

A-19. Employed persons by occupation, sex, and age

(In thousands)

Occupation	Total		Men				Women			
	16 years and over		16 years and over		20 years and over		16 years and over		20 years and over	
	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009	Oct. 2008	Oct. 2009
Total	145,543	139,088	77,428	73,361	74,865	71,260	68,115	65,727	65,439	63,541
Management, professional, and related occupations	53,485	52,981	26,088	25,694	25,941	25,589	27,396	27,287	27,215	27,106
Management, business, and financial operations occupations	22,422	21,398	12,974	12,160	12,954	12,135	9,448	9,238	9,423	9,222
Management occupations	16,090	15,372	10,090	9,485	10,077	9,466	5,999	5,887	5,986	5,886
Business and financial operations occupations	6,333	6,026	2,884	2,675	2,876	2,669	3,449	3,351	3,437	3,337
Professional and related occupations	31,063	31,583	13,114	13,534	12,988	13,454	17,948	18,049	17,792	17,884
Computer and mathematical occupations	3,493	3,575	2,629	2,738	2,618	2,732	864	838	858	830
Architecture and engineering occupations	2,982	2,792	2,540	2,381	2,532	2,378	442	410	437	408
Life, physical, and social science occupations	1,328	1,361	702	741	699	737	626	620	626	618
Community and social services occupations	2,431	2,463	994	940	982	939	1,437	1,523	1,427	1,515
Legal occupations	1,637	1,725	763	852	763	852	873	873	871	866
Education, training, and library occupations	8,964	8,823	2,236	2,281	2,203	2,256	6,727	6,542	6,648	6,469
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	2,713	2,958	1,408	1,575	1,366	1,546	1,304	1,383	1,277	1,333
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	7,516	7,885	1,842	2,026	1,825	2,014	5,674	5,859	5,648	5,845
Service occupations	24,697	24,323	10,695	10,424	9,732	9,658	14,002	13,899	12,795	12,939
Healthcare support occupations	3,301	3,400	334	393	315	379	2,966	3,007	2,855	2,916
Protective service occupations	3,084	3,010	2,377	2,404	2,315	2,370	707	606	672	571
Food preparation and serving related occupations	7,793	7,593	3,436	3,303	2,778	2,804	4,357	4,290	3,588	3,659
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	5,670	5,372	3,505	3,258	3,348	3,124	2,165	2,115	2,112	2,048
Personal care and service occupations	4,849	4,947	1,042	1,066	975	981	3,807	3,881	3,568	3,745
Sales and office occupations	35,369	33,043	13,178	12,472	12,443	11,877	22,191	20,571	21,025	19,668
Sales and related occupations	16,380	15,294	8,179	7,924	7,721	7,551	8,201	7,370	7,370	6,756
Office and administrative support occupations	18,990	17,748	4,999	4,548	4,721	4,326	13,990	13,201	13,655	12,912
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	14,861	13,133	14,216	12,562	13,855	12,257	645	571	615	546
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	976	936	734	734	667	668	242	201	216	187
Construction and extraction occupations	8,644	7,604	8,438	7,408	8,248	7,248	206	196	205	195
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	5,240	4,593	5,043	4,420	4,940	4,340	197	173	195	164
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	17,131	15,610	13,251	12,210	12,894	11,879	3,880	3,400	3,788	3,282
Production occupations	8,661	7,486	6,131	5,330	6,034	5,247	2,530	2,156	2,477	2,101
Transportation and material moving occupations	8,470	8,124	7,120	6,880	6,860	6,632	1,350	1,244	1,311	1,181

NOTE: Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.