

**B-4. Women employees on nonfarm payrolls by major industry sector and selected industry detail, seasonally adjusted**

(In thousands)

Industry	2011											2012	
	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. <sup>P</sup>	Feb. <sup>P</sup>
<b>Total nonfarm</b> .....	64,734	64,804	64,955	64,905	64,907	64,920	64,974	65,051	65,104	65,138	65,211	65,322	65,408
<b>Total private</b> .....	52,121	52,195	52,349	52,324	52,347	52,390	52,428	52,507	52,570	52,626	52,705	52,812	52,898
<b>Goods-producing</b> .....	4,067	4,070	4,068	4,057	4,060	4,059	4,052	4,050	4,050	4,045	4,044	4,058	4,058
<b>Mining and logging</b> <sup>1</sup> .....	102	103	104	104	105	105	106	106	107	108	109	110	110
Mining .....	96.9	97.3	98.1	98.9	99.7	99.9	101.3	101.3	102.4	103.5	104.4	105.5	( <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Construction</b> .....	711	709	709	704	705	707	706	708	708	707	709	708	706
<b>Manufacturing</b> .....	3,254	3,258	3,255	3,249	3,250	3,247	3,240	3,236	3,235	3,230	3,226	3,240	3,242
<b>Durable goods</b> .....	1,721	1,723	1,719	1,717	1,721	1,719	1,714	1,712	1,711	1,709	1,714	1,721	1,723
<b>Nondurable goods</b> .....	1,533	1,535	1,536	1,532	1,529	1,528	1,526	1,524	1,524	1,521	1,512	1,519	1,519
<b>Service-providing</b> .....	60,667	60,734	60,887	60,848	60,847	60,861	60,922	61,001	61,054	61,093	61,167	61,264	61,350
<b>Private service-providing</b> ..	48,054	48,125	48,281	48,267	48,287	48,331	48,376	48,457	48,520	48,581	48,661	48,754	48,840
<b>Trade, transportation, and utilities</b> .....	10,019	10,015	10,058	10,037	10,042	10,038	10,039	10,025	10,021	10,038	10,041	10,067	10,059
<b>Wholesale trade</b> .....	1,652.1	1,655.5	1,658.8	1,659.3	1,661.3	1,665.4	1,667.1	1,667.9	1,670.6	1,674.3	1,678.0	1,681.0	1,682.8
<b>Retail trade</b> .....	7,227.4	7,219.7	7,255.5	7,232.4	7,232.6	7,227.9	7,228.2	7,221.4	7,213.3	7,220.1	7,219.8	7,237.9	7,225.9
<b>Transportation and warehousing</b> .....	1,004.0	1,004.8	1,007.8	1,009.7	1,011.9	1,009.5	1,008.8	1,000.6	1,001.8	1,007.4	1,006.0	1,009.5	1,010.6
<b>Utilities</b> .....	135.1	135.4	135.5	135.4	135.8	135.4	135.1	135.3	135.0	136.0	137.3	138.6	139.6
<b>Information</b> .....	1,086	1,086	1,085	1,084	1,083	1,083	1,066	1,075	1,073	1,071	1,069	1,063	1,064
<b>Financial activities</b> .....	4,482	4,488	4,487	4,496	4,489	4,484	4,481	4,468	4,463	4,473	4,480	4,477	4,478
<b>Professional and business services</b> .....	7,590	7,624	7,662	7,682	7,685	7,691	7,718	7,741	7,777	7,784	7,805	7,824	7,841
Professional and technical services .....	3,552.4	3,575.8	3,590.4	3,618.9	3,618.5	3,625.0	3,633.3	3,641.8	3,655.7	3,659.8	3,666.8	3,675.7	( <sup>2</sup> )
Management of companies and enterprises .....	940.6	940.2	938.9	942.1	940.1	938.6	941.8	944.9	948.1	945.2	945.3	943.9	( <sup>2</sup> )
Administrative and waste services .....	3,097.0	3,108.3	3,132.6	3,121.1	3,126.8	3,126.9	3,142.5	3,154.2	3,173.2	3,178.8	3,192.6	3,204.4	( <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Education and health services</b> ..	15,178	15,186	15,233	15,229	15,243	15,281	15,308	15,351	15,372	15,383	15,417	15,440	15,496
Educational services .....	1,964.9	1,960.5	1,977.9	1,966.9	1,960.6	1,973.6	1,978.3	1,987.7	1,995.1	2,001.2	2,009.2	2,001.2	( <sup>2</sup> )
Health care and social assistance .....	13,213.5	13,225.4	13,255.5	13,262.1	13,282.3	13,307.6	13,329.8	13,363.2	13,377.2	13,381.3	13,408.1	13,438.3	( <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Leisure and hospitality</b> .....	6,884	6,923	6,947	6,927	6,933	6,940	6,942	6,976	6,996	7,013	7,025	7,056	7,075
Arts, entertainment, and recreation .....	883.4	892.8	893.2	882.5	887.0	889.5	887.9	886.6	886.0	883.5	885.1	888.6	( <sup>2</sup> )
Accommodation and food services .....	6,000.4	6,030.3	6,053.5	6,044.6	6,045.6	6,050.9	6,054.4	6,089.7	6,110.0	6,129.3	6,139.6	6,167.1	( <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Other services</b> .....	2,815	2,803	2,809	2,812	2,812	2,814	2,822	2,821	2,818	2,819	2,824	2,827	2,827
<b>Government</b> .....	12,613	12,609	12,606	12,581	12,560	12,530	12,546	12,544	12,534	12,512	12,506	12,510	12,510
Federal .....	1,216	1,217	1,212	1,215	1,207	1,203	1,199	1,194	1,193	1,189	1,188	1,189	( <sup>2</sup> )
State government .....	2,647	2,649	2,651	2,649	2,646	2,642	2,643	2,650	2,644	2,642	2,643	2,648	( <sup>2</sup> )
Local government .....	8,750	8,743	8,743	8,717	8,707	8,685	8,704	8,700	8,697	8,681	8,675	8,673	( <sup>2</sup> )

<sup>1</sup> Includes other industries, not shown separately.

<sup>2</sup> Data not available.

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary.

NOTE: Data are currently projected from March 2011 benchmark

levels. When more recent benchmark data are introduced with the release of January 2013 estimates, all seasonally adjusted data from January 2008 forward are subject to revision.

NOTE: Estimates of women employees in the U.S. Postal Service and some related series from the Current Employment Statistics survey were temporarily removed from the BLS data-retrieval system on May 14, 2012. For more information, see [http://www.bls.gov/bls/ceswomen\\_usps.htm](http://www.bls.gov/bls/ceswomen_usps.htm)