

Table 19

**Private industry sector¹: Mean hourly earnings²
for major occupational groups**

Occupational group ³	Goods producing		Service providing						
	Construction	Manufacturing	Trade, transportation, and utilities	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services
All workers	–	\$19.54	\$15.89	–	\$23.73	–	\$19.02	\$8.85	\$16.32
Management, professional, and related	–	33.97	32.18	–	35.88	–	26.25	20.58	24.12
Management, business, and financial	–	38.34	33.63	–	35.93	–	29.39	19.44	24.66
Professional and related	–	31.46	30.31	–	35.65	–	25.75	24.01	21.81
Service	–	14.55	10.43	–	11.41	–	11.51	8.09	12.53
Sales and office	–	17.82	13.28	–	17.89	–	14.37	10.59	14.26
Sales and related	–	26.84	12.95	–	39.42	–	19.98	9.00	–
Office and administrative support	–	16.29	13.89	–	13.85	–	14.22	11.10	12.91
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	–	20.77	19.25	–	18.81	–	21.30	–	18.55
Installation, maintenance, and repair	–	20.95	19.24	–	18.81	–	22.26	–	18.57
Production, transportation, and material moving	–	15.95	16.11	–	17.37	–	12.52	8.29	14.00
Production	–	16.03	18.09	–	–	–	12.80	10.57	17.67
Transportation and material moving	–	15.39	15.89	–	17.03	–	11.88	7.28	11.54

¹ Industry sectors are determined by the 2007 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

² Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighed by hours.

³ A classification system including about 800 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian

economy. See appendix B for more information.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that data did not meet publication criteria.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.