	726	663	634	620
Unemployed	301	277	271	283	265	328	246	271	267	298	274	324	270
Unemployment rate	32.5	30.8	29.0	31.2	29.7	33.7	27.3	29.1	28.7	29.1	29.2	33.8	30.3

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A-34: Unemployed persons by duration of unemployment, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Duration of unemployment	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Less than 5 weeks	2,207	2,251	2,244	2,225	2,206	2,158	2,001	2,243	2,308	2,466	2,427	2,464	2,269
5 to 14 weeks	1,487	1,287	1,210	1,267	1,220	1,339	1,283	1,235	1,270	1,437	1,426	1,388	1,467
15 weeks and over	787	818	789	755	777	768	756	820	740	768	830	815	857
15 to 26 weeks	467	470	463	478	446	476	431	469	409	440	505	503	528
27 weeks and over	320	348	326	277	331	292	325	351	331	328	325	312	329
Average (mean) duration	10.0	10.0	9.7	9.8	10.0	9.4	10.3	10.0	9.3	9.4	9.6	9.4	9.8

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A-35: Major unemployment indicators, seasonally adjusted
(Unemployment rates)

Selected categories	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Total (all civilian workers)	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0
Men, 20 years and over	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.6
Women, 20 years and over	4.8	4.6	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.7	5.0	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9
Both sexes, 16-19 years	15.2	15.1	14.0	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.0	14.5	14.4	15.6	15.3	15.0	13.8
White	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.5
Negro and other races	9.2	9.2	8.8	9.2	8.8	9.2	8.4	8.9	8.6	9.4	9.2	9.4	8.7
Household heads	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1
Married men	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5
Full-time workers	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6
Part-time workers	8.1	8.5	8.9	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.5	8.2	8.4	8.1	7.3
Unemployed 15 weeks and over ¹ .....	.9	.9	.9	.8	.9	.9	.8	.9	.8	.8	.9	.9	.9
State insured ²	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.3
Labor force time lost ³	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7
Occupation													
White-collar workers	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.8	2.8
Professional and technical	2.2	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.0	1.9	2.2
Managers and administrators, except farm	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.6
Sales workers	3.9	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.8	3.5	3.0	3.3	4.5	4.0	4.2	3.8	3.3
Clerical workers	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.0	3.9
Blue-collar workers	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.4	5.2	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.4
Craft and kindred workers	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.9	3.2	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.9
Operatives	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.8	7.0	6.8	7.2	7.1
Nonfarm laborers	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.0	8.6	8.3	8.4	9.3	9.0	10.4
Service workers	6.0	5.8	5.1	5.5	5.5	5.7	5.1	5.9	6.2	5.5	6.1	6.1	5.8
Farm workers	3.1	3.3	2.8	2.0	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.4	1.9	2.1	2.8	2.7
Industry													
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers ⁴	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.3	5.4	5.1	5.3
Construction	9.3	8.9	8.2	9.4	8.5	9.6	9.0	9.1	8.2	9.1	7.9	8.4	10.3
Manufacturing	4.4	4.4	4.4	3.8	4.0	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.3	5.1	5.3	5.2	5.0
Durable goods	3.8	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.6	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.9	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.0
Nondurable goods	5.1	5.1	5.3	4.6	4.7	4.4	4.1	5.3	4.9	5.3	5.7	5.5	5.1
Transportation and public utilities	2.7	3.0	3.5	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1	2.8	3.0
Wholesale and retail trade	5.7	5.6	5.2	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.1	5.4	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.8	5.9
Finance and service industries	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.6	4.5	4.9	4.4	4.3
Government workers	3.3	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.7	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.9
Agricultural wage and salary workers	8.0	8.8	7.0	5.4	7.1	5.8	6.7	7.4	6.4	6.3	6.7	7.8	8.2

¹ Unemployment rate calculated as a percent of civilian labor force.

² Insured unemployment under State programs as a percent of average covered employment. As with the other statistics presented, insured unemployment data relate to the week containing the 12th.

³ Man-hours lost by the unemployed and persons on part-time for economic reasons as a percent of potentially available labor force man-hours.

⁴ Includes mining, not shown separately.

HOUSEHOLD DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
A-36: Rates of unemployment by sex and age, seasonally adjusted

Sex and age	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Total, 16 years and over	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.8	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0
16 to 19 years	15.2	15.1	14.0	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.0	14.5	14.4	15.6	15.3	15.0	13.8
16 and 17 years	18.8	18.1	17.5	16.4	16.6	17.2	16.4	17.2	16.7	19.4	17.9	18.4	15.7
18 and 19 years	12.4	13.0	10.7	12.6	12.8	12.6	12.1	12.5	12.9	13.3	12.9	12.7	12.5
20 to 24 years	8.1	7.9	7.8	8.0	7.8	7.8	6.7	7.2	7.7	8.5	8.6	8.1	8.1
25 years and over	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3
25 to 54 years	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.6
55 years and over	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.6
Males, 16 years and over	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.5
16 to 19 years	14.5	14.3	13.6	13.9	14.1	13.7	13.4	14.3	13.6	14.1	14.6	14.4	14.0
16 and 17 years	19.0	17.8	17.2	16.6	16.5	15.6	15.6	17.2	16.3	18.8	18.0	17.6	16.3
18 and 19 years	10.8	11.8	10.0	11.6	12.3	12.6	11.3	12.1	11.9	11.2	11.6	12.1	12.4
20 to 24 years	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.0	7.2	7.0	6.3	6.6	6.7	7.9	8.3	7.9	7.8
25 years and over	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.9
25 to 54 years	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.7	3.0
55 years and over	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.3
Females, 16 years and over	6.0	5.8	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.9	5.6	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.4	6.2	5.9
16 to 19 years	16.0	15.9	14.3	14.9	14.6	15.0	14.8	14.8	15.4	17.3	16.2	15.8	13.5
16 and 17 years	18.5	18.5	17.9	16.1	16.6	19.3	17.3	17.2	17.2	20.1	17.8	19.3	14.9
18 and 19 years	14.3	14.4	11.4	13.8	13.3	12.6	13.0	13.1	14.0	15.6	14.4	13.4	12.6
20 to 24 years	8.4	8.2	8.1	9.3	8.5	8.7	7.3	7.9	8.9	9.3	9.0	8.4	8.4
25 years and over	4.0	3.8	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.1
25 to 54 years	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.2	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.4
55 years and over	2.8	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.9	3.4	3.0

A-37: Unemployed persons by reason for unemployment, seasonally adjusted

(Numbers in thousands)

Reason for unemployment	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Number of unemployed													
Lost last job	1,677	1,610	1,716	1,581	1,565	1,611	1,461	1,664	1,761	2,006	2,052	2,022	2,007
Left last job	657	621	670	674	646	670	678	783	765	731	750	739	720
Reentered labor force	1,451	1,505	1,218	1,304	1,362	1,303	1,253	1,227	1,266	1,252	1,240	1,186	1,263
Never worked before	682	682	636	649	608	641	612	590	593	682	630	632	549
Percent distribution													
Total unemployed	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Lost last job	37.5	36.4	40.5	37.6	37.4	38.1	36.5	39.0	40.2	42.9	43.9	44.2	44.2
Left last job	14.7	14.1	15.8	16.0	15.5	15.9	16.9	18.4	17.4	15.6	16.1	16.1	15.9
Reentered labor force	32.5	34.1	28.7	31.0	32.6	30.8	31.3	28.8	28.9	26.8	26.5	25.9	27.8
Never worked before	15.3	15.4	15.0	15.4	14.5	15.2	15.3	13.8	13.5	14.6	13.5	13.8	12.1
Unemployed as a percent of the civilian labor force													
Lost last job	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2
Left last job .....	.7	.7	.8	.8	.7	.7	.8	.9	.8	.8	.8	.8	.8
Reentered labor force	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4
Never worked before8	.8	.7	.7	.7	.7	.7	.7	.7	.8	.7	.7	.6

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A-38: Employed persons by sex and age, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Sex and age	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
Total													
16 years and over	83,854	83,950	84,518	84,621	84,513	85,133	85,649	85,649	85,669	85,811	85,803	85,863	85,775
16 to 19 years	7,163	7,137	7,321	7,053	7,038	7,478	7,556	7,520	7,514	7,632	7,552	7,568	7,446
16 and 17 years	2,972	2,981	2,992	2,962	2,937	3,175	3,206	3,117	3,116	3,157	3,129	3,117	3,035
18 and 19 years	4,177	4,172	4,344	4,103	4,054	4,279	4,361	4,387	4,384	4,486	4,420	4,455	4,393
20 to 24 years	11,582	11,623	11,715	11,675	11,633	11,730	11,972	12,000	11,984	11,762	11,815	11,880	11,883
25 years and over	65,118	65,205	65,457	65,785	65,813	65,952	66,184	66,131	66,166	66,498	66,443	66,415	66,449
25 to 54 years	51,337	51,473	51,688	51,989	51,998	52,206	52,389	52,408	52,451	52,700	52,643	52,578	52,584
55 years and over	13,778	13,733	13,801	13,804	13,803	13,773	13,738	13,699	13,723	13,732	13,847	13,813	13,857
Male													
16 years and over	51,641	51,597	51,848	52,037	51,892	52,290	52,638	52,584	52,732	52,910	52,716	52,556	52,370
16 to 19 years	3,986	3,929	3,989	3,950	3,900	4,152	4,206	4,159	4,173	4,250	4,187	4,177	4,098
16 and 17 years	1,675	1,688	1,695	1,680	1,665	1,828	1,835	1,743	1,748	1,779	1,794	1,781	1,721
18 and 19 years	2,294	2,243	2,311	2,266	2,204	2,325	2,390	2,413	2,419	2,455	2,391	2,382	2,361
20 to 24 years	6,493	6,526	6,542	6,555	6,497	6,564	6,748	6,775	6,821	6,704	6,624	6,600	6,603
25 years and over	41,186	41,164	41,315	41,467	41,450	41,575	41,739	41,668	41,719	41,995	41,921	41,785	41,699
25 to 54 years	32,499	32,553	32,642	32,822	32,815	32,916	33,029	33,023	33,032	33,262	33,127	33,001	32,903
55 years and over	8,699	8,611	8,672	8,646	8,631	8,649	8,652	8,644	8,706	8,712	8,844	8,790	8,802
Female													
16 years and over	32,213	32,353	32,670	32,584	32,621	32,843	33,011	33,065	32,937	32,901	33,087	33,307	33,405
16 to 19 years	3,177	3,208	3,332	3,103	3,138	3,326	3,350	3,361	3,341	3,382	3,365	3,391	3,348
16 and 17 years	1,297	1,293	1,297	1,282	1,272	1,347	1,371	1,374	1,368	1,378	1,335	1,336	1,314
18 and 19 years	1,883	1,929	2,033	1,837	1,850	1,954	1,971	1,974	1,965	2,031	2,029	2,073	2,032
20 to 24 years	5,089	5,097	5,173	5,120	5,136	5,166	5,224	5,225	5,163	5,058	5,191	5,280	5,280
25 years and over	23,932	24,041	24,142	24,318	24,363	24,377	24,445	24,463	24,447	24,503	24,522	24,630	24,750
25 to 54 years	18,838	18,920	19,046	19,167	19,183	19,290	19,360	19,385	19,419	19,438	19,516	19,577	19,681
55 years and over	5,079	5,122	5,129	5,158	5,172	5,124	5,086	5,055	5,017	5,020	5,003	5,023	5,055

A-39: Employed persons by major occupational group, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Occupational group	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
White-collar workers	39,868	40,066	40,205	40,177	40,423	40,691	40,921	41,205	41,138	41,399	41,375	41,743	41,601
Professional & technical	11,471	11,555	11,716	11,721	11,843	11,895	11,989	11,980	12,030	12,068	12,350	12,260	12,274
Managers and administrators, except farm	8,573	8,573	8,536	8,559	8,619	8,653	8,761	8,989	9,099	9,186	9,031	8,938	9,009
Sales workers	5,427	5,435	5,515	5,437	5,303	5,431	5,424	5,425	5,254	5,386	5,408	5,462	5,443
Clerical workers	14,397	14,503	14,438	14,460	14,658	14,712	14,747	14,811	14,755	14,759	14,586	15,083	14,875
Blue-collar workers	29,909	29,914	29,876	30,226	29,928	30,150	30,285	30,075	30,101	30,212	29,760	29,773	29,722
Craft and kindred workers	11,230	11,388	11,492	11,470	11,334	11,396	11,336	11,403	11,357	11,444	11,337	11,603	11,534
Operatives ¹	14,379	14,255	14,091	14,435	14,315	14,329	14,488	14,414	14,303	14,187	13,990	13,711	13,973
Nonfarm laborers	4,300	4,271	4,293	4,321	4,279	4,425	4,461	4,258	4,441	4,581	4,433	4,459	4,215
Service workers	11,036	11,049	11,388	11,120	11,206	11,290	11,368	11,230	11,260	11,098	11,177	11,136	11,212
Farm workers	2,954	2,924	3,018	3,095	2,976	2,939	3,025	3,102	3,123	3,326	3,380	3,204	3,128

¹ Data represent the sum of transport equipment operatives and operatives, except transport.

A-40: Employment status of male Vietnam Era veterans and nonveterans 20 to 34 years of age

Employment status	(Numbers in thousands)								
			Seasonally adjusted						
	Apr. 1973	Mar. 1974	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1973	Dec. 1973	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974	Apr. 1974
VETERANS¹									
Total, 20 to 34 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	5,621	6,045	6,076	5,621	5,900	5,935	6,018	6,045	6,076
Civilian labor force	5,253	5,668	5,664	5,278	5,589	5,712	5,732	5,727	5,691
Employed	4,955	5,327	5,361	4,990	5,348	5,417	5,444	5,437	5,399
Unemployed	298	341	303	288	241	295	288	290	292
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.0	5.3	5.5	4.3	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.1
20 to 24 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	1,741	1,427	1,411	1,741	1,517	1,488	1,446	1,427	1,411
Civilian labor force	1,584	1,258	1,229	1,589	1,366	1,377	1,344	1,271	1,233
Employed	1,437	1,120	1,113	1,446	1,263	1,231	1,210	1,156	1,120
Unemployed	147	138	116	143	103	146	134	115	113
Unemployment rate	9.3	11.0	9.4	9.0	7.5	10.6	10.0	9.0	9.2
25 to 29 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	2,934	3,386	3,398	2,934	3,208	3,243	3,375	3,386	3,398
Civilian labor force	2,756	3,216	3,199	2,773	3,062	3,139	3,216	3,258	3,217
Employed	2,632	3,058	3,048	2,654	2,957	3,027	3,094	3,117	3,073
Unemployed	124	158	151	119	105	112	122	141	144
Unemployment rate	4.5	4.9	4.7	4.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	4.3	4.5
30 to 34 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	946	1,232	1,267	946	1,175	1,204	1,197	1,232	1,267
Civilian labor force	913	1,194	1,236	916	1,161	1,196	1,172	1,198	1,241
Employed	886	1,149	1,200	890	1,128	1,159	1,140	1,164	1,206
Unemployed	27	45	36	26	33	37	32	34	35
Unemployment rate	3.0	3.8	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.8	2.8
NONVETERANS									
Total, 20 to 34 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	14,169	14,739	14,805	14,169	14,814	14,659	14,664	14,739	14,805
Civilian labor force	12,582	13,131	13,192	12,767	13,487	13,406	13,287	13,326	13,392
Employed	11,966	12,356	12,451	12,122	12,858	12,711	12,564	12,588	12,617
Unemployed	616	775	741	645	629	695	723	738	775
Unemployment rate	4.9	5.9	5.6	5.1	4.7	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.8
20 to 24 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	6,499	6,930	6,965	6,499	6,929	6,819	6,878	6,930	6,965
Civilian labor force	5,276	5,710	5,754	5,458	5,963	5,900	5,911	5,902	5,953
Employed	4,895	5,247	5,328	5,051	5,568	5,473	5,445	5,443	5,498
Unemployed	381	463	426	407	395	427	466	459	455
Unemployment rate	7.2	8.1	7.4	7.5	6.6	7.2	7.9	7.8	7.6
25 to 29 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	4,105	4,015	4,036	4,105	4,193	4,099	3,999	4,015	4,036
Civilian labor force	3,880	3,762	3,787	3,884	3,961	3,887	3,765	3,782	3,788
Employed	3,729	3,585	3,597	3,738	3,801	3,733	3,609	3,621	3,604
Unemployed	151	177	190	146	160	154	156	161	184
Unemployment rate	3.9	4.7	5.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.9
30 to 34 years									
Civilian noninstitutional population ²	3,565	3,794	3,804	3,565	3,692	3,741	3,787	3,794	3,804
Civilian labor force	3,426	3,659	3,651	3,425	3,563	3,619	3,611	3,642	3,651
Employed	3,342	3,524	3,526	3,333	3,489	3,505	3,510	3,524	3,515
Unemployed	84	135	125	92	74	114	101	118	136
Unemployment rate	2.5	3.7	3.4	2.7	2.1	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.7

¹ Vietnam-era veterans are those who served after August 4, 1964. At present, of the Vietnam-era veterans of all ages, 90 per cent are 20 to 34 years of age.

² Since seasonal variations are not present in the population figures, identical numbers appear in the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted columns.

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry

SIC CODE	Industry	(In thousands)									
		All employees					Production workers ¹				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^b	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^b	Apr. 1974 ^p
-	TOTAL	74,255	74,861	75,792	76,100	76,678	-	-	-	-	-
-	PRIVATE SECTOR	60,459	61,068	61,594	61,830	62,398	49,994	50,554	50,772	50,976	51,515
-	MINING	598	603	641	643	652	451	456	489	489	497
10	METAL MINING	87.7	88.0	94.5	94.3	-	69.7	70.0	75.1	74.6	-
101	Iron ores	20.3	20.6	21.1	20.8	-	16.3	16.7	17.2	16.7	-
102	Copper ores	40.9	41.2	44.7	45.0	-	32.6	32.8	35.5	35.8	-
11,12	COAL MINING	159.7	159.4	167.2	165.6	-	136.4	136.3	143.1	140.8	-
12	Bituminous coal and lignite mining	156.1	155.8	163.7	162.2	-	133.3	133.2	140.0	137.8	-
13	OIL AND GAS EXTRACTION	258.1	258.3	269.0	269.3	-	170.4	170.9	181.7	182.4	-
131,2	Crude petroleum and natural gas fields ...	133.6	132.9	132.0	132.0	-	67.5	67.1	66.4	66.4	-
138	Oil and gas field services	124.5	125.4	137.0	137.3	-	102.9	103.8	115.3	116.0	-
14	NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	109.2	114.0	110.5	113.6	-	88.3	92.9	88.8	91.3	-
142	Crushed and broken stone	37.4	39.6	38.9	40.0	-	30.9	33.1	31.6	32.6	-
144	Sand and gravel	36.4	38.7	35.5	36.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	3,294	3,442	3,329	3,397	3,513	2,676	2,815	2,682	2,747	2,859
15	GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	984.6	1,016.2	993.2	1,015.2	-	794.8	822.2	789.7	810.6	-
16	HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS ..	617.7	685.2	610.0	640.6	-	505.9	570.8	492.8	522.7	-
161	Highway and street construction	245.6	295.0	231.8	249.2	-	202.6	251.5	189.2	206.1	-
162	Heavy construction, n e c	372.1	390.2	378.2	391.4	-	303.3	319.3	303.6	316.6	-
17	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	1,691.6	1,740.5	1,725.7	1,741.4	-	1,375.2	1,422.2	1,399.4	1,413.5	-
171	Plumbing, heating, air conditioning	425.5	430.3	454.5	451.0	-	331.0	335.3	356.9	354.1	-
172	Painting, paper hanging, decorating	113.4	120.8	108.8	113.6	-	96.3	103.9	91.9	96.5	-
173	Electrical work	317.5	320.5	333.4	334.3	-	252.7	255.7	266.8	267.1	-
174	Masonry, stonework, and plastering	197.2	204.7	184.2	189.1	-	176.4	183.3	162.5	167.4	-
176	Roofing and sheet metal work	115.9	119.1	115.8	119.1	-	94.0	97.1	94.0	96.9	-
-	MANUFACTURING	19,521	19,586	19,738	19,731	19,785	14,345	14,394	14,422	14,418	14,470
19,24,25, 32-39	DURABLE GOODS	11,431	11,498	11,620	11,612	11,684	8,397	8,452	8,472	8,466	8,542
20-23, 26-31	NONDURABLE GOODS	8,090	8,088	8,118	8,119	8,101	5,948	5,942	5,950	5,952	5,928
	<i>Durable Goods</i>										
19	ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES	195.7	193.0	190.2	190.3	187.7	101.5	98.9	95.2	94.6	91.7
192	Ammunition, except for small arms	136.3	135.1	133.2	133.0	130.0	64.4	63.4	60.2	59.8	56.7
1925	Complete guided missiles	93.6	93.4	98.1	98.5	-	30.0	30.0	32.4	32.4	-
1929	Ammunition, exc. for small arms, nec ...	42.7	41.7	35.1	34.5	-	34.4	33.4	27.8	27.4	-
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	616.9	617.6	630.4	633.9	638.1	530.4	531.1	540.1	543.1	546.6
241	Logging camps & logging contractors	68.4	66.4	78.5	76.7	74.9	-	-	-	-	-
242	Sawmills and planing mills	214.2	214.1	216.9	217.7	216.4	193.2	193.4	195.9	196.1	194.9
2421	Sawmills and planing mills, general ...	181.6	181.6	184.6	185.1	-	164.0	164.2	166.9	166.9	-
243	Millwork, plywood & related products	208.3	210.9	205.5	208.9	(*)	173.9	176.4	169.6	173.1	(*)
2431	Millwork	89.2	89.7	87.9	88.7	-	72.9	73.5	70.9	71.6	-
2432	Veneer and plywood	84.4	85.2	86.0	87.5	-	74.9	75.6	76.0	77.6	-
244	Wooden containers	27.4	27.5	27.5	27.6	(*)	24.4	24.6	24.5	24.7	(*)
2441,2	Wooden boxes, shooks, and crates	21.6	21.6	21.5	21.5	-	19.3	19.4	19.2	19.4	-
249	Miscellaneous wood products	98.6	98.7	102.0	103.0	102.9	81.1	81.3	84.4	85.1	85.3

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(In thousands)									
		All employees					Production workers ¹				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>											
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	513.7	514.5	520.7	520.0	521.7	425.3	425.3	427.9	427.7	428.1
251	Household furniture.....	372.5	374.2	377.0	377.3	377.3	316.5	318.0	318.1	318.5	317.6
2511	Wood household furniture.....	184.2	184.7	190.3	191.1	—	161.9	162.5	167.1	167.8	—
2512	Upholstered household furniture.....	106.5	106.5	105.9	105.2	—	89.3	89.1	87.7	87.1	—
2515	Mattresses and bedsprings.....	38.9	39.1	36.9	36.9	—	29.9	30.3	28.2	28.0	—
252	Office furniture.....	39.6	39.5	43.0	42.4	—	31.3	31.3	34.6	34.0	—
254	Partitions and fixtures.....	53.6	54.1	54.3	54.6	—	40.9	41.1	41.5	41.8	—
253,9	Other furniture and fixtures.....	48.0	46.7	46.4	45.7	46.5	36.6	34.9	33.7	33.4	33.9
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS ...	672.1	681.6	681.3	687.9	688.2	536.6	545.5	544.4	550.9	551.8
321	Flat glass.....	25.5	26.0	25.6	25.4	—	18.4	18.8	18.3	18.1	—
322	Glass and glassware, pressed or blown...	138.6	139.0	137.0	138.6	(*)	119.4	119.5	118.1	119.6	(*)
3221	Glass containers.....	77.0	77.4	74.6	75.5	—	67.5	67.7	65.9	66.7	—
3229	Pressed and blown glass, n e c.....	61.6	61.6	62.4	63.1	—	51.9	51.8	52.2	52.9	—
324	Cement, hydraulic.....	33.1	33.2	33.3	33.5	33.9	25.9	26.0	26.0	26.2	26.6
325	Structural clay products.....	58.5	59.1	59.7	60.3	60.8	48.5	49.0	49.5	50.1	50.8
3251	Brick and structural clay tile.....	26.0	26.2	26.2	26.2	—	22.5	22.7	22.6	22.6	—
326	Pottery and related products.....	46.7	47.0	49.0	48.2	—	39.5	39.9	41.8	41.0	—
327	Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products...	195.4	201.7	194.0	198.6	(*)	152.0	158.0	151.5	155.0	(*)
328,9	Other stone and nonmetallic mineral products	140.3	141.1	147.5	147.7	146.8	106.5	107.4	112.2	112.7	111.9
3291	Abrasive products.....	28.6	28.9	31.0	30.7	—	20.3	20.5	22.4	22.1	—
33	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	1,287.4	1,297.9	1,328.2	1,325.3	1,332.3	1,035.3	1,045.7	1,065.7	1,063.4	1,072.2
331	Blast furnace and basic steel products...	593.2	598.2	606.2	607.6	(*)	475.9	481.5	485.4	487.1	(*)
3312	Blast furnaces and steel mills.....	510.0	514.4	521.9	522.8	—	410.4	415.4	419.5	420.7	—
332	Iron and steel foundries.....	230.0	230.3	242.7	239.6	239.7	193.3	193.4	203.5	200.9	201.2
3321	Gray iron foundries.....	144.8	145.2	154.4	151.7	—	123.3	123.6	131.0	129.1	—
3322	Malleable iron foundries.....	25.6	25.5	25.5	25.5	—	21.8	21.6	21.5	21.5	—
3323	Steel foundries.....	59.6	59.6	62.8	62.4	—	48.2	48.2	51.0	50.3	—
333,4	Nonferrous metals.....	85.4	85.7	88.2	88.2	89.4	66.3	66.6	68.4	68.3	69.5
3334	Primary aluminum.....	30.9	31.2	32.2	32.3	—	25.4	25.7	26.3	26.3	—
335	Nonferrous rolling and drawing.....	212.4	216.6	218.5	218.4	219.2	161.9	165.7	165.3	165.1	165.9
3351	Copper rolling and drawing.....	41.8	41.7	41.6	41.6	—	32.7	32.6	32.3	32.2	—
3352	Aluminum rolling and drawing.....	68.8	69.8	70.7	71.6	—	51.4	52.8	52.2	53.1	—
3357	Nonferrous wire drawing and insulating...	80.8	83.7	83.9	83.0	—	62.8	65.0	64.3	63.4	—
336	Nonferrous foundries.....	92.9	93.5	97.5	96.4	97.5	78.3	78.9	82.5	81.6	82.4
3361	Aluminum castings.....	48.8	49.1	51.9	51.5	—	41.6	42.0	44.4	44.1	—
3362,9	Other nonferrous castings.....	44.1	44.4	45.6	44.9	—	36.7	36.9	38.1	37.5	—
339	Miscellaneous primary metal products....	73.5	73.6	75.1	75.1	(*)	59.6	59.6	60.6	60.4	(*)
3391	Iron and steel forgings.....	48.3	48.3	48.1	47.7	—	39.8	39.7	39.0	38.6	—
34	FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	1,430.2	1,439.5	1,445.7	1,442.7	1,446.2	1,102.3	1,109.9	1,108.1	1,104.5	1,111.6
341	Metal cans.....	66.6	67.9	67.0	66.9	68.7	56.5	57.7	57.6	57.6	59.7
342	Cutlery, hand tools, and hardware.....	165.2	165.1	163.0	163.1	163.5	130.8	130.5	127.3	127.2	128.1
3421,3,5	Cutlery and hand tools, incl. saws.....	70.5	70.2	75.0	75.0	—	56.3	55.8	59.3	59.2	—
3429	Hardware, n e c.....	94.7	94.9	88.0	88.1	—	74.5	74.7	68.0	68.0	—
343	Plumbing and heating, except electric....	83.2	83.3	81.2	80.4	79.9	63.3	63.2	61.2	60.5	60.0
3431,2	Sanitary ware & plumbers' brass goods...	40.1	40.1	38.9	38.8	—	32.2	32.1	30.9	30.9	—
3433	Heating equipment, except electric.....	43.1	43.2	42.3	41.6	—	31.1	31.1	30.3	29.6	—
344	Fabricated structural metal products.....	439.9	445.1	458.7	460.3	461.4	315.4	319.8	326.5	326.4	330.8
3441	Fabricated structural steel.....	102.0	102.7	105.5	105.9	—	74.1	74.8	76.7	76.8	—
3442	Metal doors, sash, and trim.....	75.3	77.4	72.3	71.8	—	55.2	57.4	52.7	52.2	—
3443	Fabricated plate work (boiler shops)....	116.3	117.5	127.9	128.6	—	80.7	81.4	87.3	86.7	—
3444	Sheet metal work.....	87.5	88.4	91.3	91.8	—	63.6	64.4	66.7	67.2	—
3446,9	Architectural and misc. metal work.....	58.8	59.1	61.7	62.2	—	41.8	41.8	43.1	43.5	—
345	Screw machine products, bolts, etc.....	103.3	102.5	109.5	108.0	(*)	82.0	81.4	87.9	86.6	(*)
3451	Screw machine products.....	45.9	45.8	49.7	48.5	—	38.6	38.5	42.0	40.9	—
3452	Bolts, nuts, rivets, and washers.....	57.4	56.7	59.8	59.5	—	43.4	42.9	45.9	45.7	—
346	Metal stampings.....	247.9	249.3	233.6	231.7	234.7	202.1	203.1	189.0	188.0	191.2
347	Metal services, n e c.....	92.6	93.1	94.8	94.2	—	76.6	77.5	78.6	78.0	77.5
348	Misc. fabricated wire products.....	70.4	70.9	69.9	70.4	70.5	56.9	57.2	56.3	56.9	56.9
349	Misc. fabricated metal products.....	161.1	162.3	168.0	167.7	169.0	118.7	119.5	123.7	123.3	124.5
3494,8	Valves, pipe, and pipe fittings.....	101.4	102.0	106.7	106.4	—	71.3	72.0	74.9	74.5	—

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(In thousands)					Production workers ¹					
		All employees										
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	
	<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>											
	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT--Continued											
3732	Boat building and repairing.....	48.8	48.5	40.0	41.3	-	40.4	40.1	32.0	33.5	-	
374	Railroad equipment.....	50.7	50.7	53.2	54.6	-	38.2	38.2	41.2	43.0	-	
375,9	Other transportation equipment.....	171.4	177.1	122.8	128.6	-	141.8	147.0	96.7	102.2	-	
38	INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	482.3	479.3	518.5	519.0	520.0	297.0	294.5	322.9	324.9	326.0	
381	Engineering & scientific instruments.....	67.3	67.8	73.1	72.6	-	34.1	34.7	37.3	37.1	-	
382	Mechanical measuring & control devices....	109.0	109.8	114.1	114.0	113.8	70.0	70.9	74.8	75.8	76.0	
3821	Mechanical measuring devices.....	67.1	67.7	71.7	72.1	-	40.3	41.0	44.5	45.4	-	
3822	Automatic temperature controls.....	41.9	42.1	42.4	41.9	-	29.7	29.9	30.3	30.4	-	
383,3	Optical and ophthalmic goods.....	60.3	60.4	65.5	65.9	65.6	43.2	43.5	46.1	46.3	46.1	
385	Ophthalmic goods.....	42.3	42.4	44.6	44.7	-	32.5	32.7	33.5	33.5	-	
384	Medical instruments and supplies.....	95.9	96.4	105.8	106.8	108.1	64.0	64.3	72.3	73.1	74.0	
386	Photographic equipment and supplies.....	117.3	112.2	125.1	125.2	124.7	58.9	54.1	64.0	64.4	64.2	
387	Watches, clocks, and watchcases.....	32.5	32.7	34.9	34.5	-	26.8	27.0	28.4	28.2	-	
	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING											
39	INDUSTRIES	427.8	430.7	427.2	434.1	433.3	332.8	335.6	331.3	338.6	338.0	
391	Jewelry, silverware, and plated ware.....	54.9	55.2	53.5	54.0	54.3	40.6	41.0	38.8	39.3	39.7	
394	Toys and sporting goods.....	118.1	120.0	121.2	125.6	-	94.4	96.2	97.9	102.2	-	
3941-3	Games, toys, dolls, & play vehicles.....	59.5	61.2	59.7	62.2	-	46.5	48.4	47.9	50.3	-	
3949	Sporting and athletic goods, n e c.....	58.6	58.8	61.5	63.4	-	47.9	47.8	50.0	51.9	-	
395	Pens, pencils, office, and art supplies....	34.1	34.1	36.4	38.2	-	24.1	24.3	26.0	27.8	-	
396	Costume jewelry and notions.....	54.0	54.5	51.2	51.4	-	44.4	44.8	41.3	41.5	-	
393,9	Other manufacturing industries.....	166.7	166.9	164.9	164.9	163.1	129.3	129.3	127.3	127.8	125.6	
393	Musical instruments and parts.....	23.9	23.7	25.6	25.7	-	19.6	19.5	21.4	21.5	-	
	<i>Nondurable Goods</i>											
20	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	1,670.9	1,665.4	1,678.0	1,686.8	1,680.8	1,109.7	1,102.4	1,122.9	1,132.9	1,120.1	
201	Meat products.....	330.3	322.3	331.3	334.7	(*)	270.7	262.7	270.2	273.1	(*)	
2011	Meat packing plants.....	177.0	168.0	174.2	175.9	-	141.9	133.4	138.9	140.2	-	
2013	Sausages and other prepared meats.....	58.6	57.5	57.6	57.5	-	42.4	40.8	40.8	40.8	-	
2015	Poultry dressing plants.....	94.7	96.8	99.5	101.3	-	86.4	88.5	90.5	92.1	-	
202	Dairy products.....	218.5	219.8	207.8	208.9	(*)	108.1	109.3	103.9	104.9	(*)	
2024	Ice cream and frozen desserts.....	22.1	22.9	20.7	21.3	-	12.7	13.2	11.5	12.0	-	
2026	Fluid milk.....	151.6	151.6	142.8	142.9	-	61.1	61.4	58.6	58.9	-	
203	Canned, cured, and frozen foods.....	235.5	241.3	252.4	257.9	-	188.8	194.1	204.5	210.6	-	
2031,6	Canned, cured, and frozen sea foods....	40.1	43.2	41.5	40.9	-	34.9	37.7	35.7	35.6	-	
2032,3	Canned food, except sea foods.....	100.7	103.2	110.4	111.9	-	73.9	76.3	83.2	85.2	-	
2037	Frozen fruits and vegetables.....	66.2	66.9	64.8	70.9	-	58.0	58.9	56.9	62.6	-	
204	Grain mill products.....	134.2	133.3	141.4	140.9	(*)	94.8	93.7	100.1	99.6	(*)	
2041	Flour and other grain mill products.....	28.0	27.8	28.8	28.7	-	19.9	19.6	20.4	20.4	-	
2042	Prepared feeds for animals and fowls....	66.5	65.7	70.0	70.2	-	44.0	43.3	46.5	46.6	-	
205	Bakery products.....	268.1	266.9	265.7	266.0	264.6	152.9	151.5	151.9	152.5	149.2	
2051	Bread, cake, and related products.....	223.5	223.3	219.9	219.7	-	117.8	117.6	116.0	116.0	-	
2052	Cookies and crackers.....	44.6	43.6	45.8	46.3	-	35.1	33.9	35.9	36.5	-	
206	Sugar.....	31.8	31.3	37.6	33.4	-	23.6	23.1	29.5	25.6	-	
207	Confectionery and related products.....	80.5	78.6	79.5	79.0	75.5	64.5	62.2	63.1	62.4	57.5	
2071	Confectionery products.....	63.5	61.8	62.6	62.2	-	51.9	49.7	50.6	50.0	-	
208	Beverages.....	221.9	222.2	215.2	217.3	219.1	108.6	108.1	103.0	106.0	107.5	
2082	Malt liquors.....	52.4	52.7	47.3	48.3	-	34.7	34.9	31.1	32.4	-	
2086	Bottled and canned soft drinks.....	123.9	124.1	123.6	123.5	-	46.4	45.9	45.7	46.1	-	
209	Misc. foods and kindred products.....	146.0	145.6	147.1	148.7	148.2	94.7	94.7	96.7	98.2	98.5	
21	TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	69.9	68.4	73.3	70.6	69.5	57.7	56.0	60.6	58.0	56.6	
211	Cigarettes.....	43.5	43.4	45.7	45.6	-	35.5	35.2	37.2	37.1	-	
212	Cigars.....	13.2	13.2	13.2	12.9	-	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.4	-	
22	TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	1,022.0	1,020.5	1,022.1	1,019.0	1,015.9	899.1	897.9	895.9	892.5	889.3	
221	Weaving mills, cotton.....	202.8	202.1	207.1	206.2	205.6	183.9	183.3	187.5	186.7	186.0	
222	Weaving mills, synthetics.....	107.6	107.5	111.9	111.4	110.8	96.1	96.0	99.9	99.4	98.8	
223	Weaving and finishing mills, wool.....	28.5	28.4	28.6	28.6	27.9	24.3	24.2	24.2	24.1	23.6	
224	Narrow fabric mills.....	30.4	30.6	31.1	30.7	30.9	27.4	27.6	27.6	27.2	27.4	
225	Knitting mills.....	277.0	276.8	269.9	272.1	273.9	241.7	241.6	234.3	236.3	237.5	
2251	Women's hosiery, except socks.....	54.6	53.6	49.2	48.8	-	48.4	47.5	43.7	43.1	-	
2252	Hosiery, n e c.....	36.5	36.7	36.4	36.6	-	32.7	32.8	32.4	32.6	-	
2253	Knit outerwear mills.....	83.0	83.3	83.7	84.8	-	70.9	71.2	71.3	72.5	-	
2254	Knit underwear mills.....	36.5	36.4	37.4	37.3	-	32.3	32.2	33.2	33.2	-	

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(In thousands)									
		All employees					Production workers ¹				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>											
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS--Continued											
226	Textile finishing, except wool	86.6	86.3	83.4	83.1	(*)	73.3	73.0	70.3	70.0	(*)
227	Floor covering mills	64.4	64.2	64.4	63.1	-	51.9	51.8	51.9	50.3	-
228	Yarn and thread mills	150.7	150.9	154.5	152.7	151.6	139.1	139.2	142.0	140.4	139.3
229	Miscellaneous textile goods	74.0	73.7	71.2	71.1	70.0	61.4	61.2	58.2	58.1	57.2
23	APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS...	1,359.0	1,354.4	1,309.9	1,301.8	1,294.8	1,182.9	1,178.9	1,133.4	1,126.6	1,118.8
231	Men's and boys' suits and coats	106.3	108.4	105.1	103.0	104.3	92.7	94.9	91.6	89.7	91.1
232	Men's and boys' furnishings	387.7	389.5	381.4	379.2	378.2	336.5	338.3	329.5	327.5	326.4
2321	Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear	116.3	117.3	114.5	114.1	-	102.5	103.6	100.8	100.3	-
2327	Men's and boys' separate trousers	84.6	85.2	85.9	84.2	-	75.5	76.0	76.1	74.7	-
2328	Men's and boys' work clothing	88.0	87.8	84.4	83.8	-	74.8	74.6	69.8	69.1	-
233	Women's and misses' outerwear	415.3	407.3	391.6	391.4	381.9	368.2	360.8	346.1	346.0	336.7
2331	Women's and misses' blouses and waists	44.9	44.7	41.7	41.6	-	40.1	40.0	37.1	37.0	-
2335	Women's and misses' dresses	197.2	196.7	186.3	186.1	-	178.0	177.7	167.4	167.2	-
2337	Women's and misses' suits and coats	65.5	59.5	59.1	59.7	-	56.6	50.8	51.1	51.8	-
2339	Women's and misses' outerwear, n e c	107.7	106.4	104.5	104.0	-	93.5	92.3	90.5	90.0	-
234	Women's and children's undergarments	111.9	111.9	106.1	106.7	107.5	96.5	96.2	90.5	91.2	91.5
2341	Women's and children's underwear	80.4	80.5	77.4	78.1	-	70.5	70.3	67.1	67.8	-
2342	Corsets and allied garments	31.5	31.4	28.7	28.6	-	26.0	25.9	23.4	23.4	-
235	Hats, caps, and millinery	17.2	17.3	16.9	16.9	-	15.2	15.1	15.3	15.3	-
236	Children's outerwear	76.2	74.9	73.6	73.4	71.9	67.2	65.8	64.1	64.0	62.3
2361	Children's dresses and blouses	31.6	31.4	31.3	31.3	-	28.6	28.4	28.3	28.3	-
237,8	Fur goods and miscellaneous apparel	70.3	69.5	67.5	67.8	-	60.1	59.7	56.7	57.4	-
239	Misc. fabricated textile products	174.1	175.6	167.7	163.4	166.3	146.5	148.1	139.6	135.5	138.2
2391,2	Housefurnishings	72.0	71.7	67.8	67.4	-	62.0	61.9	57.5	57.0	-
26	PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS...	709.5	708.9	723.5	725.1	724.6	549.4	548.6	559.5	560.5	558.5
261,2,6	Paper and pulp mills	207.5	205.9	209.9	210.3	210.9	161.0	159.7	162.6	162.9	163.3
263	Paperboard mills	70.7	71.0	72.1	72.3	72.4	56.8	56.8	58.1	58.2	57.5
264	Misc. converted paper products	203.2	203.7	209.7	211.1	211.3	150.2	150.3	155.0	156.2	156.6
2643	Bags, except textile bags	46.3	45.6	47.9	47.8	-	37.8	37.2	39.2	39.2	-
265	Paperboard containers and boxes	228.1	228.3	231.8	231.4	230.0	181.4	181.8	183.8	183.2	181.1
2651,2	Folding and setup paperboard boxes	60.0	60.5	60.2	60.3	-	49.4	49.8	49.2	49.2	-
2653	Corrugated and solid fiber boxes	113.4	113.0	115.2	114.6	-	87.1	86.9	88.4	87.7	-
2654	Sanitary food containers	32.4	32.5	33.4	33.1	-	26.6	26.8	27.5	27.2	-
27	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING...	1,093.8	1,095.4	1,107.9	1,105.2	1,103.4	662.5	662.8	667.7	664.8	663.7
271	Newspapers	380.0	381.4	381.3	379.7	(*)	180.6	181.5	177.5	175.9	(*)
272	Periodicals	68.2	67.6	70.1	69.9	-	20.5	20.2	20.5	20.3	-
273	Books	101.0	101.7	106.0	107.0	-	55.8	56.0	59.0	59.6	-
275	Commercial printing	348.3	347.4	348.9	348.8	347.7	266.2	265.3	267.2	267.1	266.1
2751	Commercial printing, ex. lithographic	203.0	202.0	203.6	202.5	-	157.3	156.3	159.0	158.1	-
2752	Commercial printing, lithographic	133.9	133.8	133.7	134.2	-	100.4	100.2	99.6	100.0	-
278	Blankbooks and bookbinding	56.8	57.2	56.2	55.7	55.2	47.5	47.7	47.1	46.4	46.1
274,6,7,9	Other publishing & printing ind.	139.5	140.1	145.4	144.1	(*)	91.9	92.1	96.4	95.5	(*)
28	CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS...	1,016.2	1,021.1	1,038.7	1,043.6	1,045.6	592.0	595.0	604.6	609.6	613.4
281	Industrial chemicals	302.6	303.2	313.8	313.8	(*)	163.6	164.1	169.4	169.8	(*)
2812	Alkalies and chlorine	20.8	20.6	20.7	20.6	-	14.3	14.2	14.5	14.6	-
2818	Industrial organic chemicals, n e c	123.1	123.5	130.4	131.0	-	53.0	53.4	57.0	58.0	-
2819	Industrial inorganic chemicals, n e c	96.8	97.1	99.2	98.8	-	55.7	55.8	56.5	56.1	-
282	Plastics materials and synthetics	222.8	224.6	229.6	229.8	233.4	152.7	154.0	157.4	157.7	161.2
2821	Plastics materials and resins	91.9	92.6	94.3	94.5	-	57.6	58.1	59.2	59.4	-
2823,4	Synthetic fibers	118.2	119.3	123.2	123.2	-	86.3	87.1	89.7	89.9	-
283	Drugs	149.3	149.0	153.2	153.7	154.6	74.9	74.5	76.5	77.1	77.7
2834	Pharmaceutical preparations	119.8	119.4	122.7	123.1	-	58.7	58.2	59.4	59.8	-
284	Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods	124.8	123.5	123.8	125.2	125.7	70.8	70.1	70.2	71.7	72.4
2841	Soap and other detergents	39.2	39.4	38.2	38.1	-	26.1	26.3	25.7	25.5	-
2844	Toilet preparations	51.5	50.5	51.8	52.9	-	27.4	26.7	27.2	28.3	-
285	Paints and allied products	69.6	69.9	67.7	68.4	68.9	38.7	38.7	37.2	37.6	37.9
287	Agricultural chemicals	57.6	59.2	61.4	63.4	(*)	36.5	37.2	39.2	40.5	(*)
2871,2	Fertilizers, complete & mixing only	40.6	42.0	42.4	44.0	-	28.2	28.7	29.4	30.5	-
286,9	Other chemical products	89.5	91.7	89.2	89.3	89.8	54.8	56.4	54.7	55.2	55.3
2892	Explosives	21.7	24.1	21.8	21.9	-	14.3	16.2	13.9	14.1	-
29	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS...	182.5	180.8	187.2	186.7	188.1	113.9	113.7	117.1	116.9	118.1
291	Petroleum refining	144.1	141.7	149.6	148.2	148.6	86.0	85.0	90.1	89.1	89.2
295,9	Other petroleum and coal products	38.4	39.1	37.6	38.5	39.5	27.9	28.7	27.0	27.8	28.9

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(In thousands)					Production workers ¹				
		All employees									
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
	<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>										
30	RUBBER AND PLASTICS PRODUCTS, N.E.C.	671.7	677.0	686.6	687.5	684.7	529.0	533.2	539.7	540.0	538.3
301	Tires and inner tubes	135.0	135.7	143.8	143.9	143.2	97.0	97.6	105.1	104.4	103.0
302,3,6	Other rubber products	190.0	190.8	187.4	188.8	185.7	151.9	152.4	148.4	149.7	147.7
302	Rubber footwear	27.3	27.3	28.3	28.0	-	23.6	23.7	24.5	24.3	-
307	Miscellaneous plastics products	346.7	350.5	355.4	354.8	355.8	280.1	283.2	286.2	285.9	287.6
31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS . . .	294.5	295.7	290.7	292.9	293.5	251.7	253.1	248.4	250.5	251.1
311	Leather tanning and finishing	23.5	23.5	21.9	22.2	22.3	20.2	20.2	18.6	18.9	19.1
314	Footwear, except rubber	193.9	195.6	190.8	191.5	191.7	168.1	170.0	165.2	165.8	165.9
312,3,5-7,9	Other leather products	77.1	76.6	78.0	79.2	(*)	63.4	62.9	64.6	65.8	(*)
316	Luggage	16.9	17.1	16.6	17.2	-	13.0	13.2	13.1	13.5	-
317	Handbags and personal leather goods	35.0	34.1	36.1	36.5	-	29.5	28.7	30.6	31.0	-
-	TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	4,539	4,559	4,616	4,633	4,636	3,906	3,924	3,960	3,972	3,973
40	RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION	561.8	567.0	571.2	574.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
4011	Class I railroads ²	507.0	511.5	514.9	517.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
	LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT	275.7	274.7	278.8	279.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
411	Local and suburban transportation	67.8	68.1	69.3	68.8	-	63.4	63.6	65.3	64.6	-
412	Taxicabs	101.4	99.7	99.9	98.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
413	Intercity highway transportation	38.7	38.7	38.4	38.9	-	34.4	34.5	34.1	34.7	-
42	TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	1,126.4	1,138.0	1,143.2	1,149.0	-	1,015.6	1,027.0	1,026.7	1,031.7	-
421,3	Trucking and trucking terminals	1,039.4	1,050.7	1,053.0	1,059.6	-	939.6	951.1	948.3	954.1	-
422	Public warehousing	87.0	87.3	90.2	89.4	-	76.0	75.9	78.4	77.6	-
45	TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	359.4	360.3	353.8	352.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
451,2	Air transportation	326.3	327.7	320.9	319.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	PIPE LINE TRANSPORTATION	17.8	17.8	18.2	18.2	-	13.7	13.6	14.0	14.0	-
44,47	OTHER TRANSPORTATION AND SERVICES	312.2	312.7	318.3	326.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Water transportation	205.5	205.3	204.7	211.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Transportation services	106.7	107.4	113.6	114.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	COMMUNICATION	1,156.3	1,159.1	1,180.0	1,180.0	-	889.8	892.3	904.3	902.3	-
481	Telephone communication	968.5	971.8	991.7	991.5	-	753.8	756.4	766.9	764.5	-
482	Telegraph communication ³	25.2	25.2	21.2	21.2	-	16.9	16.9	14.4	14.4	-
483	Radio and television broadcasting	133.9	133.0	137.2	137.4	-	106.9	106.5	109.6	109.8	-
49	ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	729.4	729.6	752.1	753.3	-	621.2	620.4	636.2	636.1	-
491	Electric companies and systems	315.0	314.6	328.6	329.4	-	268.3	266.8	277.0	276.9	-
492	Gas companies and systems	163.5	163.3	165.9	165.9	-	137.8	137.6	138.8	138.7	-
493	Combination companies and systems	193.2	193.7	197.3	197.5	-	165.1	165.8	168.2	168.3	-
494-7	Water, steam, & sanitary systems	57.7	58.0	60.3	60.5	-	50.0	50.2	52.2	52.2	-
-	WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	15,880	16,088	16,127	16,180	16,398	14,080	14,275	14,253	14,296	14,510
50	WHOLESALE TRADE	3,989	4,000	4,142	4,141	4,141	3,332	3,340	3,456	3,457	3,455
501	Motor vehicles & automotive equipment	363.6	365.0	373.1	374.1	-	294.1	295.6	299.6	301.1	-
502	Drugs, chemicals, and allied products	227.9	228.7	240.0	240.5	-	184.9	185.0	196.4	196.9	-
503	Dry goods and apparel	161.2	161.8	160.9	161.3	-	125.8	125.9	124.9	125.5	-
504	Groceries and related products	566.0	568.7	591.0	585.5	-	495.3	497.4	516.1	512.5	-
506	Electrical goods	329.9	330.8	332.3	330.6	-	282.6	283.1	283.9	282.5	-
507	Hardware; plumbing & heating equipment	182.0	181.7	188.4	188.6	-	154.1	154.0	159.4	159.5	-
508	Machinery, equipment, and supplies	769.1	772.7	811.8	816.3	-	643.6	646.5	679.4	682.9	-
509	Miscellaneous wholesalers	1,289.5	1,293.4	1,329.9	1,333.0	-	1,069.6	1,073.7	1,102.0	1,104.7	-
52-59	RETAIL TRADE	11,891	12,088	11,985	12,039	12,257	10,748	10,935	10,797	10,839	11,055
53	RETAIL GENERAL MERCHANDISE	2,404.6	2,442.6	2,518.7	2,525.8	-	2,205.1	2,242.9	2,308.6	2,313.7	-
531	Department stores	1,580.4	1,606.4	1,659.8	1,656.7	-	1,451.4	1,477.7	1,523.2	1,519.6	-
532	Mail order houses	122.0	121.8	130.0	128.8	-	114.2	114.2	122.6	121.3	-
533	Variety stores	324.2	332.1	330.7	338.3	-	303.9	311.0	311.2	317.5	-
54	FOOD STORES	1,884.7	1,877.9	1,935.5	1,942.8	-	1,750.8	1,744.2	1,798.9	1,801.4	-
541-3	Grocery, meat, and vegetable stores	1,707.3	1,697.5	1,758.5	1,766.0	-	1,585.4	1,576.1	1,632.8	1,635.9	-

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
EMPLOYMENT**

B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(In thousands)									
		All employees					Production workers ¹				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
-	WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE (Continued)										
56	APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	746.5	760.9	721.5	720.6	-	611.1	676.5	635.7	633.7	-
561	Men's & boys' clothing & furnishings	130.3	129.8	129.5	126.6	-	114.4	114.8	114.1	111.1	-
562	Women's ready-to-wear stores	288.8	292.6	281.8	284.2	-	258.6	261.8	249.7	250.9	-
565	Family clothing stores	101.5	102.3	97.3	96.1	-	94.5	95.6	89.7	88.5	-
566	Shoe stores	151.8	160.1	142.9	144.0	-	127.7	136.6	120.7	121.8	-
57	FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHINGS STORES	483.2	485.7	489.7	489.1	-	418.8	420.9	421.0	420.4	-
571	Furniture and home furnishings	305.0	307.5	306.6	306.1	-	264.1	266.4	264.0	263.8	-
58	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	2,694.0	2,821.3	2,716.6	2,774.1	-	2,527.7	2,645.9	2,537.1	2,589.8	-
52,55,59	OTHER RETAIL TRADE	3,677.9	3,699.2	3,603.3	3,586.2	-	3,184.9	3,204.3	3,095.9	3,080.0	-
52	Building materials and farm equipment	588.0	597.8	589.3	595.7	-	505.4	514.2	503.3	508.6	-
55	Automotive dealers & service stations	1,731.5	1,739.2	1,609.2	1,595.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
551,2	Motor vehicle dealers	814.0	815.2	782.2	771.7	-	683.3	684.4	650.0	641.1	-
553,9	Other automotive & accessory dealers	272.0	279.1	274.3	276.8	-	229.4	236.9	229.4	232.2	-
554	Gasoline service stations	645.5	644.9	552.7	546.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
59	Miscellaneous retail stores	1,358.4	1,362.2	1,404.8	1,395.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
591	Drug stores and proprietary stores	475.4	476.5	483.4	483.6	-	428.5	430.2	433.4	433.1	-
594	Book and stationery stores	67.8	66.9	71.2	70.3	-	59.0	57.9	61.5	60.6	-
596	Farm and garden supply stores	127.3	131.0	130.8	137.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
598	Fuel and ice dealers	107.4	103.0	106.6	103.8	-	92.5	88.2	92.1	89.1	-
-	FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE⁴	4,000	4,019	4,087	4,103	4,120	3,106	3,123	3,136	3,150	3,168
60	Banking	1,139.0	1,143.5	1,202.1	1,205.8	-	917.7	920.7	945.9	949.6	-
61	Credit agencies other than banks	416.5	418.5	441.7	444.6	-	323.4	325.0	341.7	343.4	-
612	Savings and loan associations	140.7	142.6	153.7	155.5	-	113.6	115.4	124.0	125.4	-
614	Personal credit institutions	202.3	202.5	214.1	215.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
62	Security, commodity brokers & services	194.9	195.6	177.7	177.0	-	163.5	163.9	146.1	145.2	-
63	Insurance carriers	1,125.1	1,127.3	1,151.5	1,154.9	-	768.4	770.6	783.0	785.3	-
631	Life insurance	571.9	572.6	579.6	580.6	-	330.3	330.8	335.3	336.8	-
632	Accident and health insurance	102.5	102.4	107.5	107.8	-	85.9	86.0	90.1	90.2	-
633	Fire, marine, and casualty insurance	393.3	394.6	409.0	410.8	-	303.8	305.0	311.2	311.8	-
64	Insurance agents, brokers, and service	297.1	296.1	310.3	312.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
65	Real estate	734.0	744.5	706.2	710.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
655	Subdividers and developers	116.9	123.4	106.4	109.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
656	Operative builders	54.0	54.8	45.5	44.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
66,67	Other finance, insurance, & real estate	93.2	93.2	97.1	97.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	SERVICES	12,627	12,771	13,056	13,143	13,294	11,430	11,567	11,830	11,904	12,038
70	Hotels and other lodging places	825.4	844.0	829.8	835.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
701	Hotels, tourist courts, and motels	695.0	717.8	680.1	692.6	-	642.2	665.2	629.7	641.8	-
72	Personal services	898.3	899.5	868.9	870.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
721	Laundries and dry cleaning plants	420.0	420.3	397.7	396.4	-	380.7	381.3	359.3	357.9	-
722	Photographic studios	40.8	40.5	41.1	41.3	-	36.2	35.8	36.5	36.8	-
73	Miscellaneous business services	1,750.7	1,760.9	1,812.0	1,825.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
731	Advertising	117.1	116.8	117.5	117.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
732	Credit reporting and collection	82.1	83.5	81.8	83.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
734	Services to buildings	341.4	343.4	363.8	366.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
76	Miscellaneous repair services	193.5	191.8	202.7	203.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
78	Motion pictures	175.4	186.6	179.6	178.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
781	Motion picture filming & distributing	46.0	45.1	49.4	46.4	-	32.8	31.4	36.4	34.2	-
782,3	Motion picture theaters and services	129.4	141.5	130.2	132.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
80	Medical and other health services	3,593.9	3,611.1	3,840.3	3,867.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
806	Hospitals	2,068.5	2,071.0	2,159.3	2,167.4	-	1,889.2	1,892.9	1,980.3	1,986.7	-
81	Legal services	273.6	272.4	289.4	291.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
82	Educational services	1,262.2	1,257.2	1,304.8	1,317.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
821	Elementary and secondary schools	420.9	420.7	429.8	433.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
822	Colleges and universities	689.7	683.7	709.4	716.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
89	Miscellaneous services	741.6	741.0	804.6	810.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
891	Engineering & architectural services	336.3	338.7	367.4	372.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
892	Nonprofit research agencies	116.0	115.8	121.3	122.8	-	-	-	-	-	-

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B-2: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

(In thousands)

SIC Code	Industry	All employees					Production workers ¹				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
-	GOVERNMENT	13,796	13,793	14,198	14,270	14,280	-	-	-	-	-
91	FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ⁵	2,623	2,631	2,659	2,667	2,670	-	-	-	-	-
	Executive	2,580.8	2,588.0	2,614.9	2,623.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Department of Defense	962.3	963.0	942.2	945.0	-	-	-	-	-	
	Postal Service	670.0	669.9	697.5	695.7	-	-	-	-	-	
	Other agencies	948.5	955.1	975.2	982.3	-	-	-	-	-	
	Legislative	33.4	33.8	34.4	34.6	-	-	-	-	-	
	Judicial	8.7	8.7	9.3	9.2	-	-	-	-	-	
92,93	STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT ...	11,173	11,162	11,539	11,603	11,610	-	-	-	-	
92	State government	2,982.9	2,971.0	3,107.3	3,127.4	-	-	-	-	-	
	State education	1,310.5	1,291.7	1,390.3	1,400.6	-	-	-	-	-	
	Other State government	1,672.4	1,679.3	1,717.0	1,726.8	-	-	-	-	-	
93	Local government	8,190.2	8,191.2	8,432.0	8,475.3	-	-	-	-	-	
	Local education	4,786.9	4,781.7	4,952.7	4,985.2	-	-	-	-	-	
	Other local government	3,403.3	3,409.5	3,479.3	3,490.1	-	-	-	-	-	

¹ Data relate to production workers in mining and manufacturing; to construction workers in contract construction; and to nonsupervisory workers in wholesale and retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; transportation and public utilities, and services.

² Beginning January 1965, data relate to railroads with operating revenues of \$5,000,000 or more.

³ Data for nonsupervisory workers exclude messengers.

⁴ Data for nonoffice salesmen excluded from nonsupervisory count for all series in this division.

⁵ Prepared by the U.S. Civil Service Commission. Data relate to civilian employment only and exclude Central Intelligence and National Security Agencies.

^{*} Not available.

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B-3: Women employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry

SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
		Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment
-	TOTAL	27,920	38	29,337	38	29,155	39
-	PRIVATE SECTOR	21,854	37	23,188	37	22,928	37
-	MINING	37	6	39	6	40	6
10	METAL MINING	2.9	3	3.3	4	3.3	4
11,12	COAL MINING	2.3	2	2.6	2	2.9	2
13	OIL AND GAS EXTRACTION	26.4	10	27.1	10	27.7	10
131,2	Crude petroleum and natural gas fields	18.0	13	18.2	14	18.5	14
138	Oil and gas field services	8.4	7	8.9	7	9.2	7
14	NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	5.1	5	5.6	5	5.7	5
142	Crushed and broken stone	1.8	5	1.9	4	1.9	5
144	Sand and gravel	1.6	5	1.8	4	1.7	5
-	CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	193	6	207	5	209	6
15	GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	56.9	6	61.5	5	63.1	6
16	HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS	32.8	6	36.6	4	34.4	6
161	Highway and street construction	11.3	6	12.8	3	11.8	6
162	Heavy construction, n e c	21.5	6	23.8	5	22.6	6
17	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	103.1	6	109.1	6	111.0	6
171	Plumbing, heating, air conditioning	33.1	8	34.7	7	35.4	8
172	Painting, paper hanging, decorating	7.7	7	8.2	6	8.0	7
173	Electrical work	16.8	5	18.4	5	18.8	6
174	Masonry, stonework, and plastering	8.4	5	8.8	4	8.6	5
176	Roofing and sheet metal work	7.4	6	7.4	6	7.6	7
-	MANUFACTURING	5,464	28	5,914	29	5,736	29
19,24,25,32-39	DURABLE GOODS	2,357	21	2,611	22	2,563	22
20-23,26-31	NONDURABLE GOODS	3,107	39	3,303	40	3,173	39
	<i>Durable Goods</i>						
19	ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES	47.2	24	44.6	23	44.7	23
192	Ammunition, except for small arms	34.6	25	33.5	25	33.3	25
1925	Complete guided missiles	17.1	18	18.7	20	19.3	20
1929	Ammunition, exc. for small arms, n e c	17.5	39	14.8	39	14.0	38
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	68.4	11	78.0	12	76.8	12
241	Logging camps, & logging contractors	2.7	4	2.8	4	3.3	4
242	Sawmills and planing mills	12.8	6	15.0	7	14.8	7
2421	Sawmills and planing mills, general	9.2	5	11.0	6	10.8	6
243	Millwork, plywood & related products	24.7	12	29.3	14	28.4	14
2431	Millwork	13.0	15	15.5	17	14.5	16
2432	Veneer and plywood	8.8	11	10.7	12	11.1	13
244	Wooden containers	5.3	19	5.9	21	5.6	20
2441,2	Wooden boxes, shooks, and crates	4.4	20	4.9	22	4.6	21
249	Miscellaneous wood products	22.9	24	25.0	25	24.7	24
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	134.9	26	149.0	28	146.6	28
251	Household furniture	107.6	29	118.7	31	117.1	31
2511	Wood household furniture	49.6	27	56.5	29	56.3	29
2512	Upholstered household furniture	34.1	32	37.2	34	35.9	34
2515	Mattresses and bedsprings	11.2	29	11.7	29	11.1	30
252	Office furniture	7.0	18	7.9	18	8.0	19
254	Partitions and fixtures	6.8	13	7.9	14	7.9	14
253,9	Other furniture and fixtures	13.5	28	14.5	29	13.6	29
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	111.6	17	121.6	17	118.0	17
321	Flat glass	1.8	7	2.0	7	2.0	8
322	Glass and glassware, pressed or blown	45.2	33	47.9	34	46.2	33
3221	Glass containers	27.1	36	28.7	37	27.3	36
3229	Pressed and blown glass n e c	18.1	30	19.2	30	18.9	30
324	Cement, hydraulic	1.2	4	1.2	4	1.4	4
325	Structural clay products	6.8	12	7.3	12	7.0	12
3251	Brick and structural clay tile	1.2	5	1.4	5	1.3	5
326	Pottery and related products	14.9	33	16.7	34	16.6	34
327	Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	11.3	6	12.1	6	11.6	6
328,9	Other stone and nonmetallic mineral products	21.5	16	23.4	16	23.3	16
3291	Abrasive products	5.7	21	6.4	21	6.4	20

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SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
		Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment
<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>							
33	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES.....	93.4	7	102.0	8	99.8	7
331	Blast furnace and basic steel products.....	26.1	4	28.5	5	28.7	5
3312	Blast furnaces and steel mills.....	19.2	4	21.3	4	21.3	4
332	Iron and steel foundries.....	11.2	5	12.4	5	12.8	5
3321	Gray iron foundries.....	5.8	4	6.8	4	6.9	4
3322	Malleable iron foundries.....	1.0	4	1.2	4	1.2	5
3323	Steel foundries.....	4.4	8	4.4	7	4.7	8
333,4	Nonferrous metals.....	3.3	4	3.7	4	3.7	4
3334	Primary aluminum.....	.7	2	.9	3	.8	3
335	Nonferrous rolling and drawing.....	34.8	16	37.5	17	34.6	16
3351	Copper rolling and drawing.....	3.1	8	3.2	8	3.4	8
3352	Aluminum rolling and drawing.....	6.9	10	7.5	11	7.6	11
3357	Nonferrous wire drawing and insulating.....	21.7	26	23.3	27	20.2	24
336	Nonferrous foundries.....	12.9	14	14.2	15	14.2	14
3361	Aluminum castings.....	5.4	12	6.3	12	6.4	12
3362,9	Other nonferrous castings.....	7.5	17	7.9	17	7.8	17
339	Miscellaneous primary metal products.....	5.1	7	5.7	8	5.8	8
3391	Iron and steel forgings.....	2.5	5	2.7	5	2.7	6
34	FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS.....	263.5	19	282.8	19	277.7	19
341	Metal cans.....	10.8	17	11.6	17	11.7	17
342	Cutlery, hand tools, and hardware.....	52.3	32	55.1	33	55.7	33
3421,3,5	Cutlery and hand tools, incl. saws.....	19.2	28	20.8	28	21.6	29
3429	Hardware, n e c.....	33.1	35	34.3	36	34.1	36
343	Plumbing and heating, except electric.....	13.9	17	15.2	18	14.9	18
3431,2	Sanitary ware & plumbers' brass goods.....	7.5	19	7.7	20	7.9	20
3433	Heating equipment, except electric.....	6.4	15	7.5	17	7.0	17
344	Fabricated structural metal products.....	49.7	11	53.9	12	51.7	11
3441	Fabricated structural steel.....	5.5	5	5.9	6	6.1	6
3442	Metal doors, sash, and trim.....	18.2	24	19.7	25	17.5	24
3443	Fabricated plate work (boiler shops).....	8.8	8	9.3	8	9.7	8
3444	Sheet metal work.....	11.4	13	13.0	14	12.4	14
3446,9	Architectural and misc. metal work.....	5.8	10	6.0	9	6.0	10
345	Screw machine products, bolts, etc.....	21.3	21	23.2	22	23.9	22
3451	Screw machine products.....	10.8	24	12.1	25	12.4	25
3452	Bolts, nuts, rivets, and washers.....	10.5	18	11.1	19	11.5	19
346	Metal stampings.....	51.3	21	54.3	21	51.7	21
347	Metal services, n e c.....	18.1	20	20.2	21	19.7	21
348	Misc. fabricated wire products.....	18.1	26	19.3	27	18.4	26
349	Misc. fabricated metal products.....	28.0	18	30.0	18	30.0	18
3494,8	Valves, pipe, and pipe fittings.....	17.4	17	18.5	18	18.7	18
35	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL.....	297.0	15	328.9	16	339.4	16
351	Engines and turbines.....	17.0	15	18.5	15	18.2	15
3511	Steam engines and turbines.....	5.3	12	5.4	12	5.5	12
3519	Internal combustion engines, n e c.....	11.7	16	13.1	17	12.7	17
352	Farm machinery.....	14.2	10	16.0	11	16.8	11
353	Construction and related machinery.....	27.6	9	29.8	9	30.6	9
3531,2	Construction and mining machinery.....	12.9	8	14.1	8	14.4	8
3533	Oil field machinery.....	4.6	10	5.2	10	5.3	11
3535,6	Conveyors, hoists, cranes, monorails.....	4.4	11	4.6	11	4.7	11
3537	Industrial trucks and tractors.....	2.8	8	3.1	8	3.3	9
354	Metal working machinery.....	37.6	12	43.4	13	44.5	13
3541	Machine tools, metal cutting types.....	6.1	10	6.9	10	7.1	10
3544	Special dies, tools, jigs & fixtures.....	9.2	8	11.1	9	11.5	9
3545	Machine tool accessories.....	10.0	19	10.8	19	11.3	19
3542,8	Misc. metal working machinery.....	12.3	17	14.6	18	14.6	18
355	Special industry machinery.....	22.7	12	24.8	13	25.5	13
3551	Food products machinery.....	4.4	11	4.7	11	4.7	11
3552	Textile machinery.....	5.7	15	6.1	16	6.5	17
3555	Printing trades machinery.....	3.3	12	3.7	13	3.8	13
356	General industrial machinery.....	44.9	16	48.1	17	50.5	17
3561	Pumps and compressors.....	10.5	14	11.3	14	11.8	14
3562	Ball and roller bearings.....	12.3	23	12.2	24	13.0	23
3564	Blowers and fans.....	6.2	18	7.0	19	7.3	19
3566	Power transmission equipment.....	6.8	14	7.5	14	8.1	15
357	Office and computing machines.....	72.1	28	81.8	30	85.9	31
3573	Electronic computing equipment.....	50.5	28	58.9	30	62.4	31
358	Service industry machines.....	28.1	18	30.2	19	30.7	19
3585	Refrigeration machinery.....	17.1	16	18.8	17	19.3	17
359	Misc. machinery, except electrical.....	32.8	15	36.3	15	36.7	15

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SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
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<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>							
36	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	780.6	41	871.3	42	862.7	42
361	Electrical test & distributing equipment	69.9	34	80.3	36	82.4	37
3611	Electric measuring instruments	32.4	44	36.8	45	37.5	46
3612	Transformers	15.2	28	17.3	29	17.8	30
3613	Switchgear and switchboard apparatus	22.3	30	26.2	32	27.1	33
362	Electrical industrial apparatus	77.5	35	87.6	37	87.5	37
3621	Motors and generators	42.2	35	46.7	37	46.9	36
3622	Industrial controls	25.6	42	29.7	45	29.2	45
363	Household appliances	55.5	27	66.1	30	64.1	29
3632	Household refrigerators and freezers	12.2	19	15.3	23	15.0	22
3633	Household laundry equipment	4.8	17	5.7	18	5.7	18
3634	Electric housewares and fans	25.4	49	29.6	52	28.7	51
364	Electric lighting and wiring equipment	91.8	44	101.6	45	99.9	45
3641	Electric lamps	24.6	65	27.2	66	27.4	66
3642	Lighting fixtures	24.2	35	27.0	37	25.6	36
3643,4	Wiring devices	43.0	41	47.4	43	46.9	43
365	Radio and TV receiving equipment	77.0	54	89.9	57	78.9	55
366	Communication equipment	159.0	37	165.2	37	166.2	37
3661	Telephone and telegraph apparatus	68.6	46	73.1	47	73.8	47
3662	Radio and TV communication equipment	90.4	32	92.1	32	92.4	32
367	Electronic components and accessories	206.2	56	230.3	57	235.6	57
3671-3	Electron tubes	23.2	44	23.4	43	23.6	44
3674,9	Other electronic components	183.0	58	206.9	59	212.0	59
369	Misc. electrical equipment & supplies	43.7	33	50.3	35	48.1	34
3694	Engine electrical equipment	24.8	36	28.1	38	27.7	37
37	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	198.7	11	219.8	12	203.2	12
371	Motor vehicles and equipment	85.1	9	98.0	10	88.3	10
3711	Motor vehicles	30.1	7	35.6	8	31.0	8
3712	Passenger car bodies	2.8	6	4.0	8	2.8	7
3713	Truck and bus bodies	3.2	8	3.5	8	3.6	8
3714	Motor vehicle parts and accessories	47.7	12	53.5	13	49.5	13
3715	Truck trailers	1.3	5	1.4	5	1.4	5
372	Aircraft and parts	73.3	14	76.8	15	76.5	15
3721	Aircraft	40.7	15	43.0	16	42.1	16
3722	Aircraft engines and engine parts	18.5	13	19.2	13	19.8	13
3723,9	Other aircraft parts and equipment	14.1	15	14.6	15	14.6	15
373	Ship and boat building and repairing	12.9	7	14.4	8	14.2	8
3731	Ship building and repairing	7.3	5	8.3	6	9.0	6
3732	Boat building and repairing	5.6	12	6.1	13	5.2	13
374	Railroad equipment	4.0	8	4.2	8	4.4	8
375,9	Other transportation equipment	23.4	15	26.4	17	19.8	17
38	INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	182.9	38	202.4	40	205.4	40
381	Engineering & scientific instruments	17.3	26	20.1	28	20.8	29
382	Mechanical measuring & control devices	42.6	40	45.7	41	46.2	41
3821	Mechanical measuring devices	22.9	34	25.2	36	25.3	36
3822	Automatic temperature controls	19.7	48	20.5	48	20.9	50
383,5	Optical and ophthalmic goods	26.2	45	28.8	45	29.2	45
385	Ophthalmic goods	21.5	52	23.0	52	22.9	52
384	Medical instruments and supplies	46.4	49	51.5	51	53.6	51
386	Photographic equipment and supplies	30.0	26	32.8	27	33.2	27
387	Watches, clocks, and watchcases	20.4	64	23.5	66	22.4	65
39	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	178.9	43	210.7	46	188.7	44
391	Jewelry, silverware, and plated ware	22.1	41	24.3	42	22.7	42
394	Toys and sporting goods	53.5	49	73.3	53	60.4	51
3941-3	Games, toys, dolls, & play vehicles	26.6	51	44.3	57	31.6	53
3949	Sporting and athletic goods, n e c	26.9	29	29.0	48	28.8	48
395	Pens, pencils, office and art supplies	17.5	52	19.7	54	19.5	54
396	Costume jewelry and notions	26.8	51	29.3	52	25.9	51
393,9	Other manufacturing industries	59.0	36	64.1	37	60.2	36
393	Musical instruments and parts	10.0	42	12.1	47	11.9	47
<i>Nondurable Goods</i>							
20	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	419.9	25	498.6	28	438.4	26
201	Meat products	93.5	28	101.7	30	97.9	29
2011	Meat packing plants	24.3	14	24.6	14	25.1	14
2013	Sausages and other prepared meats	17.4	29	17.0	29	16.2	28
2015	Poultry dressing plants	51.8	55	60.1	56	56.6	56
202	Dairy products	36.7	17	37.5	18	36.3	17
2024	Ice cream and frozen desserts	4.8	23	5.2	23	4.9	24

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	<i>Non-durable Goods--Continued</i>						
	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS-- Continued						
2026	Fluid milk	21.5	14	21.2	14	20.6	14
203	Canned, cured, and frozen foods	89.4	39	151.0	45	104.4	41
2031,6	Canned, cured, and frozen sea foods	20.8	56	27.3	60	24.9	58
2032,3	Canned food, except sea foods	28.0	28	64.6	39	34.0	31
2037	Frozen fruits and vegetables	29.6	47	41.3	51	31.1	48
204	Grain mill products	21.1	16	22.3	16	22.8	16
2041	Flour and other grain mill products	3.7	13	4.2	15	4.1	14
2042	Prepared feeds for animals and fowls	10.4	15	10.4	15	10.8	15
205	Bakery products	67.6	25	69.1	26	67.0	25
2051	Bread, cake, and related products	46.7	21	48.1	21	46.0	21
2052	Cookies and crackers	20.9	47	21.0	47	21.0	46
206	Sugar	3.5	8	5.2	12	3.4	8
207	Confectionery and related products	41.3	51	40.9	50	39.5	50
2071	Confectionery products	34.0	53	33.5	52	32.5	52
208	Beverages	30.5	14	33.0	14	29.7	14
2082	Malt liquors	3.6	7	3.7	7	3.7	7
2086	Bottled and canned soft drinks	12.8	10	13.4	10	13.2	11
209	Misc. foods and kindred products	36.3	25	37.9	25	37.4	25
21	TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	30.1	42	35.5	44	31.8	42
211	Cigarettes	14.9	35	15.7	34	15.6	34
212	Cigars	9.4	70	9.3	70	9.2	71
22	TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	466.6	46	486.7	47	483.1	47
221	Weaving mills, cotton	83.5	41	86.9	43	87.9	42
222	Weaving mills, synthetics	40.9	38	43.4	40	44.1	39
223	Weaving and finishing mills, wool	10.4	37	10.5	38	10.8	38
224	Narrow fabric mills	18.2	60	18.5	60	18.3	58
225	Knitting mills	174.3	65	181.2	65	175.9	66
2251	Women's hosiery, except socks	43.1	77	39.6	77	37.9	76
2252	Hosiery, n e c	25.3	72	26.5	73	26.2	72
2253	Knit outerwear mills	54.5	70	62.0	72	58.4	72
2254	Knit underwear mills	25.8	70	25.6	71	27.1	73
226	Textile finishing, except wool	24.0	28	24.5	29	24.1	29
227	Floor covering mills	23.2	36	25.3	37	24.3	37
228	Yarn and thread mills	71.4	48	75.0	49	76.3	49
229	Miscellaneous textile goods	20.7	28	21.4	29	21.4	29
23	APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	1,061.9	81	1,090.8	81	1,045.7	81
231	Men's and boys' suits and coats	78.1	73	79.3	75	80.0	75
232	Men's and boys' furnishings	318.8	84	323.2	83	317.2	84
2321	Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear	101.2	88	102.1	87	100.1	87
2327	Men's and boys' separate trousers	68.4	81	68.4	81	70.2	82
2328	Men's and boys' work clothing	72.5	84	71.2	83	69.4	83
233	Women's and misses' outerwear	336.8	86	344.6	86	325.0	86
2331	Women's and misses' blouses and waists	38.7	89	38.7	89	36.5	89
2335	Women's and misses' dresses	162.9	87	164.5	87	156.5	88
2337	Women's and misses' suits and coats	48.1	80	54.0	80	44.0	80
2339	Women's and misses' outerwear, n e c	87.1	85	87.4	85	88.0	85
234	Women's and children's undergarments	95.8	87	97.1	87	93.1	87
2341	Women's and children's underwear	69.3	88	71.5	88	68.5	88
2342	Corsets and allied garments	26.5	84	25.6	84	24.6	85
235	Hats, caps, and millinery	11.6	71	11.6	72	12.0	73
236	Children's outerwear	62.5	86	63.7	86	62.4	86
2361	Children's dresses and blouses	27.5	89	27.6	89	27.3	89
237,8	Fur goods and miscellaneous apparel	51.3	76	54.3	76	48.2	75
239	Misc. fabricated textile products	107.0	63	117.0	63	107.8	63
2391,2	Housefurnishings	49.1	70	50.7	70	48.0	70
26	PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	143.8	20	152.9	21	149.2	21
261,2,6	Paper and pulp mills	21.4	10	22.0	10	22.0	10
263	Paperboard mills	5.1	7	5.3	7	5.3	7
264	Misc. converted paper products	67.1	34	71.5	34	69.3	33
2643	Bags, except textile bags	14.8	32	15.8	33	15.7	33
265	Paperboard containers and boxes	50.2	22	54.1	23	52.6	23
2651,2	Folding and setup paperboard boxes	19.7	32	21.2	34	19.8	33
2653	Corrugated and solid fiber boxes	15.3	14	15.9	14	16.1	14
2654	Sanitary food containers	9.4	31	10.7	32	10.4	31

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B-3: Women employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
		Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment
<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>							
27	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	365.9	34	379.7	34	382.3	35
271	Newspapers.....	106.8	28	111.9	29	113.3	30
272	Periodicals.....	34.2	50	34.0	49	34.3	49
273	Books.....	48.3	49	50.1	50	52.8	51
275	Commercial printing.....	95.8	28	99.1	28	97.8	28
2751	Commercial printing, ex. lithographic.....	56.5	28	58.9	29	57.6	29
2752	Commercial printing, lithographic.....	36.1	27	37.1	28	36.9	28
278	Blankbooks and bookbinding.....	28.8	51	29.0	51	28.6	51
274,6,7,9	Other publishing & printing ind.	52.0	37	55.6	38	55.5	38
28	CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	207.6	21	222.4	21	217.2	21
281	Industrial chemicals.....	33.9	11	35.1	11	35.7	11
2812	Alkalies and chlorines.....	1.7	8	1.6	8	1.7	8
2818	Industrial organic chemicals, n e c.....	16.1	13	16.9	13	17.0	13
2819	Industrial inorganic chemicals, n e c.....	10.2	11	10.5	11	10.7	11
282	Plastics materials and synthetics.....	39.9	18	44.1	19	44.1	19
2821	Plastics materials and resins.....	8.4	9	9.0	10	9.0	10
2823,4	Synthetic fibers.....	30.6	26	34.2	27	34.2	27
283	Drugs.....	57.5	39	59.2	39	59.3	39
2834	Pharmaceutical preparations.....	48.0	41	49.1	40	49.1	40
284	Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods.....	43.4	36	49.9	38	44.9	36
2841	Soap and other detergents.....	8.5	22	8.5	22	8.2	21
2844	Toilet preparations.....	25.0	51	31.3	55	26.7	52
285	Paints and allied products.....	10.8	16	11.1	16	10.7	16
287	Agricultural chemicals.....	5.8	11	6.3	11	6.4	11
2871,2	Fertilizers, complete & mixing only.....	2.9	8	3.2	8	3.3	8
286,9	Other chemical products.....	16.3	18	16.7	18	16.1	18
2892	Explosives.....	4.4	18	4.1	18	4.0	18
29	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	17.2	9	17.9	9	18.7	10
291	Petroleum refining.....	13.0	9	13.2	9	13.3	9
295,9	Other petroleum and coal products.....	4.2	11	4.7	11	5.4	14
30	RUBBER AND PLASTICS PRODUCTS, NEC	218.9	33	237.4	34	230.7	33
301	Tires and inner tubes.....	12.3	9	12.6	9	13.2	9
302,3,6	Other rubber products.....	65.3	35	68.3	36	68.1	36
302	Rubber footwear.....	15.7	58	16.7	60	17.2	61
307	Miscellaneous plastics products.....	141.3	42	156.5	43	149.4	42
31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	175.4	59	180.8	61	176.2	61
311	Leather tanning and finishing.....	3.4	15	3.4	16	3.5	16
314	Footwear, except rubber.....	126.7	65	128.1	66	126.7	66
312,3,5-7,9	Other leather products.....	45.3	59	49.3	62	46.0	60
316	Luggage.....	8.6	52	9.8	55	8.6	53
317	Handbags and personal leather goods.....	24.3	70	26.0	71	24.7	71
-	TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	949	21	989	21	986	21
41	LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT	38.5	14	41.7	15	43.4	16
411	Local and suburban transportation.....	5.3	8	5.3	8	6.4	9
412	Taxicabs.....	4.8	5	5.4	6	5.4	5
413	Intercity highway transportation.....	3.5	9	3.7	9	3.9	10
42	TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	102.3	9	109.7	9	107.5	9
421,3	Trucking and trucking terminals.....	90.2	9	94.5	9	93.8	9
422	Public warehousing.....	12.1	14	15.2	17	13.7	15
45	TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	91.2	26	102.3	27	100.7	28
451,2	Air transportation.....	87.4	27	98.1	29	96.0	29
46	PIPE LINE TRANSPORTATION	1.3	7	1.3	7	1.4	8
44	WATER TRANSPORTATION	15.2	7	17.5	8	16.5	8
47	TRANSPORTATION SERVICES	24.0	23	26.1	24	27.1	24
48	COMMUNICATION	541.6	47	550.9	47	548.9	47
481	Telephone communication.....	493.0	51	502.1	51	500.4	50
483	Radio and television broadcasting.....	33.7	25	34.7	25	35.2	26
49	ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	109.7	15	113.9	15	114.7	15
491	Electric companies and systems.....	46.4	15	48.5	15	48.8	15
492	Gas companies and systems.....	27.8	17	28.5	17	28.5	17

B-3: Women employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
		Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment
	<i>Nonurable Goods--Continued</i>						
	ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES--Cont'd						
493	Combination companies and systems	27.7	14	28.7	15	29.2	15
494-7	Water, steam, & sanitary systems	7.8	14	8.2	14	8.2	14
-	WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	6,338	40	6,682	40	6,640	41
50	WHOLESALE TRADE	912	23	988	24	979	24
501	Motor vehicles & automotive equipment	70.4	20	75.7	20	75.5	20
502	Drugs, chemicals, and allied products	77.9	34	84.8	36	86.6	36
503	Dry goods and apparel	75.4	47	78.4	48	77.1	48
504	Groceries and related products	120.6	21	137.6	23	126.8	21
506	Electrical goods	81.8	25	85.3	26	86.8	26
507	Hardware; plumbing & heating equipment	44.1	24	46.9	25	47.6	25
508	Machinery, equipment, and supplies	141.7	19	151.3	19	154.4	19
509	Miscellaneous wholesalers	278.2	22	298.5	22	299.1	22
52-59	RETAIL TRADE	5,426	46	5,694	46	5,661	47
53	RETAIL GENERAL MERCHANDISE	1,707.6	68	1,761.7	68	1,791.4	68
531	Department stores	1,142.4	69	1,174.8	69	1,205.2	69
532	Mail order houses	81.1	62	86.7	62	85.0	61
533	Variety stores	247.7	75	254.7	74	250.9	74
54	FOOD STORES	694.0	37	717.6	38	726.3	38
541-3	Grocery, meat, and vegetables stores	582.8	34	605.8	35	618.1	35
56	APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	505.0	66	501.7	66	496.3	66
561	Men's & boys' clothing & furnishings	56.8	41	53.2	41	56.5	41
562	Women's ready-to-wear stores	256.8	89	261.3	89	257.0	89
565	Family clothing stores	73.6	68	69.5	69	69.4	68
566	Shoe stores	58.3	38	57.8	38	55.8	38
57	FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHINGS STORES	142.5	30	148.1	30	149.5	30
571	Furniture and home furnishings	95.0	31	97.0	31	98.5	32
58	EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	1,431.1	55	1,590.6	55	1,511.1	56
52,55,59	OTHER RETAIL TRADE	945.7	26	973.0	26	985.0	27
52	Building materials and farm equipment	101.1	17	107.0	18	107.8	18
55	Automotive dealers & service stations	225.1	13	233.1	13	232.5	14
551,2	Motor vehicle dealers	95.4	12	99.7	12	97.5	12
553,9	Other automotive & accessory dealers	38.5	14	43.2	15	43.1	16
59	Miscellaneous retail stores	619.5	46	633.8	46	646.1	46
591	Drug stores and proprietary stores	295.4	62	297.5	61	300.5	62
594	Book and stationery stores	31.9	47	33.4	48	33.4	48
596	Farm and garden supply stores	24.8	21	23.3	19	28.4	22
598	Fuel and ice dealers	19.0	17	18.3	18	19.3	18
-	FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	2,070	52	2,162	53	2,168	53
60	Banking	721.3	64	781.6	66	780.3	65
61	Credit agencies other than banks	234.1	57	251.3	58	255.3	58
612	Savings and loan associations	93.7	68	102.1	68	104.9	69
614	Personal credit institutions	96.8	49	104.9	50	106.1	50
62	Security, commodity brokers & services	68.2	35	59.8	34	60.5	34
63	Insurance carriers	578.2	52	597.6	52	603.0	53
631	Life insurance	252.8	44	259.4	45	261.9	45
632	Accident and health insurance	71.2	70	74.2	70	75.0	71
633	Fire, marine, and casualty insurance	219.3	56	229.1	57	231.8	57
64	Insurance agents, brokers, and service	171.7	59	170.5	56	170.8	55
65	Real estate	249.7	34	252.5	34	248.3	35
655	Subdividers and developers	24.0	21	25.7	21	24.9	23
656	Operative builders	8.3	15	8.4	15	7.6	17
66,67	Other finance, insurance, & real estate	46.9	51	48.8	51	49.6	51
-	SERVICES	6,803	55	7,195	55	7,149	55
	Hotels and other lodging places:						
701	Hotels, tourist courts, and motels	346.0	52	389.1	54	350.8	53
72	Personal services	554.7	62	561.5	63	543.9	62
721	Laundries and dry cleaning plants	271.5	64	266.3	64	256.2	64
722	Photographic studios	25.1	63	30.4	66	25.5	63

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WOMEN EMPLOYEES

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B-3: Women employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	January 1973		October 1973		January 1974	
		Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment	Number (in thousands)	Percent of total employment
	<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>						
	SERVICES - Continued						
73	Miscellaneous business services	600.3	35	651.0	36	641.9	35
731	Advertising	50.2	43	51.6	44	51.9	44
732	Credit reporting and collection	57.3	71	60.5	71	58.3	71
734	Services to buildings	119.4	35	130.4	36	133.4	37
76	Miscellaneous repair services	29.6	15	31.2	16	31.9	16
78	Motion pictures	66.7	37	72.3	37	66.1	37
781	Motion picture filming & distributing	17.7	34	18.3	34	17.9	36
782,3	Motion picture theaters and services	49.0	39	54.0	39	48.2	38
80	Medical and other health services	2,849.9	80	3,028.9	81	3,070.9	81
806	Hospitals	1,641.2	80	1,708.9	80	1,721.2	80
81	Legal services	170.6	63	180.9	63	182.1	63
82	Educational services	593.2	49	614.9	49	609.6	49
821	Elementary and secondary schools	255.2	61	257.4	62	261.4	62
822	Colleges and universities	271.8	42	284.0	41	271.9	41
89	Miscellaneous services	184.3	25	198.4	26	207.8	26
891	Engineering & architectural services	48.8	15	54.8	15	56.3	15
892	Nonprofit research agencies	36.7	32	37.5	32	38.9	33
-	GOVERNMENT	6,066	45	6,149	44	6,225	45
91	FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	767	29	759	29	769	29
92,93	STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT	5,299	48	5,390	48	5,456	48
92	State government	1,248.3	43	1,303.7	43	1,306.6	43
	State education	534.9	43	577.4	43	561.7	43
	Other State government	713.4	43	726.3	43	744.9	44
93	Local government	4,050.3	50	4,086.6	50	4,149.0	50
	Local education	2,955.8	63	2,966.4	62	3,016.7	62
	Other local government	1,094.5	32	1,120.2	33	1,132.3	33

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED EMPLOYMENT

B-5: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by industry, seasonally adjusted

(In thousands)

Industry division and group	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. P	Apr. P
TOTAL	75,105	75,321	75,526	75,478	75,747	75,961	76,363	76,679	76,626	76,526	76,813	76,785	76,911
GOODS-PRODUCING	23,906	24,010	24,139	24,115	24,171	24,215	24,349	24,450	24,468	24,296	24,317	24,227	24,231
MINING	608	608	629	631	634	633	639	644	646	654	656	656	658
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	3,571	3,620	3,654	3,680	3,676	3,700	3,694	3,711	3,732	3,636	3,757	3,717	3,644
MANUFACTURING	19,727	19,782	19,856	19,804	19,861	19,882	20,016	20,095	20,090	20,006	19,904	19,854	19,929
DURABLE GOODS	11,534	11,602	11,654	11,646	11,692	11,708	11,802	11,859	11,859	11,774	11,683	11,644	11,722
Ordnance and accessories	195	193	192	193	192	190	191	186	190	192	191	192	190
Lumber and wood products	631	629	628	628	631	631	634	637	645	645	647	647	652
Furniture and fixtures	520	523	527	522	527	525	528	528	527	527	523	523	527
Stone, clay, and glass products	687	692	693	697	694	696	701	701	707	704	702	703	694
Primary metal industries	1,288	1,299	1,308	1,308	1,323	1,339	1,353	1,357	1,354	1,343	1,331	1,317	1,322
Fabricated metal products	1,448	1,456	1,457	1,459	1,459	1,456	1,466	1,473	1,470	1,466	1,454	1,448	1,455
Machinery, except electrical	2,006	2,021	2,040	2,040	2,065	2,073	2,086	2,121	2,128	2,133	2,123	2,134	2,136
Electrical equipment	1,970	1,984	2,008	2,009	2,006	2,010	2,039	2,048	2,057	2,051	2,043	2,033	2,044
Transportation equipment	1,869	1,877	1,871	1,858	1,859	1,850	1,858	1,857	1,827	1,753	1,706	1,681	1,738
Instruments and related products	481	490	494	494	500	503	507	512	514	516	521	521	522
Miscellaneous manufacturing	439	438	436	438	436	435	439	439	440	444	442	445	442
NONDURABLE GOODS	8,193	8,180	8,202	8,158	8,169	8,174	8,214	8,236	8,231	8,232	8,221	8,210	8,207
Food and kindred products	1,746	1,736	1,729	1,720	1,706	1,719	1,735	1,749	1,753	1,754	1,755	1,764	1,762
Tobacco manufactures	76	76	76	76	72	70	72	75	75	76	76	77	77
Textile mill products	1,023	1,022	1,024	1,021	1,026	1,025	1,027	1,028	1,030	1,029	1,025	1,020	1,018
Apparel and other textile products	1,357	1,351	1,351	1,319	1,337	1,337	1,340	1,333	1,321	1,315	1,309	1,293	1,297
Paper and allied products	712	719	719	716	721	719	725	725	724	729	729	730	728
Printing and publishing	1,096	1,095	1,100	1,101	1,100	1,097	1,098	1,102	1,105	1,106	1,109	1,105	1,105
Chemicals and allied products	1,021	1,025	1,030	1,034	1,031	1,038	1,043	1,043	1,042	1,046	1,045	1,046	1,046
Petroleum and coal products	183	182	186	186	189	190	190	190	192	193	192	190	190
Rubber and plastics products, nec	680	676	687	690	691	683	687	694	693	693	690	690	688
Leather and leather products	299	298	300	295	296	296	297	297	296	291	291	295	296
SERVICE-PRODUCING	51,199	51,311	51,387	51,363	51,576	51,746	52,014	52,229	52,158	52,230	52,496	52,558	52,680
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	4,591	4,593	4,597	4,598	4,617	4,629	4,671	4,654	4,644	4,684	4,691	4,675	4,669
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	16,217	16,256	16,262	16,294	16,352	16,388	16,465	16,520	16,398	16,417	16,472	16,480	16,518
WHOLESALE TRADE	4,044	4,046	4,072	4,071	4,099	4,111	4,137	4,163	4,152	4,184	4,192	4,183	4,187
RETAIL TRADE	12,173	12,210	12,190	12,223	12,253	12,277	12,328	12,357	12,246	12,233	12,280	12,297	12,331
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	4,031	4,044	4,049	4,048	4,064	4,078	4,088	4,095	4,101	4,109	4,124	4,128	4,132
SERVICES	12,746	12,776	12,820	12,828	12,906	12,995	13,044	13,122	13,128	13,136	13,215	13,236	13,267
Hotels and other lodging places	865	871	888	877	890	901	894	904	891	874	882	878	-
Personal services	901	896	891	898	894	895	892	891	892	881	879	876	-
Medical and other health services	3,622	3,642	3,663	3,678	3,711	3,733	3,758	3,778	3,798	3,822	3,848	3,875	-
Educational services	1,196	1,194	1,206	1,196	1,196	1,209	1,221	1,229	1,230	1,217	1,240	1,245	-
GOVERNMENT	13,614	13,642	13,659	13,595	13,637	13,656	13,746	13,838	13,887	13,884	13,994	14,039	14,094
FEDERAL	2,628	2,641	2,613	2,588	2,599	2,613	2,626	2,638	2,654	2,651	2,670	2,675	2,667
STATE AND LOCAL	10,986	11,001	11,046	11,007	11,038	11,043	11,120	11,200	11,233	11,233	11,324	11,364	11,427

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ESTABLISHMENT DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED EMPLOYMENT
**B-6: Production or nonsupervisory workers¹ on private nonagricultural payrolls,
 seasonally adjusted**

Industry division and group	1973										1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P	
TOTAL	50,947	51,090	51,241	51,247	51,442	51,592	51,856	52,044	51,915	51,781	51,948	51,845	51,904	
GOODS-PRODUCING	17,920	17,996	18,111	18,093	18,135	18,155	18,257	18,322	18,347	18,157	18,156	18,085	18,087	
MINING	461	461	477	479	483	483	488	491	495	501	503	501	502	
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	2,938	2,984	3,020	3,048	3,041	3,063	3,049	3,057	3,081	2,974	3,090	3,056	2,984	
MANUFACTURING	14,521	14,551	14,614	14,566	14,611	14,609	14,720	14,774	14,771	14,682	14,563	14,528	14,601	
DURABLE GOODS	8,483	8,528	8,573	8,562	8,597	8,599	8,674	8,712	8,712	8,624	8,524	8,495	8,574	
Ordnance and accessories	101	99	98	99	97	96	97	93	96	96	96	95	94	
Lumber and wood products	544	542	542	541	544	544	546	548	555	555	557	556	559	
Furniture and fixtures	430	428	436	431	434	434	434	434	434	434	430	431	433	
Stone, clay, and glass products	550	555	555	557	554	554	562	561	568	565	565	565	557	
Primary metal industries	1,033	1,044	1,052	1,050	1,066	1,082	1,093	1,096	1,094	1,079	1,067	1,055	1,059	
Fabricated metal products	1,118	1,123	1,126	1,127	1,129	1,123	1,131	1,137	1,134	1,127	1,117	1,110	1,119	
Machinery, except electrical	1,356	1,366	1,380	1,379	1,399	1,398	1,411	1,441	1,447	1,448	1,435	1,445	1,448	
Electrical equipment	1,361	1,370	1,389	1,392	1,384	1,386	1,412	1,417	1,423	1,417	1,407	1,397	1,414	
Transportation equipment	1,351	1,354	1,348	1,338	1,339	1,332	1,331	1,324	1,298	1,233	1,180	1,166	1,217	
Instruments and related products	296	304	306	306	311	311	314	318	320	321	324	326	328	
Miscellaneous manufacturing	343	343	341	342	340	339	343	343	343	349	346	349	346	
NONDURABLE GOODS	6,038	6,023	6,041	6,004	6,014	6,010	6,046	6,062	6,059	6,058	6,039	6,033	6,027	
Food and kindred products	1,178	1,170	1,165	1,160	1,144	1,157	1,171	1,184	1,191	1,196	1,196	1,205	1,197	
Tobacco manufactures	63	63	63	64	60	57	59	62	62	63	63	64	64	
Textile mill products	900	900	900	899	902	899	902	903	904	904	899	893	891	
Apparel and other textile products	1,182	1,174	1,175	1,140	1,161	1,160	1,161	1,155	1,144	1,137	1,131	1,118	1,122	
Paper and allied products	552	557	557	556	561	558	563	562	560	565	565	566	562	
Printing and publishing	663	661	664	663	662	661	662	664	666	666	668	663	664	
Chemicals and allied products	593	596	599	605	603	606	610	608	609	611	607	610	611	
Petroleum and coal products	115	115	117	118	120	120	120	120	122	123	120	120	120	
Rubber and plastics products, nec	536	531	544	546	547	538	543	549	547	545	542	542	542	
Leather and leather products	256	256	257	253	254	254	255	255	254	248	248	252	254	
SERVICE-PRODUCING	33,027	33,094	33,130	33,154	33,307	33,437	33,599	33,722	33,568	33,624	33,792	33,760	33,817	
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	3,952	3,957	3,960	3,952	3,969	3,972	4,019	4,002	3,988	4,028	4,033	4,012	4,001	
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	14,404	14,435	14,421	14,449	14,489	14,527	14,596	14,657	14,517	14,528	14,599	14,593	14,630	
WHOLESALE TRADE	3,381	3,385	3,406	3,404	3,423	3,432	3,456	3,483	3,468	3,494	3,502	3,499	3,497	
RETAIL TRADE	11,023	11,050	11,015	11,045	11,066	11,095	11,140	11,174	11,049	11,034	11,097	11,094	11,133	
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	3,139	3,143	3,144	3,142	3,153	3,162	3,165	3,171	3,169	3,162	3,174	3,179	3,184	
SERVICES	11,532	11,559	11,605	11,611	11,696	11,776	11,819	11,892	11,894	11,906	11,986	11,976	12,002	

¹ For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2, preliminary.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA EMPLOYMENT**

B-7: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls

(In thousands)

	State and area	TOTAL			Mining			Contract construction			Manufacturing		
		Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
1	OHIO—Continued												
	Cleveland	850.5	862.7	869.6	1.5	1.2	1.2	27.2	27.6	28.9	282.5	284.0	285.3
2	Columbus	415.2	420.5	423.6	.8	.8	.8	18.9	18.4	19.0	90.7	88.0	88.3
3	Dayton	333.0	333.7	334.4	.5	.5	.5	11.7	11.6	11.9	117.7	113.9	112.3
4	Toledo	258.0	261.9	260.0	.4	.4	.4	9.5	9.8	10.1	82.8	82.4	78.6
5	Youngstown—Warren	206.2	210.5	210.8	.3	.3	.3	6.8	6.5	6.8	90.7	91.8	91.3
6	OKLAHOMA	837.4	859.0	862.5	35.5	35.9	35.9	42.1	43.8	43.9	149.0	152.2	152.2
7	Oklahoma City	301.3	309.2	309.8	7.4	7.7	7.7	17.0	18.7	18.7	42.8	43.3	43.2
8	Tulsa	205.2	212.2	212.8	12.7	12.9	12.9	11.8	12.3	12.7	46.7	48.3	48.2
9	OREGON	792.3	814.4	816.0	1.5	1.4	1.4	36.3	36.5	36.4	186.1	190.2	187.8
10	Eugene—Springfield	80.3	80.9	81.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.6	3.3	3.4	21.0	20.8	20.8
11	Portland	422.1	436.8	438.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	20.3	20.5	20.2	92.3	95.8	94.7
12	Salem	62.1	63.3	63.4	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.0	3.1	3.2	9.9	9.6	9.7
13	PENNSYLVANIA	4,425.6	4,424.7	4,458.3	39.3	39.6	39.9	189.7	186.9	191.9	1,460.3	1,463.7	1,471.5
14	Allentown—Bethlehem—Easton	245.2	250.5	252.4	.7	.7	.7	10.4	11.2	11.1	112.8	114.2	115.2
15	Altoona	50.2	50.4	51.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.2	1.8	2.0	15.3	14.8	15.1
16	Delaware Valley ¹²	1,530.6	1,540.9	1,547.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	66.7	65.7	66.4	437.1	439.1	440.7
17	Erie	106.0	109.4	110.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.3	3.1	3.2	45.2	47.1	47.1
18	Harrisburg	197.1	203.3	203.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	11.3	11.1	11.2	40.7	41.2	40.7
19	Johnstown	80.6	80.9	81.6	6.4	6.7	6.7	2.3	2.3	2.5	23.6	24.0	23.7
20	Lancaster	134.1	136.1	137.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	7.3	7.2	7.4	57.1	57.8	57.8
21	Northeast Pennsylvania	236.6	239.6	241.3	1.8	1.8	1.8	11.0	10.8	11.1	85.7	84.7	84.9
22	Philadelphia SMSA	1,812.5	1,826.6	1,834.1	1.1	1.3	1.3	82.0	81.0	82.3	505.6	507.0	508.6
23	Philadelphia City ¹³	868.4	861.4	862.0	-	-	-	26.2	27.0	27.2	206.8	200.4	200.3
24	Pittsburgh	870.3	864.6	873.8	10.6	10.5	10.5	37.7	38.5	39.7	256.7	257.0	259.5
25	Reading	130.8	131.4	131.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	4.9	5.0	5.1	56.1	55.0	54.5
26	Scranton ¹⁴	87.8	87.0	87.7	.3	.3	.3	2.9	3.1	3.3	31.8	30.2	30.6
27	Wilkes-Barre—Hazleton ¹⁵	126.8	129.9	131.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	6.9	6.4	6.5	49.2	49.6	50.0
28	Williamsport	46.0	46.6	47.2	(1)	(1)	(1)	1.9	1.8	2.0	19.7	18.5	18.7
29	York	140.7	140.7	141.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.1	7.2	7.2	59.4	61.7	61.3
30	RHODE ISLAND	359.5	353.3	355.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	13.1	12.0	12.7	123.7	125.2	126.0
31	Providence—Warwick—Pawtucket	374.2	367.7	370.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	14.0	12.2	12.8	139.7	140.5	142.0
32	SOUTH CAROLINA	960.3	1,015.8	1,021.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	65.0	70.9	72.0	370.0	380.4	378.9
33	Charleston	106.9	113.4	(*)	(1)	(1)	(*)	7.6	8.8	(*)	15.3	15.6	(*)
34	Columbia	134.8	144.3	144.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.7	11.1	11.0	23.9	25.2	25.5
35	Greenville—Spartanburg	223.0	231.4	231.8	(1)	(1)	(1)	16.6	18.1	18.2	100.5	102.1	102.0
36	SOUTH DAKOTA	198.5	204.5	207.2	2.2	2.5	2.5	8.0	9.1	9.8	19.0	20.0	20.4
37	Rapid City	22.1	22.3	22.7	.2	.2	.3	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1
38	Sioux Falls	39.7	41.1	41.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	1.8	1.8	1.9	6.4	6.6	6.6
39	TENNESSEE ⁴	1,497.2	1,549.5	(*)	6.6	7.3	(*)	75.9	83.9	(*)	509.8	517.1	(*)
40	Chattanooga ⁵	155.0	154.9	154.3	.7	.6	.6	7.0	6.2	6.1	60.2	61.0	61.1
41	Knoxville ⁵	162.7	169.4	(*)	1.2	1.6	(*)	8.7	10.3	(*)	50.4	50.7	(*)
42	Memphis ⁵	320.7	324.8	(*)	.2	.2	(*)	18.2	17.8	(*)	64.9	64.8	(*)
43	Nashville—Davidson ⁵	291.5	303.3	304.2	(1)	(1)	(1)	17.6	21.2	21.6	83.0	82.8	82.9
44	TEXAS	4,053.2	4,254.4	4,271.4	104.8	110.9	110.9	261.4	290.9	293.0	778.9	810.5	808.3
45	Amarillo	54.1	56.2	56.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.3	3.2	3.2	6.8	6.8	6.8
46	Austin	152.9	155.1	155.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	11.6	10.9	10.9	13.8	14.1	14.0
47	Beaumont—Port Arthur—Orange	118.3	122.0	122.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	7.7	7.7	7.8	39.5	41.0	41.2
48	Corpus Christi	89.6	91.1	91.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	9.1	9.6	9.7	11.7	11.5	11.5
49	Dallas	726.8	753.2	754.9	7.5	7.9	7.9	42.9	44.9	45.7	158.1	162.3	162.5
50	El Paso	124.2	127.1	127.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	9.6	9.1	9.3	27.1	30.0	29.7
51	Fort Worth	278.5	293.1	290.8	1.4	1.5	1.5	14.4	15.1	15.7	75.2	77.1	73.8
52	Galveston—Texas City	55.1	56.6	56.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.7	2.8	2.9	10.6	10.5	10.5
53	Houston	871.3	910.8	915.4	33.2	33.1	33.3	73.7	78.1	77.9	154.7	165.0	165.6
54	Lubbock	66.3	72.1	72.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	3.8	3.8	3.8	8.5	11.3	11.8
55	San Antonio	302.2	306.5	307.3	1.8	1.9	1.9	23.1	22.9	23.0	38.6	37.2	37.3
56	Waco	55.7	55.9	56.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.8	2.7	2.8	14.0	13.6	13.5
57	Wichita Falls	39.6	41.4	41.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.1	5.7	6.2	6.2
58	UTAH	407.8	420.0	426.1	12.2	13.0	13.3	20.0	16.6	18.2	61.8	65.8	66.5
59	Salt Lake City—Ogden	295.1	301.9	305.6	6.4	6.7	6.7	14.3	13.0	14.1	41.4	43.5	44.0

See footnotes at end of table.

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA EMPLOYMENT

B-7: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls

(In thousands)

	State and area	TOTAL			Mining			Contract construction			Manufacturing		
		Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p
1	VERMONT	156.3	163.3	162.7	.9	.8	.8	7.9	8.5	8.4	40.2	42.5	42.8
2	Burlington ¹⁶	39.0	39.7	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7	8.9	9.0
3	Springfield ¹⁶	13.1	13.7	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1	6.4	6.4
4	VIRGINIA ¹⁷	1,701.3	1,738.3	1,741.5	16.2	17.0	17.3	114.7	117.1	119.4	396.8	398.7	396.5
5	Lynchburg	55.6	58.1	57.5	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2.8	2.9	2.9	24.9	25.6	25.0
6	Newport News-Hampton	110.5	109.6	109.7	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5.6	6.4	6.5	35.1	31.5	31.5
7	Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Portsmouth	210.7	216.1	216.6	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	15.9	16.3	16.4	20.0	20.1	20.1
8	Northern Virginia ¹⁸	306.6	311.6	312.7	.4	.4	.4	26.1	25.3	26.2	10.7	11.2	11.2
9	Richmond	257.1	266.4	266.7	.2	.2	.2	15.5	18.0	18.3	51.8	53.2	52.9
10	Roanoke	86.4	88.2	88.6	.1	.2	.2	4.9	4.9	5.0	20.7	21.0	20.9
11	WASHINGTON	1,128.9	1,157.6	1,171.2	1.7	1.5	1.9	51.9	50.1	51.4	234.9	247.6	249.3
12	Seattle-Everett	526.3	541.4	544.9	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	20.4	20.4	21.2	116.1	124.4	124.8
13	Spokane	96.9	98.1	98.9	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5.1	4.7	5.3	13.8	14.0	14.0
14	Tacoma	109.0	109.5	110.5	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5.4	5.2	5.5	20.4	19.5	19.6
15	WEST VIRGINIA	546.6	555.7	552.7	52.0	52.6	47.9	31.5	32.1	33.7	125.9	126.4	126.2
16	Charleston	95.7	96.3	96.0	4.3	4.6	4.4	8.4	7.1	7.0	17.5	17.9	17.9
17	Huntington-Ashland	88.4	89.2	89.4	.7	.7	.7	4.0	3.9	3.9	26.9	27.4	27.6
18	Wheeling	61.6	61.2	61.0	6.5	6.3	6.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	15.0	14.7	14.2
19	WISCONSIN	1,610.8	1,645.6	1,651.4	2.0	2.1	2.2	56.6	59.4	60.4	517.1	525.7	524.3
20	Appleton-Oshkosh	102.2	106.2	106.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	3.4	4.2	4.3	41.0	42.9	43.0
21	Green Bay	59.4	62.0	62.1	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2.7	3.1	3.1	17.8	18.3	18.3
22	Kenosha	39.3	42.3	41.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.2	1.2	1.2	17.6	19.8	19.4
23	La Crosse	32.0	32.6	32.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.1	1.1	1.1	8.5	8.2	8.4
24	Madison	130.1	133.9	134.4	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5.8	5.9	5.9	16.1	16.8	16.8
25	Milwaukee	594.4	603.6	602.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	20.0	21.2	21.3	206.6	210.3	208.4
26	Racine	59.4	61.9	61.7	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.6	1.9	1.8	27.0	28.7	28.3
27	WYOMING	117.6	121.6	122.1	11.3	13.0	13.0	9.8	10.3	10.8	7.4	7.0	6.9
28	Casper	20.5	21.4	21.2	3.0	3.5	3.2	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.5
29	Cheyenne	20.4	20.6	20.7	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3

¹ Combined with services.

² Combined with construction.

³ Federal employment in the Maryland and Virginia sectors of the Washington Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is included in data for the District of Columbia.

⁴ Revised to 1973 benchmark; not strictly comparable with previously published data.

⁵ Area definition revised; data adjusted to 1973 benchmark. For details see Area Definitions in back of book.

⁶ Area included in Chicago-Northwestern Indiana Standard Consolidated Area.

⁷ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.

⁸ Area included in New York-Northeastern New Jersey Standard Consolidated Area.

⁹ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

¹⁰ Area included in New York and Nassau-Suffolk combined SMSA's.

¹¹ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

¹² Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties, Pennsylvania.

¹³ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Philadelphia County.

¹⁴ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Lackawanna County.

¹⁵ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Luzerne County.

¹⁶ Total includes data for industry divisions not shown separately. Services excludes agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.

¹⁷ Government and total revised; federal employment in the Virginia sector of the Washington Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is now included in Virginia.

¹⁸ Subarea of Washington, D.C. Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties, Virginia.

^o Not available.

^p preliminary.

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA EMPLOYMENT**
for States and selected areas, by industry division--Continued

(In thousands)

Transportation and public utilities			Wholesale and retail trade			Finance, insurance, and real estate			Services			Government			
Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	
8.3	8.4	8.4	32.0	33.0	32.9	6.5	6.8	6.8	31.8	33.7	32.8	28.9	29.7	29.9	1
2.1	2.1	2.1	8.3	8.6	8.7	-	-	-	7.7	7.6	7.6	-	-	-	2
.8	.8	.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	2.1	2.3	2.0	-	-	-	3
103.4	105.4	106.3	345.4	351.7	350.7	81.1	82.8	83.2	253.5	262.9	263.3	390.2	402.7	404.8	4
2.6	2.6	2.6	9.2	9.9	9.8	2.3	2.5	2.5	7.3	7.9	8.0	6.5	6.7	6.7	5
3.6	3.6	3.7	18.4	19.1	19.0	3.4	3.7	3.7	14.1	14.6	14.6	30.3	30.7	30.7	6
16.1	16.1	16.3	51.2	53.1	53.1	10.3	10.7	10.6	33.9	34.9	35.1	63.3	64.9	65.0	7
22.8	22.2	22.3	70.7	72.2	71.7	19.6	20.5	20.7	57.9	58.6	59.0	98.4	101.2	101.2	8
18.8	18.3	18.3	57.6	59.4	59.4	20.5	21.4	21.6	38.8	40.3	40.4	53.9	55.6	55.6	9
10.6	10.3	10.3	19.1	19.8	20.0	4.7	4.9	4.9	14.7	14.9	14.9	11.6	12.2	12.4	10
70.4	71.6	72.9	251.8	256.6	261.0	62.3	63.9	64.5	190.8	197.8	201.1	265.1	268.5	269.1	11
38.2	39.0	39.2	118.9	121.1	122.0	37.3	38.5	38.7	90.8	93.7	94.8	104.6	104.3	104.2	12
7.4	7.5	7.5	25.2	25.6	25.6	6.0	6.1	6.2	20.9	21.3	21.3	18.5	18.9	19.0	13
5.6	5.6	5.5	23.8	23.8	24.2	5.7	5.8	5.8	20.0	20.9	21.1	28.1	28.7	28.8	14
39.9	41.0	41.2	104.9	106.8	106.8	17.1	18.1	18.1	72.8	74.9	75.1	102.4	103.8	103.8	15
9.0	9.1	9.1	21.6	22.3	22.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	14.6	14.8	14.8	16.0	16.2	16.2	16
8.8	8.9	8.9	18.4	18.4	18.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	12.1	12.1	12.1	14.3	14.6	14.5	17
3.9	4.0	4.0	13.4	13.6	13.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	10.9	10.9	10.9	7.1	6.9	6.9	18
82.3	82.9	83.6	349.4	358.5	361.5	66.4	69.7	70.2	256.8	265.9	267.2	280.2	281.4	282.0	19
4.2	4.1	4.2	20.3	20.5	20.6	3.8	4.0	4.0	14.9	15.5	15.7	14.7	14.9	15.0	20
4.6	4.7	4.7	14.6	14.9	15.1	1.6	1.8	1.8	9.9	10.6	10.6	8.2	8.6	8.4	21
1.2	1.3	1.3	6.9	7.3	7.3	.8	.8	.8	6.2	6.6	6.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	22
2.1	2.1	2.1	7.9	8.3	8.3	.8	.8	.7	6.6	6.9	7.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	23
5.3	5.3	5.3	27.2	28.9	29.2	7.4	7.9	7.9	20.7	21.2	21.4	47.6	47.9	47.8	24
31.2	31.8	31.8	126.8	128.3	129.1	30.3	31.3	31.5	102.7	104.4	105.0	76.9	76.3	75.8	25
2.1	2.0	2.1	10.5	10.9	11.1	1.5	1.6	1.6	8.6	8.9	9.0	8.1	7.9	7.9	26
11.0	11.5	11.7	25.4	25.5	25.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	17.0	17.8	17.6	32.1	32.6	32.6	27
1.7	1.7	1.8	5.3	5.4	5.4	.8	.9	.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.9	4.1	4.1	28
2.5	2.6	2.6	4.8	4.6	4.6	1.0	1.1	1.1	3.5	3.5	3.5	6.4	6.5	6.5	29

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**

**C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry**

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly earnings					Average hourly earnings				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
	TOTAL PRIVATE	\$140.22	\$141.33	\$147.86	\$148.60	\$147.74	\$3.80	\$3.83	\$4.04	\$4.06	\$4.07
	MINING	188.37	191.82	213.07	212.08	219.17	4.55	4.60	4.99	4.99	5.05
10	METAL MINING	191.78	197.54	211.33	213.78	-	4.61	4.67	5.08	5.09	-
101	Iron ores	181.25	187.79	211.74	223.67	-	4.41	4.45	5.09	5.13	-
102	Copper ores	201.72	206.18	212.90	212.99	-	4.78	4.84	5.13	5.12	-
11,12	COAL MINING	212.22	215.25	247.46	239.73	-	5.57	5.62	6.08	6.10	-
12	Bituminous coal and lignite mining	213.56	216.59	248.88	241.30	-	5.62	5.67	6.13	6.14	-
13	OIL AND GAS EXTRACTION	173.87	175.98	200.24	200.24	-	4.13	4.18	4.51	4.51	-
131,2	Crude petroleum and natural gas fields	185.78	189.60	204.68	203.03	-	4.61	4.67	4.98	4.94	-
138	Oil and gas field services	165.46	167.23	196.81	198.66	-	3.83	3.88	4.26	4.30	-
14	NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	181.97	185.44	187.04	192.71	-	4.08	4.13	4.29	4.35	-
142	Crushed and broken stone	181.70	185.09	189.03	197.37	-	3.95	4.05	4.21	4.30	-
	CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	229.85	232.21	245.34	248.40	243.04	6.28	6.31	6.74	6.75	6.77
15	GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	217.20	218.02	227.41	229.60	-	6.05	6.09	6.37	6.36	-
16	HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS	207.34	212.07	226.34	226.73	-	5.33	5.41	5.73	5.74	-
161	Highway and street construction	188.94	201.60	210.27	208.03	-	4.82	5.04	5.27	5.24	-
162	Heavy construction, n.e.c.	219.43	219.84	235.98	239.16	-	5.67	5.71	6.02	6.07	-
17	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	245.48	247.57	261.66	266.06	-	6.80	6.82	7.35	7.37	-
171	Plumbing, heating, air conditioning	253.64	252.40	281.22	284.61	-	6.80	6.84	7.58	7.61	-
172	Painting, paper hanging, decorating	216.57	214.90	223.33	222.13	-	6.17	6.14	6.53	6.42	-
173	Electrical work	286.08	283.86	305.94	307.47	-	7.45	7.47	8.03	8.07	-
174	Masonry, stonework, and plastering	221.44	227.81	221.13	231.62	-	6.61	6.72	7.02	7.04	-
176	Roofing and sheetmetal work	186.24	195.87	202.84	210.92	-	5.95	5.99	6.46	6.53	-
	MANUFACTURING	162.38	163.21	168.82	170.47	166.63	3.98	4.01	4.21	4.23	4.24
19,24,25, 32-39	DURABLE GOODS	175.97	177.22	181.93	184.05	178.25	4.23	4.26	4.47	4.50	4.49
20-23,26-31	NONDURABLE GOODS	142.96	143.39	150.14	151.31	149.38	3.61	3.63	3.83	3.85	3.87
	Durable Goods										
19	ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES	177.64	175.56	189.87	193.93	189.84	4.17	4.18	4.51	4.51	4.52
192	Ammunition, except for small arms	175.44	173.84	185.98	190.91	188.68	4.08	4.10	4.46	4.45	4.45
1925	Complete guided missiles	201.59	197.54	210.27	214.72	-	4.52	4.51	4.89	4.88	-
1929	Ammunition, exc. for small arms, nec	152.26	152.85	157.19	162.68	-	3.66	3.71	3.92	3.92	-
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	141.92	144.26	149.20	150.72	151.18	3.47	3.51	3.73	3.74	3.77
242	Sawmills and planing mills	137.83	139.81	144.40	145.04	144.44	3.37	3.41	3.61	3.59	3.62
2421	Sawmills and planing mills, general	142.68	145.38	149.57	150.22	-	3.48	3.52	3.73	3.70	-
243	Millwork, plywood & related products	149.92	150.84	153.66	157.58	(*)	3.63	3.67	3.89	3.92	(*)
2431	Millwork	140.14	141.81	146.67	150.93	-	3.53	3.59	3.87	3.90	-
2432	Veneer and plywood	158.18	159.90	159.44	163.02	-	3.67	3.71	3.87	3.90	-
244	Wooden containers	109.53	109.20	116.31	114.43	(*)	2.78	2.80	2.99	2.98	(*)
2441,2	Wooden boxes, shooks, and crates	102.18	102.04	108.08	106.30	-	2.60	2.63	2.80	2.79	-
249	Miscellaneous wood products	125.22	125.44	134.40	136.37	136.12	3.01	3.03	3.27	3.31	3.32
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	128.56	127.76	131.87	133.67	130.94	3.19	3.21	3.39	3.41	3.41
251	Household furniture	122.11	121.39	125.26	126.62	125.06	3.03	3.05	3.22	3.23	3.24
2511	Wood household furniture	115.75	115.54	119.20	120.99	-	2.83	2.86	3.01	3.04	-
2512	Upholstered household furniture	128.77	127.98	132.27	134.37	-	3.26	3.29	3.49	3.49	-
2515	Mattresses and bedsprings	134.52	132.38	132.77	133.48	-	3.38	3.36	3.55	3.55	-
252	Office furniture	147.55	149.24	154.63	157.44	-	3.59	3.64	3.79	3.84	-
254	Partitions and fixtures	152.80	152.86	158.24	161.82	-	3.82	3.86	4.11	4.16	-
253,9	Other furniture and fixtures	138.55	138.73	140.94	143.23	(*)	3.49	3.53	3.68	3.73	(*)
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	171.35	173.44	176.73	179.70	178.79	4.07	4.11	4.30	4.33	4.35
321	Flat glass	217.58	220.51	222.32	225.35	-	5.06	5.14	5.37	5.43	-
322	Glass and glassware, pressed or blown	173.01	173.38	175.56	179.08	(*)	4.23	4.26	4.40	4.40	(*)
3221	Glass containers	181.28	182.52	177.75	183.60	-	4.40	4.43	4.50	4.50	-
3229	Pressed and blown glass, n.e.c.	162.41	161.20	172.91	173.77	-	4.01	4.02	4.28	4.28	-
324	Cement, hydraulic	225.35	223.44	237.42	238.98	(*)	5.29	5.32	5.68	5.69	(*)
325	Structural clay products	138.03	138.94	140.65	145.60	145.20	3.31	3.34	3.49	3.56	3.55
3251	Brick and structural clay tile	131.88	132.61	132.53	136.82	-	3.14	3.18	3.33	3.37	-
326	Pottery and related products	141.95	142.04	153.98	152.08	-	3.54	3.56	3.84	3.85	-
327	Concrete, gypsum, and plaster products	174.60	181.33	181.44	183.58	(*)	4.07	4.14	4.32	4.34	(*)
328,9	Other stone and nonmetallic mineral products	169.60	171.72	178.48	180.18	(*)	4.00	4.05	4.28	4.29	(*)
3291	Abrasive products	171.38	175.11	174.84	177.83	-	4.18	4.24	4.36	4.38	-

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C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly hours					Average overtime hours				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
-	TOTAL PRIVATE	36.9	36.9	36.6	36.6	36.3	-	-	-	-	-
-	MINING	41.4	41.7	42.7	42.5	43.4	-	-	-	-	-
10	METAL MINING	41.6	42.3	41.6	42.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
101	Iron ores	41.1	42.2	41.6	43.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
102	Copper ores	42.2	42.6	41.5	41.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
11,12	COAL MINING	38.1	38.3	40.7	39.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	Bituminous coal and lignite mining ..	38.0	38.2	40.6	39.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	OIL AND GAS EXTRACTION	42.1	42.1	44.4	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
131,2	Crude petroleum and natural gas fields	40.3	40.6	41.1	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
138	Oil and gas field services	43.2	43.1	46.2	46.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	44.6	44.9	43.6	44.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
142	Crushed and broken stone	46.0	45.7	44.9	45.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	36.6	36.8	36.4	36.8	35.9	-	-	-	-	-
15	GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS ..	35.9	35.8	35.7	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS ..	38.9	39.2	39.5	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
161	Highway and street construction	39.2	40.0	39.9	39.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
162	Heavy construction, n e c	38.7	38.5	39.2	39.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	36.1	36.3	35.6	36.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
171	Plumbing, heating, air conditioning ..	37.3	36.9	37.1	37.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
172	Painting, paper hanging, decorating ..	35.1	35.0	34.2	34.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
173	Electrical work	38.4	38.0	38.1	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
174	Masonry, stonework, and plastering ..	33.5	33.9	31.5	32.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
176	Roofing and sheet metal work	31.3	32.7	31.4	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
-	MANUFACTURING	40.8	40.7	40.1	40.3	39.3	3.7	3.8	3.3	3.4	2.6
19,24,25,32-39	DURABLE GOODS	41.6	41.6	40.7	40.9	39.7	4.0	4.1	3.4	3.6	2.6
20-23,26-31	NONDURABLE GOODS	39.6	39.5	39.2	39.3	38.6	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.5
	<i>Durable Goods</i>										
19	ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES	42.6	42.0	42.1	43.0	42.0	3.2	3.0	3.3	3.5	-
192	Ammunition, except for small arms ..	43.0	42.4	41.7	42.9	42.4	3.2	3.0	2.9	3.2	-
1925	Complete guided missiles	44.6	43.8	43.0	44.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
1929	Ammunition, e x c for small arms, nec	41.6	41.2	40.1	41.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	40.9	41.1	40.0	40.3	40.1	4.1	4.3	3.7	3.9	-
242	Sawmills and planing mills	40.9	41.0	40.0	40.4	39.9	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.5	-
2421	Sawmills and planing mills, general	41.0	41.3	40.1	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
243	Millwork, plywood & related products.	41.3	41.1	39.5	40.2	(*)	3.8	3.9	3.1	3.3	-
2431	Millwork	39.7	39.5	37.9	38.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
2432	Veneer and plywood	43.1	43.1	41.2	41.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
244	Wooden containers	39.4	39.0	38.9	38.4	(*)	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.6	-
2441,2	Wooden boxes, shooks, and crates ..	39.3	38.8	38.6	38.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
249	Miscellaneous wood products	41.6	41.4	41.1	41.2	41.0	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.9	-
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	40.3	39.8	38.9	39.2	38.4	3.1	3.0	2.4	2.5	-
251	Household furniture	40.3	39.8	38.9	39.2	38.6	3.2	3.0	2.3	2.6	-
2511	Wood household furniture	40.9	40.4	39.6	39.8	-	3.6	3.4	2.8	3.0	-
2512	Upholstered household furniture ..	39.5	38.9	37.9	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2515	Mattresses and bedsprings	39.8	39.4	37.4	37.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
252	Office furniture	41.1	41.0	40.8	41.0	-	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	-
254	Partitions and fixtures	40.0	39.6	38.5	38.9	-	3.2	3.0	2.0	2.1	-
253,9	Other furniture and fixtures	39.7	39.3	38.3	38.4	(*)	2.4	2.6	1.9	1.8	-
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS ..	42.1	42.2	41.1	41.5	41.1	4.8	5.0	4.3	4.4	-
321	Flat glass	43.0	42.9	41.4	41.5	-	4.8	5.3	3.7	3.4	-
322	Glass and glassware, pressed or blown	40.9	40.7	39.9	40.7	(*)	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.3	-
3221	Glass containers	41.2	41.2	39.5	40.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3229	Pressed and blown glass, n e c	40.5	40.1	40.4	40.6	-	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.6	-
324	Cement, hydraulic	42.6	42.0	41.8	42.0	(*)	3.6	3.2	3.6	3.8	-
325	Structural clay products	41.7	41.6	40.3	40.9	40.9	4.3	4.6	3.9	4.1	-
3251	Brick and structural clay tile	42.0	41.7	39.8	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
326	Pottery and related products	40.1	39.9	40.1	39.5	-	2.8	2.8	3.1	2.6	-
327	Concrete, gypsum and plaster products	42.9	43.8	42.0	42.3	(*)	6.2	6.8	5.3	5.6	-
328,9	Other stone and nonmetallic mineral products	42.4	42.4	41.7	42.0	(*)	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.2	-
3291	Abrasive products	41.0	41.3	40.1	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-

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C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly hours					Average overtime hours				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>											
36	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	40.6	40.3	39.7	39.9	38.8	2.9	2.9	2.4	2.4	-
361	Electric test & distributing equipment	41.0	40.8	40.5	41.0	(*)	3.0	3.1	2.8	3.1	-
3611	Electric measuring instruments	40.6	40.4	39.9	40.0	-	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.3	-
3612	Transformers	41.4	40.9	40.3	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3613	Switchgear and switchboard apparatus	41.0	41.0	41.2	41.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
362	Electrical industrial apparatus	41.6	41.2	40.6	40.8	(*)	3.7	3.8	3.2	3.2	-
3621	Motors and generators	41.6	41.2	40.0	40.1	-	3.6	3.7	2.9	2.9	-
3622	Industrial controls	41.1	40.5	39.9	40.8	-	3.1	3.3	2.5	2.5	-
363	Household appliances	40.5	39.9	39.9	40.5	(*)	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.8	-
3632	Household refrigerators and freezers	40.2	39.5	41.8	42.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
3633	Household laundry equipment	41.2	39.7	39.6	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3634	Electric housewares and fans	39.5	39.2	39.1	39.1	-	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.5	-
364	Electric lighting and wiring equipment	40.3	40.0	39.1	39.4	(*)	2.8	2.8	2.2	2.2	-
3641	Electric lamps	41.0	39.9	39.7	39.5	-	2.8	2.5	1.8	1.6	-
3642	Lighting fixtures	39.7	39.4	37.7	38.1	-	2.4	2.5	1.5	1.5	-
3643,4	Wiring devices	40.3	40.4	39.8	40.1	-	3.0	3.2	2.8	2.9	-
365	Radio and TV receiving equipment	39.3	39.7	36.3	37.2	37.2	2.0	2.2	.6	.6	-
366	Communication equipment	40.6	40.1	40.2	40.1	39.8	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.2	-
3661	Telephone and telegraph apparatus	40.4	40.7	40.2	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3662	Radio and TV communication equipment	40.8	39.7	40.2	40.1	-	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.4	-
367	Electronic components and accessories	40.0	39.9	39.4	39.3	(*)	3.0	3.1	2.7	2.4	-
3671-3	Electron tubes	41.6	41.4	40.1	40.5	-	2.5	3.3	2.2	2.5	-
3674,9	Other electronic components	39.8	39.6	39.3	39.1	-	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.4	-
369	Misc. electrical equipment & supplies	41.5	42.0	40.7	40.6	(*)	3.5	3.9	2.8	2.4	-
3694	Engine electrical equipment	41.6	43.0	40.1	40.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	42.0	42.5	40.1	40.3	38.7	4.4	5.1	2.9	3.1	-
371	Motor vehicles and equipment	43.6	44.6	40.4	40.5	(*)	5.6	6.8	3.1	3.1	-
3711	Motor vehicles	43.9	44.7	40.2	39.6	-	5.7	7.2	3.1	2.8	-
3712	Passenger car bodies	41.5	42.6	37.7	39.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
3713	Truck and bus bodies	42.9	41.7	39.3	40.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3714	Motor vehicle parts and accessories	43.9	45.3	41.1	41.2	-	5.8	6.8	3.4	3.6	-
3715	Truck trailers	40.3	40.4	38.1	39.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
372	Aircraft and parts	41.6	41.3	41.2	41.3	(*)	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	-
3721	Aircraft	41.2	40.8	41.0	41.0	-	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	-
3722	Aircraft engines and engine parts	41.8	41.5	41.0	41.2	-	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.2	-
3723,9	Other aircraft parts and equipment	42.1	42.0	41.9	41.9	-	4.1	3.8	4.1	4.1	-
373	Ship and boat building and repairing	39.1	39.4	39.2	39.2	(*)	3.0	3.0	2.7	3.2	-
3731	Ship building and repairing	38.6	38.8	39.1	39.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
3732	Boat building and repairing	40.4	40.9	39.5	39.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
374	Railroad equipment	37.0	37.5	38.5	39.9	-	1.3	2.2	3.0	4.4	-
375,9	Other transportation equipment	39.1	39.1	37.3	38.8	-	2.7	3.0	1.6	2.1	-
38	INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	40.7	40.7	40.5	40.5	39.5	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.0	-
381	Engineering & scientific instruments	41.7	41.7	40.9	40.9	-	3.8	3.6	3.1	2.9	-
382	Mechanical measuring & control devices	40.9	40.9	40.8	40.3	(*)	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.2	-
3821	Mechanical measuring devices	40.9	41.1	41.6	41.1	-	3.2	3.6	3.5	3.5	-
3822	Automatic temperature controls	40.9	40.5	39.6	39.2	-	3.1	3.1	2.4	2.7	-
383,5	Optical and ophthalmic goods	40.4	40.2	39.7	39.5	(*)	3.0	2.8	3.0	2.4	-
385	Ophthalmic goods	39.5	39.2	38.7	38.5	-	2.5	2.1	2.4	1.7	-
384	Medical instruments and supplies	39.9	40.2	39.8	40.3	(*)	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.8	-
386	Photographic equipment and supplies	41.6	41.7	42.0	42.3	(*)	2.9	3.3	3.4	3.6	-
387	Watches, clocks, and watch cases	39.3	38.7	38.9	38.9	-	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.3	-
39	MISC. MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	39.3	39.0	38.7	38.9	37.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.5	-
391	Jewelry, silverware, and plated ware	39.5	39.1	37.4	38.0	37.2	2.9	3.2	2.1	2.5	-
394	Toys and sporting goods	39.1	38.8	38.7	38.6	-	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.4	-
3941-3	Games, toys, dolls, & play vehicles	38.0	38.0	38.1	37.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
3949	Sporting and athletic goods, nec	40.2	39.7	39.1	39.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
395	Pens, pencils, office and art supplies	40.4	39.7	40.7	40.4	-	2.9	2.6	3.0	3.3	-
396	Costume jewelry and notions	38.2	38.7	38.3	38.2	-	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.2	-
393,9	Other manufacturing industries	39.5	39.0	38.8	39.3	(*)	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.5	-
393	Musical instruments and parts	39.4	39.9	40.5	40.7	-	2.3	2.4	3.2	3.0	-
<i>Nondurable Goods</i>											
20	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	39.7	39.5	40.1	40.0	39.2	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.8	-
201	Meat products	38.6	38.0	39.6	39.7	(*)	3.2	3.2	3.8	3.8	-
2011	Meat packing plants	40.1	38.7	41.3	41.9	-	3.6	3.6	4.4	4.7	-
2013	Sausages and other prepared meats	39.1	38.4	40.0	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015	Poultry dressing plants	35.9	36.6	36.8	36.3	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**
**C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued**

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly hours					Average overtime hours				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
	<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>										
	FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS--Continued										
202	Dairy products	41.1	41.1	41.0	41.3	(*)	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	-
2024	Ice cream and frozen desserts.....	39.4	39.3	39.5	40.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2026	Fluid milk.....	41.6	41.8	41.7	41.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
203	Canned, cured, and frozen foods.....	38.2	37.8	38.2	38.0	-	3.0	2.7	2.9	3.1	-
2031,6	Canned, cured and frozen sea foods.....	34.9	34.7	32.5	34.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2032,3	Canned food, except sea foods.....	38.4	38.0	39.4	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2037	Frozen fruits and vegetables.....	40.0	39.5	40.2	39.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
204	Grain mill products.....	43.0	43.1	43.6	43.0	(*)	5.6	5.4	6.2	5.8	-
2041	Flour and other grain mill product ..	45.0	45.1	46.5	45.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2042	Prepared feeds for animals and fowls	43.0	43.0	43.3	42.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
205	Bakery products.....	39.0	39.4	39.2	39.2	38.9	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.1	-
2051	Bread, cake, and related products...	38.5	39.0	38.3	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2052	Cookies and crackers.....	40.9	40.9	42.1	41.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
206	Sugar.....	42.6	41.8	45.2	44.7	-	4.0	3.2	5.6	4.0	-
207	Confectionery and related products...	38.7	39.4	39.0	38.8	(*)	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.3	-
2071	Confectionery products.....	38.4	39.1	38.7	38.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
208	Beverages.....	39.6	39.5	39.1	39.9	(*)	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.5	-
2082	Malt liquors.....	41.8	41.5	41.6	42.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2086	Bottled and canned soft drinks.....	39.1	38.6	37.8	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
209	Misc. foods and kindred products.....	41.8	41.7	42.1	42.1	(*)	4.6	4.6	5.1	5.0	-
21	TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	37.4	38.0	37.7	36.8	37.3	.8	1.0	1.5	1.2	-
211	Cigarettes.....	37.0	38.3	38.0	37.5	-	.4	.8	1.6	1.2	-
212	Cigars.....	37.2	37.4	36.4	36.9	-	1.3	1.6	.9	.8	-
22	TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	41.2	41.3	40.4	40.3	38.9	4.5	4.6	3.8	3.9	-
221	Weaving mills, cotton.....	42.5	42.5	41.6	41.9	(*)	5.6	5.6	5.0	5.4	-
222	Weaving mills, synthetics.....	42.7	43.0	41.7	40.8	(*)	5.6	5.7	4.6	4.2	-
223	Weaving and finishing mills, wool.....	41.8	42.5	41.5	41.7	(*)	4.2	4.8	4.0	3.9	-
224	Narrow fabric mills.....	40.9	41.1	40.1	40.3	(*)	3.4	3.7	3.1	3.5	-
225	Knitting mills.....	38.6	38.3	38.2	38.3	37.3	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.7	-
2251	Women's hosiery, except socks.....	35.6	34.9	35.4	35.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2252	Hosiery, n.e.c.....	37.7	37.1	38.2	37.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2253	Knit outerwear mills.....	38.2	38.2	37.4	37.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
2254	Knit underwear mills.....	37.7	38.0	37.4	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
226	Textile finishing, except wool.....	41.8	42.3	40.9	40.5	(*)	4.7	5.0	4.0	3.8	-
227	Floor covering mills.....	41.1	42.3	40.2	40.8	-	4.2	5.1	3.6	3.7	-
228	Yarn and thread mills.....	41.8	42.1	40.7	40.5	(*)	4.9	5.1	4.2	4.0	-
229	Miscellaneous textile goods.....	42.5	42.8	41.1	41.3	(*)	4.8	5.2	3.9	4.0	-
23	APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	36.3	36.0	35.4	35.6	34.7	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.1	-
231	Men's and boys' suits and coats.....	36.8	37.1	36.3	35.8	35.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0	-
232	Men's and boys' furnishings.....	36.8	36.7	35.9	36.1	35.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	.9	-
2321	Men's and boys' shirts and nightwear	35.9	36.2	35.7	36.0	-	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.0	-
2327	Men's and boys' separate trousers...	37.0	37.1	36.2	36.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2328	Men's and boys' work clothing.....	37.3	37.0	36.5	36.4	-	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	-
233	Women's and misses' outerwear.....	34.9	34.4	33.9	34.3	33.0	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2	-
2331	Women's and misses' blouses and waists	35.1	34.4	33.6	33.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2335	Women's and misses' dresses.....	34.4	34.0	33.0	33.6	-	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.1	-
2337	Women's and misses' suits and coats	33.8	33.1	33.7	33.7	-	1.1	.9	1.2	1.3	-
2339	Women's and misses' outerwear, n.e.c.	36.4	36.0	35.8	36.0	-	1.8	1.5	1.2	1.3	-
234	Women's and children's undergarments ..	36.5	35.9	35.1	35.5	(*)	1.2	1.1	.8	1.0	-
2341	Women's and children's underwear...	36.4	35.9	35.1	35.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
2342	Corsets and allied garments.....	36.6	36.1	35.1	35.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
235	Hats, caps, and millinery.....	38.4	38.4	37.7	37.9	-	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	-
236	Children's outerwear.....	35.4	35.3	35.6	35.5	34.1	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.2	-
2361	Children's dresses and blouses.....	35.2	34.6	35.1	34.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
237,8	Fur goods and miscellaneous apparel...	36.7	35.9	36.2	36.3	-	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.3	-
239	Misc. fabricated textile products.....	38.2	37.9	37.0	37.1	36.5	2.1	2.0	1.4	1.5	-
2391,2	Housefurnishings.....	38.2	37.7	36.7	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
26	PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	42.8	42.6	42.1	42.2	41.6	5.0	5.0	4.6	4.6	-
261,2,6	Paper and pulp mills.....	44.5	44.6	44.1	44.4	44.8	6.4	6.7	6.2	6.4	-
263	Paperboard mills.....	44.6	45.0	44.8	45.1	44.7	7.1	7.5	7.4	7.4	-
264	Misc. converted paper products.....	41.4	41.2	40.8	40.8	(*)	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.3	-
2643	Bags, except textile bags.....	41.1	41.0	41.0	40.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
265	Paperboard containers and boxes.....	41.7	41.2	40.6	40.6	(*)	4.1	3.8	3.3	3.3	-
2651,2	Folding and setup paperboard boxes ..	40.5	40.0	39.8	40.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
2653	Corrugated and solid fiber boxes.....	42.5	41.9	41.1	40.5	-	4.5	4.5	3.7	3.4	-
2654	Sanitary food containers.....	42.0	41.5	40.4	41.1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**

**C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued**

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly earnings					Average hourly earnings				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
	<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>										
27	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	\$174.80	\$175.01	\$179.79	\$182.85	\$180.31	\$4.60	\$4.63	\$4.82	\$4.85	\$4.86
271	Newspapers.....	176.85	181.56	183.85	185.11	(*)	5.01	5.10	5.36	5.35	(*)
272	Periodicals.....	198.50	201.90	207.90	212.00	-	4.95	5.01	5.25	5.30	-
273	Books.....	160.00	158.40	157.82	162.72	-	4.02	4.01	4.11	4.13	-
275	Commercial printing.....	180.57	178.64	184.12	189.24	(*)	4.63	4.64	4.82	4.89	(*)
2751	Commercial printing, ex. lithographic.....	172.93	171.07	175.01	179.54	-	4.48	4.49	4.63	4.70	-
2752	Commercial printing, lithographic.....	192.55	188.67	197.76	202.66	-	4.85	4.85	5.11	5.17	-
278	Blankbooks and bookbinding.....	132.94	133.35	136.08	139.80	137.25	3.48	3.50	3.60	3.65	3.66
274,6,7,9	Other publishing & printing ind.....	179.10	178.01	187.31	188.86	(*)	4.64	4.66	4.84	4.88	(*)
28	CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	183.12	185.24	193.95	194.42	197.07	4.36	4.40	4.64	4.64	4.67
281	Industrial chemicals.....	205.22	208.38	219.21	218.60	(*)	4.84	4.88	5.17	5.18	(*)
2812	Alkalies and chlorine.....	207.04	215.76	222.48	227.92	-	4.86	4.96	5.15	5.18	-
2818	Industrial organic chemicals, n e c.....	225.57	231.77	239.25	233.02	-	5.15	5.22	5.50	5.47	-
2819	Industrial inorganic chemicals, n e c.....	190.70	192.46	205.82	208.15	-	4.64	4.66	5.02	5.04	-
282	Plastics materials and synthetics.....	178.08	180.62	185.51	185.54	192.53	4.24	4.27	4.47	4.46	4.53
2821	Plastics materials and resins.....	198.36	199.18	205.92	206.83	-	4.56	4.60	4.80	4.81	-
2823,4	Synthetic fibers.....	159.53	163.93	167.27	167.27	-	3.91	3.95	4.13	4.12	-
283	Drugs.....	174.30	175.14	186.04	188.26	(*)	4.16	4.21	4.44	4.44	(*)
2834	Pharmaceutical preparations.....	171.79	172.22	181.40	183.15	-	4.10	4.13	4.35	4.34	-
284	Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods.....	180.43	182.01	190.54	192.23	188.94	4.39	4.45	4.67	4.70	4.70
2841	Soap and other detergents.....	233.26	235.40	242.34	245.18	-	5.45	5.50	5.77	5.81	-
2844	Toilet preparations.....	142.16	142.72	154.83	159.20	-	3.59	3.65	3.90	3.99	-
285	Paints and allied products.....	170.15	172.22	174.84	176.99	(*)	4.11	4.14	4.36	4.37	(*)
287	Agricultural chemicals.....	161.77	160.38	173.13	171.83	(*)	3.66	3.67	3.98	3.95	(*)
2871,2	Fertilizers, complete & mixing only.....	156.25	154.16	170.05	168.72	-	3.48	3.48	3.83	3.80	-
286,9	Other chemical products.....	170.98	173.06	182.60	183.46	(*)	4.15	4.17	4.40	4.41	(*)
2892	Explosives.....	169.62	173.84	182.04	180.67	-	4.23	4.24	4.44	4.45	-
29	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS	213.21	219.24	227.10	229.69	237.91	5.15	5.22	5.42	5.43	5.52
291	Petroleum refining.....	226.60	233.10	238.30	241.60	255.47	5.50	5.59	5.77	5.78	5.90
295,9	Other petroleum and coal products.....	172.62	178.48	189.22	190.53	184.88	4.11	4.17	4.32	4.35	4.34
30	RUBBER AND PLASTICS PRODUCTS, N E C	154.05	155.29	159.56	160.36	152.88	3.73	3.76	3.93	3.94	3.91
301	Tires and inner tubes.....	223.74	225.57	232.92	229.92	217.24	5.12	5.15	5.33	5.31	5.26
302,3,6	Other rubber products.....	149.92	151.52	149.60	149.60	144.35	3.63	3.66	3.74	3.74	3.73
302	Rubber footwear.....	118.50	119.30	120.74	119.66	-	2.97	2.99	3.08	3.10	-
307	Miscellaneous plastics products.....	132.03	132.59	138.11	140.35	133.98	3.26	3.29	3.47	3.50	3.48
31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	105.28	104.63	110.08	111.13	109.45	2.80	2.79	2.92	2.94	2.95
311	Leather tanning and finishing.....	143.20	141.57	152.83	155.57	155.21	3.58	3.63	3.84	3.87	3.89
314	Footwear, except rubber.....	101.73	101.52	106.78	107.25	105.53	2.72	2.70	2.84	2.86	2.86
312,3,5-7,5	Other leather products.....	102.58	100.93	107.25	109.06	(*)	2.75	2.75	2.86	2.87	(*)
316	Luggage.....	103.61	104.91	109.02	111.74	-	2.87	2.89	3.02	3.02	-
317	Handbags and personal leather goods.....	101.14	97.11	106.20	108.08	-	2.69	2.69	2.78	2.80	-
-	TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	196.58	199.39	211.17	210.77	209.22	4.89	4.96	5.24	5.23	5.27
	RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION:										
4011	Class I railroads ²	233.18	241.33	258.87	(*)	-	5.24	5.46	5.74	(*)	-
	LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT:										
411	Local and suburban transportation.....	163.94	169.71	179.61	176.20	-	3.96	4.06	4.37	4.34	-
413	Intercity highway transportation.....	189.70	201.90	186.85	199.68	-	4.94	5.01	5.05	5.20	-
42	TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	212.90	214.45	224.54	225.78	-	5.13	5.18	5.49	5.48	-
421,3	Trucking and trucking terminals.....	218.40	219.95	230.42	231.54	-	5.25	5.30	5.62	5.62	-
422	Public warehousing.....	145.30	145.56	155.88	158.18	-	3.57	3.63	3.83	3.83	-
46	PIPE LINE TRANSPORTATION	226.74	231.43	227.94	230.66	-	5.49	5.59	5.80	5.81	-
48	COMMUNICATION	172.66	173.94	189.34	188.37	-	4.45	4.46	4.83	4.83	-
481	Telephone communication.....	172.72	173.16	188.85	187.89	-	4.44	4.44	4.83	4.83	-
4817	Switchboard operating employees ³	123.82	126.29	135.04	132.44	-	3.61	3.65	3.96	3.93	-
4818	Line construction employees ⁴	226.46	225.94	240.11	241.39	-	5.23	5.23	5.61	5.64	-
482	Telegraph communication ⁵	196.65	194.75	220.50	220.50	-	4.75	4.75	5.25	5.25	-
483	Radio and television broadcasting.....	174.04	179.18	192.18	191.97	-	4.58	4.63	4.89	4.86	-

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C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly hours					Average overtime hours				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>											
27	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	38.0	37.8	37.3	37.7	37.1	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.8	-
271	Newspapers.....	35.3	35.6	34.3	34.6	(*)	2.5	2.7	2.0	2.0	-
272	Periodicals.....	40.1	40.3	39.6	40.0	-	4.4	4.6	3.6	3.9	-
273	Books	39.8	39.5	38.4	39.4	-	3.4	3.4	2.3	2.9	-
275	Commercial printing	39.0	38.5	38.2	38.7	(*)	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.3	-
2751	Commercial printing, ex. lithographic	38.6	38.1	37.8	38.2	-	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.9	-
2752	Commercial printing, lithographic ...	39.7	38.9	38.7	39.2	-	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.8	-
278	Blankbooks and bookbinding	38.2	38.1	37.8	38.3	37.5	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.0	-
274,6,7,9	Other publishing & printing ind.....	38.6	38.2	38.7	38.7	(*)	2.7	2.5	3.0	2.7	-
28	CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS..	42.0	42.1	41.8	41.9	42.2	3.6	3.7	3.4	3.6	-
281	Industrial chemicals	42.4	42.7	42.4	42.2	(*)	4.0	4.1	3.7	3.8	-
2812	Alkalies and chlorine	42.6	43.5	43.2	44.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
2818	Industrial organic chemicals, n.e.c...	43.8	44.4	43.5	42.6	-	4.5	4.8	3.9	3.7	-
2819	Industrial inorganic chemicals, n.e.c.	41.1	41.3	41.0	41.3	-	3.3	3.0	3.3	3.5	-
282	Plastics materials and synthetics	42.0	42.3	41.5	41.6	42.5	3.2	3.4	3.0	3.2	-
2821	Plastics materials and resins	43.5	43.3	42.9	43.0	-	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.7	-
2823,4	Synthetic fibers.....	40.8	41.5	40.5	40.6	-	2.1	2.8	2.0	2.2	-
283	Drugs	41.9	41.6	41.9	42.4	(*)	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.8	-
2834	Pharmaceutical preparations	41.9	41.7	41.7	42.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
284	Soap, cleaners, and toilet goods.....	41.1	40.9	40.8	40.9	40.2	3.1	2.8	2.8	3.2	-
2841	Soap and other detergents	42.8	42.8	42.0	42.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
2844	Toilet preparations	39.6	39.1	39.7	39.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
285	Paints and allied products.....	41.4	41.6	40.1	40.5	(*)	3.2	3.5	2.5	2.9	-
287	Agricultural chemicals	44.2	43.7	43.5	43.5	(*)	6.9	6.3	5.9	6.0	-
2871,2	Fertilizers, complete & mixing only..	44.9	44.3	44.4	44.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
286,9	Other chemical products	41.2	41.5	41.5	41.6	(*)	3.2	3.5	3.1	3.0	-
2892	Explosives	40.1	41.0	41.0	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS.....	41.4	42.0	41.9	42.3	43.1	3.5	3.7	3.2	3.7	-
291	Petroleum refining.....	41.2	41.7	41.3	41.8	43.3	3.0	3.2	2.4	3.0	-
295,9	Other petroleum and coal products.....	42.0	42.8	43.8	43.8	42.6	4.8	5.2	5.9	5.9	-
30	RUBBER AND PLASTICS PRODUCTS, NEC..	41.3	41.3	40.6	40.7	39.1	4.1	4.3	3.6	3.5	-
301	Tires and inner tubes	43.7	43.8	43.7	43.3	41.3	5.8	5.9	5.8	4.8	-
302,3,6	Other rubber products	41.3	41.4	40.0	40.0	38.7	3.8	4.1	2.8	3.0	-
302	Rubber footwear	39.9	39.9	39.2	38.6	-	3.1	3.0	2.6	2.5	-
307	Miscellaneous plastics products	40.5	40.3	39.8	40.1	38.5	3.7	3.9	3.2	3.4	-
31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS.....	37.6	37.5	37.7	37.8	37.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	-
311	Leather tanning and finishing	40.0	39.0	39.8	40.2	39.9	3.1	2.8	3.4	3.4	-
314	Footwear, except rubber.....	37.4	37.6	37.6	37.5	36.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	-
312,3,5-7,9	Other leather products	37.3	36.7	37.5	38.0	-	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1	-
316	Luggage	36.1	36.3	36.1	37.0	-	1.2	1.4	.8	1.4	-
317	Handbags and personal leather goods..	37.6	36.1	38.2	38.6	-	2.0	1.5	2.2	2.4	-
-	TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.....	40.2	40.2	40.3	40.3	39.7	-	-	-	-	-
4011	RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION: Class I railroads ²	44.5	44.2	45.1	(*)	-	-	-	-	-	-
411	LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT: Local and suburban transportation	41.4	41.8	41.1	40.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
413	Intercity highway transportation	38.4	40.3	37.0	38.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	41.5	41.4	40.9	41.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
421,3	Trucking and trucking terminals	41.6	41.5	41.0	41.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
422	Public warehousing	40.7	40.1	40.7	41.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	PIPE LINE TRANSPORTATION.....	41.3	41.4	39.3	39.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	COMMUNICATION	38.8	39.0	39.2	39.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
481	Telephone communication	38.9	39.0	39.1	38.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
4817	Switchboard operating employees ³ ...	34.3	34.6	34.1	33.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
4818	Line construction employees ⁴	43.3	43.2	42.8	42.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
482	Telegraph communication ⁵	41.4	41.0	42.0	42.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
483	Radio and television broadcasting.....	38.0	38.7	39.3	39.5	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**

**C-2: Gross hours and earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, by industry--Continued**

SIC Code	Industry	Average weekly earnings					Average hourly earnings				
		Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Apr. 1974 ^p
-	TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES--Continued										
49	ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	\$207.50	\$209.48	\$218.89	\$220.25	-	\$5.00	\$5.06	\$5.30	\$5.32	-
491	Electric companies and systems	213.27	212.58	222.32	223.39	-	5.09	5.11	5.37	5.37	-
492	Gas companies and systems	183.82	185.90	197.55	196.91	-	4.55	4.59	4.83	4.85	-
493	Combination companies and systems	228.80	235.75	243.43	246.03	-	5.50	5.64	5.88	5.90	-
494-7	Water, steam, & sanitary systems	169.31	171.79	181.83	180.11	-	4.07	4.10	4.35	4.34	-
-	WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE.....	108.33	108.70	113.90	114.58	\$115.26	3.14	3.16	3.36	3.37	\$3.38
50	WHOLESALE TRADE.....	159.59	159.95	166.80	168.00	169.12	4.03	4.07	4.31	4.33	4.37
501	Motor vehicles & automotive equipment	150.40	152.02	158.32	160.27	-	3.76	3.81	4.07	4.12	-
502	Drugs, chemicals, and allied products	160.90	160.36	167.83	167.39	-	4.19	4.22	4.44	4.44	-
503	Dry goods and apparel.....	147.73	146.57	154.70	155.98	-	3.95	3.94	4.25	4.25	-
504	Groceries and related products	150.13	150.91	156.31	157.49	-	3.82	3.84	4.06	4.08	-
506	Electrical goods.....	167.68	167.28	174.96	175.82	-	4.07	4.08	4.32	4.32	-
507	Hardware; plumbing & heating equipment	148.48	149.34	156.26	157.47	-	3.74	3.80	4.08	4.09	-
508	Machinery, equipment, and supplies.....	175.77	176.11	182.95	182.22	-	4.34	4.37	4.62	4.59	-
509	Miscellaneous wholesalers.....	159.90	160.58	167.64	169.61	-	4.10	4.16	4.40	4.44	-
52-59	RETAIL TRADE.....	92.45	93.39	96.88	97.52	98.43	2.81	2.83	2.99	3.01	3.01
53	Retail general merchandise	84.64	86.13	86.90	88.70	-	2.67	2.70	2.84	2.88	-
531	Department stores	87.36	88.86	89.70	91.51	-	2.80	2.83	2.98	3.03	-
532	Mail order houses	114.23	114.99	114.75	117.78	-	3.03	3.05	3.26	3.29	-
533	Variety stores	64.45	66.96	64.52	65.60	-	2.17	2.21	2.28	2.27	-
54	Food stores.....	102.08	102.40	109.37	110.35	-	3.21	3.21	3.45	3.47	-
541-3	Grocery, meat, and vegetable stores	105.29	105.62	112.64	113.63	-	3.28	3.28	3.52	3.54	-
56	Apparel and accessory stores	76.56	77.78	79.77	79.69	-	2.51	2.55	2.65	2.63	-
561	Men's & boys' clothing & furnishings	93.34	95.66	98.52	97.74	-	2.82	2.89	3.05	2.98	-
562	Women's ready-to-wear stores	70.51	70.32	73.37	73.04	-	2.39	2.40	2.53	2.51	-
565	Family clothing stores	73.01	74.26	75.20	75.44	-	2.34	2.35	2.35	2.35	-
566	Shoe stores.....	75.74	77.59	76.61	79.19	-	2.55	2.63	2.66	2.74	-
57	Furniture and home furnishings stores	124.29	126.22	129.60	131.04	-	3.35	3.43	3.60	3.61	-
571	Furniture and home furnishings.....	126.07	127.65	131.77	133.58	-	3.38	3.45	3.61	3.62	-
58	Eating and drinking places ⁶	62.16	62.37	65.70	65.77	-	2.10	2.10	2.25	2.26	-
52,55,59	Other retail trade	116.18	118.03	121.51	122.21	-	3.14	3.19	3.32	3.33	-
52	Building materials and farm equipment	127.98	128.97	132.78	133.82	-	3.24	3.29	3.44	3.44	-
551,2	Motor vehicle dealers	157.20	160.80	157.61	159.20	-	3.93	4.00	3.99	4.01	-
553,9	Other automotive & accessory dealers	132.02	134.31	136.80	136.00	-	3.22	3.30	3.42	3.40	-
591	Drug stores and proprietary stores	82.31	82.66	86.90	88.11	-	2.69	2.71	2.84	2.87	-
594	Book and stationery stores	93.60	93.73	100.12	100.79	-	2.88	2.92	3.09	3.13	-
598	Fuel and ice dealers.....	139.45	139.09	153.64	142.42	-	3.66	3.67	3.97	3.87	-
-	FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE⁷	131.35	133.55	138.75	138.38	138.37	3.55	3.59	3.75	3.75	3.76
60	Banking	113.65	115.32	117.81	116.80	-	3.08	3.10	3.21	3.20	-
61	Credit agencies other than banks	119.70	122.62	127.30	127.30	-	3.15	3.21	3.35	3.35	-
612	Savings and loan associations	117.44	120.20	123.31	122.64	-	3.20	3.24	3.36	3.36	-
62	Security, commodity brokers & services	231.27	235.60	249.86	246.28	-	6.07	6.20	6.61	6.55	-
63	Insurance carriers	135.42	136.53	143.93	144.28	-	3.66	3.69	3.89	3.91	-
631	Life insurance	136.51	137.23	143.81	144.54	-	3.74	3.77	3.94	3.96	-
632	Accident and health insurance	130.94	131.71	140.62	142.10	-	3.52	3.55	3.77	3.82	-
633	Fire, marine, and casualty insurance	136.14	137.26	144.74	144.72	-	3.64	3.67	3.87	3.88	-
-	SERVICES.....	111.87	112.88	119.67	120.01	120.33	3.30	3.32	3.53	3.54	3.56
701	Hotels and other lodging places: Hotels, tourist courts, and motels ⁶	76.28	77.32	80.96	81.21	-	2.34	2.35	2.53	2.53	-
721	Personal Services: Laundries and dry cleaning plants.....	89.06	89.51	93.53	94.15	-	2.53	2.55	2.68	2.69	-
722	Photographic studios	102.60	104.58	104.62	107.49	-	3.00	3.04	3.05	3.08	-
781	Motion pictures: Motion picture filming & distributing	211.20	213.92	233.60	230.89	-	5.50	5.60	5.84	5.89	-
806	Hospitals	107.76	108.73	114.54	114.55	-	3.16	3.17	3.32	3.33	-

¹ For coverage of series, see footnote T, table B-2.

² Beginning January 1965, data relate to railroads with operating revenues of \$5,000,000 or more.

³ Data relate to employees in such occupations in the telephone industry as switchboard operators; service assistants; operating room instructors; and pay-station attendants. In 1971, such employees made up 29 percent of the total number of nonsupervisory employees in establishments reporting hours and earnings data.

⁴ Data relate to employees in such occupations in the telephone industry as central office craftsmen; installation and exchange repair craftsmen; line, cable, and conduit craftsmen; and laborers. In 1971, such employees made up 34 percent of the total number of nonsupervisory employees in establishments reporting hours and earnings data.

⁵ Data relate to nonsupervisory employees except messengers.

⁶ Money payments only; tips, not included.

⁷ Data for nonoffice salesmen excluded from all series in this division.

* Not available.

^p preliminary.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**

C-3: Employment, hours, and indexes of earnings in the Executive Branch of the Federal Government

(Employment in thousands—includes both supervisory and nonsupervisory employees)

Item	1973												1974	
	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
EXECUTIVE BRANCH														
Total employment	2,576.9	2,580.8	2,588.0	2,594.8	2,587.4	2,573.1	2,573.6	2,565.5	2,570.7	2,585.8	2,634.7	2,592.6	2,614.9	
Average weekly hours	39.6	39.3	39.3	39.2	39.2	39.3	39.8	(*)	39.6	39.3	41.7	(*)	39.3	
Average overtime hours	1.0	1.0	1.0	.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	(*)	1.2	1.0	3.1	(*)	1.0	
Indexes (1967=100):														
Average weekly earnings	158.9	159.1	158.5	158.1	157.6	155.5	161.6	(*)	165.2	167.4	180.8	(*)	167.7	
Average hourly earnings	158.1	159.5	158.9	158.9	158.4	155.9	160.0	(*)	164.3	167.8	170.8	(*)	168.1	
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE														
Total employment	965.3	962.3	963.0	964.2	952.1	937.6	936.4	933.4	935.3	938.7	938.4	938.2	942.2	
Average weekly hours	40.0	39.7	40.0	39.9	39.8	39.4	40.7	(*)	39.5	39.8	39.8	(*)	39.8	
Average overtime hours . . . . .	.6	.7	.7	.7	.8	.7	.9	(*)	.8	.8	.6	(*)	.7
Indexes (1967=100):														
Average weekly earnings	156.1	157.0	157.1	157.0	156.1	150.0	159.9	(*)	160.2	164.4	162.5	(*)	164.7	
Average hourly earnings	157.2	159.4	158.3	158.6	158.0	153.4	158.3	(*)	163.5	166.5	164.6	(*)	166.8	
POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT														
Total employment	666.8	670.0	669.9	672.0	679.5	672.9	676.1	675.5	680.3	692.8	741.4	697.7	697.5	
Average weekly hours	39.7	39.3	39.1	38.9	39.0	39.5	39.4	(*)	40.9	39.6	48.0	(*)	39.4	
Average overtime hours	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3	(*)	2.1	1.4	9.4	(*)	1.3	
Indexes (1967=100):														
Average weekly earnings	168.1	167.3	166.1	164.7	164.5	166.3	175.8	(*)	184.8	179.2	236.2	(*)	180.5	
Average hourly earnings	163.4	164.3	164.0	163.4	162.8	162.5	172.3	(*)	174.4	174.7	189.9	(*)	176.8	
OTHER AGENCIES														
Total employment	944.8	948.5	955.1	958.6	955.8	962.6	961.1	956.6	955.1	954.3	954.9	956.7	975.2	
Average weekly hours	39.1	38.8	38.8	38.6	38.9	39.0	39.2	(*)	38.8	38.7	38.7	(*)	38.9	
Average overtime hours . . . . .	.9	.9	.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.4	(*)	1.0	.9	.8	(*)	1.1
Indexes (1967=100):														
Average weekly earnings	156.9	156.9	156.7	156.1	156.1	155.0	155.8	(*)	159.4	165.2	165.4	(*)	164.5	
Average hourly earnings	155.7	156.9	156.7	156.9	155.7	154.2	154.2	(*)	159.4	165.6	165.8	(*)	164.1	

*= Not available.

NOTE: Average presented in this table have been computed using data collected by the U.S. Civil Service Commission from all agencies of the executive branch of the Federal Government; the data cover both married workers and hourly paid wage-board employees. Since these averages relate to hours and earnings of all workers, both supervisory and nonsupervisory, they are not comparable to similar data presented in table C-2 which related only to production or nonsupervisory workers.

C-4: Average hourly earnings excluding overtime of production workers on manufacturing payrolls, by industry

Major industry group	Average hourly earnings excluding overtime ¹				
	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. p 1974	Apr. p 1974
MANUFACTURING	\$3.81	\$3.83	\$4.05	\$4.06	\$4.11
DURABLE GOODS	4.03	4.06	4.29	4.31	4.35
Ordnance and accessories	4.01	4.03	4.35	4.33	-
Lumber and wood products	3.30	3.34	3.56	3.56	-
Furniture and fixtures	3.07	3.10	3.29	3.31	-
Stone, clay, and glass products	3.85	3.88	4.09	4.11	-
Primary metal industries	4.63	4.66	5.02	5.06	-
Fabricated metal products	3.96	3.99	4.20	4.24	-
Machinery, except electrical	4.23	4.26	4.50	4.52	-
Electrical equipment and supplies	3.66	3.68	3.86	3.87	-
Transportation equipment	4.71	4.72	5.05	5.07	-
Instruments and related products	3.69	3.67	3.91	3.92	-
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	3.13	3.12	3.32	3.32	-
NONDURABLE GOODS	3.46	3.48	3.69	3.70	3.75
Food and kindred products	3.61	3.63	3.84	3.86	-
Tobacco manufactures	3.66	3.75	3.82	3.95	-
Textile mill products	2.74	2.74	2.92	2.92	-
Apparel and other textile products	2.68	2.69	2.81	2.82	-
Paper and allied products	3.85	3.89	4.09	4.11	-
Printing and publishing	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	-
Chemicals and allied products	4.18	4.21	4.46	4.45	-
Petroleum and coal products	4.95	5.00	5.22	5.20	-
Rubber and plastics products, n e c	3.55	3.57	3.77	3.77	-
Leather and leather products	2.73	2.72	2.85	2.87	-

¹Derived by assuming that overtime hours are paid at the rate of time and one-half.

²Not available as average overtime rates are significantly above time and one-half. Inclusion of data for the group in the nondurable goods total has little effect.

p = preliminary.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**
**C-5: Gross and spendable average weekly earnings of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, in current and 1967 dollars**

Industry	Gross average weekly earnings			Spendable average weekly earnings					
				Worker with no dependents			Worker with three dependents		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P
TOTAL PRIVATE:									
Current dollars	\$140.22	\$147.86	\$148.60	\$113.73	\$119.32	\$119.86	\$123.38	\$129.28	\$129.85
1967 dollars	108.03	104.49	103.84	87.62	84.33	83.76	95.05	91.36	90.74
MINING:									
Current dollars	188.37	213.07	212.08	148.72	166.82	166.10	160.59	179.85	179.08
1967 dollars	145.12	150.58	148.20	114.58	117.89	116.07	123.72	127.10	125.14
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION:									
Current dollars	229.85	245.34	248.40	180.35	190.31	192.49	194.24	205.03	207.41
1967 dollars	177.08	173.39	173.58	138.94	134.49	134.51	149.65	144.90	144.94
MANUFACTURING:									
Current dollars	162.38	168.82	170.47	129.71	134.30	135.52	140.44	145.34	146.63
1967 dollars	125.10	119.31	119.13	99.93	94.91	94.70	108.20	102.71	102.47
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES:									
Current dollars	196.58	211.17	210.77	154.78	165.43	165.14	166.99	178.37	178.06
1967 dollars	151.45	149.24	147.29	119.24	116.91	115.40	128.65	126.06	124.43
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE:									
Current dollars	108.33	113.90	114.58	90.25	94.44	94.95	98.34	102.75	103.29
1967 dollars	83.46	80.49	80.07	69.53	66.74	66.35	75.76	72.61	72.18
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE:									
Current dollars	131.35	138.75	138.38	107.24	112.66	112.38	116.45	122.23	121.94
1967 dollars	101.19	98.06	96.70	82.62	79.62	78.53	89.71	86.38	85.21
SERVICES:									
Current dollars	111.87	119.67	120.01	92.91	98.70	98.95	101.15	107.32	107.59
1967 dollars	86.19	84.57	83.86	71.58	69.75	69.15	77.93	75.84	75.19
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (All items, 1967 = 100).....	129.8	141.5	143.1	NOTE: The Consumer Price Index is an estimate of the average change in prices of goods and services purchased by urban wage earners and clerical workers.					

¹For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2.
p = preliminary (applicable to earnings data only).

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
HOURS AND EARNINGS**

**C-6: Indexes of aggregate weekly man-hours and payrolls of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls**

1967 = 100

Industry division and group	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Apr. 1974 ^P
	Man-hours				
TOTAL	107.6	108.8	108.1	108.8	108.9
GOODS-PRODUCING	99.9	100.9	99.1	100.0	98.5
MINING	93.4	95.1	104.4	104.1	107.9
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	96.0	101.4	95.6	98.9	100.6
MANUFACTURING	100.8	101.0	99.6	100.0	97.9
DURABLE GOODS	101.5	102.0	100.0	100.6	98.6
Ordnance and accessories	59.5	57.2	55.1	56.0	53.0
Lumber and wood products	103.9	104.5	103.5	104.9	105.0
Furniture and fixtures	113.2	111.9	110.0	110.8	108.7
Stone, clay, and glass products	108.7	110.8	107.6	109.9	109.0
Primary metal industries	100.6	102.1	101.4	101.9	100.3
Fabricated metal products	104.8	105.5	103.3	103.8	100.5
Machinery, except electrical	99.8	99.4	105.6	106.8	102.8
Electrical equipment	102.4	102.4	104.8	104.3	102.3
Transportation equipment	99.3	101.3	83.7	83.3	83.1
Instruments and related products	104.0	103.1	112.6	113.3	110.7
Miscellaneous manufacturing	98.0	98.1	96.1	98.7	95.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	99.8	99.4	98.9	99.2	96.8
Food and kindred products	90.7	89.7	92.7	93.4	90.4
Tobacco manufactures	75.8	74.7	80.2	75.0	74.2
Textile mill products	106.5	106.7	104.0	103.6	99.5
Apparel and other textile products	96.4	95.3	90.1	90.0	87.1
Paper and allied products	104.3	103.7	104.6	105.1	103.1
Printing and publishing	99.2	98.6	98.1	98.7	96.9
Chemicals and allied products	101.0	101.8	102.6	103.7	105.2
Petroleum and coal products	96.4	97.6	100.2	101.0	104.2
Rubber and plastics products, nec	133.1	134.0	133.5	133.7	128.1
Leather and leather products	81.6	81.9	80.9	81.8	80.4
SERVICE-PRODUCING	113.0	114.3	114.4	114.9	116.0
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	104.4	104.8	106.0	106.4	104.9
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	109.7	111.1	109.1	109.7	111.9
WHOLESALE TRADE	110.0	109.6	111.6	111.9	111.5
RETAIL TRADE	109.6	111.6	108.2	108.8	112.1
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	120.9	122.1	122.1	122.2	122.5
SERVICES	119.1	120.7	123.1	123.8	124.9

¹ For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2.
p=preliminary.

C-6: Indexes of aggregate weekly man-hours and payrolls of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls--Continued

Industry division and group	1967 = 100				
	Mar. 1973	Apr. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 P	Apr. 1974 P
	Payrolls				
TOTAL	152.5	155.5	163.3	164.9	165.4
GOODS-PRODUCING	142.4	145.5	150.4	152.7	151.2
MINING	133.3	137.3	163.5	162.9	170.8
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	146.6	155.5	156.7	162.3	165.5
MANUFACTURING	141.7	143.2	148.3	149.8	146.7
DURABLE GOODS	142.8	144.8	148.9	150.6	147.4
Ordnance and accessories	77.9	75.0	78.2	79.4	75.3
Lumber and wood products	152.3	155.0	163.2	165.7	167.3
Furniture and fixtures	155.0	154.6	160.3	162.6	159.4
Stone, clay, and glass products	156.7	161.5	164.3	168.8	168.3
Primary metal industries	147.0	150.5	159.5	161.7	160.3
Fabricated metal products	146.1	148.4	152.2	154.5	148.8
Machinery, except electrical	139.8	140.1	157.2	159.9	152.4
Electrical equipment	139.8	140.8	150.1	149.8	147.0
Transportation equipment	143.3	147.5	127.5	127.7	126.6
Instruments and related products	139.5	137.9	160.1	161.8	158.1
Miscellaneous manufacturing	134.7	134.7	139.9	143.8	140.0
NONDURABLE GOODS	139.9	140.4	147.2	148.4	145.6
Food and kindred products	129.5	128.7	141.3	143.2	140.0
Tobacco manufactures	123.6	125.5	137.5	132.8	135.9
Textile mill products	149.3	150.3	154.7	154.4	147.1
Apparel and other textile products	129.7	128.8	126.9	127.1	123.8
Paper and allied products	148.1	148.6	157.0	158.8	156.0
Printing and publishing	139.3	139.4	144.1	146.1	143.6
Chemicals and allied products	141.9	144.3	153.3	155.1	158.4
Petroleum and coal products	138.9	142.6	151.9	153.3	160.8
Rubber and plastics products, nec	180.6	183.4	191.2	191.7	182.3
Leather and leather products	110.6	110.4	114.4	116.4	114.9
SERVICE-PRODUCING	161.2	164.2	174.3	175.5	177.7
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	158.0	160.8	171.8	172.2	170.9
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	153.7	156.5	163.3	164.7	168.5
WHOLESALE TRADE	154.2	155.0	167.1	168.3	169.4
RETAIL TRADE	153.5	157.2	161.3	162.8	168.0
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	166.2	169.6	177.3	177.3	178.3
SERVICES	171.6	174.9	189.7	191.4	194.1

¹ For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2.
p=preliminary.

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED HOURS

**C-7: Average weekly hours of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, seasonally adjusted**

Industry	1973										1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr. P	
TOTAL	37.2	37.2	37.1	37.2	37.0	37.2	37.0	37.1	37.0	36.7	37.0	36.8	36.6	
MINING	41.7	42.5	42.5	42.4	42.6	42.9	42.5	42.8	43.3	42.6	43.4	43.0	43.4	
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	37.0	37.5	37.4	37.5	37.1	36.7	36.9	38.5	37.2	36.2	37.7	37.2	36.1	
MANUFACTURING	40.9	40.7	40.6	40.7	40.5	40.8	40.6	40.6	40.7	40.3	40.5	40.4	39.5	
<i>Overtime hours</i>	4.1	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.6	2.8	
DURABLE GOODS	41.8	41.6	41.4	41.4	41.1	41.4	41.3	41.4	41.3	40.8	41.1	40.9	39.9	
<i>Overtime hours</i>	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.5	3.6	3.7	2.8	
Ordnance and accessories	42.0	41.9	41.9	42.7	41.5	42.5	42.4	42.1	42.6	41.9	42.1	42.8	42.0	
Lumber and wood products	41.1	40.7	40.9	40.5	40.7	40.7	40.3	40.3	40.9	40.4	40.6	40.4	40.1	
Furniture and fixtures	40.4	40.1	40.1	39.8	39.7	39.7	39.4	39.4	39.6	39.8	39.7	39.5	38.9	
Stone, clay, and glass products	42.3	42.3	42.2	42.1	42.0	42.2	41.9	42.1	42.2	41.6	41.9	41.7	41.2	
Primary metal industries	42.2	41.9	41.9	42.2	41.8	42.7	42.7	43.4	42.4	41.8	41.4	41.5	40.5	
Fabricated metal products	41.8	41.6	41.5	41.6	41.3	41.5	41.5	41.6	41.5	41.0	41.2	41.3	39.8	
Machinery, except electrical	42.5	42.6	42.5	42.2	42.4	43.0	42.6	42.3	42.9	42.3	42.5	42.4	41.2	
Electrical equipment and supplies	40.6	40.6	40.1	40.2	40.1	40.4	40.0	40.2	40.1	39.6	40.2	39.9	39.1	
Transportation equipment	43.5	42.1	41.9	42.3	41.0	41.1	41.5	41.1	41.0	40.0	40.6	40.3	39.6	
Instruments and related products	40.8	40.7	40.5	40.6	40.4	40.9	40.8	40.9	41.0	40.6	40.8	40.5	39.6	
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39.0	39.1	38.9	38.9	38.7	39.1	38.6	38.9	38.8	38.3	39.0	38.9	37.8	
NONDURABLE GOODS	39.8	39.6	39.6	39.6	39.5	39.8	39.7	39.7	39.8	39.6	39.6	39.5	38.9	
<i>Overtime hours</i>	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	2.7	
Food and kindred products	40.1	40.4	40.1	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.6	40.8	40.9	40.8	40.8	40.5	39.8	
Tobacco manufactures	39.2	37.9	37.8	36.0	38.5	37.9	39.2	40.7	38.9	39.5	38.8	38.1	38.5	
Textile mill products	41.6	40.9	40.8	40.8	40.8	40.9	40.5	40.6	40.8	40.6	40.7	40.4	39.2	
Apparel and other textile products	36.1	36.0	36.0	35.9	35.7	35.9	35.8	35.7	35.9	35.2	35.6	35.5	34.8	
Paper and allied products	42.8	42.8	42.7	42.7	42.4	42.8	42.6	42.7	42.8	42.8	42.5	42.5	41.8	
Printing and publishing	38.0	38.0	37.8	37.7	37.7	38.0	37.9	37.9	37.8	37.7	37.7	37.7	37.3	
Chemicals and allied products	41.9	42.0	42.0	42.1	42.1	42.0	41.9	42.0	41.9	41.8	42.0	41.9	42.0	
Petroleum and coal products	41.9	42.1	41.7	42.4	42.1	42.5	42.2	43.0	42.7	42.5	42.6	42.9	43.0	
Rubber and plastics products, nec	41.5	40.8	40.7	40.8	40.5	41.0	40.8	41.2	41.0	40.6	40.9	40.9	39.3	
Leather and leather products	38.2	37.9	38.1	37.8	38.1	38.4	38.0	38.0	37.5	37.2	37.8	38.1	37.8	
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	40.7	41.0	40.7	40.7	40.9	40.6	40.8	40.7	40.4	40.8	40.4	40.5	40.2	
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	34.8	34.8	34.9	34.7	34.5	34.6	34.5	34.6	34.5	34.3	34.4	34.3	34.5	
WHOLESALE TRADE	39.5	39.7	39.5	39.5	39.4	39.5	39.3	39.4	39.1	39.1	38.9	38.9	38.9	
RETAIL TRADE	33.4	33.4	33.5	33.2	33.0	33.2	33.0	33.1	32.9	32.8	33.0	32.9	33.1	
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	37.2	37.0	37.1	37.2	37.2	37.2	36.9	37.0	37.2	36.9	37.0	36.9	36.8	
SERVICES	34.1	34.2	34.4	34.2	34.2	34.1	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.1	34.0	33.9	

¹For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2.
p = preliminary.

C-8: Indexes of aggregate weekly man-hours of production or nonsupervisory workers¹
on private nonagricultural payrolls, seasonally adjusted

Industry division and group	1967 = 100												
	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
TOTAL	110.4	110.8	111.1	110.9	110.9	111.4	111.7	112.5	111.8	111.0	111.8	111.2	110.5
GOODS-PRODUCING	102.9	103.1	103.4	103.4	103.1	103.7	104.0	105.3	104.9	102.5	103.6	102.7	100.5
MINING	96.2	98.0	101.4	101.6	102.9	103.7	103.8	105.1	107.2	106.8	109.2	107.8	109.0
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	106.5	109.7	110.7	112.0	110.6	110.2	110.3	115.3	112.3	105.5	114.2	111.4	105.6
MANUFACTURING	102.5	102.1	102.2	102.0	101.8	102.6	103.0	103.6	103.5	101.8	101.5	100.9	99.4
DURABLE GOODS	103.0	102.8	102.9	102.9	102.6	103.5	104.0	104.6	104.6	102.1	101.6	100.9	99.5
Ordnance and accessories	58.4	57.1	56.5	58.2	55.4	56.2	56.6	53.9	56.3	55.4	55.6	56.0	54.3
Lumber and wood products	107.1	105.7	106.2	105.0	106.1	106.1	105.4	105.8	108.8	107.4	108.3	107.6	107.4
Furniture and fixtures	114.8	113.4	115.5	113.3	113.8	113.8	113.0	113.0	113.5	114.1	112.8	112.5	111.3
Stone, clay, and glass products	111.9	112.9	112.6	112.8	111.9	112.4	113.2	113.6	115.3	113.0	113.8	113.3	110.3
Primary metal industries	100.1	100.5	101.2	101.8	102.3	106.1	107.2	109.2	106.5	103.6	101.4	100.5	98.5
Fabricated metal products	106.9	106.9	106.9	107.3	106.7	106.6	107.4	108.2	107.7	105.7	105.3	104.9	101.9
Machinery, except electrical	98.9	99.9	100.7	99.9	101.8	103.2	103.2	104.6	106.5	105.1	104.7	105.2	102.4
Electrical equipment	104.0	104.7	104.8	105.3	104.4	105.4	106.3	107.2	107.4	105.6	106.4	104.9	104.1
Transportation equipment	103.6	100.5	99.6	99.8	96.8	96.5	97.4	95.9	93.8	86.9	84.5	82.8	85.0
Instruments and related products	104.0	106.5	106.7	106.9	108.1	109.5	110.3	111.9	112.9	112.2	113.8	113.6	111.8
Miscellaneous manufacturing	100.3	100.5	99.4	99.7	98.6	99.4	99.2	100.0	99.8	100.2	101.1	101.8	98.0
NONDURABLE GOODS	101.7	101.1	101.2	100.6	100.7	101.2	101.4	102.0	102.0	101.4	101.4	101.0	99.1
Food and kindred products	97.3	97.3	96.2	96.0	95.2	96.7	97.9	99.5	100.3	100.5	100.5	100.5	98.1
Tobacco manufactures	86.7	83.8	83.6	80.9	81.1	75.8	81.2	88.6	84.7	87.4	85.8	85.6	86.5
Textile mill products	107.7	105.9	105.7	105.5	105.9	105.8	105.1	105.5	106.1	105.6	105.3	103.8	100.5
Apparel and other textile products	95.8	94.9	95.0	91.9	93.0	93.5	93.3	92.6	92.2	89.8	90.4	89.1	87.6
Paper and allied products	104.9	105.9	105.6	105.4	105.6	106.1	106.5	106.6	106.4	107.4	106.6	106.8	104.3
Printing and publishing	99.3	99.0	98.9	98.5	98.3	99.0	98.8	99.1	99.2	98.9	99.2	98.5	97.6
Chemicals and allied products	100.9	101.7	102.2	103.5	103.1	103.4	103.8	103.7	103.7	103.8	103.6	103.8	104.3
Petroleum and coal products	98.5	99.0	99.8	102.3	103.3	104.3	103.5	105.5	106.5	106.9	104.5	105.3	105.5
Rubber and plastics products, nec	135.4	131.9	134.8	135.6	134.9	134.3	134.9	137.7	136.5	134.7	135.0	135.0	129.7
Leather and leather products	84.3	83.7	84.5	82.5	83.5	84.2	83.6	83.6	82.2	79.6	80.9	82.8	82.8
SERVICE-PRODUCING	115.7	116.1	116.5	116.0	116.3	116.8	117.0	117.5	116.6	116.8	117.5	117.2	117.3
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	107.0	107.9	107.2	107.0	107.9	107.2	109.0	108.3	107.1	109.3	108.3	108.0	106.9
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	113.4	113.7	113.8	113.2	113.0	113.8	113.7	114.6	112.8	112.6	113.5	113.2	114.0
WHOLESALE TRADE	111.5	112.2	112.3	112.2	112.6	113.1	113.4	114.5	113.2	114.0	113.7	113.6	113.5
RETAIL TRADE	114.1	114.3	114.3	113.6	113.1	114.1	113.9	114.6	112.6	112.1	113.4	113.1	114.2
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	122.8	122.3	122.7	122.9	122.7	123.7	122.8	123.4	124.0	122.7	123.5	123.4	123.2
SERVICES	120.7	121.4	122.6	121.9	122.8	123.3	123.4	124.1	124.2	124.3	125.5	125.0	124.9

¹ For coverage of series, see footnote 1, table B-2.
^P preliminary.

C-9: Man-hours of wage and salary workers¹ in nonagricultural establishments

Industry division	Annual rate, millions of man-hours ²			Percent change ³		
	February 1974	March 1974 ^p	April 1974 ^p	April 1973 to April 1974	February 1974 to April 1974	March 1974 to April 1974
	TOTAL - ALL INDUSTRIES	149,247	149,108	146,955	0.2	-1.1	-16.0
TOTAL - PRIVATE	121,231	120,710	119,985	0.6	-5.0	-7.0
MINING	1,481	1,467	1,485	12.7	-10.6	15.9
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	7,365	7,190	6,840	-0.8	-25.1	-45.0
MANUFACTURING	41,611	41,386	40,912	-1.6	-6.3	-12.9
TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES	9,855	9,845	9,760	0.6	-1.1	-9.9
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE	29,552	29,499	29,694	0.9	-2.1	8.2
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	7,935	7,921	7,907	1.3	-2.1	-2.1
SERVICES	23,433	23,401	23,387	3.5	-1.6	-0.7
GOVERNMENT	28,016	28,398	26,970	-1.1	17.7	-46.2

¹ Data refer to hours paid for all employees—production workers, nonsupervisory workers and salaried workers—and are based largely on establishment data. See *BLS Handbook of Methods for Surveys and Studies*—Chapter 25. Output Per Man-Hour Measures, Private Economy.

² "Annual rate" refers to total man-hours for 1 week in the month, seasonally adjusted, and expressed as an annual equivalent.

³ Percent change compounded at annual rates.

^p preliminary. NOTE: Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Office of Productivity and Technology.

**OUTPUT PER MAN-HOUR
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

**C-10: Indexes of output per man-hour, hourly compensation, unit costs,
and prices, private economy, seasonally adjusted**

Item	1967=100													
	Annual average		Quarterly indexes											
			1971		1972				1973				1974	
	1971	1972	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	
Total private:														
Output per man-hour	108.7	112.8	109.3	110.1	110.7	112.5	113.3	114.8	116.4	116.1	116.2	r115.9	p114.3	
Output	110.9	118.1	111.1	113.1	114.5	117.4	119.1	121.5	124.2	125.0	126.1	126.6	p124.5	
Man-hours	102.0	104.7	101.7	102.7	103.5	104.4	105.1	105.9	106.7	107.7	108.6	109.2	p108.9	
Compensation per man-hour ¹	133.3	142.4	134.7	136.1	139.4	141.4	143.1	145.7	149.6	151.9	154.6	157.7	p159.7	
Real compensation per man-hour ²	109.9	113.7	110.4	111.0	112.7	113.4	113.8	114.8	116.2	115.6	115.1	114.6	p112.7	
Unit labor costs	122.6	126.2	123.3	123.6	125.9	125.7	126.3	126.9	128.5	130.9	133.1	136.0	p139.7	
Unit nonlabor payments ³	111.7	114.8	112.4	112.5	112.6	114.1	115.4	117.0	118.9	121.1	123.4	125.9	p129.1	
Implicit price deflator ⁴	118.4	121.8	119.1	119.3	120.7	121.2	122.0	123.1	124.8	127.1	129.3	132.0	p135.6	
Private nonfarm:														
Output per man-hour	107.6	112.1	108.1	109.1	109.8	111.3	112.9	114.2	115.6	115.3	115.9	115.3	p114.3	
Output	111.0	118.7	111.2	113.3	114.9	117.9	119.9	122.3	125.1	126.3	131.8	136.0	p139.7	
Man-hours	103.2	106.0	102.9	103.8	104.6	105.9	106.2	107.1	108.2	109.5	110.2	r110.7	p109.9	
Compensation per man-hour ¹	131.8	140.9	133.1	134.6	137.8	139.5	141.8	144.2	147.9	149.8	152.7	155.8	p158.5	
Real compensation per man-hour ²	108.6	112.4	109.0	109.7	111.4	111.9	112.7	113.6	114.9	113.9	113.6	r113.2	p111.9	
Unit labor costs	122.5	125.7	123.1	123.3	125.5	125.3	125.6	126.2	127.9	129.8	131.8	135.1	p138.7	
Unit nonlabor payments ³	112.1	114.0	113.0	112.6	112.5	113.5	114.5	115.8	116.4	118.0	118.6	119.6	p122.4	
Implicit price deflator ⁴	118.5	121.3	119.3	119.3	120.6	120.8	121.4	122.3	123.6	125.4	126.8	129.2	p132.5	
Manufacturing:														
Output per man-hour	115.6	121.8	116.4	116.4	118.6	120.7	123.2	124.9	126.1	127.3	r128.9	r127.8	p127.0	
Output ⁵	108.9	118.6	109.0	109.8	113.0	117.1	120.3	124.4	127.5	129.9	r131.5	r131.9	p129.2	
Man-hours	94.2	97.4	93.6	94.4	95.3	97.0	97.6	99.6	101.1	102.0	102.0	103.2	p101.7	
Compensation per man-hour ¹	130.7	139.0	131.7	132.9	136.4	138.1	139.6	141.9	145.6	148.5	151.8	153.8	p155.9	
Real compensation per man-hour ²	107.0	110.9	108.0	108.3	110.3	110.7	110.9	111.8	113.1	112.9	113.0	111.8	p110.3	
Unit labor costs	113.1	114.1	113.1	114.2	115.1	114.4	113.3	113.6	115.4	116.6	r117.8	r120.4	p122.8	
Nonfinancial corporations:														
Output per man-hour	113.4	117.9	114.3	115.3	116.6	117.3	118.3	119.3	121.4	121.7	123.1	p122.1	n.a.	
Output	113.5	121.9	113.7	115.9	118.5	120.9	122.4	125.5	129.0	130.6	132.5	p132.7	n.a.	
Man-hours	100.1	103.4	99.5	100.6	101.6	103.1	103.5	105.2	106.2	107.3	107.7	p108.7	n.a.	
Compensation per man-hour ¹	132.3	141.3	133.9	135.1	138.8	140.2	142.3	144.0	148.2	150.5	153.8	p156.1	n.a.	
Real compensation per man-hour ²	109.1	112.8	109.7	110.1	112.2	112.5	113.1	113.5	115.1	114.5	114.4	p113.4	n.a.	
Total unit costs ⁶	119.3	121.6	119.7	119.8	120.8	121.5	121.8	122.1	123.0	124.4	125.4	p128.2	n.a.	
Unit labor costs	116.7	119.9	117.1	117.2	119.1	119.6	120.2	120.7	122.0	123.7	124.9	p127.8	n.a.	
Unit nonlabor costs ⁷	127.2	126.7	127.6	127.6	126.3	127.3	126.5	126.6	125.9	126.5	126.7	p129.3	n.a.	
Unit profits ⁸	80.2	84.8	81.0	80.0	83.0	82.6	84.9	89.0	91.4	92.7	94.8	p 90.9	n.a.	
Implicit price deflator ⁴	113.4	116.0	113.9	113.8	115.1	115.6	116.2	117.1	118.2	119.6	120.7	p122.6	n.a.	

¹ Wages and salaries of employees plus employers' contributions for social insurance and private benefit plans. Data also include an estimate of wages, salaries, and supplemental payments for the self-employed, except for nonfinancial corporations where there are no self-employed.

² Compensation per man-hour adjusted for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

³ Nonlabor payments include profits, depreciation, interest, rental income, and indirect taxes.

⁴ Current dollar gross product divided by constant dollar gross product.

⁵ Quarterly measures adjusted to annual estimates of output (gross product originating) from the Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce.

⁶ Total unit costs is the sum of unit labor costs and unit nonlabor costs.

⁷ Includes depreciation, interest, and indirect taxes.

⁸ Includes corporate profits before taxes and inventory valuation adjustment.

p= preliminary.

r= revised.

n.a. = not available.

SOURCE: Output data from the Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce, and the Federal Reserve Board. Compensation and man-hours data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

OUTPUT PER MAN-HOUR SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

C-11: Percent changes from preceding quarter and year in output per man-hour, hourly compensation, unit costs, and prices, private economy, seasonally adjusted at annual rate¹

Item	Quarterly percent change						Annual percent change					
	III to IV 1972	IV 1972 to I 1973	I 1973 to II 1973	II to III 1973	III to IV 1973	IV 1973 to I 1974	IV 1971 to IV 1972	I 1972 to I 1973	II 1972 to II 1973	III 1972 to III 1973	IV 1972 to IV 1973	I 1973 to I 1974
Total private:												
Output per man-hour.....	5.2	5.8	-1.2	0.4	r-0.8	p-5.5	4.2	5.2	3.2	2.5	1.0	p-1.8
Output.....	8.4	9.3	2.6	3.6	1.5	p-6.5	7.5	8.5	6.5	5.9	4.2	p0.2
Man-hours.....	3.0	3.3	3.8	3.2	r2.3	p-1.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	r3.2	p2.0
Compensation per man-hour ²	7.4	11.3	6.3	7.3	r8.1	p5.2	7.0	7.3	7.4	8.0	r8.2	p6.7
Real compensation per man-hour ³	3.6	5.2	-2.3	-1.7	r-1.6	p-6.3	3.5	3.2	1.9	1.1	r-0.2	p-3.0
Unit labor costs.....	2.0	5.2	7.6	6.9	8.9	p11.3	2.6	2.1	4.1	5.4	7.2	p8.7
Unit nonlabor payments ⁴	6.0	6.6	7.4	7.9	8.2	p10.7	4.1	5.6	6.1	7.0	7.5	p8.6
Implicit price deflator ⁵	3.5	5.7	7.5	7.3	8.6	p11.1	3.2	3.4	4.9	6.0	7.3	p8.6
Private nonfarm:												
Output per man-hour.....	4.7	5.0	-0.8	1.8	r-1.9	p-3.5	4.6	5.3	3.6	2.6	1.0	p-1.1
Output.....	8.3	9.2	3.9	4.4	-0.1	p-6.2	8.0	8.9	7.1	6.4	4.3	p0.4
Man-hours.....	3.4	4.0	4.8	2.6	r1.9	p-2.8	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.3	p1.6
Compensation per man-hour ²	6.8	10.7	5.3	8.0	r8.4	p7.2	7.1	7.3	7.3	7.7	8.1	p7.2
Real compensation per man-hour ³	3.1	4.6	-3.3	-1.1	r-1.3	p-4.5	3.6	3.2	1.8	0.8	-0.3	p-2.6
Unit labor costs.....	2.0	5.4	6.2	6.1	10.5	p11.2	2.4	1.9	3.6	4.9	7.0	p8.4
Unit nonlabor payments ⁴	4.4	2.4	5.4	2.2	3.4	p9.7	2.8	3.5	3.9	3.6	3.3	p5.1
Implicit price deflator ⁵	2.9	4.3	5.9	4.7	7.9	p10.6	2.5	2.5	3.7	4.4	5.7	p7.2
Manufacturing:												
Output per man-hour.....	5.7	3.9	3.8	r5.0	r-3.3	p-2.5	7.4	6.4	5.5	r4.6	r2.3	p0.7
Output ⁶	14.3	10.3	7.7	r5.0	r1.2	p-7.9	13.3	12.8	10.9	r9.3	r6.0	p1.3
Man-hours.....	8.2	6.2	3.8	-0.0	4.7	p-5.6	5.5	6.1	5.2	4.5	3.6	p0.6
Compensation per man-hour ²	6.8	10.8	8.2	9.3	5.4	p5.6	6.8	6.7	7.5	8.8	8.4	p7.1
Real compensation per man-hour ³	3.2	4.7	-0.7	0.2	-4.1	p-5.3	3.2	2.6	2.0	1.8	-0.0	p-2.5
Unit labor costs.....	1.1	6.6	4.2	r4.1	r9.0	p8.3	-0.5	0.3	1.9	r4.0	r6.0	p6.4
Nonfinancial corporations:												
Output per man-hour.....	3.4	7.3	1.0	4.6	p-3.3	n.a.	3.5	4.2	3.8	4.0	p2.3	n.a.
Output.....	10.4	11.6	5.0	6.1	p0.5	n.a.	8.3	8.9	8.0	8.2	p5.7	n.a.
Man-hours.....	6.8	4.0	4.0	1.5	p3.9	n.a.	4.6	4.5	4.0	4.0	p3.3	n.a.
Compensation per man-hour ²	4.9	12.1	6.6	9.0	p6.0	n.a.	6.6	6.7	7.3	8.1	p8.4	n.a.
Real compensation per man-hour ³	1.3	5.9	-2.1	-0.2	p-3.4	n.a.	3.1	2.6	1.8	1.2	p-0.0	n.a.
Total unit costs ⁷	1.1	2.8	4.6	3.3	p9.4	n.a.	2.0	1.8	2.4	2.9	p5.0	n.a.
Unit labor costs.....	1.4	4.4	5.5	4.2	p9.7	n.a.	3.0	2.5	3.4	3.9	p5.9	n.a.
Unit nonlabor costs ⁸	0.3	-2.0	1.7	0.6	p8.4	n.a.	-0.8	-0.3	-0.6	0.2	p2.1	n.a.
Unit profits ⁹	20.4	11.6	5.5	9.4	p-15.6	n.a.	11.2	10.2	12.3	11.6	p2.1	n.a.
Implicit price deflator ⁵	3.2	3.8	4.7	4.0	p6.1	n.a.	2.9	2.7	3.4	3.9	p4.6	n.a.

¹ Computed from seasonally-adjusted original data, not from indexes.

² Wages and salaries of employees plus employers' contributions for social insurance and private benefit plans. Data also include an estimate of wages, salaries, and supplemental payments for the self-employed, except for nonfinancial corporations where there are no self-employed.

³ Compensation per man-hour adjusted for changes in the Consumer Price Index.

⁴ Nonlabor payments include profits, depreciation, interest, rental income, and indirect taxes.

⁵ Current dollar gross product divided by constant dollar gross product.

⁶ Quarterly measures adjusted to annual estimates of output (gross product originating) from the Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce.

⁷ Total unit costs is the sum of unit labor costs and unit nonlabor costs.

⁸ Includes depreciation, interest, and indirect taxes.

⁹ Includes corporate profits before taxes and inventory valuation adjustment.

p= preliminary.

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n.a. = not available.

SOURCE: Output data from the Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce, and the Federal Reserve Board. Compensation and man-hours data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, and the Bureau of Economic Analysis.

C-12: Indexes of average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy¹ adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts, 1964 to date

(1967 = 100)

Year and month	Current dollars	1967 dollars	Current dollars	1967 dollars	Current dollars	1967 dollars	Current dollars	1967 dollars
	Total private ²		Mining		Contract construction		Manufacturing	
1964	88.6	95.3	88.3	95.0	86.6	93.2	90.3	97.1
1965	91.9	97.2	91.8	97.2	90.1	95.3	92.6	98.0
1966	95.6	98.4	96.2	99.0	94.6	97.3	95.7	98.5
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	106.6	102.3	105.6	101.3	107.1	102.8	106.2	101.9
1969	113.6	103.5	113.7	103.5	116.5	106.1	112.6	102.5
1970	121.2	104.2	120.3	103.4	127.3	109.4	119.6	102.8
1971	129.7	106.9	127.2	104.9	138.1	113.8	127.5	105.1
1972	137.9	110.1	136.7	109.1	146.9	117.2	135.4	108.0
1973	146.6	110.1	146.6	110.2	156.6	117.6	143.4	107.7
1973: April	144.4	110.5	144.1	110.2	152.2	116.4	141.3	108.1
May	144.9	110.2	144.5	109.9	153.8	117.0	142.0	108.0
June	145.7	110.0	145.6	110.0	154.3	116.6	142.4	107.6
July	146.6	110.5	147.1	110.9	155.7	117.3	143.2	107.9
August	147.1	108.9	146.6	108.5	157.2	116.3	143.9	106.5
September	149.4	110.3	149.5	110.3	161.2	118.9	145.2	107.2
October	149.6	109.5	148.7	108.8	161.8	118.4	145.9	106.8
November	150.3	109.2	151.3	109.9	161.6	117.4	146.7	106.6
December	151.3	109.2	152.9	110.4	161.2	116.4	148.3	107.1
1974: January	152.0	108.8	154.3	110.5	160.2	114.7	149.1	106.8
February	152.8	108.0	155.0	109.5	161.5	114.1	149.7	105.8
March ^p	153.3	107.1	155.6	108.8	161.8	113.1	150.4	105.1
April ^p	154.6	(*)	157.4	(*)	162.9	(*)	151.8	(*)
Year and month	Transportation and public utilities		Wholesale and retail trade		Finance, insurance, and real estate		Services	
1964	89.4	96.2	87.3	93.9	89.2	96.0	86.3	92.9
1965	93.6	99.0	90.7	96.0	92.5	97.8	90.7	96.0
1966	96.4	99.2	95.0	97.7	96.0	98.8	95.2	98.0
1967	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1968	105.5	101.3	107.2	102.8	105.8	101.5	106.6	102.3
1969	112.2	102.1	114.1	103.9	112.2	102.2	114.0	103.8
1970	119.0	102.3	121.1	104.1	118.9	102.2	122.2	105.0
1971	130.0	107.1	128.3	105.8	126.8	104.5	131.1	108.1
1972	143.7	114.6	135.0	107.7	133.4	106.5	138.4	110.5
1973	155.9	117.2	143.3	107.6	140.4	105.5	146.4	110.0
1973: April	153.8	117.7	141.5	108.3	139.1	106.5	144.3	110.4
May	153.3	116.6	142.1	108.1	138.7	105.4	144.7	110.1
June	154.3	116.6	143.1	108.1	139.2	105.1	146.1	110.3
July	155.4	117.1	143.5	108.1	140.7	106.0	147.5	111.1
August	157.7	116.8	143.8	106.4	140.4	103.9	146.6	108.5
September	160.3	118.3	145.9	107.7	142.7	105.3	150.0	110.7
October	160.2	117.2	146.1	106.9	142.2	104.1	149.2	109.2
November	160.5	116.6	146.8	106.7	143.4	104.2	149.8	108.8
December	160.6	115.9	147.5	106.5	145.2	104.8	151.2	109.1
1974: January	161.4	115.5	148.8	106.5	145.7	104.3	151.8	108.7
February	162.4	114.8	149.4	105.6	146.3	103.4	153.1	108.2
March ^p	162.2	113.3	150.1	104.9	146.3	102.2	153.6	107.3
April ^p	163.0	(*)	151.2	(*)	146.7	(*)	154.6	(*)

¹ Production and nonsupervisory workers.

² Prior data are as follows:

Total private	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963
Current dollars	42.6	46.0	48.2	50.0	53.7	56.4	59.6	61.7	63.7	67.0	70.3	73.2	75.8	78.4	80.8	83.5	85.9
1967 dollars	63.7	63.8	67.5	69.3	69.0	70.9	74.4	76.6	79.4	82.3	83.4	84.5	86.8	88.4	90.2	92.2	93.7

* Not available.

p = preliminary.

NOTE: Seasonally adjusted data are shown in table C-17.

EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION DATA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

C-13: Four-quarter changes in compensation, seasonally adjusted

Measure	Percent change over 4-quarter period ¹ ending in--								
	1972				1973				1974
	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Mar. ^P
Average hourly compensation:									
All persons, total private economy	7.2	7.0	6.3	7.0	7.3	7.4	8.0	8.2	6.7
All employees, private nonfarm economy:									
Current dollars	7.3	6.6	6.5	6.9	7.2	7.3	7.8	8.1	7.2
1967 dollars	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.0	1.8	.9	-1.3	-2.6
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy ²	6.5	6.2	6.0	6.7	6.2	6.3	7.1	7.0	6.8
Mining	8.1	7.3	6.6	10.7	5.5	6.5	7.8	8.3	9.3
Contract construction	7.7	6.8	5.4	6.4	6.6	6.1	7.5	6.8	6.4
Manufacturing	6.0	6.5	6.6	7.7	6.9	6.5	7.1	6.8	6.0
Transportation and public utilities	10.1	10.5	9.9	11.1	9.1	8.8	8.9	7.5	6.9
Wholesale and retail trade	5.6	4.9	5.0	5.4	4.9	5.9	6.6	7.1	7.5
Finance, insurance, and real estate	5.6	4.8	4.6	5.4	4.4	4.2	4.9	5.1	5.6
Services	6.0	5.6	5.3	6.0	4.9	5.6	6.6	6.3	7.3
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy, ² adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts:									
Total, current dollars	6.6	6.2	6.0	6.5	5.7	6.0	6.7	6.7	6.9
1967 dollars	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.0	1.6	.5	-.2	-1.6	-2.7
Mining	8.3	7.4	7.0	8.1	5.8	6.9	7.7	8.1	9.0
Contract construction	7.8	6.6	5.4	6.2	6.2	6.0	7.2	6.7	6.2
Manufacturing	6.3	6.1	5.8	6.4	5.5	5.5	6.2	6.5	6.7
Transportation and public utilities	9.8	10.6	10.5	11.2	9.4	8.8	8.5	7.4	7.1
Wholesale and retail trade	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.1	5.9	6.5	6.8	7.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate	5.4	5.0	4.9	5.6	4.8	4.6	5.6	6.0	6.1
Services	6.2	5.5	5.0	5.7	4.7	5.5	6.4	6.3	7.2
Average hourly earnings, all Federal executive branch employees ³	6.7	7.2	7.7	9.4	6.7	5.9	(*)	9.8	(*)
Average union scales, 7 building trades: ⁴ / ₄									
Wages and selected benefits	11.1	7.3	8.0	7.9	6.9	5.9	6.1	5.5	(*)
Hourly wage rates	10.4	6.1	6.8	6.9	5.7	4.7	4.9	4.4	(*)
Wage rates, hired farm labor	4.6	5.7	7.3	9.0	7.2	9.2	7.9	9.3	11.9
Average weekly earnings, private nonfarm economy: ²									
Current dollars	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.9	6.1	6.3	6.9	6.6	6.1
1967 dollars	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.4	1.9	.8	(5/)	-1.7	-3.4
Real spendable earnings (worker and 3 dependents, 1967 dollars)	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.1	.5	-.6	-1.5	-3.1	-4.1

1 Current quarter divided by comparable quarter a year earlier.

4 Changes subsequent to June 1971 based on data before seasonal adjustment.

2 Production and nonsupervisory workers.

5 Less than 0.05.

3 Computed from data that are not seasonally adjusted.

* Not available.

p = preliminary.

NOTE: See technical description at end of table C-17.

C-14: Quarter-to-quarter changes in compensation, seasonally adjusted

Measure	Percent change over previous quarter at annual rate								
	1972				1973				1974
	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Mar. ^P
Average hourly compensation:									
All persons, total private economy	9.9	5.9	4.9	7.4	11.3	6.3	7.3	8.1	5.2
All employees, private nonfarm economy:									
Current dollars	9.8	5.2	6.4	6.5	10.8	5.7	8.3	7.7	7.0
1967 dollars	6.1	2.0	2.7	2.8	4.7	-2.8	-.8	-1.9	-4.7
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy ¹	7.4	6.5	5.3	7.5	5.5	7.2	8.2	7.0	4.8
Mining	30.8	4.1	5.0	4.9	8.0	8.2	10.1	6.9	12.1
Contract construction	6.8	5.0	3.8	10.0	7.5	3.2	9.3	7.1	6.2
Manufacturing	10.7	7.0	5.4	7.9	7.4	5.5	7.5	7.0	4.2
Transportation and public utilities	13.9	8.9	9.0	12.5	6.2	7.6	9.4	6.7	4.2
Wholesale and retail trade	6.6	3.6	5.9	5.4	4.9	7.5	8.7	7.2	6.6
Finance, insurance, and real estate	7.4	6.0	3.1	5.1	3.5	5.0	6.1	6.0	5.2
Services	8.1	4.3	3.0	8.7	3.7	7.1	7.0	7.3	8.0
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy, ¹ adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts:									
Total, current dollars	8.3	5.6	5.3	7.1	5.0	6.7	7.9	7.1	5.9
1967 dollars	4.5	2.9	1.6	3.0	-1.0	-1.6	-1.1	-2.6	-5.6
Mining	19.2	4.2	6.0	4.0	9.3	8.3	9.4	5.4	13.1
Contract construction	7.1	4.3	4.1	9.3	7.1	3.6	9.0	7.1	5.0
Manufacturing	8.9	5.5	5.1	6.1	5.2	5.8	7.7	7.5	6.0
Transportation and public utilities	13.6	10.5	9.0	11.5	6.4	8.2	7.8	7.2	5.3
Wholesale and retail trade	6.5	4.4	5.3	5.7	5.0	7.6	7.6	7.0	6.4
Finance, insurance, and real estate	6.8	7.4	3.8	4.5	3.6	6.4	8.0	6.3	3.9
Services	8.0	4.1	3.5	7.2	4.1	7.4	6.9	6.8	7.8
Average hourly earnings, all Federal executive branch employees ²	6.4	3.3	-.8	8.8	3.8	.4	(*)	(*)	(*)
Average union scales, 7 building trades: ³ / ₃									
Wages and selected benefits	5.6	13.3	7.7	5.3	1.7	9.0	8.6	2.8	(*)
Hourly wage rates	5.6	11.3	6.5	4.5	.8	7.4	7.0	2.7	(*)
Wage rates, hired farm labor	9.4	9.1	13.6	4.3	2.1	17.5	8.2	10.1	11.9
Average weekly earnings, private nonfarm economy: ¹									
Current dollars	7.8	7.3	5.6	7.1	4.3	8.4	7.8	5.8	2.5
1967 dollars	4.1	4.5	1.9	3.0	-1.7	(4/)	-1.2	-3.8	-8.6
Real spendable earnings (worker and 3 dependents, 1967 dollars)	9.4	3.7	1.3	2.2	-5.0	-1.0	-2.0	-4.4	-8.9

1 Production and nonsupervisory workers.

4 Less than 0.05.

2 Computed from data that are not seasonally adjusted. Actual percent change rather than annual rate of change is shown where change is affected by a general salary adjustment.

* Not available.

NOTE: See technical description at end of table C-17.

3 Changes subsequent to June 1971 based on data before seasonal adjustment.

p = preliminary.

**EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

C-15: Twelve-month changes in compensation, seasonally adjusted

Measure	Percent change at annual rate over 12-month period ¹ ending in-												
	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy ²	6.1	6.4	6.6	7.1	6.8	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.2	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.3
Mining	5.5	6.5	7.6	8.0	7.3	8.1	7.9	8.8	8.2	8.5	9.7	9.7	9.6
Contract construction	5.8	5.5	7.0	7.3	7.1	8.0	7.2	7.1	6.0	5.0	6.8	7.4	7.4
Manufacturing	6.6	6.3	6.6	7.4	6.8	7.0	7.2	6.9	6.4	5.8	6.1	6.3	5.7
Transportation and public utilities	9.0	8.5	8.9	8.2	9.0	9.6	7.7	7.7	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.4
Wholesale and retail trade	5.4	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.9	6.9	7.2	7.1	7.8	7.4	7.3	7.0
Finance, insurance, and real estate	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.6	4.6	5.5	4.6	5.2	5.7	5.7	5.4	5.7	4.7
Services	5.1	5.4	6.3	7.0	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.2	6.4	7.1	7.6	7.3	7.2
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy, ² adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts:													
Total, current dollars	5.7	5.9	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.9	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.6	7.0	7.1	7.1
1967 dollars	.5	.4	.4	.7	-.8	-.4	-1.2	-1.5	-2.0	-2.6	-2.7	-2.9	(*)
Mining	6.2	7.1	7.3	7.7	7.1	8.3	7.7	8.6	8.0	8.3	9.4	9.3	9.2
Contract construction	5.7	5.7	6.7	7.2	6.9	7.5	6.8	7.1	6.2	4.3	7.0	7.2	7.0
Manufacturing	5.4	5.5	5.7	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.8	6.9	7.4
Transportation and public utilities	9.0	8.3	9.1	8.1	8.7	8.6	7.9	7.6	6.8	7.1	7.0	7.2	6.0
Wholesale and retail trade	5.5	5.9	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.9	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.1	6.8
Finance, insurance, and real estate	4.3	4.5	4.9	5.2	5.3	6.3	5.4	6.2	6.6	6.1	6.0	6.4	5.4
Services	4.9	5.3	6.3	6.6	6.1	6.5	5.9	6.3	6.6	7.0	7.5	7.2	7.1
Average hourly earnings, all Federal executive branch employees ³	6.3	5.9	5.6	5.5	7.2	(*)	7.4	11.1	10.8	(*)	6.3	(*)	(*)
Average weekly earnings, private nonfarm economy: ²													
Current dollars	5.8	6.6	6.6	7.1	6.5	7.0	5.8	6.7	7.2	6.1	6.3	6.0	4.5
1967 dollars	.6	1.1	.7	1.3	-.9	-.3	-1.9	-1.6	-1.5	-3.1	-3.4	-3.9	(*)
Real spendable earnings (worker and 3 dependents, 1967 dollars)	-.8	-.4	-.8	-.2	-2.3	-1.8	-3.3	-3.1	-3.0	-3.7	-4.1	-4.5	(*)

¹ Current month divided by same month a year earlier.
² Production and nonsupervisory workers.
³ Computed from data that are not seasonally adjusted.

* Not available.
 p= preliminary.

NOTE: See technical description at end of table C-17.

C-16: Six-month changes in compensation, seasonally adjusted

Measure	Percent change at annual rate over 6-month period ¹ ending in-												
	1973									1974			
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy ²	6.0	6.5	6.5	7.6	7.5	8.0	7.4	7.4	7.9	5.7	6.2	5.6	5.1
Mining	8.3	8.3	7.6	7.1	9.5	10.9	7.5	9.3	8.7	9.9	10.0	8.5	11.7
Contract construction	6.6	4.9	4.5	2.8	6.8	9.1	7.7	9.4	7.6	7.2	6.9	5.8	7.1
Manufacturing	6.8	6.8	5.7	5.1	6.7	7.7	7.6	7.1	7.1	6.5	5.5	4.9	3.9
Transportation and public utilities	7.2	6.8	6.7	7.1	8.8	9.6	8.2	8.6	7.3	6.9	5.2	4.3	4.7
Wholesale and retail trade	6.0	5.9	6.6	7.9	7.9	8.5	7.8	8.4	7.7	7.6	6.9	6.2	6.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate	5.2	4.1	3.4	4.6	4.6	7.5	3.9	6.3	8.0	6.8	6.2	3.9	5.6
Services	5.7	5.0	5.6	7.5	6.2	7.4	6.7	7.4	7.3	6.6	9.1	7.1	7.7
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy, ² adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts:													
Total, current dollars	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.6	7.3	8.0	7.4	7.8	7.4	6.6	6.8	6.1	6.8
1967 dollars	-.7	-1.3	-1.9	-.8	-2.5	-.7	-1.7	-1.7	-2.1	-4.3	-2.9	-5.0	(*)
Mining	9.1	9.5	7.7	7.8	8.7	10.0	6.2	7.6	8.3	8.7	10.2	8.6	12.3
Contract construction	5.8	5.4	4.9	3.0	7.1	8.7	7.7	8.9	7.5	5.5	6.9	5.7	6.3
Manufacturing	5.2	5.6	5.7	6.1	7.0	7.2	7.9	7.5	7.4	6.9	6.7	6.6	6.9
Transportation and public utilities	8.8	6.5	6.7	7.1	8.3	8.6	6.9	8.7	6.9	7.2	5.8	5.8	5.0
Wholesale and retail trade	5.9	6.3	6.6	7.3	7.5	8.1	7.2	7.6	7.1	7.3	6.7	6.1	6.5
Finance, insurance, and real estate	5.6	4.9	4.4	6.0	5.8	9.8	5.1	7.4	8.8	6.2	6.1	3.0	5.8
Services	5.8	5.3	6.1	7.4	6.6	7.5	6.1	7.3	7.0	6.6	8.4	6.9	8.1
Average hourly earnings, all Federal executive branch employees ³	3.9	5.2	2.8	-2.8	2.4	(*)	3.4	5.6	7.8	(*)	5.1	(*)	(*)
Average weekly earnings, private nonfarm economy: ²													
Current dollars	5.4	6.5	7.1	9.3	6.4	8.6	6.3	6.8	7.3	2.9	6.2	3.4	2.8
1967 dollars	-1.1	-.6	-.8	1.8	-3.3	-.2	-2.7	-2.6	-2.1	-7.7	-3.5	-7.4	(*)
Real spendable earnings (worker and 3 dependents, 1967 dollars)	-3.1	-2.8	-3.1	.7	-4.1	-1.2	-3.4	-3.3	-2.9	-8.0	-4.1	-7.8	(*)

¹ Current month divided by month 6 months earlier.
² Production and nonsupervisory workers.
³ Computed from data that are not seasonally adjusted. Actual percent change rather than annual rate of change is shown where change is affected by a general salary adjustment.

* Not available.
 p= preliminary.

NOTE: See technical description at end of table C-17.

**EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION DATA
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**

C-17: Average hourly or weekly compensation, seasonally adjusted

Measure	1973									1974			
	2d quarter			3d quarter			4th quarter			1st quarter			2d quarter
	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. ^P	Apr. ^P
Levels													
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy ¹	\$3.84	\$3.85	\$3.87	\$3.91	\$3.92	\$3.96	\$3.98	\$3.99	\$4.02	\$4.02	\$4.04	\$4.07	\$4.08
Mining	4.59	4.62	4.70	4.74	4.73	4.78	4.76	4.83	4.90	4.97	4.96	4.98	5.03
Contract construction	6.35	6.34	6.43	6.46	6.50	6.59	6.59	6.63	6.67	6.69	6.72	6.78	6.82
Manufacturing	4.01	4.02	4.04	4.07	4.09	4.13	4.16	4.16	4.18	4.20	4.20	4.23	4.24
Transportation and public utilities	4.97	4.97	5.01	5.03	5.11	5.15	5.17	5.18	5.19	5.20	5.24	5.26	5.29
Wholesale and retail trade	3.15	3.16	3.19	3.21	3.23	3.26	3.27	3.29	3.31	3.33	3.34	3.36	3.37
Finance, insurance, and real estate	3.58	3.56	3.59	3.61	3.61	3.67	3.65	3.67	3.73	3.73	3.72	3.74	3.75
Services	3.32	3.32	3.36	3.38	3.37	3.42	3.43	3.44	3.48	3.49	3.52	3.54	3.56
Wage rates, hired farm labor (quarterly data)	1.94	-	-	2.02	-	-	2.06	-	-	2.11	-	-	2.17
Average weekly earnings, private nonfarm economy:¹													
Current dollars	142.85	143.22	143.58	145.45	145.04	147.31	147.26	148.03	148.74	147.53	149.48	149.78	149.33
1967 dollars	109.30	108.94	108.60	109.77	107.39	108.72	107.80	107.52	107.45	105.47	105.51	104.60	(*)
Real spendable earnings (worker and 3 dependents, 1967 dollars)	95.96	95.61	95.29	96.16	94.11	95.11	94.30	94.00	93.88	92.24	92.14	91.33	(*)
Indexes, 1967=100													
Average hourly compensation (quarterly data):													
All persons, total private economy	-	151.9	-	-	154.6	-	-	157.7	-	-	159.7	-	-
All employees, private nonfarm economy:													
Current dollars	-	149.6	-	-	152.6	-	-	155.5	-	-	158.1	-	-
1967 dollars	-	113.8	-	-	113.6	-	-	113.0	-	-	111.7	-	-
Average hourly earnings, private nonfarm economy,¹ adjusted for overtime (in manufacturing only) and interindustry employment shifts:													
Total, current dollars	144.4	144.7	146.0	146.9	147.6	149.0	149.6	150.3	151.3	151.7	152.5	153.5	154.6
1967 dollars	110.5	110.1	110.4	110.9	109.3	110.0	109.5	109.1	109.3	108.4	107.6	107.2	(*)
Mining	144.0	144.8	146.2	147.9	147.5	149.5	148.4	150.2	152.1	154.2	154.8	155.8	157.3
Contract construction	153.4	153.7	155.4	156.3	157.2	159.1	159.2	160.3	161.2	160.5	162.5	163.6	164.2
Manufacturing	141.1	141.8	142.7	143.7	144.5	145.4	146.5	147.0	147.9	148.5	149.3	150.1	151.5
Transportation and public utilities	154.6	153.5	155.0	155.6	157.7	158.5	159.8	160.0	160.2	161.1	162.2	163.0	163.8
Wholesale and retail trade	141.2	141.7	142.9	143.6	144.4	145.7	146.2	146.9	147.9	148.8	149.1	150.1	150.9
Finance, insurance, and real estate	139.1	138.5	139.5	140.9	140.9	143.4	142.7	143.6	145.5	145.2	145.2	145.6	146.7
Services	144.7	144.7	146.3	147.3	146.9	148.8	149.1	149.9	151.3	152.1	152.9	153.9	155.0
Average hourly earnings, all Federal executive branch employees ²	158.9	158.9	158.4	155.9	160.0	(*)	164.3	167.8	170.8	(*)	168.1	(*)	(*)
Average union scales, 7 building trades (quarterly data):²													
Wages and selected benefits	165.1	-	-	168.7	-	-	172.2	-	-	173.4	-	-	(*)
Hourly wage rates	156.4	-	-	159.2	-	-	161.9	-	-	163.0	-	-	(*)

¹ Production and nonsupervisory workers.

² Not seasonally adjusted.

* Not available.

^P preliminary.

Technical description covering tables C-12 through C-17:

Characteristic	Average hourly compensation	Average hourly and weekly earnings	Union scales, building trades	Wage rates, hired farm labor
Reference period and source	Basic time series consists of quarterly averages. Data are developed by BLS from Department of Commerce estimates of compensation and BLS man-hour estimates.	Basic time series consists of averages for payroll period including 12th of month. Monthly data have been summed and divided by 3 to obtain quarterly averages. Private industry data obtained by BLS from a stratified probability sample of establishments. Federal data obtained from the Civil Service Commission. Published by BLS monthly in <i>Employment and Earnings</i> .	Basic time series consists of wage rates and selected benefits as of January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1. Data obtained by BLS from local union officials and union agreements. Published quarterly in press releases.	Basic time series consists of rates as of week preceding January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1. Data obtained by Department of Agriculture from a sample survey of farm operators and published quarterly in <i>Farm Labor</i> by USDA.
Type of compensation	Compensation is the total of wages and salaries plus supplements to wages and salaries (according to National Income Accounts definitions) per man-hour paid for.	Basic series consists of regular hourly payroll expenditures before deductions, i.e., straight-time hourly earnings plus premium and incentive pay. Series adjusted for overtime and interindustry employment shifts excludes overtime premiums in manufacturing only. Weekly earnings in 1967 dollars adjust earnings for price changes while spendable earnings adjust for price and Federal income and social security tax changes.	Compensation is, in the case of wage scales, minimum wage rates (excluding premium pay for holiday, vacation, or overtime) agreed upon in collective bargaining. In the case of wages and selected benefits, it is wages, as defined above, plus employer payments to health and welfare, pension, and vacation funds.	Compensation is cash payments to worker, exclusive of perquisites such as room or board.
Type of worker	1. Total private economy: All persons, i.e., all employees and imputed compensation of self employed. 2. Nonfarm economy: All nonfarm employees including government enterprise and private household workers.	1. Private: Production and related workers in mining and manufacturing; construction workers in contract construction; and nonsupervisory workers in all other industries. 2. Federal Executive Branch: All workers, supervisory and nonsupervisory.	Unionized building trades workers in continental United States cities of 100,000 population or more in the following seven trades: Bricklayers, building laborers, carpenters, electricians, painters, plasterers, and plumbers.	Hired farm workers defined as those working only for wages, for 1 hour or more on farm during survey week.

ESTABLISHMENT DATA

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STATE AND AREA HOURS AND EARNINGS

C-18: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls, by State and selected areas

State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p
ALABAMA	\$137.23	\$147.33	\$147.33	40.6	40.7	40.7	\$3.38	\$3.62	\$3.62
Birmingham	161.19	174.58	177.96	40.5	40.6	41.1	3.98	4.30	4.33
Mobile	167.22	175.09	173.32	41.7	41.1	40.4	4.01	4.26	4.29
ALASKA	213.01	232.68	(*)	36.6	36.7	(*)	5.82	6.34	(*)
ARIZONA	154.44	166.66	166.27	39.1	39.4	39.4	3.95	4.23	4.22
Phoenix	155.62	167.74	166.96	39.1	39.1	39.1	3.98	4.29	4.27
Tucson	154.71	172.48	(*)	40.5	39.2	(*)	3.82	4.40	(*)
ARKANSAS	117.01	125.37	125.44	39.8	39.3	39.2	2.94	3.19	3.20
Fayetteville-Springdale	107.48	115.41	117.32	38.8	38.6	39.5	2.77	2.99	2.97
Fort Smith	115.74	118.13	121.54	39.5	37.5	38.1	2.93	3.15	3.19
Little Rock-North Little Rock	125.45	137.16	137.59	39.7	39.3	39.2	3.16	3.49	3.51
Pine Bluff	146.02	156.75	151.07	41.6	41.8	40.5	3.51	3.75	3.73
CALIFORNIA	175.67	181.94	182.80	40.2	39.9	40.0	4.37	4.56	4.57
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden Grove	169.30	171.63	172.43	40.6	40.1	40.1	4.17	4.28	4.30
Bakersfield	173.63	184.06	183.02	40.1	40.1	39.7	4.33	4.59	4.61
Fresno	148.60	160.00	156.80	38.9	39.9	39.2	3.82	4.01	4.00
Los Angeles-Long Beach	169.29	173.60	176.55	40.5	40.0	40.4	4.18	4.34	4.37
Modesto	157.96	170.23	173.16	37.7	38.6	39.0	4.19	4.41	4.44
Oxnard-Simi Valley-Ventura	152.88	159.94	161.11	38.9	39.2	39.2	3.93	4.08	4.11
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	172.53	182.91	185.14	40.5	40.2	40.6	4.26	4.55	4.56
Sacramento	182.88	194.43	193.15	38.5	38.5	38.4	4.75	5.05	5.03
Salinas-Seaside-Monterey	161.93	172.48	171.78	38.1	38.5	39.4	4.25	4.48	4.36
San Diego	178.54	181.03	180.64	39.5	39.1	39.1	4.52	4.63	4.62
San Francisco-Oakland	199.64	209.72	210.06	39.3	39.2	38.9	5.08	5.35	5.40
San Jose	186.00	192.44	188.10	40.7	40.6	39.6	4.57	4.74	4.75
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc	154.04	154.34	160.31	39.6	37.1	39.1	3.89	4.16	4.10
Santa Rosa	164.19	166.94	169.86	39.0	37.6	38.0	4.21	4.44	4.47
Stockton	188.25	198.40	200.50	39.8	40.0	40.1	4.73	4.96	5.00
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa	178.87	177.07	180.68	38.8	37.2	37.8	4.61	4.76	4.78
COLORADO	164.83	176.88	179.78	40.3	40.2	40.4	4.09	4.40	4.45
Denver	170.87	181.85	183.42	40.3	40.5	40.4	4.24	4.49	4.54
CONNECTICUT	171.33	178.88	180.16	42.2	41.6	41.8	4.06	4.30	4.31
Bridgeport	173.84	182.32	181.46	42.4	42.4	42.2	4.10	4.30	4.30
Hartford	184.46	186.26	189.81	42.6	41.3	41.9	4.33	4.51	4.53
New Britain	170.13	186.58	187.41	41.8	42.5	42.4	4.07	4.39	4.42
New Haven	163.98	167.18	170.49	41.2	39.9	40.4	3.98	4.19	4.22
Stamford	175.04	192.10	191.53	41.2	41.4	41.1	4.20	4.64	4.66
Waterbury	159.90	167.84	167.06	43.1	42.6	42.4	3.71	3.94	3.94
DELAWARE	167.67	172.73	173.63	40.5	39.8	40.1	4.14	4.34	4.33
Wilmington	188.73	195.13	195.21	40.5	40.4	40.5	4.66	4.83	4.82
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:									
Washington SMSA	178.33	193.42	(*)	38.6	38.0	(*)	4.62	5.09	(*)
FLORIDA	141.02	145.35	(*)	41.6	40.6	(*)	3.39	3.58	(*)
Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood	139.86	141.45	(*)	42.0	39.4	(*)	3.33	3.59	(*)
Jacksonville	167.88	(*)	(*)	42.5	(*)	(*)	3.95	(*)	(*)
Miami	134.23	130.47	134.85	40.8	38.6	39.2	3.29	3.38	3.44
Orlando ¹	144.16	142.30	(*)	42.4	39.2	(*)	3.40	3.63	(*)
Pensacola	164.69	172.22	(*)	41.8	41.7	(*)	3.94	4.13	(*)
Tampa-St. Petersburg	141.40	(*)	(*)	40.4	(*)	(*)	3.50	(*)	(*)
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton	184.46	188.52	(*)	46.7	45.1	(*)	3.95	4.18	(*)
GEORGIA	131.14	136.34	135.94	40.6	40.1	40.1	3.23	3.40	3.39
Atlanta	169.72	159.53	154.04	40.7	39.1	38.9	4.17	4.08	3.96
Savannah	159.70	166.53	171.23	42.7	42.7	42.7	3.74	3.90	4.01

See footnotes at end of table.

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA HOURS AND EARNINGS

**C-18: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls,
by State and selected areas--Continued**

State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
HAWAII	\$156.72	\$164.05	\$152.51	38.6	38.6	35.8	\$4.06	\$4.25	\$4.26
Honolulu	154.28	162.97	160.13	38.0	37.9	37.5	4.06	4.30	4.27
IDAHO	146.69	160.78	166.21	38.2	38.1	39.2	3.84	4.22	4.24
ILLINOIS	182.10	190.45	194.50	41.4	40.4	40.8	4.40	4.71	4.77
Chicago	183.10	189.22	(*)	41.3	40.1	(*)	4.43	4.72	(*)
Davenport--Rock Island--Moline	215.05	230.66	236.00	42.1	41.3	41.7	5.11	5.58	5.66
Decatur	195.44	206.78	210.93	41.6	41.0	41.3	4.70	5.05	5.11
Peoria	222.89	245.64	253.02	43.4	42.6	43.1	5.14	5.77	5.88
Rockford	182.59	194.43	197.71	43.0	42.2	42.6	4.25	4.60	4.64
Springfield	189.55	218.56	219.09	40.3	42.0	41.9	4.71	5.20	5.22
INDIANA	189.24	195.54	195.94	41.5	40.4	40.4	4.56	4.84	4.85
Indianapolis	199.88	199.75	(*)	42.8	41.1	(*)	4.67	4.86	(*)
IOWA	179.52	189.41	189.88	40.8	40.3	40.4	4.40	4.70	4.70
Cedar Rapids ²	183.87	202.25	202.56	41.6	42.4	42.2	4.42	4.77	4.80
Des Moines	190.16	192.97	188.99	40.4	38.8	38.5	4.71	4.97	4.91
Dubuque ²	212.00	223.26	207.46	40.0	39.1	37.7	5.30	5.71	5.50
Sioux City ²	145.20	148.60	150.54	40.0	38.3	38.7	3.63	3.88	3.89
Waterloo--Cedar Falls ²	212.49	232.97	234.84	41.1	40.8	41.2	5.17	5.71	5.70
KANSAS	156.37	164.42	165.76	40.6	40.6	40.9	3.85	4.05	4.05
Topeka	186.84	183.20	184.39	41.9	40.5	41.2	4.46	4.52	4.47
Wichita	164.65	181.52	184.13	41.3	41.8	42.0	3.99	4.35	4.38
KENTUCKY	154.77	162.72	(*)	40.2	39.4	(*)	3.85	4.13	(*)
Louisville	184.01	194.97	(*)	40.8	40.2	(*)	4.51	4.85	(*)
LOUISIANA	160.93	171.25	171.60	41.8	40.2	40.0	3.85	4.26	4.29
Baton Rouge	206.17	222.60	219.02	41.4	42.0	42.2	4.98	5.30	5.19
New Orleans	165.42	178.08	178.08	42.2	42.4	42.0	3.92	4.20	4.24
Shreveport	148.68	155.14	155.93	41.3	40.4	40.5	3.60	3.84	3.85
MAINE	127.98	136.62	136.68	40.5	40.3	40.2	3.16	3.39	3.40
Lewiston--Auburn	106.03	114.30	115.36	37.6	38.1	38.2	2.82	3.00	3.02
Portland	139.81	142.91	142.31	41.0	40.6	40.2	3.41	3.52	3.54
MARYLAND	165.62	174.68	175.92	40.2	39.7	39.8	4.12	4.40	4.42
Baltimore	174.22	181.20	182.46	40.8	40.0	40.1	4.27	4.53	4.55
MASSACHUSETTS	155.83	161.60	163.22	40.9	40.1	40.4	3.81	4.03	4.04
Boston	168.47	176.76	176.80	40.4	39.9	40.0	4.17	4.43	4.42
Brockton	131.26	133.33	134.46	39.3	39.1	39.2	3.34	3.41	3.43
Fall River	112.67	110.66	114.20	36.7	34.8	35.8	3.07	3.18	3.19
Lawrence--Haverhill	153.71	159.20	161.60	41.1	39.9	40.2	3.74	3.99	4.02
Lowell	140.59	145.06	139.37	40.4	39.1	38.5	3.48	3.71	3.62
New Bedford	129.49	134.94	137.94	39.6	39.0	39.3	3.27	3.46	3.51
Springfield--Chicopee--Holyoke	158.59	162.81	166.06	41.3	40.6	40.8	3.84	4.01	4.07
Worcester	164.22	169.68	170.05	42.0	40.4	40.2	3.91	4.20	4.23
MICHIGAN	223.55	219.91	223.92	43.4	40.8	41.2	5.15	5.39	5.44
Ann Arbor	239.01	235.92	240.30	44.0	41.8	41.9	5.43	5.64	5.74
Battle Creek	214.67	227.31	224.84	42.4	42.8	42.6	5.06	5.31	5.28
Bay City	191.58	215.98	231.27	40.4	43.5	45.1	4.74	4.97	5.13
Detroit	247.17	239.79	245.37	44.9	41.4	41.9	5.51	5.79	5.86
Flint	237.45	234.63	241.96	42.6	39.6	40.3	5.57	5.93	6.00
Grand Rapids	176.98	180.15	180.27	41.1	39.9	39.9	4.31	4.52	4.52
Jackson	195.52	203.27	195.35	41.6	40.8	39.6	4.70	4.98	4.93
Kalamazoo	200.04	207.04	212.02	42.4	41.6	42.0	4.72	4.98	5.05
Lansing--East Lansing	237.54	206.24	218.03	43.3	39.6	38.5	5.49	5.21	5.66
Muskegon--Muskegon Heights	194.14	205.53	203.53	42.8	42.5	42.2	4.54	4.84	4.82
Saginaw	259.69	237.60	241.91	44.3	40.0	39.9	5.86	5.94	6.06

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C-18: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls,
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State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
MINNESOTA	\$170.56	\$179.86	\$179.86	41.0	40.6	40.6	\$4.16	\$4.43	\$4.43
Duluth-Superior	162.00	(*)	(*)	40.5	(*)	(*)	4.00	(*)	(*)
Minneapolis-St. Paul	182.13	191.41	191.76	41.3	40.9	40.8	4.41	4.68	4.70
MISSISSIPPI	115.13	119.42	121.75	39.7	38.9	39.4	2.90	3.07	3.09
Jackson	117.03	122.98	123.16	41.5	39.8	39.6	2.82	3.09	3.11
MISSOURI	158.00	164.67	167.14	39.9	39.3	39.7	3.96	4.19	4.21
Kansas City	176.55	185.14	184.61	40.4	39.9	39.7	4.37	4.64	4.65
St. Joseph	149.65	150.90	153.27	41.0	39.4	39.4	3.65	3.83	3.89
St. Louis	183.06	191.52	195.05	40.5	39.9	40.3	4.52	4.80	4.84
Springfield	134.74	138.99	140.46	40.1	38.5	38.8	3.36	3.61	3.62
MONTANA	179.52	183.65	190.40	40.8	38.5	38.7	4.40	4.77	4.92
NEBRASKA	153.97	156.39	158.16	41.6	40.2	40.3	3.70	3.89	3.92
Lincoln	157.89	151.32	149.81	42.5	39.3	39.2	3.72	3.85	3.82
Omaha	159.30	168.91	171.64	40.5	40.0	40.2	3.93	4.23	4.27
NEVADA	171.70	193.60	194.89	39.2	40.0	40.1	4.38	4.84	4.86
Las Vegas	208.12	216.52	(*)	42.3	40.7	(*)	4.92	5.32	(*)
NEW HAMPSHIRE	133.06	138.64	138.77	40.2	39.5	39.2	3.31	3.51	3.54
Manchester	121.21	124.64	124.36	39.1	38.0	37.8	3.10	3.28	3.29
NEW JERSEY	170.98	180.40	183.40	41.4	41.0	41.4	4.13	4.40	4.43
Atlantic City	138.63	143.91	146.52	40.3	39.0	39.6	3.44	3.69	3.70
Camden	163.93	175.54	175.91	41.5	41.4	41.1	3.95	4.24	4.28
Hackensack	169.72	174.47	179.58	40.7	40.2	41.0	4.17	4.34	4.38
Jersey City	170.85	186.30	186.37	42.5	41.4	41.6	4.02	4.50	4.48
Newark	179.77	185.85	187.65	42.1	41.3	41.7	4.27	4.50	4.50
New Brunswick-Perth Amboy-Sayreville	178.83	195.88	197.40	41.3	41.5	42.0	4.33	4.72	4.70
Paterson-Clifton-Passaic	164.42	170.85	172.94	40.8	40.2	40.5	4.03	4.25	4.27
Trenton	175.13	184.23	189.55	41.5	41.4	42.5	4.22	4.45	4.46
NEW MEXICO	120.08	125.00	120.65	39.5	38.7	38.3	3.04	3.23	3.15
Albuquerque	125.77	131.99	124.66	39.8	39.4	39.2	3.16	3.35	3.18
NEW YORK	164.39	172.18	173.41	39.9	39.4	39.5	4.12	4.37	4.39
Albany-Schenectady-Troy	174.60	181.30	183.51	40.7	40.2	40.6	4.29	4.51	4.52
Binghamton	158.65	163.22	167.68	41.1	40.3	40.6	3.86	4.05	4.13
Buffalo	203.77	210.12	209.79	41.5	40.8	40.5	4.91	5.15	5.18
Elmira	160.33	171.40	169.73	40.9	41.3	40.8	3.92	4.15	4.16
Monroe County	204.54	214.34	212.38	42.0	41.7	41.4	4.87	5.14	5.13
Nassau-Suffolk	158.40	167.90	169.97	39.7	39.6	39.9	3.99	4.24	4.26
New York-Northeastern New Jersey	162.39	170.99	(*)	39.9	39.4	(*)	4.07	4.34	(*)
New York and Nassau-Suffolk	153.62	160.40	162.01	38.5	38.1	38.3	3.99	4.21	4.23
New York SMSA	152.82	158.76	160.36	38.3	37.8	38.0	3.99	4.20	4.22
New York City	151.64	158.25	159.89	38.1	37.5	37.8	3.98	4.22	4.23
Poughkeepsie	180.58	185.77	183.42	41.8	41.1	40.4	4.32	4.52	4.54
Rochester	196.04	202.78	203.53	41.8	41.3	41.2	4.69	4.91	4.94
Rockland County	159.98	174.29	175.54	40.5	42.2	42.4	3.95	4.13	4.14
Syracuse	182.33	190.99	193.16	42.6	41.7	41.9	4.28	4.58	4.61
Utica-Rome	152.48	160.79	160.00	41.1	40.5	40.1	3.71	3.97	3.99
Westchester County	160.80	160.79	162.79	39.9	39.8	39.9	4.03	4.04	4.08
NORTH CAROLINA	118.26	125.37	125.53	40.5	39.8	39.6	2.92	3.15	3.17
Asheville	112.00	121.13	122.36	40.0	39.2	39.6	2.80	3.09	3.09
Charlotte	128.44	136.12	135.46	41.7	41.0	40.8	3.08	3.32	3.32
Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point	131.34	142.48	142.88	39.8	39.8	39.8	3.30	3.58	3.59
Raleigh	119.80	128.70	127.59	40.2	39.6	38.9	2.98	3.25	3.28
NORTH DAKOTA	134.52	145.30	143.89	39.8	39.7	39.1	3.38	3.66	3.68
Fargo-Moorhead	160.75	150.15	154.45	40.8	38.5	39.5	3.94	3.90	3.91

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**C-18: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls,
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State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
OHIO	\$195.77	\$200.90	\$203.53	42.1	41.0	41.2	\$4.65	\$4.90	\$4.94
Akron	211.72	214.76	217.88	42.6	41.7	41.9	4.97	5.15	5.20
Canton	192.58	196.91	200.79	40.8	39.7	40.4	4.72	4.96	4.97
Cincinnati	181.43	192.46	198.24	41.9	41.3	42.0	4.33	4.66	4.72
Cleveland	204.34	207.25	214.04	43.2	41.7	42.3	4.73	4.97	5.06
Columbus	177.76	182.62	188.07	40.4	39.7	40.1	4.40	4.60	4.69
Dayton	212.29	209.20	208.08	42.8	40.7	40.8	4.96	5.14	5.10
Toledo	214.35	220.25	220.90	42.7	41.4	41.6	5.02	5.32	5.31
Youngstown-Warren	209.30	220.05	214.24	41.2	40.6	39.6	5.08	5.42	5.41
OKLAHOMA	143.87	152.78	154.73	40.3	40.1	40.4	3.57	3.81	3.83
Oklahoma City	145.60	157.95	160.74	40.0	40.5	40.9	3.64	3.90	3.93
Tulsa	157.87	166.87	168.49	40.9	40.7	40.6	3.86	4.10	4.15
OREGON	177.75	186.42	187.68	39.5	39.0	39.1	4.50	4.78	4.80
Eugene-Springfield	193.81	193.15	(*)	41.5	39.1	(*)	4.67	4.94	(*)
Portland	172.77	184.24	(*)	39.0	39.2	(*)	4.43	4.70	(*)
PENNSYLVANIA	165.24	172.53	175.47	40.4	39.3	39.7	40.9	4.39	4.42
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton	164.34	170.23	173.94	39.6	38.6	39.0	4.15	4.41	4.46
Altoona	128.66	136.11	141.23	37.4	37.6	38.8	3.44	3.62	3.64
Delaware Valley ⁶	171.28	178.85	180.59	40.3	40.1	40.4	4.25	4.46	4.47
Erie	172.18	186.46	186.85	42.2	41.9	41.8	4.08	4.45	4.47
Harrisburg	151.37	157.61	159.57	40.8	39.6	39.4	3.71	3.98	4.05
Johnstown	164.25	174.54	179.73	37.5	36.9	37.6	4.38	4.73	4.78
Lancaster	151.07	154.03	154.80	40.5	38.7	38.7	3.73	3.98	4.00
Philadelphia SMSA	170.51	178.53	180.23	40.5	40.3	40.5	4.21	4.43	4.45
Pittsburgh	192.40	208.49	211.87	41.2	40.8	41.3	4.67	5.11	5.13
Reading	150.82	159.96	161.96	39.9	39.4	39.6	3.78	4.06	4.09
Scranton	121.51	125.31	126.36	36.6	35.2	35.1	3.32	3.56	3.60
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	122.06	128.13	130.24	37.1	36.4	37.0	3.29	3.52	3.52
Williamsport	138.02	150.15	153.66	39.1	38.6	39.3	3.53	3.89	3.91
York	151.84	163.46	163.93	41.6	41.7	41.5	3.65	3.92	3.95
RHODE ISLAND	130.35	138.65	139.79	39.5	39.5	39.6	3.30	3.51	3.53
Providence-Warwick-Pawtucket	131.74	139.35	140.49	39.8	39.7	39.8	3.31	3.51	3.53
SOUTH CAROLINA	121.24	128.38	127.52	41.1	40.5	40.1	2.95	3.17	3.18
Charleston	135.05	144.14	144.55	41.3	41.3	41.3	3.27	3.49	3.50
Columbia	119.95	131.14	131.95	40.8	40.6	40.6	2.94	3.23	3.25
Greenville-Spartanburg	122.18	129.28	126.72	41.0	40.4	39.6	2.98	3.20	3.20
SOUTH DAKOTA	136.12	148.37	151.74	41.5	41.1	40.9	3.28	3.61	3.71
Sioux Falls	170.04	196.69	199.81	43.6	44.5	44.7	3.90	4.42	4.47
TENNESSEE ²	128.64	137.36	(*)	40.2	39.7	(*)	3.20	3.46	(*)
Chattanooga ¹	134.80	149.33	(*)	40.0	40.8	(*)	3.37	3.66	(*)
Knoxville ¹	149.37	159.18	(*)	40.7	39.4	(*)	3.67	4.04	(*)
Memphis ¹	156.33	165.24	(*)	41.8	40.9	(*)	3.74	4.04	(*)
Nashville-Davidson ¹	128.37	136.02	(*)	38.9	38.1	(*)	3.30	3.57	(*)
TEXAS	150.75	159.53	160.70	41.3	40.8	41.1	3.65	3.91	3.91
Amarillo	127.92	136.12	136.51	40.1	39.8	39.8	3.19	3.42	3.43
Austin	128.96	133.40	137.43	41.2	41.3	41.9	3.13	3.23	3.28
Beaumont-Port Arthur-Orange	201.55	206.52	210.71	40.8	40.1	40.6	4.94	5.15	5.19
Corpus Christi	175.10	181.45	181.83	42.5	42.1	41.8	4.12	4.31	4.35
Dallas	137.90	147.17	150.51	40.8	40.1	40.9	3.38	3.67	3.68
El Paso	100.30	110.76	108.86	39.8	39.0	37.8	2.52	2.84	2.88
Fort Worth	153.92	158.40	156.29	41.6	40.0	40.7	3.70	3.96	3.84
Galveston-Texas City	228.02	234.73	238.95	42.7	42.6	42.9	5.34	5.51	5.57
Houston	183.60	198.26	194.68	43.2	43.1	42.6	4.25	4.60	4.57
Lubbock	124.03	120.64	117.19	40.8	37.7	37.2	3.04	3.20	3.15
San Antonio	118.15	124.53	125.63	42.5	41.1	41.6	2.78	3.03	3.02
Waco	133.01	140.49	139.83	40.8	39.8	39.5	3.26	3.53	3.54
Wichita Falls	110.40	121.21	123.72	40.0	39.1	39.4	2.76	3.10	3.14

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State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Mar. 1973	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
UTAH	\$153.27	\$155.14	\$155.52	39.3	38.4	38.4	\$3.90	\$4.04	\$4.05
Salt Lake City-Ogden	148.74	154.35	153.54	40.2	40.3	40.3	3.70	3.83	3.81
VERMONT	142.27	150.43	152.31	41.6	41.1	41.5	3.42	3.66	3.67
Burlington	161.16	175.96	173.47	42.3	42.4	41.9	3.81	4.15	4.14
Springfield	169.03	178.91	181.88	42.9	42.7	43.1	3.94	4.19	4.22
VIRGINIA	133.01	139.60	140.00	40.8	40.0	40.0	3.26	3.49	3.50
Lynchburg	137.49	138.24	141.10	42.7	40.9	41.5	3.22	3.38	3.40
Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Portsmouth	151.20	150.88	105.32	42.0	41.0	40.3	3.60	3.68	3.73
Northern Virginia ⁹	166.69	172.18	177.68	39.5	39.4	40.2	4.22	4.37	4.42
Richmond	147.13	157.99	156.70	40.2	39.4	38.5	3.66	4.01	4.07
Roanoke	120.90	126.62	128.05	40.3	39.2	39.4	3.00	3.23	3.25
WASHINGTON	185.57	194.89	196.06	39.4	38.9	38.9	4.71	5.01	5.04
Seattle-Everett	191.92	200.07	202.91	39.9	39.0	39.4	4.81	5.13	5.15
Spokane	176.76	184.14	186.19	39.9	39.6	39.7	4.43	4.65	4.69
Tacoma	185.64	193.92	197.73	39.0	38.4	39.0	4.76	5.05	5.07
WEST VIRGINIA	163.62	170.64	173.01	40.6	39.5	39.5	4.03	4.32	4.38
Charleston	192.43	200.03	198.13	42.2	42.2	41.8	4.56	4.74	4.74
Huntington-Ashland	181.93	178.94	187.20	40.7	38.4	39.0	4.47	4.66	4.80
Wheeling	170.14	175.74	182.66	40.9	40.4	40.5	4.16	4.35	4.51
WISCONSIN	183.08	190.87	193.86	41.9	41.1	41.6	4.37	4.64	4.67
Appleton-Oshkosh	178.76	183.92	188.05	43.1	41.9	42.5	4.15	4.38	4.43
Green Bay	181.14	193.58	194.68	42.7	42.3	42.2	4.24	4.58	4.61
Kenosha	230.02	248.04	256.64	43.4	43.2	43.9	5.31	5.74	5.84
La Crosse	140.72	165.43	166.11	40.0	42.0	42.4	3.51	3.93	3.92
Madison	192.82	205.39	203.31	40.6	40.4	40.2	4.75	5.09	5.06
Milwaukee	199.18	208.58	212.74	42.0	41.3	41.8	4.75	5.05	5.09
Racine	192.86	194.62	201.49	41.8	40.2	40.7	4.61	4.84	4.95
WYOMING	161.15	180.48	190.95	39.4	38.4	40.2	4.09	4.70	4.75
Casper	191.68	214.78	230.44	41.4	39.7	39.8	4.63	5.41	5.79
Cheyenne	156.14	178.19	191.17	37.0	34.4	35.6	4.22	5.18	5.37

¹ Area definition revised. For details see Area Definitions in back of book.

² Revised series; not strictly comparable with previously published data.

³ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.

⁴ Area included in the New York-Northeastern New Jersey Standard Consolidated Area.

⁵ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

⁶ Area included in New York and Nassau-Suffolk combined SMSA's.

⁷ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

⁸ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties, Pennsylvania.

⁹ Subarea of Washington, D.C. Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties, Virginia.

^{*} Not available.

p= preliminary.

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
LABOR TURNOVER**

D-2: Labor turnover rates, by industry

(Per 100 employees)

SIC Code	Industry	Accession rates				Separation rates					
		Total		New hires		Total		Quits		Layoffs	
		Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^P
-	MANUFACTURING	3.6	4.0	2.7	3.0	4.0	4.3	1.9	2.2	1.2	1.1
19,24,25,32-39	DURABLE GOODS	3.4	3.8	2.5	2.9	3.9	4.1	1.6	2.0	1.3	1.0
20-23,26-31	NONDURABLE GOODS	4.0	4.2	3.0	3.2	4.2	4.6	2.3	2.6	1.1	1.2
	<i>Durable Goods</i>										
19	ORDNANCE AND ACCESSORIES	2.1	-	1.2	-	2.6	-	.8	-	1.3	-
192	Ammunition, except for small arms	2.1	-	1.1	-	2.9	-	.7	-	1.7	-
24	LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	4.9	5.8	3.9	4.7	5.1	5.9	3.0	3.5	1.3	1.3
242	Sawmills and planing mills	4.3	-	3.7	-	4.6	-	2.8	-	.9	-
2421	Sawmills and planing mills, general	4.0	-	3.3	-	4.1	-	2.4	-	.8	-
243	Millwork, plywood & related products	4.0	-	3.0	-	4.7	-	2.6	-	1.4	-
2431	Millwork	4.0	-	2.6	-	4.7	-	2.3	-	1.7	-
2432	Veneer and plywood	3.9	-	3.3	-	4.2	-	2.8	-	.6	-
244	Wooden containers	6.9	-	6.5	-	6.8	-	5.4	-	.6	-
2441,2	Wooden boxes, shooks, and crates	6.0	-	5.7	-	6.0	-	4.7	-	.4	-
249	Miscellaneous wood products	5.8	-	5.0	-	5.6	-	3.5	-	.7	-
25	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	4.7	5.2	4.0	4.5	5.6	6.4	3.4	3.9	1.1	1.3
251	Household furniture	4.9	-	4.3	-	5.9	-	3.7	-	1.1	-
2511	Wood household furniture	5.1	-	4.5	-	6.3	-	4.1	-	1.0	-
2512	Upholstered household furniture	4.1	-	3.5	-	5.1	-	3.2	-	1.0	-
2515	Mattresses and bedsprings	4.4	-	3.6	-	5.8	-	2.8	-	1.3	-
252	Office furniture	4.4	-	3.9	-	4.2	-	2.8	-	.6	-
32	STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	3.8	4.4	2.7	3.2	4.0	4.3	1.9	2.2	1.1	1.1
321	Flat glass	2.9	-	.3	-	4.9	-	.3	-	4.0	-
322	Glass and glassware, pressed or blown	2.6	-	1.6	-	3.3	-	1.2	-	1.0	-
3221	Glass containers	2.8	-	1.8	-	3.7	-	1.4	-	1.6	-
3229	Pressed and blown glass, n e c	2.2	-	1.4	-	2.8	-	1.0	-	.4	-
324	Cement, hydraulic	1.7	-	1.0	-	1.2	-	.4	-	.2	-
325	Structural clay products	5.0	-	4.2	-	4.9	-	3.4	-	.6	-
3251	Brick and structural clay tile	6.2	-	4.9	-	5.2	-	4.1	-	.4	-
326	Pottery and related products	3.5	-	2.9	-	4.3	-	2.4	-	.6	-
3291	Abrasive products	2.6	-	2.3	-	2.5	-	1.3	-	.3	-
33	PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	2.5	2.8	1.9	2.0	2.9	3.0	1.1	1.3	.8	.6
331	Blast furnace and basic steel products	1.7	-	1.0	-	2.1	-	.6	-	.6	-
3312	Blast furnaces and steel mills	1.6	-	.8	-	1.9	-	.5	-	.5	-
332	Iron and steel foundries	4.3	-	3.6	-	4.7	-	2.2	-	1.1	-
3321	Gray iron foundries	4.1	-	3.3	-	5.2	-	2.3	-	1.6	-
3322	Malleable iron foundries	4.6	-	4.2	-	4.8	-	2.7	-	.2	-
3323	Steel foundries	4.6	-	3.9	-	3.6	-	2.0	-	.3	-
333,4	Nonferrous metals	2.2	-	2.0	-	1.9	-	.9	-	.1	-
335	Nonferrous rolling and drawing	1.8	-	1.5	-	2.2	-	.8	-	.7	-
3351	Copper rolling and drawing	2.4	-	1.9	-	2.0	-	.8	-	.5	-
3352	Aluminum rolling and drawing	1.6	-	1.2	-	1.7	-	.8	-	.4	-
3357	Nonferrous wire drawing, and insulating	1.8	-	1.6	-	2.6	-	1.0	-	.9	-
336	Nonferrous foundries	4.7	-	3.5	-	5.2	-	2.3	-	1.6	-
3361	Aluminum castings	5.0	-	3.7	-	5.9	-	2.5	-	1.7	-
3362,9	Other nonferrous castings	4.2	-	3.3	-	4.5	-	2.0	-	1.4	-
339	Miscellaneous primary metal products	2.9	-	2.6	-	3.1	-	1.4	-	.7	-
3391	Iron and steel forgings	2.7	-	2.3	-	3.1	-	1.2	-	.9	-

See footnotes at end of table.

D-2: Labor turnover rates, by industry--Continued

SIC Code	Industry	(Per 100 employees)									
		Accession rates				Separation rates					
		Total		New hires		Total		Quits		Layoffs	
Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974P		
	<i>Durable Goods--Continued</i>										
34	FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	4.0	-	3.0	-	4.6	-	2.0	-	1.5	-
341	Metal cans	3.9	-	1.0	-	6.2	-	.7	-	4.2	-
342	Cutlery, hand tools, and hardware	3.2	-	2.7	-	4.6	-	1.8	-	2.0	-
3421,3,5	Cutlery and hand tools, incl. saws	3.3	-	3.0	-	3.4	-	2.0	-	.6	-
3429	Hardware, n e c	3.1	-	2.4	-	5.7	-	1.6	-	3.2	-
343	Plumbing and heating, except electric	3.4	-	2.9	-	4.4	-	1.8	-	1.7	-
3431,2	Sanitary ware & plumbers' brass goods	3.5	-	3.2	-	4.1	-	2.1	-	1.2	-
3433	Heating equipment, except electric	3.3	-	2.6	-	4.7	-	1.5	-	2.2	-
344	Fabricated structural metal products	4.2	-	3.5	-	4.4	-	2.3	-	1.1	-
3441	Fabricated structural steel	4.2	-	3.4	-	4.6	-	2.3	-	1.1	-
3443	Fabricated plate work (boiler shops)	3.2	-	2.9	-	2.6	-	1.5	-	.4	-
3446,9	Architectural and misc. metal work	4.9	-	3.9	-	5.5	-	2.7	-	1.5	-
345	Screw machine products, bolts, etc.	3.7	-	3.5	-	4.2	-	2.3	-	.8	-
3452	Bolts, nuts, rivets, and washers	2.6	-	2.3	-	3.1	-	1.5	-	.6	-
346	Metal stampings	4.4	-	1.9	-	4.8	-	1.5	-	2.3	-
348	Misc. fabricated wire products	3.8	-	3.2	-	4.7	-	2.5	-	1.3	-
349	Misc. fabricated metal products	3.6	-	3.2	-	3.2	-	1.8	-	.5	-
3494,8	Valves, pipe, and pipe fittings	3.4	-	3.2	-	3.1	-	1.8	-	.4	-
35	MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	2.9	3.3	2.5	2.8	2.7	3.1	1.3	1.7	.5	0.4
351	Engines and turbines	1.7	-	1.1	-	1.9	-	.6	-	.3	-
3511	Steam engines and turbines	1.3	-	.7	-	1.9	-	.5	-	.2	-
3519	Internal combustion engines, n e c	1.9	-	1.4	-	1.9	-	.7	-	.3	-
352	Farm machinery	4.0	-	3.3	-	3.1	-	1.7	-	.3	-
353	Construction and related machinery	2.7	-	2.3	-	2.1	-	1.1	-	.2	-
3531,2	Construction and mining machinery	2.2	-	1.7	-	1.6	-	.8	-	.1	-
3533	Oil field machinery	4.0	-	3.8	-	2.5	-	1.7	-	(1)	-
3535,6	Conveyors, hoists, cranes, monorails	2.9	-	2.7	-	2.5	-	1.2	-	.3	-
354	Metal working machinery	3.0	-	2.6	-	2.6	-	1.4	-	.5	-
3541	Machine tools, metal cutting types	2.4	-	2.2	-	1.9	-	1.0	-	.2	-
3545	Machine tool accessories	2.5	-	2.3	-	1.9	-	1.2	-	.1	-
3542,8	Misc. metal working machinery	3.0	-	2.7	-	2.3	-	1.4	-	.3	-
355	Special industry machinery	2.9	-	2.7	-	2.5	-	1.3	-	.3	-
3551	Food products machinery	3.2	-	3.0	-	2.4	-	1.4	-	.3	-
3552	Textile machinery	3.6	-	3.4	-	3.3	-	1.9	-	.4	-
356	General industrial machinery	3.2	-	2.7	-	2.6	-	1.2	-	.5	-
3561	Pumps and compressors	3.4	-	3.0	-	2.5	-	1.2	-	.4	-
3562	Ball and roller bearings	2.8	-	1.7	-	3.2	-	.9	-	1.2	-
3566	Power transmission equipment	2.8	-	2.6	-	2.0	-	1.1	-	.1	-
357	Office and computing machines	2.3	-	1.9	-	2.5	-	1.1	-	.7	-
3573	Electronic computing equipment	2.1	-	1.8	-	2.5	-	.9	-	.9	-
358	Service industry machines	3.0	-	2.5	-	3.5	-	1.5	-	1.1	-
3585	Refrigeration machinery	3.1	-	2.5	-	3.6	-	1.4	-	1.2	-
36	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES	2.9	-	2.2	-	3.4	-	1.5	-	.9	-
361	Electric test & distributing equipment	2.5	-	2.1	-	2.3	-	1.2	-	.3	-
3611	Electric measuring instruments	3.0	-	2.6	-	2.2	-	1.3	-	.1	-
3612	Transformers	2.7	-	2.2	-	2.7	-	1.3	-	.6	-
3613	Switchgear and switchboard apparatus	1.9	-	1.5	-	2.2	-	1.0	-	.2	-
362	Electrical industrial apparatus	2.9	-	2.3	-	2.8	-	1.4	-	.5	-
3621	Motors and generators	3.1	-	2.2	-	3.4	-	1.5	-	.9	-
3622	Industrial controls	2.2	-	1.9	-	2.0	-	1.1	-	.1	-
363	Household appliances	3.0	-	2.2	-	4.0	-	1.5	-	1.4	-
3632	Household refrigerators and freezers	3.6	-	2.5	-	2.6	-	1.0	-	.3	-
3633	Household laundry equipment	1.4	-	.7	-	4.1	-	.6	-	2.3	-
3634	Electric housewares and fans	4.0	-	3.4	-	5.1	-	2.6	-	1.7	-
364	Electric lighting and wiring equipment	3.4	-	2.7	-	4.5	-	1.8	-	1.7	-
3641	Electric lamps	2.0	-	1.0	-	3.8	-	.8	-	2.0	-
3642	Lighting fixtures	4.1	-	3.2	-	6.7	-	2.2	-	3.4	-
3643,4	Wiring devices	3.6	-	3.1	-	3.4	-	1.9	-	.5	-
365	Radio and TV receiving equipment	3.6	-	2.1	-	6.2	-	2.2	-	2.7	-
366	Communication equipment	1.9	-	1.4	-	2.0	-	.9	-	.5	-
3661	Telephone and telegraph apparatus	1.3	-	1.1	-	1.4	-	.7	-	.2	-
3662	Radio and TV communication equipment	2.2	-	1.6	-	2.2	-	1.0	-	.6	-
367	Electronic components and accessories	3.6	-	2.8	-	4.0	-	2.2	-	.6	-
3671-3	Electron tubes	2.7	-	1.0	-	3.9	-	1.3	-	1.1	-
3674,9	Other electronic components	3.7	-	3.1	-	4.0	-	2.3	-	.5	-
369	Misc. electrical equipment & supplies	2.4	-	1.9	-	3.9	-	1.5	-	1.6	-
3694	Engine electrical equipment	1.9	-	1.3	-	3.9	-	1.1	-	1.9	-

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LABOR TURNOVER**

D-2: Labor turnover rates, by industry--Continued

(Per 100 employees)

SIC Code	Industry	Accession rates				Separation rates					
		Total		New hires		Total		Quits		Layoffs	
		Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p	Feb. 1974	Mar. 1974 ^p
	<i>Nondurable Goods--Continued</i>										
31	LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	6.3	6.9	4.6	5.4	6.4	7.0	4.1	4.4	1.2	1.3
311	Leather tanning and finishing	5.8	-	3.8	-	7.8	-	2.5	-	3.9	-
314	Footwear, except rubber	6.1	-	4.5	-	6.4	-	4.2	-	1.0	-
	NONMANUFACTURING										
10	METAL MINING	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.5	1.5	1.6	(¹)	.2
101	Iron ores	2.0	-	1.5	-	1.2	-	.4	-	(¹)	-
102	Copper ores	3.3	-	2.6	-	2.9	-	1.8	-	(¹)	-
11,12	COAL MINING	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.9	1.3	.8	.8	.7	.1
12	Bituminous coal and lignite mining	1.9	-	1.6	-	1.9	-	.7	-	.6	-
	COMMUNICATION:										
481	Telephone communication .....	.8	-	-	-	.8	-	.5	-	(¹)	-
482	Telegraph communication ²	2.4	-	-	-	2.3	-	1.4	-	.3	-

¹ Less than 0.05.

² Data relate to all employees except messengers.

p=preliminary.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA LABOR TURNOVER**

D-4: Labor turnover rates in manufacturing for selected States and areas

State and area	(Per 100 employees)									
	Accession rates				Separation rates					
	Total		New hires		Total		Quits		Layoffs	
Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	
ALABAMA:										
Birmingham	3.7	3.4	3.0	2.5	3.0	3.7	1.8	1.5	0.5	1.3
Mobile ¹	6.1	4.5	4.9	3.6	5.1	4.4	2.5	2.2	1.4	1.2
ALASKA	11.4	13.9	8.3	7.6	10.1	11.7	4.5	5.4	4.7	4.7
ARIZONA	4.9	3.7	4.2	3.1	4.9	4.2	2.8	2.2	1.0	.9
Phoenix	5.0	4.2	4.2	3.5	5.7	5.2	2.9	2.6	1.5	1.4
ARKANSAS	6.5	5.7	5.5	4.9	6.7	6.4	4.3	4.3	1.2	1.1
Fort Smith	7.9	5.2	6.2	4.8	5.6	5.8	4.1	4.2	.2	.2
Little Rock—North Little Rock	8.6	6.7	7.4	5.6	7.4	6.8	4.6	4.6	.3	.3
Pine Bluff	5.0	6.2	3.7	4.9	5.9	4.7	4.0	3.9	1.0	.1
COLORADO	4.1	3.9	3.3	3.1	9.8	4.1	2.8	2.1	5.9	1.3
Denver	4.3	4.3	3.8	3.5	5.1	3.7	2.7	2.3	1.3	.6
CONNECTICUT	3.2	2.7	2.4	2.2	3.1	2.8	1.6	1.4	.6	.6
Hartford	2.7	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.5	2.2	1.3	1.2	.5	.4
DELAWARE¹	9.3	2.7	8.4	1.4	13.0	5.3	1.2	1.0	10.8	3.5
Wilmington ¹	9.3	2.8	8.3	1.3	13.1	5.3	.9	.8	11.2	5.2
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:										
Washington SMSA ²	2.8	(*)	2.5	(*)	2.8	(*)	1.9	(*)	.2	(*)
FLORIDA	8.4	(*)	7.6	(*)	8.4	(*)	5.4	(*)	1.6	(*)
Fort Lauderdale—Hollywood	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Jacksonville	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Miami	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Orlando	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Pensacola	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
Tampa—St. Petersburg	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
West Palm Beach—Boca Raton	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)	(*)
GEORGIA	6.5	4.9	5.6	4.2	6.8	5.7	4.5	3.7	1.0	.9
Atlanta ³	4.4	3.8	3.8	3.4	5.3	4.7	3.1	2.5	1.0	1.2
HAWAII⁴	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.5	2.8	1.8	1.3	1.0	.7	.3
IDAHO⁵	4.5	4.3	3.8	3.5	5.4	4.1	2.0	2.1	2.6	1.0
ILLINOIS:										
Chicago	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.7	4.2	3.4	2.2	1.8	.8	.5
INDIANA	3.1	3.1	2.1	1.8	4.5	3.8	1.3	1.2	2.0	1.7
Indianapolis ⁶	3.0	2.3	2.0	1.8	4.1	2.8	1.2	1.3	1.8	.7
IOWA	4.1	3.3	3.2	2.7	3.6	3.5	2.2	1.9	.8	1.0
Cedar Rapids	3.4	3.6	2.5	2.4	2.7	3.6	1.4	1.2	.8	1.7
Des Moines	5.0	4.4	4.2	3.8	3.6	4.1	2.4	2.9	.2	.3
KANSAS	5.2	5.0	4.0	3.5	8.7	4.4	2.8	2.4	4.9	1.2
Topeka	2.9	3.9	2.1	2.3	2.9	2.7	.9	1.0	1.2	1.0
Wichita	4.9	4.0	3.8	3.2	5.0	3.5	2.6	2.3	1.3	.3
KENTUCKY	3.5	2.9	2.7	1.9	3.8	3.7	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.3
Louisville	2.7	2.2	2.0	1.4	2.7	2.5	1.2	1.0	.4	.5
LOUISIANA:										
New Orleans	4.4	3.9	2.5	2.9	4.4	4.2	2.0	1.9	1.2	1.4
MAINE	5.5	4.7	4.3	3.5	5.5	6.5	3.0	2.9	1.6	2.6
Portland	3.9	2.6	3.5	2.4	5.8	3.5	2.9	2.0	2.0	.8
MARYLAND	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.3	3.9	3.8	1.7	1.6	1.2	1.2
Baltimore	3.1	2.9	2.3	2.1	3.3	3.1	1.5	1.4	.8	.8
MASSACHUSETTS	4.1	3.3	3.2	2.7	4.4	3.5	2.1	1.8	1.4	1.0
Boston	3.7	3.2	2.7	2.5	5.1	3.7	1.8	1.6	2.2	1.4
MICHIGAN	2.5	2.9	1.2	1.3	6.5	5.6	1.0	.9	4.4	3.8
Detroit	2.6	2.6	1.2	1.1	5.8	5.9	1.0	.9	3.5	4.2

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D-4: Labor turnover rates in manufacturing for selected States and areas--Continued

(Per 100 employees)

State and area	Accession rates				Separation rates					
	Total		New hires		Total		Quits		Layoffs	
	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P	Jan. 1974	Feb. 1974 ^P
PENNSYLVANIA—Continued										
Philadelphia SMSA	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.0	3.6	2.8	1.4	1.2	1.2	0.8
Pittsburgh	2.3	2.2	1.3	1.1	2.5	2.7	.6	.5	1.1	1.5
Reading	3.9	3.6	3.2	2.6	5.3	5.3	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.7
Scranton ¹³	3.5	3.9	2.5	2.3	4.9	5.6	1.8	1.7	2.6	3.3
Wilkes-Barre—Hazleton ¹⁴	4.5	4.2	2.7	2.3	3.9	5.1	1.7	2.1	1.7	2.3
York	5.2	4.3	4.0	3.3	5.2	5.1	2.8	2.4	1.6	2.0
RHODE ISLAND										
Providence—Warwick—Pawtucket	5.4	5.2	4.1	4.4	5.0	4.9	2.8	3.2	1.3	.8
Providence—Warwick—Pawtucket	5.4	5.1	4.2	4.3	4.9	4.8	2.9	3.2	1.2	.8
SOUTH CAROLINA:										
Greenville—Spartanburg	6.9	5.7	6.2	5.1	7.1	6.1	5.2	4.6	.6	.3
SOUTH DAKOTA										
Sioux Falls	4.6	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.9	3.4	2.4	1.9	.7	.5
Sioux Falls	3.6	2.5	3.2	1.7	3.0	3.3	1.7	1.5	.5	1.1
TENNESSEE:										
Memphis ¹⁵	4.2	4.8	3.2	4.0	4.7	3.9	2.3	2.4	1.3	.5
TEXAS:										
Dallas	5.0	4.5	4.6	4.2	4.7	4.5	3.3	3.2	.3	.4
Fort Worth	6.8	5.5	6.1	4.9	6.1	5.0	3.9	3.4	1.0	.7
Houston	5.0	4.3	4.7	3.9	4.3	3.8	2.9	2.6	.3	.2
San Antonio	5.8	4.8	5.3	4.7	5.7	5.0	3.8	3.3	.8	.4
UTAH⁵										
Salt Lake City—Ogden ⁵	5.8	4.4	4.4	3.6	5.1	3.5	2.4	2.1	1.7	.5
Salt Lake City—Ogden ⁵	5.3	4.2	4.8	3.8	3.8	3.2	2.3	2.1	.6	.4
VERMONT										
Burlington	4.6	3.5	2.7	2.7	3.2	3.0	1.8	1.8	.8	.5
Burlington	2.2	1.6	1.3	1.0	2.1	1.3	.7	.5	.8	.4
Springfield	3.0	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.4	2.7	1.3	1.3	.4	.6
VIRGINIA										
Richmond	4.3	3.5	3.4	2.8	4.4	3.7	2.7	2.3	.8	.6
Richmond	4.0	2.7	3.0	2.4	3.0	3.7	1.9	1.7	.3	1.0
WASHINGTON:										
Seattle—Everett ¹⁵	4.1	3.1	2.7	2.6	3.5	2.7	1.5	1.2	1.1	.8
WEST VIRGINIA:										
Charleston .....	.9	.8	.5	.6	.6	.8	.2	.3	.1	(¹⁶)
WISCONSIN										
Milwaukee	3.5	3.1	2.5	2.3	4.8	3.8	1.7	1.3	2.2	1.7
Milwaukee	3.6	3.2	2.8	2.3	4.3	3.3	1.9	1.4	1.1	.9
WYOMING										
.....	4.5	2.4	3.9	2.0	5.2	9.4	2.7	2.3	1.7	6.4

¹ Excludes canning and preserving.
² Area definition revised. For details see Area Definitions in back of book.
³ Excludes agricultural chemicals, and miscellaneous manufacturing.
⁴ Excludes canned fruits, vegetables, preserves, jams and jellies.
⁵ Excludes canning and preserving, and sugar.
⁶ Excludes canning and preserving, and newspapers.
⁷ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.
⁸ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.
⁹ Area included in New York and Nassau—Suffolk combined SMSA's.
¹⁰ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.
¹¹ Excludes new-hire rate for transportation equipment.
¹² Initial inclusion in this publication.
¹³ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Lackawanna County.
¹⁴ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Luzerne County.
¹⁵ Excludes canning and preserving, printing and publishing.
¹⁶ Less than 0.05.
^P Not available.
^P preliminary.

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

E-1. Insured unemployment under State programs

(Week including the 12th of the month)

State	Number (in thousands)					Rate (percent of average covered employment)		
	April 1973	March 1974	April 1974	Change from ¹		April 1973	March 1974	April 1974
				April 1973	March 1974			
TOTAL ^{2,3}	1,683.7	2,533.3	2,274.3	585.6	-264.0	2.9	4.0	3.6
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	1,596.9	2,139.2	2,148.4	551.6	9.3	2.7	3.4	3.4
Alabama	17.3	24.0	22.1	4.9	-1.8	2.1	2.7	2.5
Alaska	7.0	9.5	7.7	.8	-1.8	10.8	13.8	11.0
Arizona	10.8	19.6	18.4	7.6	-1.2	2.2	3.5	3.2
Arkansas	13.1	17.4	16.1	3.0	-1.3	2.9	3.6	3.2
California*	246.5	321.4	294.9	48.4	-26.4	4.3	5.2	4.7
Colorado	8.4	15.9	11.9	3.5	-4.0	1.6	2.2	1.6
Connecticut	35.9	49.3	47.1	11.2	-2.2	3.2	4.2	4.0
Delaware	3.0	9.0	6.8	3.8	-2.2	1.5	4.3	3.2
District of Columbia	6.8	8.2	8.1	1.3	-.1	1.9	2.3	2.2
Florida	21.8	42.4	40.1	18.2	-2.3	1.1	1.9	1.8
Georgia	14.7	30.4	25.8	11.1	-4.6	1.1	2.1	1.8
Hawaii	13.8	14.2	13.4	-.4	-.7	5.0	4.8	4.5
Idaho	6.8	10.2	8.7	1.9	-1.5	3.8	5.2	4.4
Illinois	77.1	101.0	90.3	13.3	-10.7	2.2	2.8	2.4
Indiana	22.6	55.6	47.0	24.4	-8.5	1.5	3.4	2.8
Iowa	14.0	17.2	12.2	-1.9	-5.0	2.0	2.2	1.6
Kansas	9.2	16.9	12.4	3.2	-4.4	1.8	3.0	2.2
Kentucky	19.6	28.5	24.4	4.7	-4.2	2.8	3.6	3.0
Louisiana	28.2	31.3	30.7	2.5	-.5	3.3	3.3	3.2
Maine	12.2	17.2	15.5	3.2	-1.7	4.8	6.2	5.5
Maryland	25.5	34.8	30.1	4.6	-4.7	2.4	3.1	2.7
Massachusetts	84.1	121.4	108.9	24.7	-12.5	4.5	6.2	5.5
Michigan	85.3	221.4	191.4	6.0	-30.0	3.4	8.4	7.0
Minnesota	35.0	54.6	47.9	12.9	-6.7	3.3	4.7	4.1
Mississippi	8.0	10.0	9.6	1.6	-.4	1.7	1.9	1.8
Missouri	40.6	47.3	41.5	.9	-5.8	3.1	3.3	2.9
Montana	6.1	9.4	8.1	2.0	-1.3	4.1	5.9	5.0
Nebraska	6.9	10.8	7.7	.8	-3.1	1.9	2.6	1.9
Nevada	8.0	12.0	10.5	2.5	-1.5	4.5	6.2	5.3
New Hampshire	4.2	7.6	7.7	3.5	.1	1.8	3.1	3.1
New Jersey	100.2	147.0	137.3	37.1	-9.7	4.7	6.5	6.0
New Mexico	8.9	10.9	10.1	1.2	-.8	4.0	4.5	4.1
New York	192.1	286.7	273.2	81.0	-13.6	3.3	4.8	4.6
North Carolina	18.5	30.3	27.5	9.0	-2.8	1.2	1.8	1.6
North Dakota	4.8	6.6	5.8	1.0	-.8	4.2	5.2	4.5
Ohio	53.4	99.7	88.5	35.1	-11.2	1.7	2.9	2.6
Oklahoma	15.5	17.0	16.2	.6	-.9	2.5	2.5	2.4
Oregon	24.2	42.9	37.3	13.2	-5.6	3.9	6.6	5.6
Pennsylvania	118.7	167.3	147.6	28.9	-19.6	3.3	4.4	3.8
Puerto Rico ²	38.4	51.3	48.4	10.0	-2.9	8.5	10.5	9.8
Rhode Island	12.8	18.7	16.0	3.2	-2.6	4.2	5.8	5.0
South Carolina	9.6	15.3	14.8	5.2	-.5	1.4	2.0	1.9
South Dakota	2.2	3.7	2.8	.6	-.9	1.8	2.7	2.0
Tennessee	25.8	36.2	33.1	7.3	-3.1	2.3	2.9	2.6
Texas	34.5	42.0	39.9	5.4	-2.1	1.1	1.3	1.2
Utah	8.3	13.5	10.4	2.2	-3.1	3.0	4.5	3.4
Vermont	5.9	8.7	8.4	2.5	-.3	5.0	6.7	6.4
Virginia	10.2	16.2	14.0	3.7	-2.2	.9	1.2	1.0
Washington	54.4	71.9	64.4	9.9	-7.6	6.3	7.9	7.0
West Virginia	13.7	18.9	15.3	1.7	-3.6	3.3	4.2	3.4
Wisconsin	37.4	58.6	44.7	7.3	-13.9	2.9	4.2	3.1
Wyoming	1.5	1.8	1.5	0	-.3	1.8	2.1	1.7

¹ Based on unrounded data; changes of less than 50 not shown.² Include data under the program for Puerto Rico's sugarcane workers. Rates exclude the sugarcane workers as comparable covered employment data are not yet available.³ Figures do not include claimants receiving benefits under extended benefit provisions.

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1: Employees on nonagricultural payrolls

(In thousands)

	State and area	TOTAL			Mining			Contract construction			Manufacturing		
		1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973
1	VERMONT	148.1	153.6	162.0	.9	.9	.9	9.2	9.8	10.7	37.9	38.5	41.3
2	Burlington ²⁰	38.1	38.9	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6	8.8	8.9
3	Springfield ²⁰	12.1	12.4	13.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2	5.3	6.2
4	VIRGINIA ²¹	1,558.0	1,643.5	1,729.6	15.0	16.1	16.2	98.4	109.7	121.1	362.0	383.2	399.8
5	Lynchburg	52.5	53.9	56.7	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2.8	3.0	3.0	23.5	23.9	25.1
6	Newport News-Hampton	98.9	107.8	111.3	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	5.1	5.6	6.2	27.4	33.1	33.8
7	Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Portsmouth	203.2	209.6	215.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	14.3	16.2	17.0	19.1	19.8	20.3
8	Northern Virginia ²²	286.8	302.0	311.0	.3	.4	.4	22.3	26.0	27.6	10.5	10.3	11.0
9	Richmond	242.1	250.1	261.9	.2	.2	.2	14.6	15.1	17.4	49.7	51.2	52.4
10	Roanoke	83.3	85.5	87.6	.1	.1	.1	4.9	5.2	5.2	19.4	20.1	20.8
11	WASHINGTON	1,065.2	1,102.0	1,151.3	1.7	1.8	1.9	54.0	52.2	55.3	214.7	224.1	244.8
12	Seattle-Everett	489.8	506.9	535.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	21.7	21.0	22.5	104.6	107.7	120.3
13	Spokane	91.4	95.3	98.4	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4.8	5.3	5.5	12.3	12.8	13.8
14	Tacoma	105.0	107.4	110.1	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4.7	4.8	5.9	19.2	20.0	20.3
15	WEST VIRGINIA	520.3	540.5	558.6	48.1	53.6	52.2	30.8	34.0	35.1	122.9	123.5	128.0
16	Charleston	90.1	93.4	96.6	3.9	4.4	4.4	6.9	7.6	8.3	18.3	17.5	17.8
17	Huntington-Ashland	87.0	86.8	89.0	.8	.7	.7	3.9	3.9	4.1	27.7	26.5	27.1
18	Wheeling	58.3	60.7	61.5	4.8	6.3	6.3	3.3	2.5	2.4	14.8	14.7	15.2
19	WISCONSIN	1,525.4	1,580.8	1,655.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	60.7	62.7	67.7	479.6	495.4	529.4
20	Appleton-Oshkosh	98.0	100.9	106.0	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4.1	4.0	4.4	38.2	39.2	42.3
21	Green Bay	55.8	58.7	61.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2.7	3.0	3.3	16.9	17.4	18.5
22	Kenosha	35.2	36.8	40.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.2	1.3	1.3	15.1	15.6	18.5
23	La Crosse	30.1	31.3	32.1	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.1	1.2	1.3	8.3	8.4	8.1
24	Madison	122.6	126.7	132.3	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	6.6	6.3	6.6	15.5	15.9	16.7
25	Milwaukee	560.8	579.0	603.8	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	20.2	21.2	22.5	192.8	196.8	209.1
26	Racine	53.2	56.8	61.0	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.6	1.6	1.9	23.0	25.1	27.7
27	WYOMING	111.9	118.8	125.6	10.9	11.8	12.1	7.9	9.8	12.3	7.4	7.6	7.6
28	Casper	20.0	19.8	20.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.7	1.7
29	Cheyenne	19.0	19.8	21.0	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.2

- ¹ Combined with services.
- ² Combined with construction.
- ³ Federal employment in the Maryland and Virginia sectors of the Washington Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is included in data for District of Columbia.
- ⁴ Data are based on former area definition; not comparable with data in table B-7.
- ⁵ Data not comparable prior to January 1972 due to change in area definition.
- ⁶ Area included in Chicago-Northwestern Indiana Standard Consolidated Area.
- ⁷ Revised to 1973 benchmark; not comparable with data in table B-7.
- ⁸ Data not comparable prior to January 1972 due to change in area definition; not comparable with data in table B-7.
- ⁹ Area definition revised; not comparable with data in table B-7.
- ¹⁰ Data not comparable prior to January 1973 due to change in area definition.
- ¹¹ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.
- ¹² Area included in New York-Northeastern New Jersey Standard Consolidated Area.
- ¹³ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.
- ¹⁴ Area included in New York and Nassau-Suffolk combined SMSA's.
- ¹⁵ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.
- ¹⁶ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties, Pennsylvania.
- ¹⁷ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Philadelphia County.
- ¹⁸ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania: Lackawanna County.
- ¹⁹ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania: Luzerne County.
- ²⁰ Total includes data for industry divisions not shown separately. Services excludes agriculture, forestry, and fisheries.
- ²¹ Federal employment in the Virginia sector of the Washington Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area is included in data for Virginia.
- ²² Subarea of Washington, D.C. Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties, Virginia.
- * Not available.

NOTE: Data are adjusted to 1973 benchmark levels with these exceptions: Colorado and Denver (1972); Jacksonville and Tampa-St. Petersburg, Florida (1972); Hawaii and Honolulu (1972); Illinois and areas (1972); Kentucky and Lexington (1972); Massachusetts (1972); Massachusetts areas (1970); Duluth-Superior, Minnesota (1972); St. Louis, Missouri (1972); North Carolina and areas (1972); Virginia areas (1972); and Wyoming and areas (1972).

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

**ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA EMPLOYMENT**

for States and selected areas, by industry division--Continued

(In thousands)

Transportation and public utilities			Wholesale and retail trade			Finance, insurance, and real estate			Services			Government			
1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	
8.0	8.2	8.4	29.7	31.4	33.2	5.9	6.2	6.7	29.5	30.6	32.1	27.2	28.2	28.8	1
2.0	2.0	2.2	7.9	8.4	8.6	-	-	-	7.4	7.5	7.8	-	-	-	2
.8	.8	.8	1.9	1.9	2.0	-	-	-	1.9	2.0	2.1	-	-	-	3
97.8	100.9	105.7	312.8	332.6	354.2	71.0	77.9	83.2	229.1	243.1	259.1	371.9	380.0	390.3	4
2.5	2.5	2.6	8.6	8.9	9.7	2.2	2.2	2.5	6.8	7.0	7.4	6.1	6.4	6.4	5
3.6	3.6	3.7	16.9	18.0	19.4	3.0	3.2	3.6	13.0	13.9	14.3	29.9	30.4	30.3	6
15.8	16.1	16.1	49.4	50.6	53.3	10.1	10.2	10.6	32.3	33.9	35.5	62.2	62.8	63.0	7
21.5	22.7	23.2	65.9	69.8	72.4	17.3	18.9	20.2	53.1	56.8	58.5	95.9	97.1	97.7	8
18.1	18.1	18.7	54.7	55.6	58.9	19.1	20.0	20.8	36.3	37.5	39.2	49.4	52.4	54.3	9
10.6	10.5	10.5	19.2	19.1	19.5	4.3	4.6	4.8	14.0	14.3	14.8	10.8	11.6	11.9	10
70.2	70.8	72.2	239.8	249.3	260.3	57.9	61.1	63.4	174.5	184.0	194.6	252.4	258.7	258.8	11
38.1	38.4	39.1	113.0	116.6	122.2	34.4	36.2	38.0	81.7	86.3	92.2	96.3	100.7	101.5	12
7.3	7.4	7.7	23.9	25.3	26.2	5.5	5.9	6.2	19.4	20.4	21.0	18.2	18.2	18.0	13
6.1	5.8	5.7	23.0	23.7	24.6	6.0	5.8	5.8	18.8	19.5	19.9	27.2	27.8	27.9	14
40.8	40.2	40.7	96.5	102.3	107.1	15.9	16.7	17.8	67.4	70.9	74.2	98.0	99.4	103.4	15
9.0	8.9	9.1	19.8	20.9	21.9	4.0	4.1	4.3	13.4	14.2	14.7	14.9	15.7	16.1	16
8.9	8.8	8.9	18.0	18.4	18.4	3.0	3.1	3.3	11.2	11.6	12.1	13.7	14.0	14.4	17
3.8	3.8	3.7	12.7	13.4	13.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	10.2	10.6	10.8	6.7	7.0	7.1	18
80.6	81.9	83.9	332.1	346.9	363.7	61.4	64.2	68.3	238.3	251.5	263.7	270.2	275.8	276.4	19
4.1	4.2	4.2	20.5	20.7	21.2	3.5	3.7	3.9	13.8	14.7	15.4	13.9	14.3	14.6	20
4.6	4.8	4.8	13.7	14.5	15.1	1.5	1.6	1.7	8.8	9.6	10.2	7.6	8.0	8.2	21
1.4	1.3	1.3	6.5	6.7	7.3	.7	.7	.8	5.4	6.0	6.3	5.0	5.2	5.3	22
2.2	2.2	2.1	7.2	7.5	8.2	.7	.7	.8	6.0	6.2	6.7	4.7	4.9	4.9	23
5.2	5.2	5.4	26.0	27.1	28.5	6.4	7.0	7.6	18.3	19.6	21.1	44.6	45.6	46.3	24
30.7	31.0	31.8	120.8	125.1	129.6	28.5	29.4	30.9	93.4	98.9	103.8	74.3	76.5	76.1	25
2.0	2.0	2.1	9.5	10.3	11.0	1.4	1.5	1.6	8.1	8.5	8.9	7.5	7.8	7.9	26
10.6	11.1	11.5	24.9	25.5	26.9	3.6	3.7	3.7	17.0	17.7	19.3	29.6	31.4	32.2	27
1.7	1.6	1.7	5.0	4.8	5.4	.8	.8	.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.7	3.9	3.9	28
2.6	2.5	2.6	4.2	4.4	5.0	1.0	.9	1.0	3.3	3.6	3.8	5.9	6.1	6.3	29

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STATE AND AREA HOURS AND EARNINGS

2: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls,
by State and selected areas

State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973
ALABAMA	\$122.51	\$132.34	\$140.70	40.7	41.1	40.9	\$3.01	\$3.22	\$3.44
Birmingham ¹	143.51	157.85	168.92	40.2	41.0	41.2	3.57	3.85	4.10
Mobile	147.77	160.13	169.74	42.1	41.7	41.4	3.51	3.84	4.10
ALASKA	214.13	203.42	(*)	40.1	38.6	(*)	5.34	5.27	(*)
ARIZONA	146.25	155.92	160.39	40.4	40.5	39.8	3.62	3.85	4.03
Phoenix	147.53	156.38	161.99	40.2	40.2	39.9	3.67	3.89	4.06
Tucson	139.91	153.14	160.39	39.3	40.3	40.4	3.56	3.80	3.97
ARKANSAS	104.94	112.16	120.10	39.9	40.2	39.9	2.63	2.79	3.01
Fayetteville-Springdale	(*)	(*)	111.11	(*)	(*)	39.4	(*)	(*)	2.82
Fort Smith	102.14	108.86	117.99	39.9	39.3	39.2	2.56	2.77	3.01
Little Rock-North Little Rock	110.76	118.21	129.35	39.7	39.8	39.8	2.79	2.97	3.25
Pine Bluff	132.26	142.07	148.32	40.2	41.3	41.2	3.29	3.44	3.60
CALIFORNIA	158.79	170.02	179.34	39.5	40.1	40.3	4.02	4.24	4.45
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden Grove	156.77	166.87	170.91	40.3	40.7	40.5	3.89	4.10	4.22
Bakersfield	161.20	171.25	181.48	39.9	40.2	40.6	4.04	4.26	4.47
Fresno	138.41	146.98	154.80	39.1	39.3	40.0	3.54	3.74	3.87
Los Angeles-Long Beach	153.64	164.02	172.14	39.7	40.4	40.6	3.87	4.06	4.24
Modesto	138.26	149.34	161.66	38.3	38.0	38.4	3.61	3.93	4.21
Oxnard-Simi Valley-Ventura	143.08	150.14	156.03	39.2	39.2	39.5	3.65	3.83	3.95
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario	155.60	166.43	176.92	40.0	40.2	40.3	3.89	4.14	4.39
Sacramento	166.80	174.34	189.73	38.7	38.4	39.2	4.31	4.54	4.84
Salinas-Seaside-Monterey	140.07	156.79	172.33	38.8	39.1	39.8	3.61	4.01	4.33
San Diego	167.03	171.94	181.37	39.3	38.9	39.6	4.25	4.42	4.58
San Francisco-Oakland	178.48	193.75	206.71	38.8	39.3	39.6	4.60	4.93	5.22
San Jose	167.53	179.69	188.96	39.7	40.2	40.9	4.22	4.47	4.62
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc	143.64	151.70	156.40	38.1	38.6	39.1	3.77	3.93	4.00
Santa Rosa	149.00	159.51	170.17	38.5	39.0	39.3	3.87	4.09	4.33
Stockton	168.06	177.91	193.04	40.4	39.8	40.3	4.16	4.47	4.79
Vallejo-Fairfield-Napa	150.86	163.07	177.33	38.0	38.1	38.3	3.97	4.28	4.63
COLORADO	151.10	161.99	168.48	40.4	40.7	40.5	3.74	3.98	4.16
Denver	156.35	166.46	176.66	40.4	40.7	40.8	3.87	4.09	4.33
CONNECTICUT	146.21	160.61	174.29	40.5	41.5	42.1	3.61	3.87	4.14
Bridgeport	148.64	164.69	175.55	40.5	41.8	42.2	3.67	3.94	4.16
Hartford	153.47	169.31	184.86	40.6	41.6	42.4	3.78	4.07	4.36
New Britain	146.77	165.53	178.08	40.1	41.8	42.5	3.66	3.96	4.19
New Haven	146.14	157.77	168.51	40.2	41.3	41.2	3.64	3.82	4.09
Stamford	153.54	165.23	180.92	40.3	41.0	41.4	3.81	4.03	4.37
Waterbury	138.51	150.23	159.38	41.1	42.2	42.5	3.37	3.56	3.75
DELAWARE	154.37	162.00	174.50	40.2	40.1	40.3	3.84	4.04	4.33
Wilmington	166.80	176.04	195.77	40.0	40.1	40.7	4.17	4.39	4.81
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:									
Washington SMSA ¹	163.88	176.79	186.72	39.3	39.2	38.9	4.17	4.51	4.80
FLORIDA	125.26	134.14	(*)	40.8	41.4	(*)	3.07	3.24	(*)
Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood	131.60	136.94	(*)	40.0	41.0	(*)	3.29	3.34	(*)
Jacksonville	140.44	156.24	(*)	42.3	42.0	(*)	3.32	3.72	(*)
Miami	114.55	124.93	(*)	39.5	40.3	(*)	2.90	3.10	(*)
Orlando ²	121.30	130.94	(*)	39.9	41.7	(*)	3.04	3.14	(*)
Pensacola	150.00	159.33	(*)	41.9	41.6	(*)	3.58	3.83	(*)
Tampa-St. Petersburg	131.84	138.38	(*)	41.2	40.7	(*)	3.20	3.40	(*)
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton	145.09	161.94	(*)	42.8	43.3	(*)	3.39	3.74	(*)
GEORGIA	114.74	124.03	132.51	40.4	40.8	40.4	2.84	3.04	3.28
Atlanta ¹	144.04	157.18	167.58	39.9	40.2	39.9	3.61	3.91	4.20
Savannah ¹	145.74	157.08	166.02	42.0	42.8	42.9	3.47	3.67	3.87

See footnotes at end of table.

STATE AND AREA HOURS AND EARNINGS

2: Gross hours and earnings of production workers on manufacturing payrolls,
by State and selected areas--Continued

State and area	Average weekly earnings			Average weekly hours			Average hourly earnings		
	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973
UTAH	\$139.71	\$148.95	\$154.04	38.7	39.3	38.8	\$3.61	\$3.79	\$3.97
Salt Lake City ²	131.09	138.45	141.90	38.9	39.0	39.2	3.37	3.55	3.62
VERMONT	128.54	136.12	145.25	41.2	41.5	41.5	3.12	3.28	3.50
Burlington	148.68	155.87	161.32	42.0	41.9	41.9	3.54	3.72	3.85
Springfield	135.81	151.16	172.03	40.3	41.3	42.9	3.37	3.66	4.01
VIRGINIA	115.78	126.48	135.60	40.2	40.8	40.6	2.88	3.10	3.34
Lynchburg	114.21	129.25	136.45	40.5	42.1	41.6	2.82	3.07	3.28
Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Portsmouth	126.38	140.25	149.29	40.9	42.5	41.7	3.09	3.30	3.58
Northern Virginia ¹²	154.66	160.38	170.85	40.7	40.5	40.2	3.80	3.96	4.25
Richmond	132.36	142.39	152.28	40.6	40.8	40.5	3.26	3.49	3.76
Roanoke	107.73	120.42	124.93	39.9	41.1	40.3	2.70	2.93	3.10
WASHINGTON	166.57	179.39	188.94	39.1	39.6	39.2	4.26	4.53	4.82
Seattle-Everett	171.78	183.48	194.04	39.4	39.8	39.6	4.36	4.61	4.90
Spokane	160.66	171.94	177.38	38.9	38.9	38.9	4.13	4.42	4.56
Tacoma	164.40	179.79	190.32	38.5	39.0	39.0	4.27	4.61	4.88
WEST VIRGINIA	142.96	154.80	165.60	39.6	40.0	40.0	3.61	3.87	4.14
Charleston ¹	174.31	187.32	193.58	41.8	42.0	41.9	4.17	4.46	4.62
Huntington-Ashland ¹	151.32	164.64	180.12	39.1	39.2	39.5	3.87	4.20	4.56
Wheeling	149.11	161.18	173.44	40.3	40.6	41.1	3.70	3.97	4.22
WISCONSIN	156.31	171.04	183.99	40.5	41.3	41.4	3.86	4.15	4.45
Appleton-Oshkosh	155.02	169.70	180.14	41.7	42.5	42.4	3.72	3.99	4.24
Green Bay	159.27	170.22	182.35	42.3	42.5	42.5	3.77	4.00	4.29
Kenosha	169.56	205.57	233.12	39.2	41.9	43.1	4.32	4.90	5.41
La Crosse	132.23	137.30	144.86	40.9	40.3	40.6	3.24	3.41	3.57
Madison	180.47	184.98	192.16	41.3	40.6	40.4	4.37	4.56	4.76
Milwaukee	167.99	184.43	200.87	40.2	41.0	41.3	4.18	4.50	4.87
Racine	161.24	179.56	191.94	40.0	41.2	41.1	4.03	4.36	4.67
WYOMING	142.88	153.54	169.60	39.8	40.3	40.0	3.59	3.81	4.24
Casper	168.50	193.10	197.60	40.7	43.2	41.6	4.14	4.47	4.75
Cheyenne	145.92	158.78	168.23	37.9	39.4	36.1	3.85	4.03	4.66

¹ Data not comparable prior to January 1973 due to change in area definition.

² Data are based on former area definition; not comparable with data in table C-18.

³ Data not comparable prior to January 1973.

⁴ Data not comparable prior to January 1972.

⁵ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.

⁶ Area included in the New York-Northeastern New Jersey Standard Consolidated Area.

⁷ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

⁸ Area included in New York and Nassau-Suffolk combined SMSA's.

⁹ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.

¹⁰ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties, Pennsylvania.

¹¹ Data not comparable prior to January 1972 due to change in area definition.

¹² Subarea of Washington, D.C. Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties, Virginia.

^{*} Not available.

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

ESTABLISHMENT DATA
STATE AND AREA LABOR TURNOVER

3: Labor turnover rates in manufacturing for selected States and areas--Continued

State and area	(Per 100 employees)														
	Accession rates						Separation rates								
	Total			New hires			Total			Quits			Layoffs		
1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	1971	1972	1973	
PENNSYLVANIA—Continued															
Philadelphia SMSA	3.1	3.4	3.7	2.0	2.3	2.8	3.6	3.5	3.6	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.2	0.9
Pittsburgh	2.6	2.7	2.5	.9	1.0	1.6	3.4	2.4	2.3	1.1	.6	.9	2.1	1.2	.8
Reading	3.4	4.3	4.2	2.3	3.2	3.4	3.6	4.4	4.3	1.6	2.2	2.6	1.3	1.5	.9
Scranton ¹³	3.9	4.6	4.9	2.1	2.4	2.9	4.4	4.4	5.1	1.5	1.8	2.2	2.4	1.9	2.3
Wilkes-Barre—Hazleton ¹⁴	3.8	4.4	4.6	2.1	2.4	2.7	4.6	4.6	4.7	1.7	1.9	2.4	2.2	1.9	1.6
York	4.2	4.8	5.3	2.9	3.8	4.3	4.5	4.8	5.2	2.3	3.1	3.5	1.5	1.0	1.0
RHODE ISLAND															
Providence—Warwick—Pawtucket	4.9	6.3	6.4	3.4	4.9	5.5	5.2	6.0	6.3	2.3	3.6	4.3	2.0	1.5	1.1
SOUTH CAROLINA:															
Greenville—Spartanburg ¹	5.6	7.3	8.3	4.8	6.4	7.2	5.3	6.7	7.9	3.8	5.5	6.2	.4	.2	.4
SOUTH DAKOTA															
Sioux Falls	4.8	5.6	6.1	2.9	3.8	4.8	4.6	5.1	5.6	2.2	2.7	3.6	1.9	1.8	1.5
TENNESSEE:															
Memphis ¹	4.7	5.1	5.3	3.5	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.8	5.1	2.2	2.8	3.1	1.4	.8	.7
TEXAS:															
Dallas	3.9	4.8	5.7	3.3	4.3	5.3	4.3	4.5	5.2	2.6	3.2	3.9	.9	.5	.3
Fort Worth	(*)	5.4	5.8	(*)	4.8	5.3	(*)	5.8	5.6	(*)	3.6	4.1	(*)	1.2	6.3
Houston ¹	3.6	4.2	4.5	3.1	3.7	4.2	3.6	3.8	4.2	2.2	2.5	2.9	.4	.4	.3
San Antonio ¹	(*)	5.1	5.5	(*)	4.8	5.1	(*)	4.8	5.6	(*)	3.2	3.9	(*)	.4	.5
UTAH⁵															
Salt Lake City ^{5 8}	4.0	4.6	5.2	3.3	3.9	4.7	4.0	4.0	4.5	2.2	2.6	3.1	1.1	.6	.4
VERMONT															
Burlington	3.0	3.9	4.4	2.0	2.9	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.8	1.5	2.0	2.5	1.3	1.1	.6
Springfield	1.5	1.8	2.2	.8	.9	1.6	2.7	2.2	1.9	1.1	.9	1.1	.8	.6	.4
VIRGINIA															
Richmond	4.0	4.6	4.8	3.0	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.2	4.7	2.3	2.8	3.2	.8	.6	.5
WASHINGTON:															
Seattle—Everett ¹⁵	3.2	4.2	4.1	1.8	2.3	2.7	4.2	3.5	3.3	1.0	1.3	1.5	2.5	1.6	1.2
WEST VIRGINIA:															
Charleston ¹ .....	.7	.9	1.4	.5	.4	.8	1.5	1.3	1.1	.3	.4	.4	.7	.4	(¹⁶)
WISCONSIN															
Milwaukee	3.4	3.9	4.4	1.9	2.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	1.2	1.6	2.2	1.6	1.2	1.0
WYOMING															
.....	5.8	6.2	6.8	4.7	4.9	5.7	6.3	6.1	7.1	3.2	3.5	4.4	2.3	1.8	1.9

¹ Data not comparable prior to January 1973 due to change in area definition.² Excludes canning and preserving.³ Excludes agricultural chemicals, and miscellaneous manufacturing.⁴ Excludes canned fruits, vegetables, preserves, jams and jellies.⁵ Excludes canning and preserving, and sugar.⁶ Excludes canning and preserving, and newspapers.⁷ Subarea of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area: Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties, New Jersey.⁸ Data are based on former area definition; not comparable with data in table D-4.⁹ Subarea of Rochester Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.¹⁰ Area included in New York and Nassau—Suffolk combined SMSA's.¹¹ Subarea of New York Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area.¹² Excludes new-hire rate for transportation equipment.¹³ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania: Lackawanna County.¹⁴ Subarea of Northeast Pennsylvania: Luzerne County.¹⁵ Excludes canning and preserving, printing and publishing.¹⁶ Less than 0.05.^{*} Not available.

SOURCE: Cooperating State agencies listed on inside back cover.

Area Definitions

ALABAMA

Birmingham..... Jefferson, St. Clair, Shelby, and Walker Counties (formerly excluded St. Clair County)
 Huntsville..... Limestone, Madison, and Marshall Counties
 Mobile..... Baldwin and Mobile Counties
 Montgomery..... Autauga, Elmore, and Montgomery Counties
 Tuscaloosa..... Tuscaloosa County

ARIZONA

Phoenix..... Maricopa County
 Tucson..... Pima County

ARKANSAS

Fayetteville-
 Springdale..... Benton and Washington Counties
 Fort Smith..... Crawford and Sebastian Counties, Ark.;
 LeFlore and Sequoyah Counties, Okla.
 Little Rock-
 N. Little Rock..... Pulaski and Saline Counties
 Pine Bluff..... Jefferson County

CALIFORNIA

Anaheim-Santa Ana-
 Garden Grove..... Orange County
 Bakersfield..... Kern County
 Fresno..... Fresno County
 Los Angeles-
 Long Beach..... Los Angeles County
 Modesto..... Stanislaus County
 Oxnard-Simi
 Valley-Ventura..... Ventura County
 Riverside-San
 Bernardino-Ontario.. San Bernardino and Riverside Counties
 Sacramento..... Placer, Sacramento, and Yolo Counties
 Salinas-Seaside-
 Monterey..... Monterey County
 San Diego..... San Diego County
 San Francisco-
 Oakland..... Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, San Francisco, and San Mateo Counties
 San Jose..... Santa Clara County
 Santa Barbara-Santa
 Maria-Lompoc..... Santa Barbara County
 Santa Rosa..... Sonoma County
 Stockton..... San Joaquin County
 Vallejo-Fairfield-
 Napa..... Napa and Solano Counties

COLORADO

Denver..... Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Denver, and Jefferson Counties

CONNECTICUT

Bridgeport..... Bridgeport and Shelton cities, and Easton, Fairfield, Monroe, Stratford, and Trumbull towns in Fairfield County; Milford town in New Haven County
 Hartford..... Hartford city, and Avon, Bloomfield, Canton, East Granby, East Hartford, East Windsor, Enfield, Farmington, Glastonbury, Granby, Manchester, Newington, Rocky Hill, Simsbury, South Windsor, Suffield, West Hartford, Wethersfield, Windsor, and Windsor Locks towns in Hartford County; Bolton, Ellington, Somers, Stafford, Tolland, and Vernon towns in Tolland County
 New Britain..... New Britain city, and Berlin and Plainville towns in Hartford County
 New Haven..... New Haven city, and Bethany, Branford, East Haven, Guilford, Hamden, Madison, North Branford, North Haven, Orange, West Haven, and Woodbridge towns in New Haven County
 Stamford..... Stamford city, and Darien, Greenwich, and New Canaan towns in Fairfield County
 Waterbury..... Waterbury city, Naugatuck borough, and Beacon Falls, Cheshire, Middlebury, Prospect, Southbury, and Wolcott towns in New Haven County; Bethlehem, Thomaston, Watertown, and Woodbury towns in Litchfield County

DELAWARE

Wilmington..... New Castle County, Del.; Cecil County, Md.; Salem County, N. J.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington SMSA..... District of Columbia; Charles, Montgomery, and Prince Georges Counties, Md.; Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities, and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties, Va. (formerly excluded Charles County, Md.)

FLORIDA

Fort Lauderdale-
 Hollywood..... Broward County
 Jacksonville..... Duval County
 Miami..... Dade County
 Orlando..... Orange, Osceola, and Seminole Counties (formerly excluded Osceola County)
 Pensacola..... Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties
 Tampa-
 St. Petersburg..... Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties
 West Palm Beach-
 Boca Raton..... Palm Beach County

GEORGIA

Atlanta..... Butts, Cherokee, Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Forsyth, Fulton, Gwinnett, Henry, Newton, Paulding, Rockdale, and Walton Counties (formerly limited to Clayton, Cobb, DeKalb, Fulton, and Gwinnett Counties)
 Augusta..... Columbia and Richmond Counties, Ga.; Aiken County, S. C.
 Columbus..... Chattahoochee and Muscogee Counties, Ga.; Russell County, Ala.
 Macon..... Bibb, Houston, Jones, and Twiggs Counties
 Savannah..... Bryan, Chatham, and Effingham Counties (formerly limited to Chatham County)

HAWAII

Honolulu..... Honolulu County

IDAHO

Boise City..... Ada County

ILLINOIS

Bloomington-Normal.. McLean County
 Champaign-Urbana... Champaign County
 Chicago..... Cook, Du Page, Kane, Lake, McHenry, and Will Counties
 Chicago-
 Northwestern
 Indiana..... A Standard Consolidated Area comprised of Chicago, Ill. SMSA and Gary-Hammond-East Chicago, Ind. SMSA
 Davenport-Rock
 Island-Moline..... Henry and Rock Island Counties, Ill.; Scott County, Iowa
 Decatur..... Macon County
 Peoria..... Peoria, Tazewell, and Woodford Counties
 Rockford..... Boone and Winnebago Counties
 Springfield..... Sangamon County

INDIANA

Evansville..... Gibson, Posey, Vanderburgh, and Warrick Counties, Ind.; Henderson County, Ky.
 Fort Wayne..... Adams, Allen, DeKalb, and Wells Counties
 Gary-Hammond-
 East Chicago..... Lake and Porter Counties
 Indianapolis..... Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Marion, Morgan, and Shelby Counties
 Muncie..... Delaware County
 South Bend..... Marshall and St. Joseph Counties
 Terre Haute..... Clay, Sullivan, Vermillion, and Vigo Counties

IOWA

Cedar Rapids..... Linn County
 Des Moines..... Polk and Warren Counties (formerly limited to Polk County)
 Dubuque..... Dubuque County
 Sioux City..... Woodbury County, Iowa; Dakota County, Neb.
 Waterloo-Cedar Falls.. Black Hawk County

KANSAS

Topeka..... Jefferson, Osage, and Shawnee Counties
 Wichita..... Butler and Sedgwick Counties

KENTUCKY

Lexington..... Fayette County
 Louisville..... Bullitt, Jefferson, and Oldham Counties, Ky.; Clark and Floyd Counties, Ind. (formerly excluded Bullitt and Oldham Counties, Ky.)

LOUISIANA

Baton Rouge..... Ascension, East Baton Rouge, Livingston, and West Baton Rouge Parishes (formerly limited to East Baton Rouge Parish)
 Lake Charles..... Calcasieu Parish
 Monroe..... Ouachita Parish
 New Orleans..... Jefferson, Orleans, St. Bernard, and St. Tammany Parishes
 Shreveport..... Bossier, Caddo, and Webster Parishes (formerly excluded Webster Parish)

Area Definitions--Continued

MAINE

- Lewiston-Auburn Auburn and Lewiston cities, and Lisbon town in Androscoggin County
- Portland Portland, South Portland, and Westbrook cities, and Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Scarborough, and Yarmouth towns in Cumberland County

MARYLAND

- Baltimore Baltimore city, and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, and Howard Counties

MASSACHUSETTS

- Boston Suffolk County; Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Newton, Somerville, Waltham, and Woburn cities, and Arlington, Ashland, Bedford, Belmont, Burlington, Concord, Framingham, Lexington, Lincoln, Natick, North Reading, Reading, Sherborn, Stoneham, Sudbury, Wakefield, Watertown, Wayland, Weston, Wilmington, and Winchester towns in Middlesex County; Beverly, Lynn, Peabody, and Salem cities, and Danvers, Hamilton, Lynnfield, Manchester, Marblehead, Middleton, Nahant, Saugus, Swampscott, Topsfield, and Wenham towns in Essex County; Quincy city, and Braintree, Brookline, Canton, Cohasset, Dedham, Dover, Holbrook, Medfield, Millis, Milton, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Randolph, Sharon, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood, and Weymouth towns in Norfolk County; Duxbury, Hanover, Hingham, Hull, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Rockland, and Scituate towns in Plymouth County
- Brockton Easton town in Bristol County; Avon and Stoughton towns in Norfolk County; Brockton city, and Abington, Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Hanson, West Bridgewater, and Whitman towns in Plymouth County
- Fall River Fall River city, and Swansea, and Westport towns in Bristol County, Mass.; Tiverton town in Newport County, R. I.
- Lawrence-Haverhill Lawrence and Haverhill cities, and Andover, Georgetown, Groveland, Merrimac, Methuen, North Andover, and West Newbury towns in Essex County, Mass.; Newton, Plaistow, and Salem towns in Rockingham County, N. H.
- Lowell Lowell city, and Billerica, Chelmsford, Dracut, Tewksbury, Tyngsborough, and Westford towns in Middlesex County
- New Bedford New Bedford city, and Acushnet, Dartmouth, and Fairhaven towns in Bristol County; Marion and Mattapoisett towns in Plymouth County
- Springfield-Chicopee-Holyoke Chicopee, Holyoke, Springfield, and Westfield cities, and Agawam, East Longmeadow, Hampden, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Monson, Palmer, Southwick, West Springfield, and Wilbraham towns in Hampden County; Northampton city, and Easthampton, Granby, Hadley, and South Hadley towns in Hampshire County; Warren town in Worcester County
- Worcester Worcester city, and Auburn, Berlin, Boylston, Brookfield, East Brookfield, Grafton, Holden, Leicester, Millbury, Northborough, Northbridge, North Brookfield, Oxford, Paxton, Shrewsbury, Spencer, Sterling, Sutton, Upton, Westborough, and West Boylston towns in Worcester County

MICHIGAN

- Ann Arbor Washtenaw County
- Battle Creek Barry and Calhoun Counties (formerly limited to Calhoun County)
- Bay City Bay County
- Detroit Lapeer, Livingston, Macomb, Oakland, St. Clair, and Wayne Counties (formerly limited to Macomb, Oakland, and Wayne Counties)

MICHIGAN--Continued

- Flint Genesee and Shiawassee Counties (formerly defined as Genesee and Lapeer Counties)
- Grand Rapids Kent and Ottawa Counties
- Jackson Jackson County
- Kalamazoo-Portage ... Kalamazoo and Van Buren Counties
- Lansing-East Lansing . Clinton, Eaton, Ingham, and Ionia Counties (formerly excluded Ionia County)
- Muskegon-Muskegon Heights... Muskegon and Oceana Counties (formerly excluded Oceana County)
- Saginaw Saginaw County

MINNESOTA

- Duluth-Superior Duluth city, Minn.; Douglas County, Wisc.
- Minneapolis-St. Paul .. Anoka, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott, Washington, and Wright Counties (formerly limited to Anoka, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, and Washington Counties)

MISSISSIPPI

- Jackson Hinds and Rankin Counties

MISSOURI

- Kansas City Cass, Clay, Jackson, Platte, and Ray Counties, Mo.; Johnson and Wyandotte Counties, Kans. (formerly excluded Ray County, Mo.)
- St. Joseph Andrew and Buchanan Counties
- St. Louis St. Louis city, and Franklin, Jefferson, St. Charles, and St. Louis Counties, Mo.; Madison and St. Clair Counties, Ill.
- Springfield Christian and Greene Counties (formerly limited to Greene County)

MONTANA

- Billings Yellowstone County
- Great Falls Cascade County

NEBRASKA

- Lincoln Lancaster County
- Omaha Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebr.; Pottawattamie County, Iowa

NEVADA

- Las Vegas Clark County; Beatty Township in Nye County
- Reno Washoe County

NEW HAMPSHIRE

- Manchester Manchester city, and Bedford and Goffstown towns in Hillsborough County; Hooksett town in Merrimack County

NEW JERSEY

- Atlantic City Atlantic County
- Camden Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties
- Hackensack Bergen County
- Jersey City Hudson County
- Long Branch-Asbury Park Monmouth County
- Newark Essex, Morris, Somerset, and Union Counties (formerly excluded Somerset County)
- New Brunswick-Perth Amboy-Sayreville... Middlesex County
- Paterson-Clifton-Passaic Passaic County (formerly included Bergen County)
- Trenton Mercer County
- Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton Cumberland County

NEW MEXICO

- Albuquerque Bernalillo and Sandoval Counties (formerly limited to Bernalillo County)

NEW YORK

- Albany-Schenectady-Troy Albany, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, and Schenectady Counties (formerly excluded Montgomery County)
- Binghamton Broome and Tioga Counties, N. Y.; Susquehanna County, Pa.
- Buffalo Erie and Niagara Counties
- Elmira Chemung County
- Monroe County Monroe County
- Nassau-Suffolk Nassau and Suffolk Counties

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NEW YORK--Continued

New York-Northeastern
 New Jersey A Standard Consolidated Area comprised of New York, N. Y. SMSA; Nassau-Suffolk, N. Y. SMSA; Newark, N. J. SMSA; New Brunswick-Perth Amboy-Sayreville, N. J. SMSA; Jersey City, N. J. SMSA; Paterson-Clifton-Passaic, N. J. SMSA; and the Hackensack, N. J. area (formerly excluded Putnam County, N. Y.)

New York and Nassau-Suffolk..... New York City, and Nassau, Putnam, Rockland, Suffolk, and Westchester Counties (formerly excluded Putnam County)

New York SMSA..... New York City, and Putnam, Rockland, and Westchester Counties (formerly excluded Putnam County)

New York City..... Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, and Richmond Counties

Poughkeepsie..... Dutchess County

Rochester..... Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, and Wayne Counties (formerly excluded Ontario County)

Rockland County..... Rockland County

Syracuse..... Madison, Onondaga, and Oswego Counties

Utica-Rome..... Herkimer and Oneida Counties

Westchester County... Westchester County

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville..... Buncombe County

Charlotte..... Mecklenburg and Union Counties

Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point... Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, and Yadkin Counties

Raleigh..... Wake County

NORTH DAKOTA

Fargo-Moorhead..... Cass County, N. D.; Clay County, Minn.

OHIO

Akron..... Portage and Summit Counties

Canton..... Stark County

Cincinnati..... Clermont, Hamilton, and Warren Counties, Ohio; Boone, Campbell, and Kenton Counties, Ky.; Dearborn County, Ind.

Cleveland..... Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, and Medina Counties

Columbus..... Delaware, Franklin, and Pickaway Counties

Dayton..... Greene, Miami, Montgomery, and Preble Counties

Toledo..... Lucas and Wood Counties, Ohio; Monroe County, Mich.

Youngstown-Warren... Mahoning and Trumbull Counties

OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City..... Canadian, Cleveland, McClain, Oklahoma, and Pottawatomie Counties (formerly excluded McClain and Pottawatomie Counties)

Tulsa..... Creek, Mayes, Osage, Rogers, Tulsa, and Wagoner Counties (formerly excluded Mayes, Rogers, and Wagoner Counties)

OREGON

Eugene-Springfield... Lane County

Portland..... Clackamas, Multnomah, and Washington Counties, Oreg.; Clark County, Wash.

Salem..... Marion and Polk Counties

PENNSYLVANIA

Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton..... Carbon, Lehigh, and Northampton Counties, Pa.; Warren County, N. J.

Altoona..... Blair County

Delaware Valley..... Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery, and Philadelphia Counties

Erie..... Erie County

Harrisburg..... Cumberland, Dauphin, and Perry Counties

Johnstown..... Cambria and Somerset Counties

Lancaster..... Lancaster County

Northeast-Pennsylvania..... Lackawanna, Luzerne, and Monroe Counties

PENNSYLVANIA--Continued

Philadelphia City..... Philadelphia County

Pittsburgh..... Allegheny, Beaver, Washington, and Westmoreland Counties

Reading..... Berks County

Scranton..... Lackawanna County

Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton..... Luzerne County

Williamsport..... Lycoming County

York..... Adams and York Counties

RHODE ISLAND

Providence-Warwick-Pawtucket..... Central Falls, Cranston, East Providence, Pawtucket, Providence, and Woonsocket cities, and Burrillville, Cumberland, Foster, Glocester, Johnston, Lincoln, North Providence, North Smithfield, Scituate, and Smithfield towns in Providence County; Exeter, Narragansett, North Kingstown, and South Kingstown towns in Washington County; Warwick city, and Coventry, East Greenwich, West Greenwich, and West Warwick towns in Kent County; Jamestown and New Shoreham towns in Newport County; Bristol County, R. I.; Attleboro city, and North Attleboro, Rehoboth, and Seekonk towns in Bristol County; Bellingham, Franklin, Plainville, and Wrentham towns in Norfolk County; Blackstone and Millville towns in Worcester County, Mass.

SOUTH CAROLINA

Charleston..... Berkeley, Charleston, and Dorchester Counties (formerly excluded Dorchester County)

Columbia..... Lexington and Richland Counties

Greenville-Spartanburg..... Greenville, Pickens, and Spartanburg Counties (formerly excluded Spartanburg County)

SOUTH DAKOTA

Rapid City..... Pennington County

Sioux Falls..... Minnehaha County

TENNESSEE

Chattanooga..... Hamilton, Marion, and Sequatchie Counties, Tenn.; Catoosa, Dade, and Walker Counties, Ga. (formerly limited to Hamilton County, Tenn. and Walker County, Ga.)

Knoxville..... Anderson, Blount, Knox, and Union Counties; portion of Oak Ridge in Roane County (formerly excluded Union County)

Memphis..... Shelby and Tipton Counties, Tenn.; Crittenden County, Ark. (formerly excluded Tipton County, Tenn.)

Nashville-Davidson... Cheatham, Davidson, Dickson, Robertson, Rutherford, Sumner, Williamson, and Wilson Counties (formerly limited to Davidson, Sumner, and Wilson Counties)

TEXAS

Amarillo..... Potter and Randall Counties

Austin..... Hays and Travis Counties (formerly limited to Travis County)

Beaumont-Port Arthur-Orange..... Hardin, Jefferson, and Orange Counties (formerly excluded Hardin County)

Corpus Christi..... Nueces and San Patricio Counties

Dallas..... Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Kaufman, and Rockwall Counties

El Paso..... El Paso County

Fort Worth..... Johnson and Tarrant Counties

Galveston-Texas City..... Galveston County

Houston..... Brazoria, Fort Bend, Harris, Liberty, Montgomery, and Waller Counties (formerly excluded Waller County)

Lubbock..... Lubbock County

San Antonio..... Bexar, Comal, and Guadalupe Counties (formerly excluded Comal Counties)

Waco..... McLennan County

Wichita Falls..... Clay and Wichita Counties (formerly defined as Archer and Wichita Counties)

Area Definitions--Continued

UTAH

Salt Lake City-
Ogden Davis, Morgan, Salt Lake, Tooele, and Weber Counties (formerly limited to Salt Lake County and part of Davis County)

VERMONT

Burlington Chittenden County; Grand Isle and South Hero towns in Grand Isle County
Springfield Athens, Grafton, Londonderry, Rockingham (includes Bellows Falls), Westminster, and Windham towns in Windham County; Andover, Baltimore, Cavendish, Chester, Ludlow, Reading, Springfield, Weathersfield, Weston, West Windsor, and Windsor towns in Windsor County

VIRGINIA

Lynchburg Lynchburg city; Amherst, and Campbell Counties
Newport News-
Hampton Hampton, Newport News cities and York County
Norfolk-Virginia
Beach-Portsmouth... Chesapeake, Norfolk, Portsmouth, and Virginia Beach cities
Northern Virginia.... Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church cities, and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties
Richmond Richmond city, Chesterfield, Hanover and Henrico Counties
Roanoke Roanoke city and Roanoke County

WASHINGTON

Seattle-Everett King and Snohomish Counties
Spokane Spokane County
Tacoma Pierce County

WEST VIRGINIA

Charleston Kanawha and Putnam Counties (formerly limited to Kanawha County)
Huntington-Ashland... Cabell and Wayne Counties, W. Va.; Boyd and Greenup Counties, Ky.; Lawrence County, Ohio (formerly excluded Greenup County, Ky.)
Wheeling Marshall and Ohio Counties, W. Va.; Belmont County, Ohio

WISCONSIN

Appleton-Oshkosh.... Calumet, Outagamie, and Winnebago Counties
Green Bay Brown County
Kenosha Kenosha County
La Crosse La Crosse County
Madison Dane County
Milwaukee Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Washington, and Waukesha Counties
Racine Racine County

WYOMING

Casper Natrona County
Cheyenne Laramie County

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Introduction

The statistics in this periodical are compiled from three major sources: (1) Household interviews, (2) reports from employers, and (3) administrative statistics of unemployment insurance systems.

Data based on household interviews are obtained from a sample survey of the population 16 years of age and over. The survey is conducted each month by the Bureau of the Census for the Bureau of Labor Statistics and provides comprehensive data on the labor force, the employed and the unemployed, including such characteristics as age, sex, color, marital status, occupations, hours of work, and duration of unemployment. The survey also provides data on the characteristics and past work experience of those not in the labor force. The information is collected by trained interviewers from a sample of about 47,000 households, representing 461 areas in 923 counties and independent cities, with coverage in 50 States and the District of Columbia. The data collected are based on the activity or status reported for the calendar week including the 12th of the month.

Data based on establishment records are compiled each month from mail questionnaires by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State agencies. The establishment surveys are designed to provide detailed industry information on nonagricultural wage and salary employment, average weekly hours, average hourly and weekly earnings, and labor turnover for the Nation, States, and metropolitan areas. The employment, hours, and earnings series are based on payroll reports from a sample of establishments employing about 30 million nonagricultural wage and salary workers. The data relate to all workers, full- or part-time, who received pay during the payroll period which includes the 12th of the month. Based on a somewhat smaller sample, labor turnover data relate to actions occurring during the entire month.

Data based on administrative records of unemployment insurance systems furnish a complete count of insured unemployment among the three-fourths of the Nation's labor force covered by unemployment insurance programs. Weekly reports, by State, are issued on the number of initial claims, the volume, and rate of insured unemployment under State unemployment insurance programs, and the volume under programs of unemployment compensation for Federal employees, ex-servicemen, and railroad workers. These statistics are published by the Manpower Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, in "Unemployment Insurance Claims."

RELATION BETWEEN THE HOUSEHOLD AND ESTABLISHMENT SERIES

The household and establishment data supplement one another, each providing significant types of information that the other cannot suitably supply. Population characteristics, for example, are readily obtained only from the household survey

whereas detailed industrial classifications can be reliably derived only from establishment reports.

Data from these two sources differ from each other because of differences in definition and coverage, sources of information, methods of collection, and estimating procedures. Sampling variability and response errors are additional reasons for discrepancies. The major factors which have a differential effect on levels and trends of the two series are as follows:

Employment

Coverage. The household survey definition of employment comprises wage and salary workers (including domestics and other private household workers), self-employed persons, and unpaid workers who worked 15 hours or more during the survey week in family-operated enterprises. Employment in both agricultural and nonagricultural industries is included. The payroll survey covers only wage and salary employees on the payrolls of nonagricultural establishments.

Multiple jobholding. The household approach provides information on the work status of the population without duplication since each person is classified as employed, unemployed, or not in the labor force. Employed persons holding more than one job are counted only once and are classified according to the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours during the survey week. In the figures based on establishment records, persons who worked in more than one establishment during the reporting period are counted each time their names appear on payrolls.

Unpaid absences from jobs. The household survey includes among the employed all persons who had jobs but were not at work during the survey week—that is, were not working but had jobs from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacation, labor-management dispute, or because they were taking time off for various other reasons, even if they were not paid by their employers for the time off. In the figures based on payroll reports, persons on leave paid for by the company are included, but not those on leave without pay for the entire payroll period.

For a comprehensive discussion of the differences between household and establishment survey employment data, see Gloria P. Green's article "Comparing Employment Estimates from Household and Payroll Surveys," *Monthly Labor Review*, December 1969. Reprints of this article are available upon request from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Hours of work

The household survey measures hours actually worked whereas the payroll survey measures hours paid for by

employers. In the household survey data, all persons with a job but not at work are excluded from the hours distributions and the computations of average hours. In the payroll survey, employees on paid vacation, paid holiday, or paid sick leave are included and assigned the number of hours for which they were paid during the reporting period.

COMPARABILITY OF THE HOUSEHOLD DATA WITH OTHER SERIES

Unemployment insurance data. The unemployed total from the household survey includes all persons who did not have a job at all during the survey week and were looking for work or were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off, regardless of whether or not they were eligible for unemployment insurance. Figures on unemployment insurance claims, prepared by the Manpower Administration of the Department of Labor, exclude persons who have exhausted their benefit rights, new workers who have not earned rights to unemployment insurance, and persons losing jobs not covered by unemployment insurance systems (agriculture, some State and local government, domestic service, self-employment, unpaid family work, and religious organizations).

In addition, the qualifications for drawing unemployment compensation differ from the definition of unemployment used in the household survey. For example, persons with a job but not at work and persons working only a few hours during the week are sometimes eligible for unemployment compensation but are classified as employed rather than unemployed in the household survey.

For an examination of the similarities and differences between State insured unemployment and total unemployment, see "Measuring Total and State Insured Unemployment" by Gloria P. Green in the June 1971 issue of the *Monthly Labor Review*. Reprints of this article may be obtained upon request.

Agricultural employment estimates of the Department of Agriculture. The principal differences in coverage are the inclusion of persons under 16 in the Statistical Research Service (SRS) series and the treatment of dual jobholders who are counted more than

once if they worked on more than one farm during the reporting period. There are also wide differences in sampling techniques and collecting and estimating methods, which cannot be readily measured in terms of impact on differences in level and trend of the two series.

COMPARABILITY OF THE PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT DATA WITH OTHER SERIES

Statistics on manufactures and business, Bureau of the Census. BLS establishment statistics on employment differ from employment counts derived by the Bureau of the Census from its censuses or annual sample surveys of manufacturing establishments and the censuses of business establishments. The major reasons for some noncomparability are different treatment of business units considered parts of an establishment, such as central administrative offices and auxiliary units, the industrial classification of establishments, and different reporting patterns by multiunit companies. There are also differences in the scope of the industries covered, e.g., the Census of Business excludes professional services, public utilities, and financial establishments, whereas these are included in BLS statistics.

County Business Patterns. Data in County Business Patterns (CBP), published jointly by the U.S. Departments of Commerce and Health, Education, and Welfare, differ from BLS establishment statistics in the treatment of central administrative offices and auxiliary units. Differences may also arise because of industrial classification and reporting practices. In addition, CBP excludes interstate railroads and government, and coverage is incomplete for some of the nonprofit activities.

Employment covered by State unemployment insurance programs. Most nonagricultural wage and salary workers are covered by the unemployment insurance programs. Beginning in January 1972, coverage was expanded to include employees of small firms and selected nonprofit activities who had not been covered previously. However, certain activities, such as interstate railroads, parochial schools, churches and most State and local government activities are not covered by unemployment insurance whereas these are included in BLS establishment statistics.

Household data

(A tables)

COLLECTION AND COVERAGE

Statistics on the employment status of the population, the personal, occupational, and other characteristics of the employed, the unemployed, and persons not in the labor force, and related data are compiled for the BLS by the Bureau of the Census in its Current Population Survey (CPS). A detailed description of this survey appears in *Concepts and Methods Used in Manpower Statistics from the Current Population Survey*, BLS Report 313. This report is available from BLS on request.

These monthly surveys of the population are conducted with a scientifically selected sample designed to represent the civilian noninstitutional population. Respondents are interviewed to

obtain information about the employment status of each member of the household 16 years of age and over. Separate statistics are also collected and published for 14 and 15 year olds. The inquiry relates to activity or status during the calendar week, Sunday through Saturday, which includes the 12th of the month. This is known as the survey week. Actual field interviewing is conducted in the following week.

Inmates of institutions, members of the Armed Forces, and persons under 14 years of age are not covered in the regular monthly enumerations and are excluded from the population and labor force statistics shown in this report. Data on members of the Armed Forces, who are included as part of the categories "total noninstitutional population" and "total labor force," are obtained from the Department of Defense.

Each month, 47,000 occupied units are designated for interview. About 1,700 of these households are visited but interviews are not obtained because the occupants are not found at home after repeated calls or are unavailable for other reasons. This represents a noninterview rate for the survey of about 4 percent. In addition to the 47,000 occupied units, there are 7,500 sample units in an average month which are visited but found to be vacant or otherwise not to be enumerated. Part of the sample is changed each month. The rotation plan provides for three-fourths of the sample to be common from 1 month to the next, and one-half to be common with the same month a year ago.

CONCEPTS

Employed persons comprise (a) all those who during the survey week did any work at all as paid employees, in their own business, profession, or farm, or who worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers in an enterprise operated by a member of the family, and (b) all those who were not working but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacation, labor-management dispute, or personal reasons, whether or not they were paid by their employers for the time off, and whether or not they were seeking other jobs.

Each employed person is counted only once. Those who held more than one job are counted in the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours during the survey week.

Included in the total are employed citizens of foreign countries, temporarily in the United States, who are not living on the premises of an Embassy.

Excluded are persons whose only activity consisted of work around the house (such as own home housework, and painting or repairing own home) or volunteer work for religious, charitable, and similar organizations.

Unemployed persons comprise all persons who did not work during the survey week, who made specific efforts to find a job within the past 4 weeks, and who were available for work during the survey week (except for temporary illness). Also included as unemployed are those who did not work at all, were available for work, and (a) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off; or (b) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

Duration of unemployment represents the length of time (through the current survey week) during which persons classified as unemployed had been continuously looking for work. For persons on layoff, duration of unemployment represents the number of full weeks since the termination of their most recent employment. A period of 2 weeks or more during which a person was employed or ceased looking for work is considered to break the continuity of the present period of seeking work. Average duration is an arithmetic mean computed from a distribution by single weeks of unemployment.

Unemployed persons by reasons for unemployment are divided into four major groups. (1) Job losers are persons whose employment ended involuntarily who immediately began looking for work and persons on layoff. (2) Job leavers are persons who quit or otherwise terminated their employment voluntarily and immediately began looking for work. (3) Reentrants are persons who previously worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer but who were out of the labor force prior to beginning to look for work. (4) New entrants are persons who never worked at a full-time job lasting 2 weeks or longer.

Jobseekers are all unemployed persons who made specific efforts to find a job, sometime during the 4-week period preceding the survey week. Jobseekers do not include persons unemployed because they (a) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off or (b) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days. Jobseekers are grouped by the methods used to seek work, including going to a public or private employment agency or to an employer directly, seeking assistance from friends or relatives, placing or answering ads, or utilizing some "other" method. Examples of the "other" category include being on a union or professional register, obtaining assistance from a community organization, or waiting at a designated pick-up point.

The civilian labor force comprises the total of all civilians classified as employed or unemployed in accordance with the criteria described above. The "total labor force" also includes members of the Armed Forces stationed either in the United States or abroad.

The unemployment rate represents the number unemployed as a percent of the civilian labor force. This measure can also be computed for groups within the labor force classified by sex, age, marital status, color, etc. The job-loser, job-leaver, reentrant, and new entrant rates are each calculated as a percent of the civilian labor force; the sum of the rates for the four groups thus equals the total unemployment rate.

Participation rates represent the proportion of the non-institutional population that is in the labor force. Two types of participation rates are published: The total labor force participation rate, which is the ratio of the total labor force and the total noninstitutional population; and the civilian labor force participation rate, which is the ratio of the civilian labor force and the civilian noninstitutional population. Participation rates are usually published for sex-age groups, often cross-classified by other demographic characteristics such as color and educational attainment.

Not in labor force includes all civilians 16 years and over who are not classified as employed or unemployed. These persons are further classified as "engaged in own home housework," "in school," "unable to work" because of long-term physical or mental illness, and "other." The "other" group includes for the most part retired persons, those reported as too old to work, the voluntarily idle, and seasonal workers for whom the survey week fell in an "off" season and who were not reported as unemployed. Persons doing only incidental unpaid family work (less than 15 hours) are also classified as not in the labor force.

For persons not in the labor force, data on previous work experience, intentions to seek work again, desire for a job at the time of interview, and reasons for not looking for work are compiled on a quarterly basis. As of January 1970, the detailed questions for persons not in the labor force are asked only in those households that are in the fourth and eighth months of the sample, i.e., the "outgoing" groups, those which had been in the sample for 3 previous months and would not be in for the subsequent month. Between 1967 and 1969, the detailed not-in-labor force questions were asked of persons in the first and fifth months in the sample, i.e., the "incoming" groups.

Occupation, industry, and class of worker for the employed apply to the job held in the survey week. Persons with two or more jobs are classified in the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours during the survey week. The unemployed are classified according to their latest full-time civilian job lasting 2 weeks or more. The occupation and industry groups used in data derived from the CPS household interviews are defined as in the 1970 Census of Population.

Information on the detailed categories included in these groups is available upon request.

The class-of-worker breakdown specifies "wage and salary workers," subdivided into private and government workers, "self-employed workers," and "unpaid family workers." Wage and salary workers receive wages, salary, commission, tips, or pay in kind from a private employer or from a government unit. Self-employed persons are those who work for profit or fees in their own business, profession, or trade, or operate a farm. Unpaid family workers are persons working without pay for 15 hours a week or more on a farm or in a business operated by a member of the household to whom they are related by blood or marriage.

Hours of work statistics relate to the actual number of hours worked during the survey week. For example, a person who normally works 40 hours a week but who was off on the Columbus Day holiday would be reported as working 32 hours even though he was paid for the holiday.

For persons working in more than one job, the figures relate to the number of hours worked in all jobs during the week. However, all the hours are credited to the major job.

The distribution of employment by hours worked relate to persons "at work" during the survey week. At-work data differ from data on total employment because the latter include persons in zero-hours worked category, "with a job but not at work." Included in this latter group are persons who were on vacation, ill, involved in a labor dispute, or otherwise absent from their jobs for voluntary, noneconomic reasons.

Persons who worked 35 hours or more in the survey week are designated as working "full time;" persons who worked between 1 and 34 hours are designated as working "part time." Part-time workers are classified by their usual status at their present job (either full time or part time) and by their reason for working part time during the survey week (economic or other reasons). "Economic reasons" include: Slack work, material shortages, repairs to plant or equipment, start or termination of job during the week, and inability to find full-time work. "Other reasons" include: Labor dispute, bad weather, own illness, vacation, demands of home housework, school, no desire for full-time work, and full-time worker only during peak season. Persons on full-time schedules include, in addition to those working 35 hours or more, those who worked from 1-34 hours for noneconomic reasons and usually work full time.

Full- and part-time labor force. The *full-time labor force* consists of persons working on full-time schedules, persons involuntarily working part time (part time for economic reasons), and unemployed persons seeking full-time jobs. The *part-time labor force* consists of persons working part time voluntarily and unemployed persons seeking part-time work. Persons with a job but not at work during the survey week are classified according to whether they usually work full or part time.

Labor force time lost is a measure of man-hours lost to the economy through unemployment and involuntary part-time employment and is expressed as a percent of potentially available man-hours. It is computed by assuming: (1) That unemployed persons looking for full-time work lost an average of 37.5 hours, (2) that those looking for part-time work lost the average number of hours actually worked by voluntary part-time workers during the survey week, and (3) that persons on part time for economic reasons lost the difference between 37.5 hours and the actual number of hours they worked.

White and Negro and other races are terms used to describe the color or race of workers. The Negro and other races

category, which in the past had been identified as "nonwhite," includes all persons who are observed in the enumeration process to be other than white. At the time of the 1970 Census of Population, 89 percent of the Negro and other races population group were Negro; the remainder were American Indians, Eskimos, Orientals, and other nonwhite. Tables in this volume which contain these data utilize the word "color" to so indicate. The term "Negro" is used in tables when the relevant data are provided for Negroes exclusively.

Spanish origin refers to persons who identified themselves in the enumeration process as Mexican, Puerto Rican living on the mainland, Cuban, Central or South American or other Spanish origin or descent. According to the 1970 Census, approximately 98 percent of their population is white.

Major activity: going to school and major activity: other are terms used to describe whether the activity of young persons during the reference week was primarily one of going to school or not. Statistics on major activities are published every month in table A-5 for 16-21 year-olds by employment status, color, sex, and, if unemployed, whether seeking full- or part-time work.

Household head. One person in each household is designated as the head. The head is usually the person regarded as the head by the members of the group. If a husband and wife family occupy the unit, the husband is designated as the head. The number of heads, therefore, is equal to the number of households.

Vietnam-era veterans are those who served in the Armed Forces of the United States after August 4, 1964. Tables for veterans in this volume are limited to men in the civilian noninstitutional population; i.e., veterans in institutions and females are excluded.

Nonveterans are males who never served in the Armed Forces.

HISTORIC COMPARABILITY

Raised lower age limit

Beginning with data for 1967, the lower age limit for official statistics on persons in the labor force was raised from 14 to 16 years. At the same time, several definitions were sharpened to clear up ambiguities. The principal definitional changes were: (1) Counting as unemployed only persons who were currently available for work and who had engaged in some specific jobseeking activity within the past 4 weeks; an exception to the latter condition is made for persons waiting to start a new job in 30 days or waiting to be recalled from layoff; in the past, the current availability test was not applied and the time period for jobseeking was ambiguous; (2) counting as employed persons who were absent from their jobs in the survey week because of strikes, bad weather, etc. and those who were looking for other jobs; previously, these persons had been classified as unemployed; (3) sharpening the questions on hours of work, duration of unemployment, and self-employment in order to increase their reliability.

These changes did not affect the unemployment rate by more than one-fifth of a percentage point in either direction, although the distribution of unemployment by sex was affected. The number of employed was reduced about 1 million because of the exclusion of 14- and 15-year-olds. For persons 16 years and over, the only employment series appreciably affected were those relating to hours of work and class of worker. A detailed discussion of the changes and their effect on the various series is

contained in "New Definitions of Employment and Unemployment" by Robert L. Stein in the February 1967 issue of *Employment and Earnings* and *Monthly Report on the Labor Force*. Reprints may be obtained upon request.

Noncomparability of labor force levels

Before the changes introduced in 1967, the labor force data were not comparable for three earlier periods: (1) Beginning 1953, as a result of the introduction of data from the 1950 census into the estimation procedure, population levels were raised by about 600,000; labor force, total employment, and agricultural employment by about 350,000, primarily affecting the figures for totals and males; other categories were relative unaffected; (2) beginning 1960, the inclusion of Alaska and Hawaii resulted in an increase of about 500,000 in the population and about 300,000 in the labor force, four-fifths of this in nonagricultural employment; other labor force categories were not appreciably affected; (3) beginning 1962, the introduction of figures from the 1960 census reduced the population by about 50,000, labor force and employment by about 200,000; unemployment totals were virtually unchanged. In addition, beginning 1972, information from the 1970 census was introduced into the estimation procedures, producing an increase in the civilian noninstitutional population of about 800,000; labor force and employment totals were raised by a little more than 300,000, and unemployment levels and rates were essentially unchanged. A subsequent population adjustment based on the 1970 census was introduced in March 1973. This adjustment affected the white and Negro and other races groups but had little effect on totals. The adjustment resulted in the reduction of nearly 300,000 in the white population and an increase of the same magnitude in the Negro and other races population. Civilian labor force and total employment figures were affected to a lesser degree; the white labor force was reduced by 150,000, and the Negro and other races labor force rose by about 210,000. Unemployment levels and rates were not affected significantly.

Beginning in January 1974, the methodology used to prepare independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population was modified to an "inflation-deflation" approach. This change in the derivation of the population estimates had its greatest impact on estimates of 20-24 year-old males—particularly those of Negro and other races—but had little effect on 16 and over totals. Additional information on the adjustment procedure appears in "CPS Population Controls Derived from Inflation-Deflation Method of Estimation" in the February 1974 issue of *Employment and Earnings*.

Changes in occupational classification system

Beginning with 1971, the comparability of occupational employment data was affected as a result of changes in census occupational classifications introduced into the Current Population Survey (CPS). These changes stemmed from an exhaustive review of the classification system to be used for the 1970 Census of Population. This review, the most comprehensive since the 1940 census, was to reduce the size of large groups, to be more specific about general and "not elsewhere classified" groups, and to provide information on emerging significant occupations. Differences in March 1970 employment levels tabulated on both the 1960 and 1970 classification systems ranged from a drop of 650,000 in operatives to an increase of

570,000 in service workers, much of which resulted from a shift between these two groups; the nonfarm laborers group increased by 420,000, and changes in other groups amounted to 220,000 or less.

An additional major group was created by splitting the operatives category into two: operatives, except transport, and transport equipment operatives. Separate data for these two groups first became available in January 1972. At the same time, several changes in titles, as well as in order of presentation, were introduced; for example, the title of the managers, officials, and proprietors group was changed to "managers and administrators, except farm," since only proprietors performing managerial duties are included in the category.

Apart from the effects of revisions in the occupational classification system beginning in 1971, comparability of occupational employment data was further affected in December 1971, when a question eliciting information on major activities or duties was added to the monthly CPS questionnaire in order to determine more precisely the occupational classification of individuals. This change resulted in several dramatic occupational shifts, particularly from managers and administrators to other groups. Thus, meaningful comparisons of occupational levels cannot be made between 1972 and earlier periods. However, revisions in the occupational classification system as well as in the CPS questionnaire are believed to have had but a negligible impact on unemployment rates.

Additional information on changes in the occupational classification system of the CPS appears in "Revisions in Occupational Classifications for 1971" and "Revisions in the Current Population Survey" in the February 1971 and February 1972 issues, respectively, of *Employment and Earnings*.

ESTIMATING METHODS

Under the estimation methods used in the CPS, all of the results for a given month become available simultaneously and are based on returns from the entire panel of respondents. There are no subsequent adjustments to independent benchmark data on labor force, employment, or unemployment. Therefore, revisions of the historical data are not an inherent feature of this statistical program.

1. *Noninterview adjustment.* The weights for all interviewed households are adjusted to the extent needed to account for occupied sample households for which no information was obtained because of absence, impassable roads, refusals, or unavailability of the respondent for other reasons. This adjustment is made separately by combinations of sample areas and, within these, for six groups—two race categories (white, and Negro and other races) within three residence categories. For sample areas which are standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's), these residence categories are the central cities, and the urban and the rural balance of the SMSA's. For other sample areas, the residence categories are urban, rural nonfarm, and rural farm. The proportion of sample households not interviewed varies from 3 to 5 percent depending on weather, vacations, etc.

2. *Ratio estimates.* The distribution of the population selected for the sample may differ somewhat, by chance, from that of the Nation as a whole, in such characteristics as age, color, sex, and residence. Since these population characteristics are closely correlated with labor force participation and other principal measurements made from the sample, the latter estimates can be

substantially improved when weighted appropriately by the known distribution of these population characteristics. This is accomplished through two stages of ratio estimates as follows:

a. *First-stage ratio estimate.* This is a procedure in which the sample proportions are weighted by the known 1970 Census data on the color-residence distribution of the population. This step takes into account the differences existing at the time of the 1970 Census between the color-residence distribution for the Nation and for the sample areas.

b. *Second-stage ratio estimate.* In this step, the sample proportions are applied to independent current estimates of the population by age, sex, and color. Prior to January 1974 these estimates were prepared by carrying forward the most recent census data (1970) after taking account of subsequent aging of the population, births, deaths, and migration between the United States and other countries.

Beginning in 1974, the "inflation-deflation" method of deriving independent population controls was introduced into the CPS estimation procedures. In this procedure, the most recent census population adjusted to include estimated net census undercount by age, sex, and color (i.e., "inflated") is carried forward to each subsequent month and later age by adding births, subtracting deaths, and adding net migration. These postcensal population estimates are then "deflated" to census level to reflect the pattern of net undercount in the most recent census by age, sex, and color. The actual percent change over time in the population in any age group is preserved.

3. *Composite estimate procedure.* In deriving statistics for a given month, a composite estimating procedure is used which takes account of net changes from the previous month for continuing parts of the sample (75 percent) as well as the sample results for the current month. This procedure reduces the sampling variability of month-to-month changes especially and of the levels for most items also.

Rounding of estimates

The sums of individual items may not always equal the totals shown in the same tables because of independent rounding of totals and components to the nearest thousand. Differences, however, are insignificant.

Reliability of the estimates

Since the estimates are based on a sample, they may differ from the figures that would have been obtained if it were possible to take a complete census using the same schedules and procedures.

The standard error is a measure of sampling variability, that is, the variations that might occur by chance because only a sample of the population is surveyed. The chances are about 2 out of 3 that an estimate from the sample would differ from a complete census by less than the standard error. The chances are about 19 out of 20 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

Table A shows the average standard error for the major employment status categories, by sex, computed from data for past months. Estimates of change derived from the survey are

also subject to sampling variability. The standard error of change for consecutive months is also shown in table A. The standard errors of level shown in table A are acceptable approximations of the standard errors of year-to-year change.

The figures presented in table B are to be used for other characteristics and are approximations of the standard errors of all such characteristics. They should be interpreted as providing an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors rather than as the precise standard error for any specific item.

Table A. Average standard error of major employment status categories

[In thousands]

Employment status and sex	Average standard error of—	
	Monthly level	Month-to-month change (consecutive months only)
BOTH SEXES		
Labor force	205	150
Total employment	210	155
Agriculture	95	60
Nonagricultural employment	210	155
Unemployment	90	95
MALE		
Labor force	115	95
Total employment	125	100
Agriculture	85	55
Nonagricultural employment	130	105
Unemployment	70	80
FEMALE		
Labor force	140	110
Total employment	140	110
Agriculture	35	25
Nonagricultural employment	140	110
Unemployment	60	70

Table B. Standard error of level of monthly estimates

[In thousands]

Size of estimate	Both sexes		Male		Female	
	Total or white	Negro and other races	Total or white	Negro and other races	Total or white	Negro and other races
10	4	4	6	4	6	4
50	9	9	11	9	11	9
100	12	12	16	12	16	12
250	20	17	25	17	25	17
500	30	25	34	25	34	25
1,000	40	35	50	35	50	35
2,500	60	40	75	40	75	40
5,000	85	45	90	—	90	—
10,000	115	—	115	—	115	—
20,000	150	—	125	—	125	—
30,000	170	—	—	—	—	—
40,000	180	—	—	—	—	—

The standard error of the change in an item from one month to the next month is more closely related to the standard error of the monthly level for that item than to the size of the specific month-to-month change itself. Thus, in order to use the approximations to the standard errors of month-to-month changes as presented in table C, it is first necessary to obtain the standard error of the monthly level of the item in table B, and then find the standard error of the month-to-month change in table C corresponding to this standard error of level. It should be noted that table C applies to estimates of change between 2 consecutive months. For changes between the current month and the same month last year, the standard errors of level shown in table B are acceptable approximations.

Illustration. Assume that the tables showed the total number of persons working a specific number of hours as 15,000,000, an increase of 500,000 over the previous month. Linear interpolation in the first column of table B shows that the standard error of 15,000,000 is about 133,000. Consequently, the chances are about 68 out of 100 that the sample estimate differs by less than 133,000 from the figure which would have been obtained from a complete count of the number of persons working the given number of hours. Using the 133,000 as the standard error of the monthly level in table C, it may be seen that the standard error of the 500,000 increase is about 126,000.

Table C. Standard error of estimates of month-to-month change

[In thousands]

Standard error of monthly level	Standard error of month-to-month change
10	12
25	28
50	55
100	100
150	140
200	155
250	160
300	190

The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed by using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends upon both the size of the percentage and the size of the total upon which the percentage is based. Where the numerator is a subclass of the denominator, estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding absolute estimates of the numerator of the percentage, particularly if the percentage is large (50 percent or greater). Table D shows the standard errors

Table D. Standard error of percentage

Base of percentages (thousands)	Estimated percentage								
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	35 or 65	50
150	1.1	1.5	2.4	3.3	4.0	4.5	4.9	5.5	6.1
250	.9	1.3	2.0	2.8	3.3	3.7	4.1	4.6	5.1
500	.6	.8	1.3	1.7	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.9	3.2
1,000	.4	.6	.9	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.3
2,000	.3	.4	.6	.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.6
3,000	.2	.3	.5	.7	.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3
5,000	.2	.3	.4	.6	.7	.7	.8	.9	1.0
10,000	.1	.2	.3	.4	.5	.5	.6	.7	.7
25,000	.1	.1	.2	.3	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4
50,000	.1	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	.3	.3	.3
75,000	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3

for percentages derived from the survey. Linear interpolation may be used for percentages and base figures not shown in table D. As a general rule, percentages will not be published when the monthly base is less than 75,000 or the annual base is less than 35,000. Table E shows the standard error of percentage of monthly levels and consecutive month change for frequently analyzed unemployment rate series. These errors are computed from data for recent months. Errors on change for nonconsecutive months are slightly greater (by roughly a factor of 1.1 times the month-to-month error).

Table E. Standard error of percentage for major unemployment rates

Selected categories	Monthly level	Consecutive month change
Total (all civilian workers)	.09	.11
Men, 20 years and over	.10	.12
Women, 20 years and over	.16	.19
Both sexes, 16-19 years	.50	.64
White workers	.09	.11
Negro (and other races) workers	.36	.45
Household heads	.09	.11
Married men	.09	.11
Full-time workers	.09	.11
Part-time workers	.32	.40
Unemployed 15 weeks and over	.04	.05
Labor force time lost	.10	.12
OCCUPATION		
White-collar workers	.11	.13
Professional and technical Managers and administrators, except farm	.18	.22
Sales workers	.14	.18
Clerical workers	.34	.42
Blue-collar workers	.21	.25
Craft and kindred workers	.16	.20
Operatives	.23	.28
Nonfarm laborers	.24	.30
Service workers	.52	.65
Farm workers	.27	.34
	.37	.45
INDUSTRY		
Nonagricultural private wage and salary workers	.11	.13
Construction	.52	.66
Manufacturing	.18	.22
Durable goods	.21	.26
Nondurable goods	.30	.37
Transportation and public utilities	.33	.40
Wholesale and retail trade	.24	.30
Finance and service industries	.20	.24
Government wage and salary workers	.18	.22
Agricultural wage and salary workers	.97	1.23

Establishment data

(B, C, and D tables)

COLLECTION

Payroll reports provide current information on wage and salary employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover in nonagricultural establishments, by industry and geographic location.

Federal-State cooperation

Under cooperative arrangements with State agencies, the respondent fills out a single employment or labor turnover reporting form, which is then used for national, State, and area estimates. This eliminates duplicate reporting on the part of respondents and, together with the use of identical techniques at the national and State levels, insures maximum comparability of estimates.

State agencies mail the forms to the establishments and examine the returns for consistency, accuracy, and completeness. The States use the information to prepare State and area series and then send the establishment data to the BLS for use in preparing the national series.

Shuttle schedules

Two types of data collection schedules are used: Form BLS 790—Monthly Report on Employment, Payroll, and Hours; and Form DL 1219—Monthly Report on Labor Turnover. These schedules are of the "shuttle" type, with space for each month of the calendar year. The collection agency returns the schedule to the respondent each month so that the next month's data can be entered. This procedure assures maximum comparability and accuracy of reporting, since the respondent can see the figures he has reported for previous months.

Form BLS 790 provides for entry of data on the number of full- and part-time workers on the payrolls of nonagricultural establishments and, for most industries, payroll and manhours of production and related workers or nonsupervisory workers for the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. Form DL 1219 provides for the collection of information on the total number of accessions and separations, by type, during the calendar month.

CONCEPTS

Industrial classification

Establishments reporting on Form BLS 790 and Form DL 1219 are classified into industries on the basis of their principal product or activity determined from information on annual sales volume. This information is collected each year on a supplement to the monthly 790 or 1219 report. For an establishment making more than one product or engaging in more than one activity, the entire employment of the establishment is included under the industry indicated by the most important product or activity.

All national, State, and area employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover series are classified in accordance with the *Standard Industrial Classification Manual*, Bureau of the Budget, 1967.

Industry employment

Employment data, except those for the Federal Government, refer to persons on establishment payrolls who received pay for any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. For Federal Government establishments, employment figures represent the number of persons who occupied positions on the last day of the calendar month. Intermittent workers are counted if they performed any service during the month.

The data exclude proprietors, the self-employed, unpaid volunteer or family workers, farm workers, and domestic workers in households. Salaried officers of corporations are included. Government employment covers only civilian employees; military personnel are excluded.

Persons on establishment payrolls who are on paid sick leave (when pay is received directly from the firm), on paid holiday or paid vacation, or who work during a part of the pay period and are unemployed or on strike during the rest of the period, are counted as employed. Not counted as employed are persons who are laid off, on leave without pay, or on strike for the entire period or who are hired but have not been paid during the period.

Industry hours and earnings

Hours and earnings data are derived from reports of payrolls and man-hours for production and related workers in manufacturing and mining, construction workers in contract construction, and nonsupervisory employees in the remaining private nonagricultural components. For Federal Government, hours and earnings relate to all employees, both supervisory and nonsupervisory. Terms are defined below. When the pay period reported is longer than 1 week, figures are reduced to a weekly basis.

Production and related workers include working foreman and all nonsupervisory workers (including leadmen and trainees) engaged in fabricating, processing, assembling, inspection, receiving, storage, handling, packing, warehousing, shipping, maintenance, repair, janitorial and watchman services, product development, auxiliary production for plant's own use (e.g., power plant), and recordkeeping and other services closely associated with the above production operations.

Construction workers include the following employees in the contract construction division: Working foremen, journeymen, mechanic's apprentices, laborers, etc., whether working at the site of construction or in shops or yards, at jobs (such as precutting and preassembling) ordinarily performed by members of the construction trades.

Nonsupervisory employees include employees (not above the working supervisory level) such as office and clerical workers, repairmen, salespersons, operators, drivers, physicians, lawyers, accountants, nurses, social workers, research aids, teachers,

draftsmen, photographers, beauticians, musicians, restaurant workers, custodial workers, attendants, linemen, laborers, janitors, watchmen, and similar occupational levels, and other employees whose services are closely associated with those of the employees listed.

Payroll covers the payroll for full- and part-time production, construction, or nonsupervisory workers who received pay for any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. The payroll is reported before deductions of any kind, e.g., for old-age and unemployment insurance, group insurance, withholding tax, bonds or union dues; also included is pay for overtime, holidays, vacations, and sick leave paid directly by the firm. Bonuses (unless earned and paid regularly each pay period), other pay not earned in the pay period reported (e.g., retroactive pay), tips, and the value of free rent, fuel, meals, or other payment in kind are excluded. "Fringe benefits" (such as health and other types of insurance, contributions to retirement, etc. paid by the employer) are also excluded.

Man-hours cover man-hours paid for, during the pay period which includes the 12th of the month, for production, construction, or nonsupervisory workers. The man-hours include hours paid for holidays and vacations, and for sick leave when pay is received directly from the firm.

Overtime hours cover hours worked by production or related workers for which overtime premiums were paid because the hours were in excess of the number of hours of either the straight-time workday or the workweek during the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. Weekend and holiday hours are included only if overtime premiums were paid. Hours for which only shift differential, hazard, incentive, or other similar types of premiums were paid are excluded.

Gross average hourly and weekly earnings

Average hourly earnings are on a "gross" basis, reflecting not only changes in basic hourly and incentive wage rates but also such variable factors as premium pay for overtime and late-shift work and changes in output of workers paid on an incentive plan. Shifts in the volume of employment between relatively high-paid and low-paid work and changes in workers' earnings in individual establishments also affect the general earnings averages. Averages for groups and divisions further reflect changes in average hourly earnings for individual industries.

Averages of hourly earnings differ from wage rates. Earnings are the actual return to the worker for a stated period of time; rates are the amounts stipulated for a given unit of work or time. The earnings series does not measure the level of total labor costs on the part of the employer since the following are excluded: Irregular bonuses, retroactive items, payments of various welfare benefits, payroll taxes paid by employers, and earnings for those employees not covered under the production-worker, construction-worker, or nonsupervisory-employee definitions.

Gross average weekly earnings are derived by multiplying average weekly hours by average hourly earnings. Therefore, weekly earnings are affected not only by changes in gross average hourly earnings but also by changes in the length of the workweek. Monthly variations in such factors as proportion of part-time workers, stoppages for varying causes, labor turnover during the survey period, and absenteeism for which employees are not paid may cause the average workweek to fluctuate.

Long-term trends of gross average weekly earnings can be affected by structural changes in the makeup of the work force. For example, persistent long-term increases in the proportion of

part-time workers in retail trade and many of the service industries have reduced average workweeks in these industries and have affected the average weekly earnings series.

Average weekly hours

The workweek information relates to the average hours for which pay was received and is different from standard or scheduled hours. Such factors as unpaid absenteeism, labor turnover, part-time work, and stoppages cause average weekly hours to be lower than scheduled hours of work for an establishment. Group averages further reflect changes in the workweek of component industries.

Average overtime hours

The overtime hours represent the portion of the gross average weekly hours which were in excess of regular hours and for which overtime premiums were paid. If an employee worked on a paid holiday at regular rates, receiving as total compensation his holiday pay plus straight-time pay for hours worked that day, no overtime hours would be reported.

Since overtime hours are premium hours by definition, gross weekly hours and overtime hours do not necessarily move in the same direction from month-to-month; for example, overtime premiums may be paid for hours in excess of the straight-time workday although less than a full week is worked. Diverse trends at the industry-group level also may be caused by a marked change in gross hours for a component industry where little or no overtime was worked in both the previous and current months. In addition, such factors as stoppages, absenteeism, and labor turnover may not have the same influence on overtime hours as on gross hours.

Hours and earnings for total private nonagricultural industries

This series covers all nonagricultural industry divisions except government. The principal source of payroll data is Form BLS 790. Secondary source material such as the Bureau's *Employment and Wages, County Business Patterns* of the Bureau of the Census, and additional supporting information such as *The Hospital Guide, Part II*, of the American Hospital Association and special studies by the National Council of Churches supplement data for certain industry groups within the service division.

For a technical description of this series, see the article, "Hours and Earnings for Workers in Private Nonagricultural Industries," published in the May 1967 issue of *Employment and Earnings and Monthly Report on the Labor Force*. Reprints are available upon request.

Railroad hours and earnings

The figures for class I railroads (excluding switching and terminal companies) are based on monthly data summarized in the M-300 report of the Interstate Commerce Commission and relate to all employees except executives, officials, and staff assistants (ICC group I) who received pay during the month. Gross average hourly earnings are computed by dividing total compensation by total hours paid for. Average weekly hours are

obtained by dividing the total number of hours paid for, reduced to a weekly basis, by the number of employees, as defined above. Gross average weekly earnings are derived by multiplying average weekly hours by average hourly earnings.

Spendable average weekly earnings

Spendable average weekly earnings in current dollars are obtained by deducting estimated Federal social security and income taxes from average weekly earnings. The amount of income tax liability depends on the number of dependents supported by the worker and his marital status, as well as on the level of his gross income. To reflect these variables, spendable earnings are computed for a worker with no dependents and a married worker with three dependents. The computations are based on gross average weekly earnings for all production or nonsupervisory workers in the industry division excluding other income and income earned by other family members.

The series reflects the spendable earnings of only those workers, with either none or three dependents, whose gross weekly pay approximates the average earnings indicated for all production and nonsupervisory workers. It does not reflect, for example, the average earnings of all workers with three dependents; such workers, in fact have higher gross average earnings than workers with no dependents.

Since part-time as well as full-time workers are included, and since the proportion of part-time workers has been rising, the series understates the increase in earnings for full-time workers. As noted, "fringe benefits" are not included in the earnings. For a more complete discussion of the uses and limitations of these series, see the article by Paul M. Schwab, "Two Measures of Purchasing Power Contrasted," in the *Monthly Labor Review* for April 1971. Reprints of this article are available from the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

"Real" earnings are computed by dividing the current Consumer Price Index into the earnings averages for the current month. This is done for gross average weekly earnings and for spendable average weekly earnings. The level of earnings is thus adjusted for changes in purchasing power since the base period (1967).

Average hourly earnings excluding overtime

Average hourly earnings excluding overtime premium pay are computed by dividing the total production-worker payroll for the industry group by the sum of total production-worker man-hours and one-half of total overtime man-hours. Prior to January 1956, these data were based on the application of adjustment factors to gross average hourly earnings (as described in the *Monthly Labor Review*, May 1950, pp. 537-540). Both methods eliminate only the earnings due to overtime paid for at 1½ times the straight-time rates. No adjustment is made for other premium payment provisions, such as holiday work, late-shift work and overtime rates other than time and one-half.

Indexes of aggregate weekly payrolls and man-hours

The indexes of aggregate weekly payrolls and man-hours are prepared by dividing the current month's aggregate by the monthly average for the 1967 period. The man-hour aggregates are the product of average weekly hours and production-worker

or nonsupervisory worker employment, and the payroll aggregates are the product of man-hour aggregates and average hourly earnings. At all higher levels of aggregation, man-hour and payroll aggregates are the sum of the component aggregates.

Labor turnover

Labor turnover is the gross movement of wage and salary workers into and out of employed status with respect to individual establishments. This movement, which relates to a calendar month, is divided into two broad types: *Accessions* (new hires and rehires) and *separations* (terminations of employment initiated by either employer or employee). Each type of action is cumulated for a calendar month and expressed as a rate per 100 employees. The data relate to all employees, whether full- or part-time, permanent or temporary, including executive, office, sales, other salaried personnel, and production workers. Transfers to another establishment of the company are included, beginning with January 1959.

Accessions are the total number of permanent and temporary additions to the employment roll, including both new and rehired employees.

New hires are temporary or permanent additions to the employment roll of persons who have never before been employed in the establishment (except employees transferring from another establishment of the same company) or of former employees not recalled by the employer.

Other accessions, which are not published separately but are included in total accessions, are all additions to the employment roll which are not classified as new hires, including transfers from other establishments of the company and employees recalled from layoff.

Separations are terminations of employment during the calendar month and are classified according to cause: Quits, layoffs, and other separations, are defined as follows:

Quits are terminations of employment initiated by employees, failure to report after being hired, and unauthorized absences, if on the last day of the month the person has been absent more than 7 consecutive calendar days.

Layoffs are suspensions without pay lasting or expected to last more than 7 consecutive calendar days, initiated by the employer without prejudice to the worker.

Other separations, which are not published separately but are included in total separations, are terminations of employment because of discharge, permanent disability, death, retirement, transfers to another establishment of the company, and entrance into the Armed Forces for a period expected to last more than 30 consecutive calendar days.

Relationship of labor turnover to employment series

Month-to-month changes in total employment in manufacturing industries reflected by labor turnover rates are not comparable with the changes shown in the Bureau's employment series for the following reasons: (1) Accessions and separations are computed for the entire calendar month; the employment reports refer to the pay period which includes the 12th of the month; and (2) employees on strike are not counted as turnover actions although such employees are excluded from the employment estimates if the work stoppage extends through the report period.

ESTIMATING METHODS

The principal features of the procedure used to estimate employment for the industry statistics are (1) the use of the "link relative" technique, which is a form of ratio estimation, (2) periodic adjustment of employment levels to new benchmarks, and (3) the use of size and regional stratification.

The "link relative" technique

From a sample composed of establishments reporting for both the previous and current months, the ratio of current

month employment to that of the previous month is computed. This is called a link relative. The estimates of employment (all employees, including production and nonproduction workers together) for the current month are obtained by multiplying the estimates for the previous month by these "link relatives." In addition, small bias correction factors are applied to selected employment estimates each month. The size of the bias correction factors is determined from past experience. Other features of the general procedures are described in table F, Summary of methods for computing industry statistics on employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover.

Table F. Summary of methods for computing industry statistics on employment, hours, and labor turnover

Item	Basic estimating cell (industry, region, size, or region/size cell)	Aggregate industry levels (divisions, groups and, where stratified, individual cells)
Monthly data		
All employees	All-employee estimate for previous month multiplied by ratio of all employees in current month to all employees in previous month, for sample establishments which reported for both months.	Sum of all-employee estimates for component cells.
Production or nonsupervisory workers, women employees	All-employee estimate for current month multiplied by (1) ratio of production or nonsupervisory workers to all employees in sample establishments for current month, (2) ratio of women to all employees.	Sum of production- or nonsupervisory-worker estimates, or estimates of women employees, for component cells.
Gross average weekly hours	Production- or nonsupervisory-worker man-hours divided by number of production or nonsupervisory workers.	Average, weighted by production- or nonsupervisory-worker employment, of the average weekly hours for component cells.
Average weekly overtime hours	Production-worker overtime man-hours divided by number of production workers.	Average, weighted by production-worker employment, of the average weekly overtime hours for component cells.
Gross average hourly earnings	Total production- or nonsupervisory-worker payroll divided by total production- or nonsupervisory-worker man-hours.	Average, weighted by aggregate man-hours, of the average hourly earnings for component cells.
Gross average weekly earnings	Product of gross average weekly hours and average hourly earnings.	Product of gross average weekly hours and average hourly earnings.
Labor turnover rates	The number of particular actions (e.g., quits) in reporting establishments divided by total employment in those firms. The result is multiplied by 100.	Average, weighted by employment, of the rates for component cells.
Annual average data		
All employees and production or nonsupervisory workers	Sum of monthly estimates divided by 12.	Sum of monthly estimates divided by 12.
Gross average weekly hours	Annual total of aggregate man-hours (production- or nonsupervisory-worker employment multiplied by average weekly hours) divided by annual sum of employment.	Annual total of aggregate man-hours for production or nonsupervisory-workers divided by annual sum of employment for these workers.
Average weekly overtime hours	Annual total of aggregate overtime man-hours (production-worker employment multiplied by average weekly overtime hours) divided by annual sum of employment.	Annual total of aggregate overtime man-hours for production workers divided by annual sum of employment for these workers.
Gross average hourly earnings	Annual total of aggregate payrolls (production- or nonsupervisory-worker employment multiplied by weekly earnings) divided by annual aggregate man-hours.	Annual total of aggregate payrolls divided by annual aggregate man-hours.
Gross average weekly earnings	Product of gross average weekly hours and average hourly earnings.	Product of gross average weekly hours and average hourly earnings.
Labor turnover rates	Sum of monthly rates divided by 12.	Sum of monthly rates divided by 12.

Size and regional stratification

A number of industries are stratified by size of establishment and/or by region, and the stratified production- or nonsupervisory-worker data are used to weight the hours and earnings into broader industry groupings. Accordingly, the basic estimating cell for an employment, hours, or earnings series, as the term is used in the summary of computational methods, may be a whole industry or a size stratum, a region stratum, or a size stratum of a region within an industry.

Benchmark adjustments

Employment estimates are compared periodically with comprehensive counts of employment which provide "benchmarks" for the various nonagricultural industries, and appropriate adjustments are made as indicated. The industry estimates are currently projected from March 1971 levels. Normally, benchmark adjustments are made annually.

The primary sources of benchmark information are employment data, by industry, compiled quarterly by State agencies from reports of establishments covered under State unemployment insurance laws. These tabulations, cover nearly nine-tenths of the total nonagricultural employment in the United States. Benchmarks data for the residual are obtained from the records of the Social Security Administration, the Interstate Commerce Commission, and a number of other agencies in private industry or government.

The estimates relating to the benchmark month are compared with new benchmark levels, industry by industry. If revisions are necessary, the monthly series of estimates are adjusted between the new benchmark and the preceding one, and the new benchmark for each industry is then carried forward progressively to the current month by use of the sample trends. Thus, under this procedure, the benchmark is used to establish the level of employment; the sample is used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level. A comparison of the actual amounts of revisions made in the last 3 benchmark years is shown in table G.

Table G. Nonagricultural payroll employment estimates, by industry divisions, as a percentage of the benchmark for 1969-71

Industry division	1969	1970	1971
Total	99.8	100.0	100.2
Mining	101.5	100.0	99.8
Contract construction	99.0	100.1	96.9
Manufacturing	99.8	100.1	100.4
Transportation and public utilities	100.4	99.9	100.9
Wholesale and retail trade	100.0	100.1	100.3
Finance, insurance, and real estate	100.0	100.3	100.2
Services	99.1	99.6	100.4
Government	100.1	100.3	100.0

Data for all months since the last benchmark to which the series has been adjusted are subject to revision. To provide users of the data with a convenient reference source for the revised data, the BLS publishes as soon as possible after each benchmark revision a summary volume of employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover statistics, entitled *Employment and Earnings, United States*.

THE SAMPLE

Design

The sampling plan used in the current employment statistics program is known as "sampling proportionate to average size of establishment." This design is an optimum allocation design among strata since the sampling variance is proportional to the average size of establishments. The universe of establishments is stratified first by industry and then within each industry by size of establishment in terms of employment. For each industry, the number of sample units is distributed among the size class cells on the basis of average employment per establishment in each cell. In practice, this is equivalent to distributing the predetermined total number of establishments required in the sample among the cells on the basis of the ratio of employment in each cell to total employment in the industry. Within each noncertainty stratum the sample members are selected at random.

Under this type of design, large establishments fall into the sample with certainty. The size of the sample for the various industries is determined empirically on the basis of experience and of cost considerations. In a manufacturing industry in which a high proportion of total employment is concentrated in relatively few establishments, a large percentage of total employment is included in the sample. Consequently, the sample design for such industries provides for a complete census of the large establishments with only a few chosen from among the smaller establishments or none at all if the concentration of employment is great enough. On the other hand, in an industry in which a large proportion of total employment is in small establishments, the sample design calls for inclusion of all large establishments and also for a substantial number of the small ones. Many industries in the trade and services divisions fall into this category. To keep the sample to a size which can be handled by available resources, it is necessary to accept samples in these divisions with a smaller proportion of universe employment than is the case for most manufacturing industries. Since individual establishments in these nonmanufacturing divisions generally show less fluctuation from regular cyclical or seasonal patterns than establishments in manufacturing industries, these smaller samples (in terms of employment) generally produce reliable estimates.

In the context of the BLS employment and labor turnover statistics programs, with their emphasis on producing timely data at minimum cost, a sample must be obtained which will provide coverage of a sufficiently large segment of the universe to provide reasonably reliable estimates that can be published promptly and regularly. The present sample meets these specifications for most industries. With its use, the BLS is able to produce preliminary estimates each month for many industries and for many geographic levels within a few weeks after reports are mailed by respondents, and at a somewhat later date, statistics in considerably greater industrial detail.

Coverage

The BLS sample of establishment employment and payrolls is the largest monthly sampling operation in the field of social statistics. Table H shows the approximate proportion of total employment in each industry division covered by the group of establishments furnishing monthly employment data. The coverage for individual industries within the division may vary

Table 1. Approximate size and coverage of BLS employment and payrolls sample, March 1972¹

Industry division	Number of establishments in samples	Employees	
		Number reported	Percent of total
Total	155,400	29,228,000	41
Mining	2,200	309,000	51
Contract construction	16,000	691,000	22
Manufacturing	45,700	10,998,000	59
Transportation and public utilities:			
Railroad transportation (ICC)	96	536,000	94
Other transportation and public utilities	7,100	2,052,000	53
Wholesale and retail trade	38,500	2,881,000	19
Finance, insurance, and real estate	9,900	1,405,000	36
Services	23,000	2,495,000	21
Government:			
Federal (Civil Service Commission) ²	3,100	2,656,000	100
State and local	9,800	5,205,000	48

¹ Since a few establishments do not report payroll and man-hour information, hours and earnings estimates may be based on a slightly smaller sample than employment estimates.

² National estimates of Federal employment are provided to the BLS by the Civil Service Commission. State and area estimates are based on a sample of 3,100 reports covering about 56 percent of employment in Federal establishments.

from the proportions shown. Table 1 shows the approximate coverage, in terms of employment, of the labor turnover sample.

Table 1. Approximate size and coverage of BLS labor turnover sample, March 1972

Industry	Employees	
	Number reported	Percent of total
Total	10,279,890	52
Manufacturing	9,566,590	52
Metal mining	56,300	65
Coal mining	58,900	40
Communication:		
Telephone	580,500	60
Telegraph	17,600	66

Reliability of the employment estimates

Although the relatively large size of the BLS establishment sample assures a high degree of accuracy, the estimates derived from it may differ from the figures that would be obtained if it were possible to take a complete census using the same schedules and procedures. As discussed under the previous section, a link relative technique is used to estimate employment. This requires the use of the previous month's estimate as the base in computing the current month's estimate. Thus, small sampling and response errors may cumulate over several months. To remove this accumulated error, the estimates are adjusted

annually to new benchmarks. In addition to taking account of sampling and response errors, the benchmark revision adjusts the estimates for changes in the industrial classification of individual establishments (resulting from changes in their product which are not reflected in the levels of estimates until the data are adjusted to new benchmarks). In fact, at the more detailed industry levels, particularly within manufacturing, changes in classification are the major cause of benchmark adjustments. Another cause of differences, generally minor, arises from improvements in the quality of the benchmark data. Table J presents the average percent revisions of the six most recent benchmarks for major industry divisions. Detailed descriptions of individual benchmark revisions are available from the Bureau upon request.

The hours and earnings estimates for cells are not subject to benchmark revisions, although the broader groupings may be affected slightly by changes in employment weights. The hours and earnings estimates, however, are subject to sampling errors which may be expressed as relative errors of the estimates. (A relative error is a standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate.) Relative errors for major industries are presented in table J and for individual industries with the specified number of employees in table K. The chances are about 2 out of 3 that the hours and earnings estimates from the sample would differ by a smaller percentage than the relative error from the averages that would have been obtained from a complete census.

Table J. Average benchmark percent revision in employment estimates and relative errors¹ for average weekly hours and average hourly earnings by industry division

Industry division	Average benchmark revision in estimates of employment ²	Relative errors (in percent)	
		Average weekly hours	Average hourly earnings
Total nonagricultural employment	0.2		
Total private .....	.2	0.1	0.2
Mining .....	.7	.5	.5
Construction	1.1	.2	.3
Manufacturing .....	.3	.1	.1
Durable goods .....	.4	.1	.1
Nondurable goods .....	.3	.1	.1
Transportation and public utilities .....	.4	.7	.4
Trade .....	.2	.1	.2
Wholesale .....	.9	.2	.3
Retail .....	.2	.2	.2
Finance, insurance, and real estate .....	.3	.2	.4
Services .....	.5	.4	.8
Government ³			

¹ Relative errors relate to March 1971 data.

² The average percent revision in employment for the 6 most recent benchmarks (1966-71).

³ Estimates for government are based on a total count for Federal Government and samples for State and local government benchmarked to a quinquennial census of government conducted by the Bureau of the Census.

One measure of the reliability of the employment estimates for individual industries is the root-mean-square error (RMSE). The measure is the standard deviation adjusted for the bias in estimates

$$(RMSE = \sqrt{(Standard\ Deviation)^2 + (Bias)^2}).$$

If the bias is small, the chances are about 2 out of 3 that an estimate from the sample would differ from its benchmark by less than the root-mean-square error. The chances are about 19 out of 20 that the difference would be less than twice the root-mean-square error.

Approximations of the root-mean-square errors (based on the experience of the last 6 years) of differences between final estimates and benchmarks are presented in table K.

Table K. Root-mean-square errors of differences between benchmarks and estimates of employment and average relative errors for average weekly hours and average hourly earnings

Size of employment estimate	Root-mean-square error of employment estimates ¹	Relative errors (in percent)	
		Average weekly hours	Average hourly earnings
50,000	1,900	0.9	1.5
100,000	2,700	.7	1.1
200,000	4,100	.5	.9
500,000	9,600	.4	.8
1,000,000	13,000	.3	.5
2,000,000	16,800	.3	.5

¹ Assuming 12-month intervals between benchmark revisions.

For the two most recent months, estimates of employment, hours, and earnings are preliminary and are so footnoted in the tables. These figures are based on less than the total sample and are revised when all the reports in the sample have been received. Table L presents root-mean-square errors of the amounts of revisions that may be expected between the preliminary and final levels of employment and preliminary and final month-to-month changes. Revisions of preliminary hours and earnings estimates are normally not greater than .1 of an hour for weekly hours and 1 cent for hourly earnings.

Table L. Errors of preliminary employment estimates

Size of employment estimate	Root-mean-square error of	
	Monthly level	Month-to-month change
50,000	500	500
100,000	800	800
200,000	1,600	1,500
500,000	2,500	2,400
1,000,000	4,000	3,800
2,000,000	7,800	6,800
10,000,000	33,000	32,000
Total nonagricultural employment	100,000	91,000
Mining	4,000	4,000
Contract construction	21,000	21,000
Manufacturing	41,000	34,000
Transportation and public utilities	12,000	10,000
Wholesale and retail trade	31,000	28,000
Finance, insurance, and real estate	7,000	7,000
Services	24,000	20,000
Government	37,000	32,000

STATISTICS FOR STATES AND AREAS

State and area employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover data are collected and prepared by State agencies in cooperation with BLS. The area statistics relate to metropolitan areas. Definitions for all areas are published each year in the issue of *Employment and Earnings* that contains State and area annual averages (usually the May issue). Changes in definitions are noted as they occur. Additional industry detail may be obtained from the State agencies listed on the inside back cover of each issue. These statistics are based on the same establishment reports used by BLS for preparing national estimates. For employment, the sum of the State figures may differ slightly from the equivalent official U.S. totals on a national basis, because some States have more recent benchmarks than others and because of the effects of differing industrial and geographic stratification.

For the States and the areas shown in the B and C sections of this periodical, all the annual average data for the detailed industry statistics currently published by each cooperating State agency are presented (from the earliest data of availability of each series) in a summary volume published annually by the BLS.

Unemployment insurance data (E tables)

Insured unemployment represents the number of persons reporting a week of unemployment under an unemployment insurance program. It includes some persons who are working part time who would be counted as employed in the payroll and household surveys. Excluded are persons who have exhausted their benefit rights and workers who have not earned rights to unemployment insurance. In general, excluded from coverage are those persons engaged in agriculture, domestic service, unpaid

family work, selected nonprofit organizations, some State and local government and self-employment. Also excluded from the insured unemployment count, but included as employed in the household survey, are those persons who earned no wages during the payroll period because they were temporarily absent from their jobs due to taking time off, illness and industrial dispute as well as unpaid vacations. The rate of insured unemployment is the number of insured unemployed expressed as a percent of

average covered employment in a 12-month period ending 6 to 8 months prior to the week of reference. Initial claims are notices filed by those losing jobs covered by an unemployment insurance program that they are starting a period of unemployment. A claimant who continued to be unemployed a full week is then counted in the insured unemployment figure.

Because of differences in State laws and procedures under

which unemployment insurance programs are operated, State unemployment rates generally indicate, but do not precisely measure, differences among the individual States. Persons wishing to receive a detailed description of the nature, sources, inclusions and exclusions, and limitation of unemployment insurance data should address their inquiries to Manpower Administration, Washington, D.C. 20210.

Seasonal adjustment

Many economic statistics reflect a regularly recurring seasonal movement which can be estimated on the basis of past experience. By eliminating that part of the change which can be ascribed to usual seasonal variation, it is possible to observe the cyclical and other nonseasonal movements in the series. However, in evaluating deviations from the seasonal pattern—that is, changes in a seasonally adjusted series—it is important to note that seasonal adjustment is merely an approximation based on past experience. Seasonally adjusted estimates have a broader margin of possible error than the original data on which they are based, since they are subject not only to sampling and other errors but, in addition, are affected by the uncertainties of the seasonal adjustment process itself. Seasonally adjusted series for selected labor force and establishment data are published regularly in *Employment and Earnings*.

The seasonal adjustment methods used for these series are an adaptation of the standard ratio-to-moving average method, with a provision for moving "adjustment factors" to take account of changing seasonal patterns. A detailed description of the method is given in the booklet, the BLS *Seasonal Factor Method (1966)*, and the *X-11 Variant of the Census Method II Seasonal Adjustment Program*, Technical Paper No. 15, Bureau of the Census (1967).

For each of the three major labor force components—agricultural and nonagricultural employment and unemployment—data for four age-sex groups (male and female workers under age 20 and age 20 and over) are separately adjusted for seasonal variation and are then added to give seasonally adjusted total figures. In order to produce seasonally adjusted total employment and civilian labor force data, the appropriate series are aggregated. The seasonally adjusted rate of unemployment is derived by dividing the seasonally adjusted figure for total unemployment (the sum of four seasonally adjusted age-sex components) by the figure for the seasonally adjusted civilian labor force (the sum of twelve seasonally adjusted age-sex components).

The seasonal adjustment factors applying to current data are based on a pattern shown by past experience. These factors are revised in the light of the pattern revealed by subsequent data. Revised seasonally adjusted series for major components of the

labor force based on data through December 1973 are published in the February 1974 *Employment and Earnings*. Revisions will be made annually as each additional year's data become available.

For establishment data, the seasonally adjusted series on hours, hourly earnings, and labor turnover rates for industry groupings are computed by applying factors directly to the corresponding unadjusted series. However, seasonally adjusted employment totals for all employees and production workers by industry division are obtained by summing seasonally adjusted data for the component industries. Seasonally adjusted average weekly earnings are the product of seasonally adjusted average hourly earnings and average weekly hours. Average weekly earnings in constant dollars, seasonally adjusted, are obtained by dividing seasonally adjusted average weekly earnings by the seasonally adjusted Consumer Price Index. Indexes of aggregate weekly man-hours, seasonally adjusted, are obtained by multiplying average weekly hours, seasonally adjusted, by production or nonsupervisory workers, seasonally adjusted, and dividing by the 1967 base. For total private, total goods producing, total private service producing, trade, manufacturing, and durable and nondurable goods the indexes of aggregate weekly man-hours, seasonally adjusted, are obtained by summing the aggregate weekly man-hours, seasonally adjusted, for the appropriate component industries and dividing by the 1967 base.

The seasonally adjusted establishment data for Federal Government are based on a series which excludes the Christmas temporary help employed by the Postal Service in December. The employment of these workers constitutes the only significant seasonal change in Federal Government employment during the winter months. Furthermore, the volume of such employment may change substantially from year to year because of administrative decisions by the Postal Service. Hence, it was considered desirable to exclude this group from the data upon which the seasonally adjusted series is based.

The revised seasonally adjusted series for the establishment data reflect experience through March 1973. Seasonal factors to be used for current adjustment appear in the June 1973 *Employment and Earnings*.

Additional information concerning the preparation of the labor force, employment, hours, earnings, and labor turnover series—concepts and scope, survey methods, and limitations—is contained in the *Handbook of Methods*, BLS Bulletin 1711.