

Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
All workers	\$9.00	\$12.29	\$19.00	\$30.00	\$44.14
Management occupations	22.36	31.11	42.37	57.88	71.25
Chief executives	43.18	52.95	84.38	90.91	288.45
General and operations managers	22.01	29.71	37.61	54.47	84.14
Legislators	11.56	22.50	24.85	33.36	35.86
Marketing and sales managers	25.50	32.72	47.00	59.58	72.82
Marketing managers	27.16	38.25	47.82	58.05	72.42
Sales managers	23.32	26.56	41.73	65.89	89.41
Public relations managers	23.18	25.36	55.16	76.73	76.73
Administrative services managers	27.03	27.35	34.19	42.37	55.29
Computer and information systems managers	34.19	47.39	57.54	63.85	72.12
Financial managers	23.74	31.25	41.66	61.39	74.60
Human resources managers	26.26	34.62	48.31	57.88	61.89
Industrial production managers	33.89	40.64	42.79	54.45	62.19
Purchasing managers	32.43	46.09	50.80	59.14	59.65
Transportation, storage, and distribution managers	18.76	27.73	33.01	49.62	61.50
Construction managers	30.19	35.38	44.47	51.58	59.52
Education administrators	18.05	26.44	42.72	54.59	62.66
Education administrators, preschool and child care center/program	14.83	16.15	21.18	23.65	31.97
Education administrators, elementary and secondary school ..	42.72	46.66	54.37	60.14	65.62
Education administrators, postsecondary	24.69	29.42	34.18	40.41	55.05
Engineering managers	37.38	53.95	61.07	68.98	77.40
Food service managers	16.34	19.95	20.66	24.92	49.04
Lodging managers	18.83	19.23	31.20	40.90	92.93
Medical and health services managers	28.15	33.04	45.88	53.74	66.77
Natural sciences managers	41.15	41.15	41.48	54.97	54.97
Property, real estate, and community association managers	13.27	15.80	23.53	32.24	32.88
Social and community service managers	17.32	23.10	27.01	36.18	43.27
Business and financial operations occupations	19.85	24.04	30.05	38.28	48.13
Buyers and purchasing agents	20.74	25.00	30.05	38.53	59.29
Wholesale and retail buyers, except farm products	22.56	24.04	27.23	38.69	43.96
Purchasing agents, except wholesale, retail, and farm products	20.50	26.23	30.66	37.21	59.29
Claims adjusters, appraisers, examiners, and investigators	17.99	20.05	25.58	31.13	39.50
Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators	17.92	20.05	25.67	31.41	39.50
Compliance officers, except agriculture, construction, health and safety, and transportation	20.83	23.42	27.68	35.17	55.29
Cost estimators	20.66	22.00	31.25	43.00	58.03
Human resources, training, and labor relations specialists	21.45	23.86	30.67	35.61	43.27
Employment, recruitment, and placement specialists	18.36	22.28	26.92	28.85	45.67
Compensation, benefits, and job analysis specialists	21.45	21.45	25.37	32.64	36.06
Training and development specialists	18.50	22.76	26.00	33.80	41.98
Logisticians	20.20	22.09	24.89	42.64	56.78
Management analysts	23.91	28.99	34.85	41.49	50.85

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Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Business and financial operations occupations –Continued					
Meeting and convention planners	\$22.12	\$25.01	\$28.00	\$29.03	\$37.02
Accountants and auditors	19.23	24.04	28.93	35.00	45.00
Appraisers and assessors of real estate	17.79	22.38	27.44	34.77	36.55
Budget analysts	22.80	23.96	27.35	33.35	45.48
Credit analysts	21.28	21.53	34.62	38.94	63.75
Financial analysts and advisors	22.31	26.55	33.28	40.87	56.36
Financial analysts	24.21	30.85	33.65	40.87	52.89
Personal financial advisors	14.70	16.93	26.55	48.08	56.98
Insurance underwriters	20.39	25.11	29.81	40.41	54.81
Loan counselors and officers	16.06	16.06	21.56	28.78	40.86
Loan officers	16.06	16.06	21.74	29.47	43.04
Tax examiners, collectors, preparers, and revenue agents	15.75	17.64	23.31	29.37	34.72
Tax examiners, collectors, and revenue agents	15.06	20.88	25.71	31.18	34.72
Computer and mathematical science occupations					
Computer programmers	21.00	28.29	37.07	46.83	58.52
Computer software engineers	28.37	33.65	37.68	49.89	50.48
Computer software engineers, applications	33.61	38.27	44.99	55.00	63.17
Computer software engineers, systems software	32.72	36.75	42.22	51.82	61.11
Computer software engineers, systems software	34.07	41.10	47.37	58.52	66.66
Computer support specialists	17.83	20.29	23.85	30.88	41.20
Computer systems analysts	26.70	31.09	38.60	46.67	62.98
Database administrators	31.28	36.30	39.04	39.20	57.80
Network and computer systems administrators	20.82	23.60	30.98	40.87	49.76
Network systems and data communications analysts	26.59	31.06	35.79	43.12	48.51
Architecture and engineering occupations					
Architects, except naval	22.21	28.85	38.82	49.56	60.00
Architects, except naval	23.08	28.05	31.62	38.46	51.92
Architects, except landscape and naval	22.77	28.63	33.65	38.46	51.92
Engineers	30.29	36.56	44.56	53.62	64.23
Aerospace engineers	39.38	46.40	54.80	67.36	75.25
Civil engineers	27.29	30.29	40.51	48.08	52.18
Computer hardware engineers	32.74	41.01	49.19	57.24	67.71
Electrical and electronics engineers	29.45	37.29	42.31	51.50	65.61
Electrical engineers	35.25	39.49	45.79	56.29	65.88
Electronics engineers, except computer	26.18	37.02	41.40	50.44	65.61
Environmental engineers	21.15	28.46	37.50	47.63	51.01
Industrial engineers, including health and safety	30.29	33.19	37.25	45.67	53.09
Industrial engineers	29.61	33.95	39.71	46.29	58.61
Mechanical engineers	32.73	38.04	44.62	54.87	54.87
Nuclear engineers	38.25	41.24	44.23	48.09	54.11
Petroleum engineers	32.02	42.22	52.31	65.77	66.93
Drafters	18.75	20.59	24.00	30.55	40.91
Architectural and civil drafters	18.75	20.00	22.45	28.08	32.00
Engineering technicians, except drafters	18.95	23.93	27.16	32.38	38.00
Aerospace engineering and operations technicians	22.98	27.15	28.99	34.50	38.20

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Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Architecture and engineering occupations –Continued					
Civil engineering technicians	\$19.53	\$24.72	\$26.55	\$30.66	\$31.41
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians	19.23	24.20	27.00	30.29	34.95
Industrial engineering technicians	23.08	24.33	30.77	33.47	38.46
Surveying and mapping technicians	22.15	22.15	22.21	33.50	35.56
Life, physical, and social science occupations					
Life scientists	17.65	21.36	29.70	39.00	52.26
Biological scientists	17.66	20.82	29.29	39.60	52.64
Biological scientists	17.65	20.27	32.09	39.18	48.56
Biochemists and biophysicists	17.65	19.31	31.47	39.60	53.85
Conservation scientists and foresters	19.56	21.08	25.05	29.00	33.89
Conservation scientists	18.91	21.08	23.83	26.36	31.30
Medical scientists	16.84	21.18	30.92	50.96	93.03
Physical scientists	23.08	26.92	32.26	37.93	46.64
Chemists and materials scientists	22.70	23.72	31.52	33.75	42.27
Chemists	22.70	23.72	31.52	33.75	42.27
Environmental scientists and geoscientists	21.39	26.44	32.69	34.59	45.29
Environmental scientists and specialists, including health ..	24.04	27.41	34.29	37.93	45.29
Geoscientists, except hydrologists and geographers	20.77	24.23	28.85	32.69	34.68
Market and survey researchers	28.72	35.97	47.22	53.62	71.16
Market research analysts	28.72	35.97	47.22	53.62	71.16
Psychologists	21.54	35.91	42.39	45.21	57.65
Clinical, counseling, and school psychologists	21.54	35.91	41.54	44.81	57.65
Urban and regional planners	23.47	26.87	34.97	57.19	60.03
Agricultural and food science technicians	14.00	14.00	21.36	21.61	27.69
Biological technicians	15.32	18.23	20.95	25.69	30.96
Miscellaneous life, physical, and social science technicians	16.45	17.30	20.67	32.87	32.87
Community and social services occupations					
Counselors	12.84	17.50	22.75	30.01	40.53
Counselors	10.50	15.11	23.34	33.56	43.92
Substance abuse and behavioral disorder counselors	16.79	20.63	40.66	45.52	51.91
Educational, vocational, and school counselors	19.48	22.81	29.29	38.45	46.20
Mental health counselors	10.50	15.11	18.88	28.27	31.85
Rehabilitation counselors	10.25	10.50	11.50	17.50	23.11
Social workers	15.87	18.91	25.13	32.55	41.60
Child, family, and school social workers	14.64	18.22	22.75	28.57	36.03
Medical and public health social workers	18.83	21.84	27.34	29.91	42.64
Mental health and substance abuse social workers	15.87	18.46	27.66	44.75	44.75
Miscellaneous community and social service specialists	13.55	16.40	20.73	25.93	36.18
Health educators	22.66	23.85	24.77	48.06	52.92
Probation officers and correctional treatment specialists	22.61	25.19	29.43	36.18	42.71
Social and human service assistants	12.00	14.20	16.40	19.27	21.58
Legal occupations					
Lawyers	19.63	29.39	40.21	55.29	92.92
Paralegals and legal assistants	37.73	45.16	53.83	84.14	103.36
Paralegals and legal assistants	18.77	20.09	30.02	32.78	38.65

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Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Legal occupations –Continued					
Miscellaneous legal support workers	\$15.09	\$19.11	\$23.38	\$33.50	\$40.39
Title examiners, abstractors, and searchers	15.09	15.09	29.33	40.39	45.78
Education, training, and library occupations					
Postsecondary teachers	13.00	18.75	34.55	46.37	57.91
Business teachers, postsecondary	22.87	31.14	44.53	60.60	87.69
Math and computer teachers, postsecondary	28.74	28.74	43.74	89.12	113.08
Mathematical science teachers, postsecondary	28.35	31.65	46.30	57.77	60.37
Engineering and architecture teachers, postsecondary	28.35	31.65	46.30	57.77	60.37
Engineering teachers, postsecondary	58.33	74.74	82.69	99.32	112.07
Life sciences teachers, postsecondary	58.33	74.74	82.69	99.32	112.07
Biological science teachers, postsecondary	41.35	49.55	54.45	60.60	60.60
Social sciences teachers, postsecondary	41.35	49.55	54.45	60.60	60.60
Psychology teachers, postsecondary	32.06	39.28	51.97	72.44	84.07
Health teachers, postsecondary	27.24	37.01	50.39	74.42	74.42
Health specialties teachers, postsecondary	31.88	42.68	69.28	90.73	105.42
Law, criminal justice, and social work teachers, postsecondary	42.17	50.98	74.45	93.12	115.25
Arts, communications, and humanities teachers, postsecondary	45.13	60.27	67.72	77.26	98.03
Art, drama, and music teachers, postsecondary	30.77	36.63	46.77	61.80	73.46
English language and literature teachers, postsecondary	30.77	35.07	43.20	55.06	68.40
Miscellaneous postsecondary teachers	27.27	34.14	40.25	64.81	65.54
Recreation and fitness studies teachers, postsecondary	20.83	25.65	36.06	48.01	58.13
Vocational education teachers, postsecondary	15.84	21.74	27.00	31.06	31.06
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	20.83	20.83	28.12	45.00	58.13
Preschool and kindergarten teachers	14.50	29.70	39.03	48.33	56.92
Preschool teachers, except special education	9.25	10.00	13.80	16.07	31.34
Kindergarten teachers, except special education	9.00	10.00	13.50	15.00	18.58
Elementary and middle school teachers	24.19	32.01	42.46	51.92	60.10
Elementary school teachers, except special education	27.63	34.47	41.84	50.31	57.76
Middle school teachers, except special and vocational education	27.19	34.61	41.99	50.60	58.09
Secondary school teachers	28.95	33.89	40.47	48.75	55.95
Secondary school teachers, except special and vocational education	27.96	34.00	40.58	48.65	58.91
Vocational education teachers, secondary school	28.30	34.14	40.59	49.08	59.10
Special education teachers	25.35	27.03	39.24	43.84	46.45
Special education teachers, preschool, kindergarten, and elementary school	25.44	32.12	40.06	51.19	58.47
Special education teachers, secondary school	25.44	32.12	38.33	50.41	56.33
Other teachers and instructors	10.70	30.14	40.65	49.50	68.77
Adult literacy, remedial education, and GED teachers and instructors	15.00	19.00	32.83	44.48	55.58
Self-enrichment education teachers	22.66	29.32	40.63	51.64	59.80
	19.00	25.00	35.00	52.28	72.91

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Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Education, training, and library occupations –Continued					
Librarians	\$25.55	\$29.05	\$36.30	\$39.69	\$41.83
Library technicians	13.84	16.51	20.63	25.34	28.08
Instructional coordinators	20.47	23.22	34.37	46.32	51.61
Teacher assistants	10.00	11.68	13.70	16.31	19.11
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations					
Artists and related workers	13.70	19.48	23.94	34.26	46.59
Designers	12.47	19.68	27.38	54.84	93.02
Graphic designers	15.50	20.00	23.27	31.30	45.33
Interior designers	17.45	17.69	23.27	26.58	35.51
Actors, producers, and directors	20.61	24.08	29.32	38.73	38.73
Producers and directors	22.82	31.99	39.17	60.00	60.00
Athletes, coaches, umpires, and related workers	22.82	31.99	39.17	60.00	60.00
Coaches and scouts	8.00	11.47	16.05	26.44	47.32
News analysts, reporters and correspondents	11.47	13.19	17.78	31.56	47.32
Reporters and correspondents	14.34	18.69	24.76	25.96	27.65
Public relations specialists	14.34	18.69	24.76	25.96	27.65
Writers and editors	20.22	23.62	25.06	32.46	32.85
Editors	18.50	27.21	27.70	42.94	46.62
Technical writers	20.95	27.21	27.21	27.70	27.70
Miscellaneous media and communication workers	23.86	33.41	39.01	46.10	52.30
Interpreters and translators	18.53	19.62	21.92	23.25	25.27
Broadcast and sound engineering technicians and radio operators	11.00	18.23	23.00	35.31	35.31
Audio and video equipment technicians	17.42	23.94	33.92	39.01	43.11
Broadcast technicians	16.29	24.01	39.01	39.01	40.21
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	17.12	18.24	21.01	25.59	27.94
Dietitians and nutritionists	16.33	22.45	32.61	43.75	53.47
Pharmacists	16.86	26.02	29.64	33.06	36.30
Physicians and surgeons	46.72	51.50	53.98	55.79	58.60
Family and general practitioners	10.98	12.31	24.86	83.84	144.23
Physician assistants	10.98	10.98	11.43	60.58	80.03
Registered nurses	25.00	40.38	48.00	54.15	75.48
Therapists	28.19	33.00	38.54	46.34	52.48
Occupational therapists	25.69	29.43	36.46	44.29	49.99
Physical therapists	26.49	28.50	37.07	49.45	49.45
Respiratory therapists	30.00	33.88	37.32	41.92	56.07
Speech-language pathologists	24.81	27.16	29.99	31.41	32.16
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	29.36	32.21	36.83	43.30	52.17
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists	14.16	17.04	21.04	27.50	36.80
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	21.79	27.21	32.27	43.37	44.34
Dental hygienists	13.31	15.76	19.27	22.57	26.55
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians	36.00	41.00	43.25	48.94	50.00
Cardiovascular technologists and technicians	17.50	25.41	30.37	34.99	43.04
	20.36	26.68	30.37	43.04	49.07

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	10	25	50	75	90
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations –Continued					
Radiologic technologists and technicians	\$17.50	\$24.00	\$29.33	\$33.53	\$42.01
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics	10.07	10.52	14.49	21.81	25.61
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	13.50	16.40	18.65	24.79	26.96
Pharmacy technicians	11.69	16.00	17.07	19.00	24.30
Psychiatric technicians	15.92	21.65	26.45	27.35	28.36
Surgical technologists	15.43	19.49	21.63	23.36	26.96
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	17.00	19.00	21.88	25.33	29.20
Medical records and health information technicians	12.25	12.79	15.00	17.42	21.35
Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians	12.94	14.58	20.24	22.31	34.18
Occupational health and safety specialists and technicians	21.64	25.86	28.41	31.00	34.00
Occupational health and safety specialists	18.70	26.79	28.34	32.95	36.06
Healthcare support occupations	10.00	11.49	13.90	17.89	21.00
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	9.25	10.30	12.00	13.95	16.93
Home health aides	7.87	9.40	10.25	15.79	20.00
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	9.25	10.42	12.00	13.77	16.51
Psychiatric aides	9.00	11.52	14.33	19.44	19.44
Physical therapist assistants and aides	10.47	11.00	16.05	21.61	34.00
Physical therapist aides	10.47	10.47	12.00	16.05	22.27
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	11.00	13.00	16.01	19.56	22.00
Dental assistants	14.00	16.50	18.00	20.08	25.00
Medical assistants	10.59	12.68	15.45	18.00	20.95
Medical equipment preparers	11.55	11.55	13.80	17.23	20.27
Medical transcriptionists	11.99	16.00	20.00	21.00	25.96
Pharmacy aides	10.00	12.00	14.88	19.26	21.01
Protective service occupations	9.98	12.00	21.06	33.11	40.33
First-line supervisors/managers, law enforcement workers	29.33	35.68	45.17	51.07	54.80
First-line supervisors/managers of correctional officers	29.28	32.33	39.76	45.79	47.77
First-line supervisors/managers of police and detectives	29.80	36.68	47.45	52.76	54.83
First-line supervisors/managers of fire fighting and prevention					
workers	27.22	28.71	34.74	41.00	47.04
Fire fighters	19.51	22.59	28.22	33.73	37.76
Bailiffs, correctional officers, and jailers	16.92	21.16	25.88	35.45	37.21
Correctional officers and jailers	16.92	21.16	25.88	35.45	37.21
Detectives and criminal investigators	26.98	30.69	36.38	40.21	42.61
Police officers	25.85	30.30	34.95	40.45	44.48
Police and sheriff's patrol officers	25.85	30.30	34.95	40.45	44.48
Security guards and gaming surveillance officers	8.90	10.00	12.00	15.03	20.47
Security guards	8.90	10.00	12.00	15.03	20.47
Miscellaneous protective service workers	10.00	11.50	16.54	22.99	25.16
Lifeguards, ski patrol, and other recreational protective					
service workers	9.88	10.00	11.68	18.25	25.16
Food preparation and serving related occupations	7.95	8.00	8.59	11.25	15.60

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	10	25	50	75	90
Food preparation and serving related occupations –Continued					
First-line supervisors/managers, food preparation and serving workers	\$10.00	\$12.50	\$18.01	\$21.00	\$25.00
Chefs and head cooks	12.00	17.00	20.69	27.30	29.83
First-line supervisors/managers of food preparation and serving workers	10.00	12.50	18.00	19.95	24.71
Cooks	8.03	9.00	11.25	13.11	15.69
Cooks, fast food	7.84	8.00	8.25	9.55	11.00
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	10.51	11.27	13.57	16.67	20.33
Cooks, restaurant	8.84	10.00	11.50	13.00	15.60
Cooks, short order	8.00	9.00	11.50	13.50	14.70
Food preparation workers	7.75	8.00	8.95	10.83	15.20
Food service, tipped	7.66	8.00	8.00	8.11	9.40
Bartenders	8.00	8.00	8.75	9.50	11.00
Waiters and waitresses	7.59	7.95	8.00	8.07	8.50
Dining room and cafeteria attendants and bartender helpers ..	7.74	8.00	8.00	8.21	9.63
Fast food and counter workers	8.00	8.00	8.50	9.25	12.10
Combined food preparation and serving workers, including fast food	8.00	8.00	8.50	9.00	11.30
Counter attendants, cafeteria, food concession, and coffee shop	7.78	8.00	8.95	10.00	13.50
Food servers, nonrestaurant	8.00	8.12	9.59	12.59	15.22
Dishwashers	7.75	8.00	8.50	10.00	14.22
Hosts and hostesses, restaurant, lounge, and coffee shop	7.95	8.00	8.75	10.06	12.00
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	8.39	9.94	12.19	15.53	20.00
First-line supervisors/managers, building and grounds cleaning and maintenance workers	12.50	14.00	18.48	22.98	26.33
First-line supervisors/managers of housekeeping and janitorial workers	12.50	13.50	18.40	22.98	26.33
Building cleaning workers	8.15	9.50	11.70	14.67	18.30
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	8.75	10.63	12.67	15.51	19.62
Maids and housekeeping cleaners	8.00	8.32	9.25	11.25	13.77
Pest control workers	12.00	13.00	14.50	21.33	23.00
Grounds maintenance workers	9.00	10.50	12.50	16.80	21.20
Landscaping and groundskeeping workers	8.75	10.38	12.50	16.80	19.50
Personal care and service occupations	8.00	9.00	10.89	14.56	20.38
First-line supervisors/managers of gaming workers	8.00	10.01	11.81	20.38	28.00
Gaming supervisors	8.00	8.00	20.38	26.61	28.00
First-line supervisors/managers of personal service workers	10.00	14.42	17.65	17.89	22.92
Gaming services workers	7.74	7.94	8.00	10.00	12.00
Gaming dealers	7.74	7.74	8.00	8.07	8.07
Ushers, lobby attendants, and ticket takers	7.95	8.14	9.36	11.25	13.26
Miscellaneous entertainment attendants and related workers	8.00	8.14	8.90	11.39	15.81

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Personal care and service occupations –Continued					
Amusement and recreation attendants	\$8.00	\$8.10	\$8.47	\$11.39	\$15.81
Locker room, coatroom, and dressing room attendants	8.00	8.59	10.88	11.10	12.22
Barbers and cosmetologists	8.47	8.50	10.22	13.27	17.86
Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists	8.47	8.50	10.22	13.27	17.86
Miscellaneous personal appearance workers	13.54	13.54	20.06	21.11	44.13
Baggage porters, bellhops, and concierges	7.50	8.24	10.50	13.25	17.06
Baggage porters and bellhops	7.47	7.50	9.17	11.50	13.00
Concierges	8.24	9.81	10.81	14.85	17.06
Tour and travel guides	9.39	10.50	14.87	15.38	23.80
Tour guides and escorts	9.39	10.50	14.87	15.38	23.80
Child care workers	8.07	8.25	9.72	11.58	14.50
Personal and home care aides	9.25	10.10	11.10	12.12	12.50
Recreation and fitness workers	8.40	10.40	12.20	17.68	23.82
Fitness trainers and aerobics instructors	10.30	15.24	19.23	25.00	27.44
Recreation workers	8.25	9.00	10.89	13.07	17.11
Sales and related occupations	8.40	9.55	13.54	20.40	36.34
First-line supervisors/managers, sales workers	12.50	15.00	19.54	28.00	41.14
First-line supervisors/managers of retail sales workers	12.13	14.00	18.20	22.25	34.97
First-line supervisors/managers of non-retail sales workers ...	16.00	22.42	30.14	41.14	43.24
Retail sales workers	8.15	9.00	10.70	15.00	20.06
Cashiers, all workers	8.00	8.50	9.60	12.12	17.95
Cashiers	8.00	8.50	9.60	12.07	18.00
Counter and rental clerks and parts salespersons	8.25	9.50	12.20	16.32	19.50
Counter and rental clerks	8.05	8.45	9.50	12.20	16.10
Parts salespersons	9.50	11.54	14.60	18.87	23.76
Retail salespersons	8.50	9.36	11.84	17.31	24.42
Advertising sales agents	11.31	13.82	22.12	31.25	43.27
Insurance sales agents	17.31	23.08	29.23	51.65	67.05
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents	19.79	22.24	36.91	67.81	109.61
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing	14.43	17.97	24.75	42.16	55.24
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products	17.63	26.88	39.71	48.47	58.27
Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, except technical and scientific products	12.47	17.38	19.25	37.12	51.36
Models, demonstrators, and product promoters	12.03	14.61	14.80	18.00	28.37
Demonstrators and product promoters	12.03	14.61	14.80	18.00	28.37
Real estate brokers and sales agents	19.23	27.89	37.20	51.93	111.60
Real estate sales agents	19.23	27.89	37.20	51.93	111.60
Sales engineers	19.20	20.84	20.84	50.48	58.57
Telemarketers	7.47	11.18	17.23	17.23	17.90
Miscellaneous sales and related workers	8.50	10.50	15.00	22.99	32.40
Office and administrative support occupations	10.71	13.19	16.52	20.90	25.84

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Office and administrative support occupations –Continued					
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers	\$16.84	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$29.09	\$32.02
Switchboard operators, including answering service	9.47	10.35	13.00	15.38	18.00
Financial clerks	12.00	13.89	16.74	19.89	23.23
Bill and account collectors	12.98	15.00	19.38	24.01	25.39
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators	12.39	13.75	16.46	19.25	22.56
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks	12.92	14.50	17.75	20.08	24.29
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	15.21	17.51	18.75	19.64	23.66
Procurement clerks	12.06	13.44	16.59	18.00	20.00
Tellers	10.25	11.42	12.80	14.50	17.09
Brokerage clerks	15.87	17.53	17.78	21.69	28.24
Court, municipal, and license clerks	14.39	16.78	18.51	19.69	22.21
Credit authorizers, checkers, and clerks	12.24	13.54	18.63	24.29	25.96
Customer service representatives	10.00	13.46	16.91	21.28	26.48
Eligibility interviewers, government programs	14.49	16.59	18.97	21.54	24.12
File clerks	12.00	13.66	15.94	15.94	19.06
Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks	8.00	9.00	10.41	11.82	14.00
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	10.00	11.00	14.14	16.97	20.64
Library assistants, clerical	9.50	12.21	16.73	19.41	23.23
Loan interviewers and clerks	13.40	14.76	16.20	18.87	23.05
Order clerks	11.76	13.65	16.96	19.99	22.16
Human resources assistants, except payroll and timekeeping	15.70	18.27	19.58	22.60	24.04
Receptionists and information clerks	9.25	11.25	13.27	16.34	20.40
Reservation and transportation ticket agents and travel clerks	9.85	11.00	15.46	20.78	21.82
Couriers and messengers	11.39	11.89	12.50	14.50	20.34
Dispatchers	10.76	14.93	22.20	25.00	30.71
Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers	10.76	15.70	22.71	27.46	34.10
Dispatchers, except police, fire, and ambulance	10.00	14.00	22.20	22.50	30.71
Meter readers, utilities	16.25	16.25	20.26	22.04	28.91
Production, planning, and expediting clerks	14.89	18.12	23.71	27.00	30.84
Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks	9.70	11.23	13.83	16.91	20.92
Stock clerks and order fillers	8.50	10.31	13.72	16.61	20.61
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers, recordkeeping	11.58	11.58	14.98	18.25	20.00
Secretaries and administrative assistants	14.60	17.06	20.83	25.28	30.36
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	15.92	19.23	22.43	27.23	31.25
Legal secretaries	17.00	21.60	23.08	32.31	34.98
Medical secretaries	12.00	15.00	17.79	22.79	23.39
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	12.00	15.00	18.08	20.66	24.33
Data entry and information processing workers	12.00	13.00	14.99	17.00	20.00
Data entry keyers	10.93	12.39	13.72	15.00	16.50
Word processors and typists	12.00	14.45	16.30	18.83	23.73
Insurance claims and policy processing clerks	12.35	14.83	17.39	20.75	25.50
Mail clerks and mail machine operators, except postal service	8.00	8.48	10.76	13.52	14.88
Office clerks, general	10.35	12.36	14.92	18.05	22.11
Office machine operators, except computer	8.94	8.94	14.26	22.12	22.12

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	\$7.85	\$8.05	\$11.21	\$22.41	\$24.74
Miscellaneous agricultural workers	7.85	7.85	8.05	11.08	14.67
Construction and extraction occupations	13.18	16.82	23.45	30.25	35.65
First-line supervisors/managers of construction trades and extraction workers	25.57	29.24	34.00	37.50	43.27
Carpenters	15.30	19.00	24.00	29.32	35.00
Cement masons, concrete finishers, and terrazzo workers	15.16	22.23	27.52	30.00	30.00
Cement masons and concrete finishers	15.16	22.23	27.52	30.00	30.00
Construction laborers	13.00	14.00	18.00	24.99	28.27
Construction equipment operators	16.00	18.00	24.00	27.28	34.00
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	15.30	17.50	21.50	25.00	26.00
Operating engineers and other construction equipment operators	16.00	19.72	25.25	30.67	35.08
Drywall installers, ceiling tile installers, and tapers	16.82	17.22	18.39	28.75	32.53
Drywall and ceiling tile installers	16.82	16.82	21.88	32.53	32.53
Tapers	17.22	17.22	17.22	24.00	30.61
Electricians	14.36	20.00	33.00	35.65	36.30
Painters and paperhangers	12.00	16.00	18.00	22.50	23.00
Painters, construction and maintenance	12.00	15.00	18.00	22.50	23.00
Pipelayers, plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	18.21	21.97	30.00	34.74	38.41
Pipelayers	16.19	26.89	33.42	34.74	35.69
Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	18.21	21.97	30.00	33.10	38.60
Roofers	10.98	13.00	19.98	24.00	29.08
Sheet metal workers	18.54	23.50	33.33	47.73	54.89
Structural iron and steel workers	21.06	22.88	30.25	32.61	34.38
Helpers, construction trades	9.50	11.00	15.00	24.63	24.63
Construction and building inspectors	20.19	27.25	33.17	33.17	34.67
Highway maintenance workers	13.00	18.50	22.46	22.66	23.66
Miscellaneous construction and related workers	12.00	13.81	14.21	17.53	25.98
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	12.50	16.94	22.32	29.75	34.31
First-line supervisors/managers of mechanics, installers, and repairers	18.00	21.64	28.85	39.95	47.05
Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers	8.37	9.92	15.39	19.00	30.25
Radio and telecommunications equipment installers and repairers	19.05	26.54	30.71	31.24	31.32
Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers	19.05	26.54	30.71	31.24	31.32
Miscellaneous electrical and electronic equipment mechanics, installers, and repairers	10.00	14.94	26.51	33.24	36.92
Electrical and electronics repairers, commercial and industrial equipment	20.83	26.18	31.50	31.78	33.24
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians	20.71	27.03	29.02	32.78	37.83
Automotive technicians and repairers	12.00	15.00	19.00	25.00	30.10
Automotive body and related repairers	12.04	12.50	17.28	21.00	24.00

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations –Continued					
Automotive service technicians and mechanics	\$11.50	\$15.50	\$19.69	\$26.00	\$31.19
Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine specialists	17.40	19.65	23.92	28.98	31.07
Heavy vehicle and mobile equipment service technicians and mechanics	15.30	15.50	23.06	27.11	31.00
Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except engines	15.50	20.53	23.06	27.11	32.75
Small engine mechanics	13.00	14.00	16.00	27.50	30.00
Miscellaneous vehicle and mobile equipment mechanic, installers, and repairers	9.52	10.00	12.75	13.00	14.90
Tire repairers and changers	9.52	10.00	12.75	13.00	14.90
Control and valve installers and repairers	20.58	20.58	25.55	28.85	32.29
Control and valve installers and repairers, except mechanical door	20.58	20.58	25.55	28.85	32.29
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers	16.00	25.00	30.00	50.27	52.27
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	14.35	17.64	22.52	28.17	33.11
Industrial machinery mechanics	19.06	21.90	24.11	31.42	34.31
Maintenance and repair workers, general	13.00	17.12	20.22	25.36	31.32
Maintenance workers, machinery	12.40	14.35	20.00	29.69	30.94
Millwrights	16.20	22.77	27.11	28.17	28.17
Line installers and repairers	20.50	27.45	29.90	31.30	31.78
Electrical power-line installers and repairers	26.20	29.15	33.90	40.20	45.16
Precision instrument and equipment repairers	20.31	24.00	28.98	28.98	28.98
Miscellaneous installation, maintenance, and repair workers	8.00	11.00	15.00	22.39	24.73
Helpers--installation, maintenance, and repair workers	8.00	8.00	11.73	13.75	15.00
Production occupations	8.50	10.30	14.25	20.54	28.53
First-line supervisors/managers of production and operating workers	18.75	20.51	24.60	32.73	38.97
Aircraft structure, surfaces, rigging, and systems assemblers	7.93	13.46	18.71	29.85	32.79
Electrical, electronics, and electromechanical assemblers	9.00	10.43	12.32	16.35	21.50
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	9.00	10.89	12.32	14.61	21.50
Electromechanical equipment assemblers	8.00	9.25	12.88	16.85	17.54
Miscellaneous assemblers and fabricators	8.50	10.00	12.50	16.35	21.50
Team assemblers	8.25	8.50	9.25	12.66	13.07
Bakers	8.00	8.80	10.50	14.08	16.75
Butchers and other meat, poultry, and fish processing workers	8.93	12.00	16.70	20.90	21.25
Butchers and meat cutters	10.75	13.25	18.40	21.25	21.25
Miscellaneous food processing workers	8.50	9.05	11.00	15.00	20.05
Food and tobacco roasting, baking, and drying machine operators and tenders	11.84	14.00	16.37	19.60	21.58
Food batchmakers	8.50	9.00	12.00	15.00	21.50
Food cooking machine operators and tenders	8.50	9.00	9.05	9.75	10.50
Computer control programmers and operators	11.75	13.50	18.50	26.00	30.00

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Production occupations –Continued					
Computer-controlled machine tool operators, metal and plastic	\$11.50	\$13.50	\$17.60	\$26.00	\$30.00
Forming machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	12.00	14.04	15.42	16.64	21.79
Machine tool cutting setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	9.76	10.64	15.00	18.00	22.00
Cutting, punching, and press machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	13.01	14.96	16.44	17.53	21.74
Grinding, lapping, polishing, and buffing machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	10.64	10.64	10.64	12.00	17.00
Lathe and turning machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	7.75	8.60	12.00	18.00	21.50
Machinists	16.12	20.75	24.45	29.02	32.26
Molders and molding machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	8.50	9.65	14.58	17.13	21.47
Molding, coremaking, and casting machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	8.32	8.50	14.58	19.20	21.47
Multiple machine tool setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	10.94	11.64	13.91	16.19	16.19
Tool and die makers	18.50	19.50	25.07	28.00	30.47
Welding, soldering, and brazing workers	11.41	15.75	19.00	22.95	30.00
Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers	12.50	16.96	19.21	22.95	30.00
Welding, soldering, and brazing machine setters, operators, and tenders	11.41	15.21	15.75	20.40	27.64
Miscellaneous metalworkers and plastic workers	11.00	12.36	13.09	20.11	25.37
Plating and coating machine setters, operators, and tenders, metal and plastic	12.11	12.41	20.11	25.37	25.37
Bookbinders and bindery workers	10.50	10.50	13.00	23.33	26.44
Bindery workers	10.50	10.50	13.00	23.33	26.44
Printers	11.53	13.51	18.00	22.08	29.00
Job printers	11.50	12.00	19.00	21.87	24.37
Prepress technicians and workers	18.27	21.00	25.00	29.00	36.25
Printing machine operators	11.53	12.78	15.76	19.44	24.00
Laundry and dry-cleaning workers	8.00	8.50	9.07	10.81	13.26
Pressers, textile, garment, and related materials	8.00	8.50	10.00	12.00	13.50
Sewing machine operators	7.50	7.50	8.00	8.50	10.50
Tailors, dressmakers, and sewers	8.00	8.00	13.00	15.00	22.26
Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers	8.00	8.00	13.00	15.00	22.26
Textile machine setters, operators, and tenders	9.00	9.42	10.00	11.00	12.35
Textile cutting machine setters, operators, and tenders	9.00	9.42	10.00	11.00	12.35
Miscellaneous textile, apparel, and furnishings workers	9.00	9.75	10.48	19.60	29.81
Upholsterers	8.00	9.00	10.00	19.60	19.60
Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters	10.44	10.75	14.00	16.08	17.20
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders	8.70	10.48	12.15	13.50	15.72
Sawing machine setters, operators, and tenders, wood	9.00	11.50	12.25	14.00	17.75

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Production occupations –Continued					
Woodworking machine setters, operators, and tenders, except sawing	\$8.50	\$9.25	\$11.30	\$12.04	\$14.60
Stationary engineers and boiler operators	27.39	30.39	33.51	37.18	38.44
Water and liquid waste treatment plant and system operators	16.62	16.87	19.83	25.92	30.60
Miscellaneous plant and system operators	26.81	30.10	30.80	31.61	34.41
Petroleum pump system operators, refinery operators, and gaugers	16.35	26.81	31.07	31.66	36.23
Chemical processing machine setters, operators, and tenders	11.36	12.73	17.86	20.20	27.50
Separating, filtering, clarifying, precipitating, and still machine setters, operators, and tenders	10.50	12.73	19.21	20.30	29.93
Crushing, grinding, polishing, mixing, and blending workers	9.57	11.27	14.50	20.54	22.91
Grinding and polishing workers, hand	9.00	11.50	13.00	14.50	15.47
Mixing and blending machine setters, operators, and tenders	9.57	11.27	16.00	20.54	20.77
Cutting workers	8.50	10.00	14.18	15.00	18.00
Cutting and slicing machine setters, operators, and tenders	8.50	9.75	14.18	15.00	18.00
Extruding, forming, pressing, and compacting machine setters, operators, and tenders	9.55	9.55	15.00	23.75	25.16
Inspectors, testers, sorters, samplers, and weighers	8.00	10.50	14.50	21.35	28.53
Packaging and filling machine operators and tenders	8.07	8.89	12.07	18.07	22.05
Painting workers	8.00	9.25	11.25	17.00	22.50
Coating, painting, and spraying machine setters, operators, and tenders	8.00	9.00	10.50	15.91	19.78
Painters, transportation equipment	12.86	17.00	19.00	27.69	28.53
Painting, coating, and decorating workers	8.00	8.00	9.99	11.00	15.30
Photographic process workers and processing machine operators	14.00	14.65	18.60	30.33	30.84
Photographic process workers	18.60	24.83	27.29	30.33	30.84
Semiconductor processors	8.00	13.59	14.84	18.72	22.49
Miscellaneous production workers	8.00	9.55	11.72	17.00	22.57
Helpers--production workers	8.00	9.25	10.00	10.24	12.68
Transportation and material moving occupations	8.25	10.00	14.45	19.75	24.10
First-line supervisors/managers of helpers, laborers, and material movers, hand	13.50	15.62	21.17	23.08	29.42
First-line supervisors/managers of transportation and material-moving machine and vehicle operators	21.11	24.04	29.71	35.35	35.85
Aircraft pilots and flight engineers	19.23	19.35	83.39	153.40	159.29
Airline pilots, copilots, and flight engineers	19.23	55.06	126.43	159.29	159.29
Bus drivers	13.44	15.04	17.85	20.56	24.70
Bus drivers, transit and intercity	12.95	15.04	17.85	23.87	25.62
Bus drivers, school	13.96	15.20	17.27	18.63	19.47
Driver/sales workers and truck drivers	9.50	14.50	18.56	22.14	25.42
Driver/sales workers	7.78	7.79	8.89	17.00	20.94
Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer	15.00	17.75	21.05	22.50	25.67
Truck drivers, light or delivery services	8.25	10.84	14.50	19.64	28.19

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Table 6

Civilian workers: Hourly wage percentiles¹ — Continued

Occupation ²	Wages fall at or below the following percentiles				
	10	25	50	75	90
Transportation and material moving occupations –Continued					
Taxi drivers and chauffeurs	\$8.00	\$8.00	\$8.50	\$12.50	\$17.40
Ship and boat captains and operators	20.18	28.21	37.61	37.61	37.61
Captains, mates, and pilots of water vessels	20.18	28.21	37.61	37.61	37.61
Parking lot attendants	8.00	8.41	9.75	12.78	20.00
Service station attendants	7.95	8.20	8.80	21.12	23.60
Crane and tower operators	33.23	33.23	33.56	36.98	36.98
Dredge, excavating, and loading machine operators	17.75	19.67	21.00	24.92	28.85
Excavating and loading machine and dragline operators	17.00	19.67	21.00	24.92	27.85
Industrial truck and tractor operators	10.02	11.81	14.45	18.26	22.20
Laborers and material movers, hand	8.00	8.60	10.66	13.76	17.51
Cleaners of vehicles and equipment	8.00	9.00	10.85	13.00	16.75
Laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand	8.07	9.12	11.91	15.19	18.38
Machine feeders and offbearers	8.50	8.51	8.60	10.50	13.75
Packers and packagers, hand	8.00	8.03	8.60	10.40	16.42

¹ Percentiles designate position in the earnings distribution and are calculated from individual worker earnings and the hours they are scheduled to work. See appendix A for more information.

² 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. Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.