

Table 13. Standard errors for 12-month percent changes, Employment Cost Index for total compensation¹, and wages and salaries, for private industry workers, by area, Sep. 2017

(Not seasonally adjusted)

Census region and metropolitan area ²	Standard Error	
	12-months ended—	
	Total compensation	Wages and salaries
	Sep. 2017	
Northeast		
Boston-Worcester-Manchester, MA-NH CSA .....	.3	.3
New York-Newark-Bridgeport, NY-NJ-CT-PA CSA .....	.2	.2
Philadelphia-Camden-Vineland, PA-NJ-DE-MD CSA .....	.2	.2
South		
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Gainesville, GA-AL CSA .....	.2	.1
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX CSA	1.3	1.6
Houston-Baytown-Huntsville, TX CSA .....	.3	.2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach, FL MSA .....	.2	.2
Washington-Baltimore-Northern Virginia, DC-MD-VA-WV CSA .....	.3	.2
Midwest		
Chicago-Naperville-Michigan City, IL-IN-WI CSA .....	.2	.2
Detroit-Warren-Flint, MI CSA .....	.4	.2
Minneapolis-St. Paul-St. Cloud, MN-WI CSA .....	.9	1.0
West		
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Riverside, CA CSA .....	.3	.3
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ MSA .....	.5	.6
San Jose-San Francisco-Oakland, CA CSA .....	.5	.6
Seattle-Tacoma-Olympia, WA CSA .....	.3	.2

¹ Includes wages, salaries, and employer costs for employee benefits.

² Note that some of these areas are Consolidated Statistical Areas (CSAs) and others are Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs). For more information on metropolitan area definitions, visit the U.S. Census Bureau's Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas page, on the Internet at www.census.gov/programs-surveys/metro-micro.html.