

Rapid City Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) of South Dakota Occupational Employment Projections 2022-2032

SOC Code	SOC Title	2022 Employment	2032 Employment	Numeric Change	Percent Change	Average Annual Openings			
						Due to Exits	Due to Transfers	Due to Annual Change	Total Openings
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	79,406	85,450	6,044	7.6%	4,250	5,210	604	10,064
11-1011	Chief Executives	169	167	-2	-1.2%	5	6	0	11
11-1021	General and Operations Managers	646	711	65	10.1%	17	36	6	59
11-2022	Sales Managers	83	88	5	6.0%	2	4	0	6
11-3012	Administrative Services Managers	49	51	2	4.1%	2	2	0	4
11-3013	Facilities Managers	33	38	5	15.2%	1	2	0	3
11-3021	Computer and Information Systems Managers	34	37	3	8.8%	1	2	0	3
11-3031	Financial Managers	95	113	18	19.0%	3	4	2	9
11-3051	Industrial Production Managers	46	49	3	6.5%	1	2	0	3
11-3071	Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	39	42	3	7.7%	1	2	0	3
11-3121	Human Resources Managers	40	43	3	7.5%	1	2	0	3
11-9013	Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	1,031	1,077	46	4.5%	74	35	5	114
11-9021	Construction Managers	143	159	16	11.2%	4	7	2	13
11-9032	Education Administrators, Kindergarten through Secondary	89	93	4	4.5%	2	4	0	6
11-9041	Architectural and Engineering Managers	36	41	5	13.9%	1	2	0	3
11-9051	Food Service Managers	347	385	38	11.0%	13	27	4	44
11-9081	Lodging Managers	104	118	14	13.5%	4	6	1	11
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	192	237	45	23.4%	6	9	4	19
11-9121	Natural Sciences Managers	31	34	3	9.7%	1	2	0	3
11-9141	Property, Real Estate, and Community Association Managers	316	336	20	6.3%	14	11	2	27
11-9151	Social and Community Service Managers	53	59	6	11.3%	2	2	1	5
11-9199	Managers, All Other	164	173	9	5.5%	5	7	1	13
13-1020	Buyers and Purchasing Agents	133	133	0	0.0%	5	7	0	12
13-1031	Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators	123	125	2	1.6%	3	5	0	8
13-1041	Compliance Officers	153	155	2	1.3%	5	6	0	11
13-1051	Cost Estimators	174	183	9	5.2%	6	9	1	16
13-1071	Human Resources Specialists	231	252	21	9.1%	7	12	2	21
13-1081	Logisticians	39	43	4	10.3%	1	2	0	3
13-1082	Project Management Specialists	130	148	18	13.9%	3	6	2	11
13-1111	Management Analysts	530	605	75	14.2%	20	26	8	54
13-1121	Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	54	63	9	16.7%	2	4	1	7
13-1131	Fundraisers	34	40	6	17.7%	1	2	1	4
13-1141	Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists	115	129	14	12.2%	4	5	1	10
13-1151	Training and Development Specialists	74	82	8	10.8%	2	4	1	7
13-1161	Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	242	293	51	21.1%	8	16	5	29
13-1199	Business Operations Specialists, All Other	323	333	10	3.1%	11	17	1	29
13-2011	Accountants and Auditors	975	1,078	103	10.6%	32	46	10	88
13-2020	Property Appraisers and Assessors	120	127	7	5.8%	6	4	1	11
13-2041	Credit Analysts	43	42	-1	-2.3%	1	2	0	3
13-2051	Financial and Investment Analysts	115	128	13	11.3%	3	5	1	9
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	52	59	7	13.5%	2	2	1	5
13-2072	Loan Officers	217	230	13	6.0%	6	9	1	16
13-2082	Tax Preparers	62	70	8	12.9%	4	4	1	9
15-1211	Computer Systems Analysts	127	141	14	11.0%	3	4	1	8

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15-1212	Information Security Analysts	88	122	34	38.6%	2	4	3	9
15-1231	Computer Network Support Specialists	87	94	7	8.1%	2	4	1	7
15-1232	Computer User Support Specialists	210	218	8	3.8%	5	9	1	15
15-1241	Computer Network Architects	108	120	12	11.1%	2	4	1	7
15-1244	Network and Computer Systems Administrators	253	267	14	5.5%	5	9	1	15
15-1252	Software Developers	254	325	71	28.0%	5	10	7	22
15-1253	Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers	36	44	8	22.2%	1	1	1	3
15-1254	Web Developers	46	56	10	21.7%	1	2	1	4
15-1299	Computer Occupations, All Other	69	72	3	4.4%	2	3	0	5
17-1011	Architects, Except Landscape and Naval	36	43	7	19.4%	1	1	1	3
17-2051	Civil Engineers	286	319	33	11.5%	6	11	3	20
17-2071	Electrical Engineers	55	62	7	12.7%	1	2	1	4
17-2112	Industrial Engineers	61	74	13	21.3%	2	2	1	5
17-2141	Mechanical Engineers	112	130	18	16.1%	3	4	2	9
17-3011	Architectural and Civil Drafters	94	102	8	8.5%	4	5	1	10
17-3022	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians	94	97	3	3.2%	4	5	0	9
17-3023	Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technologists and Technicians	31	32	1	3.2%	2	1	0	3
17-3031	Surveying and Mapping Technicians	41	46	5	12.2%	2	3	0	5
19-1013	Soil and Plant Scientists	55	65	10	18.2%	1	4	1	6
19-1023	Zoologists and Wildlife Biologists	42	45	3	7.1%	1	2	0	3
19-1029	Biological Scientists, All Other	42	43	1	2.4%	1	2	0	3
19-1031	Conservation Scientists	128	138	10	7.8%	2	8	1	11
19-3039	Psychologists, All Other	42	43	1	2.4%	1	1	0	2
19-4012	Agricultural Technicians	89	101	12	13.5%	2	10	1	13
19-4021	Biological Technicians	41	45	4	9.8%	1	4	0	5
19-4071	Forest and Conservation Technicians	104	106	2	1.9%	3	10	0	13
19-5011	Occupational Health and Safety Specialists	32	36	4	12.5%	1	3	0	4
21-1012	Educational, Guidance, and Career Counselors and Advisors	112	121	9	8.0%	4	5	1	10
21-1015	Rehabilitation Counselors	55	56	1	1.8%	2	2	0	4
21-1018	Substance Abuse, Behavioral Disorder, and Mental Health Counselors	321	372	51	15.9%	12	16	5	33
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	300	317	17	5.7%	10	13	2	25
21-1022	Healthcare Social Workers	95	105	10	10.5%	4	5	1	10
21-1023	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers	35	39	4	11.4%	1	1	0	2
21-1029	Social Workers, All Other	44	46	2	4.6%	2	2	0	4
21-1091	Health Education Specialists	37	44	7	18.9%	2	2	1	5
21-1092	Probation Officers and Correctional Treatment Specialists	46	45	-1	-2.2%	1	2	0	3
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	147	156	9	6.1%	7	9	1	17
21-2011	Clergy	343	367	24	7.0%	14	15	2	31
21-2021	Directors, Religious Activities and Education	79	86	7	8.9%	4	4	1	9
23-1011	Lawyers	243	275	32	13.2%	6	4	3	13
23-2011	Paralegals and Legal Assistants	109	120	11	10.1%	4	7	1	12
23-2093	Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers	71	76	5	7.0%	3	4	0	7
25-1072	Nursing Instructors and Teachers, Postsecondary	30	39	9	30.0%	2	1	1	4
25-1194	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Postsecondary	60	61	1	1.7%	3	2	0	5

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25-2011	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	255	275	20	7.8%	12	16	2	30
25-2012	Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	91	96	5	5.5%	4	6	0	10
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	577	607	30	5.2%	20	20	3	43
25-2022	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	276	290	14	5.1%	10	9	1	20
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical Education	458	483	25	5.5%	14	15	2	31
25-2032	Career/Technical Education Teachers, Secondary School	42	44	2	4.8%	1	1	0	2
25-2052	Special Education Teachers, Kindergarten and Elementary School	106	110	4	3.8%	4	4	0	8
25-2057	Special Education Teachers, Middle School	38	39	1	2.6%	1	1	0	2
25-2058	Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	62	64	2	3.2%	2	2	0	4
25-3021	Self-Enrichment Teachers	77	84	7	9.1%	5	5	1	11
25-3031	Substitute Teachers, Short-Term	199	218	19	9.6%	13	12	2	27
25-3041	Tutors	57	60	3	5.3%	5	5	0	10
25-3099	Teachers and Instructors, All Other	32	32	0	0.0%	2	2	0	4
25-4012	Curators	33	37	4	12.1%	2	2	0	4
25-4013	Museum Technicians and Conservators	31	36	5	16.1%	2	2	0	4
25-4022	Librarians and Media Collections Specialists	75	79	4	5.3%	4	3	0	7
25-4031	Library Technicians	67	68	1	1.5%	7	4	0	11
25-9031	Instructional Coordinators	70	72	2	2.9%	3	3	0	6
25-9044	Teaching Assistants, Postsecondary	80	87	7	8.8%	5	5	1	11
25-9045	Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	534	560	26	4.9%	31	32	3	66
27-1023	Floral Designers	45	44	-1	-2.2%	3	2	0	5
27-1024	Graphic Designers	97	102	5	5.2%	3	5	0	8
27-1025	Interior Designers	52	55	3	5.8%	2	2	0	4
27-1026	Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	56	65	9	16.1%	3	4	1	8
27-2012	Producers and Directors	37	38	1	2.7%	1	2	0	3
27-2022	Coaches and Scouts	196	220	24	12.2%	11	14	2	27
27-2032	Choreographers	58	62	4	6.9%	4	6	0	10
27-2042	Musicians and Singers	155	163	8	5.2%	11	9	1	21
27-2091	Disc Jockeys, Except Radio	37	40	3	8.1%	1	2	0	3
27-3011	Broadcast Announcers and Radio Disc Jockeys	54	54	0	0.0%	3	3	0	6
27-3023	News Analysts, Reporters, and Journalists	54	51	-3	-5.6%	2	3	0	5
27-3031	Public Relations Specialists	48	52	4	8.3%	1	3	0	4
27-3091	Interpreters and Translators	50	56	6	12.0%	3	2	1	6
27-4021	Photographers	63	62	-1	-1.6%	2	3	0	5
29-1011	Chiropractors	71	80	9	12.7%	2	0	1	3
29-1021	Dentists, General	70	79	9	12.9%	2	0	1	3
29-1031	Dietitians and Nutritionists	43	48	5	11.6%	2	1	0	3
29-1041	Optometrists	34	36	2	5.9%	1	0	0	1
29-1051	Pharmacists	216	244	28	13.0%	5	3	3	11
29-1071	Physician Assistants	117	155	38	32.5%	3	4	4	11
29-1122	Occupational Therapists	67	77	10	14.9%	2	2	1	5
29-1123	Physical Therapists	176	209	33	18.8%	4	3	3	10
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists	50	63	13	26.0%	2	1	1	4
29-1127	Speech-Language Pathologists	62	74	12	19.4%	2	2	1	5

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29-1131	Veterinarians	48	54	6	12.5%	1	0	1	2
29-1141	Registered Nurses	2,473	2,777	304	12.3%	87	54	30	171
29-1151	Nurse Anesthetists	59	75	16	27.1%	1	1	2	4
29-1171	Nurse Practitioners	154	241	87	56.5%	4	4	9	17
29-1215	Family Medicine Physicians	94	103	9	9.6%	2	1	1	4
29-1216	General Internal Medicine Physicians	36	38	2	5.6%	1	0	0	1
29-1229	Physicians, All Other	64	66	2	3.1%	1	0	0	1
29-1249	Surgeons, All Other	54	54	0	0.0%	1	0	0	1
29-1292	Dental Hygienists	142	159	17	12.0%	6	3	2	11
29-2010	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians	246	269	23	9.4%	9	8	2	19
29-2032	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	63	77	14	22.2%	2	2	1	5
29-2034	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians	194	215	21	10.8%	6	4	2	12
29-2035	Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologists	35	40	5	14.3%	1	1	0	2
29-2042	Emergency Medical Technicians	161	170	9	5.6%	4	7	1	12
29-2043	Paramedics	73	78	5	6.9%	2	2	0	4
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	218	243	25	11.5%	9	12	2	23
29-2055	Surgical Technologists	87	99	12	13.8%	3	3	1	7
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	67	80	13	19.4%	2	4	1	7
29-2057	Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	44	52	8	18.2%	2	3	1	6
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	369	402	33	8.9%	16	14	3	33
29-2072	Medical Records Specialists	213	240	27	12.7%	8	6	3	17
29-2081	Opticians, Dispensing	89	96	7	7.9%	4	4	1	9
29-2099	Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other	45	49	4	8.9%	2	1	0	3
29-9021	Health Information Technologists and Medical Registrars	66	81	15	22.7%	2	2	2	6
31-1120	Home Health and Personal Care Aides	842	977	135	16.0%	73	61	14	148
31-1131	Nursing Assistants	825	918	93	11.3%	55	68	9	132
31-1132	Orderlies	38	43	5	13.2%	2	4	0	6
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	64	84	20	31.3%	4	6	2	12
31-9011	Massage Therapists	34	42	8	23.5%	2	3	1	6
31-9091	Dental Assistants	249	276	27	10.8%	15	21	3	39
31-9092	Medical Assistants	192	223	31	16.2%	10	17	3	30
31-9093	Medical Equipment Preparers	56	65	9	16.1%	3	5	1	9
31-9094	Medical Transcriptionists	60	54	-6	-10.0%	4	6	-1	9
31-9096	Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	33	38	5	15.2%	2	5	0	7
31-9097	Phlebotomists	97	113	16	16.5%	5	8	2	15
31-9099	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	82	88	6	7.3%	5	6	1	12
33-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Police and Detectives	33	34	1	3.0%	1	1	0	2
33-2011	Firefighters	84	86	2	2.4%	2	4	0	6
33-3012	Correctional Officers and Jailers	212	214	2	0.9%	7	11	0	18
33-3021	Detectives and Criminal Investigators	48	49	1	2.1%	2	2	0	4
33-3051	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	301	306	5	1.7%	9	14	0	23
33-9032	Security Guards	220	229	9	4.1%	13	17	1	31
33-9092	Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers	107	118	11	10.3%	18	15	1	34
35-1011	Chefs and Head Cooks	42	47	5	11.9%	2	4	0	6

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35-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	476	540	64	13.5%	26	49	6	81
35-2011	Cooks, Fast Food	408	380	-28	-6.9%	27	32	-3	56
35-2012	Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	334	365	31	9.3%	24	28	3	55
35-2014	Cooks, Restaurant	353	462	109	30.9%	28	33	11	72
35-2015	Cooks, Short Order	403	415	12	3.0%	28	33	1	62
35-2021	Food Preparation Workers	427	414	-13	-3.0%	37	37	-1	73
35-3011	Bartenders	634	717	83	13.1%	37	79	8	124
35-3023	Fast Food and Counter Workers	2,993	3,299	306	10.2%	347	371	31	749
35-3031	Waiters and Waitresses	1,291	1,361	70	5.4%	114	160	7	281
35-9011	Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers	424	475	51	12.0%	43	40	5	88
35-9021	Dishwashers	272	289	17	6.3%	25	24	2	51
35-9031	Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	105	114	9	8.6%	15	13	1	29
37-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Workers	145	158	13	9.0%	8	10	1	19
37-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service, and Groundskeeping Workers	97	107	10	10.3%	4	6	1	11
37-2011	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	1,636	1,799	163	10.0%	120	119	16	255
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	1,104	1,173	69	6.3%	85	76	7	168
37-3011	Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	667	753	86	12.9%	35	55	9	99
37-3012	Pesticide Handlers, Sprayers, and Applicators, Vegetation	76	84	8	10.5%	3	8	1	12
37-3013	Tree Trimmers and Pruners	53	62	9	17.0%	2	5	1	8
39-1014	First-line Supervisors of Entertainment And Recreation Workers, Except Gambling Services	54	57	3	5.6%	2	4	0	6
39-1022	First-line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	77	85	8	10.4%	3	5	1	9
39-2021	Animal Caretakers	277	320	43	15.5%	19	34	4	57
39-3011	Gambling Dealers	41	45	4	9.8%	2	5	0	7
39-3031	Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	59	62	3	5.1%	8	9	0	17
39-3091	Amusement and Recreation Attendants	331	360	29	8.8%	39	58	3	100
39-5011	Barbers	37	39	2	5.4%	1	3	0	4
39-5012	Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	293	321	28	9.6%	18	23	3	44
39-5092	Manicurists and Pedicurists	30	34	4	13.3%	2	2	0	4
39-7010	Tour and Travel Guides	179	203	24	13.4%	18	23	2	43
39-9011	Childcare Workers	764	781	17	2.2%	56	72	2	130
39-9031	Exercise Trainers and Group Fitness Instructors	163	186	23	14.1%	11	21	2	34
39-9032	Recreation Workers	134	142	8	6.0%	10	18	1	29
39-9041	Residential Advisors	350	387	37	10.6%	21	43	4	68
41-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	798	850	52	6.5%	32	49	5	86
41-1012	First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	144	157	13	9.0%	5	7	1	13
41-2011	Cashiers	1,959	2,005	46	2.4%	191	192	5	388
41-2012	Gambling Change Persons and Booth Cashiers	66	69	3	4.6%	6	6	0	12
41-2021	Counter and Rental Clerks	152	158	6	4.0%	9	9	1	19
41-2022	Parts Salespersons	286	313	27	9.4%	14	20	3	37
41-2031	Retail Salespersons	2,991	3,180	189	6.3%	202	244	19	465
41-3011	Advertising Sales Agents	97	92	-5	-5.2%	3	7	0	10
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	361	399	38	10.5%	14	16	4	34
41-3041	Travel Agents	40	37	-3	-7.5%	2	2	0	4
41-3091	Sales Representatives of Services, Except Advertising, Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	127	132	5	3.9%	3	9	0	12

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41-4011	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Technical and Scientific Products	193	214	21	10.9%	7	11	2	20
41-4012	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	711	779	68	9.6%	25	41	7	73
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	313	317	4	1.3%	13	17	0	30
43-3011	Bill and Account Collectors	323	288	-35	-10.8%	15	18	-4	29
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	151	161	10	6.6%	7	9	1	17
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	1,919	1,927	8	0.4%	125	98	1	224
43-3051	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	51	45	-6	-11.8%	2	2	-1	3
43-3061	Procurement Clerks	35	37	2	5.7%	1	2	0	3
43-3071	Tellers	166	149	-17	-10.2%	7	9	-2	14
43-4031	Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	123	125	2	1.6%	6	6	0	12
43-4041	Credit Authorizers, Checkers, and Clerks	41	41	0	0.0%	2	2	0	4
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	1,244	1,229	-15	-1.2%	69	97	-2	164
43-4061	Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs	96	96	0	0.0%	4	4	0	8
43-4081	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	543	571	28	5.2%	35	53	3	91
43-4111	Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	76	74	-2	-2.6%	4	5	0	9
43-4131	Loan Interviewers and Clerks	207	208	1	0.5%	7	10	0	17
43-4161	Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll and Timekeeping	38	37	-1	-2.6%	2	2	0	4
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	1,233	1,310	77	6.2%	80	88	8	176
43-4181	Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents and Travel Clerks	51	57	6	11.8%	3	3	1	7
43-4199	Information and Record Clerks, All Other	113	116	3	2.7%	6	7	0	13
43-5011	Cargo and Freight Agents	37	40	3	8.1%	2	2	0	4
43-5021	Couriers and Messengers	32	34	2	6.3%	2	2	0	4
43-5031	Public Safety Telecommunicators	62	64	2	3.2%	3	3	0	6
43-5032	Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	75	74	-1	-1.3%	3	4	0	7
43-5051	Postal Service Clerks	53	50	-3	-5.7%	2	2	0	4
43-5052	Postal Service Mail Carriers	115	109	-6	-5.2%	4	4	-1	7
43-5053	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators	32	31	-1	-3.1%	2	1	0	3
43-5061	Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	67	71	4	6.0%	3	4	0	7
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks	398	389	-9	-2.3%	16	23	-1	38
43-6011	Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	359	314	-45	-12.5%	15	19	-4	30
43-6012	Legal Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	134	117	-17	-12.7%	7	7	-2	12
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	1,061	1,001	-60	-5.7%	60	54	-6	108
43-9041	Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	126	122	-4	-3.2%	5	6	0	11
43-9051	Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators, Except Postal Service	64	63	-1	-1.6%	4	4	0	8
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	469	469	0	0.0%	28	28	0	56
45-2091	Agricultural Equipment Operators	69	75	6	8.7%	4	6	1	11
45-2092	Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse	100	97	-3	-3.0%	6	9	0	15
45-2093	Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Animals	171	161	-10	-5.9%	9	15	-1	23
45-4011	Forest and Conservation Workers	112	114	2	1.8%	6	14	0	20
47-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Workers	461	512	51	11.1%	16	22	5	43
47-2021	Brickmasons and Blockmasons	72	77	5	6.9%	3	3	0	6
47-2031	Carpenters	1,204	1,324	120	10.0%	44	60	12	116
47-2044	Tile and Stone Setters	37	43	6	16.2%	1	2	1	4
47-2051	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	368	389	21	5.7%	10	19	2	31

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47-2061	Construction Laborers	479	529	50	10.4%	17	25	5	47
47-2071	Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators	41	45	4	9.8%	1	2	0	3
47-2073	Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	458	497	39	8.5%	16	24	4	44
47-2081	Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers	48	53	5	10.4%	1	2	0	3
47-2111	Electricians	455	537	82	18.0%	16	27	8	51
47-2121	Glaziers	46	51	5	10.9%	2	3	0	5
47-2131	Insulation Workers, Floor, Ceiling, and Wall	53	58	5	9.4%	2	3	0	5
47-2141	Painters, Construction and Maintenance	187	203	16	8.6%	7	8	2	17
47-2151	Pipelayers	32	30	-2	-6.3%	1	2	0	3
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	361	403	42	11.6%	12	20	4	36
47-2181	Roofers	90	102	12	13.3%	3	5	1	9
47-2211	Sheet Metal Workers	66	71	5	7.6%	2	4	0	6
47-2221	Structural Iron and Steel Workers	195	214	19	9.7%	5	12	2	19
47-3012	Helpers--Carpenters	56	59	3	5.4%	2	4	0	6
47-3013	Helpers--Electricians	55	59	4	7.3%	2	4	0	6
47-3015	Helpers--Pipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	36	41	5	13.9%	1	3	0	4
47-4011	Construction and Building Inspectors	38	39	1	2.6%	2	2	0	4
47-4031	Fence Erectors	30	30	0	0.0%	1	2	0	3
47-4041	Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	30	32	2	6.7%	1	2	0	3
47-4051	Highway Maintenance Workers	313	319	6	1.9%	14	14	1	29
47-4071	Septic Tank Servicers and Sewer Pipe Cleaners	39	42	3	7.7%	2	2	0	4
47-5022	Excavating and Loading Machine and Dragline Operators, Surface Mining	65	73	8	12.3%	3	4	1	8
49-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers	197	216	19	9.6%	8	9	2	19
49-2011	Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine Repairers	40	40	0	0.0%	1	2	0	3
49-2022	Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers, Except Line Installers	47	52	5	10.6%	2	3	0	5
49-2094	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	48	49	1	2.1%	2	2	0	4
49-2098	Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers	32	35	3	9.4%	1	2	0	3
49-3011	Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	58	64	6	10.3%	2	3	1	6
49-3021	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	176	188	12	6.8%	8	8	1	17
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	474	513	39	8.2%	17	24	4	45
49-3031	Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	165	177	12	7.3%	6	8	1	15
49-3041	Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians	98	116	18	18.4%	4	5	2	11
49-3042	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	114	128	14	12.3%	4	6	1	11
49-3051	Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians	42	51	9	21.4%	2	2	1	5
49-3052	Motorcycle Mechanics	96	106	10	10.4%	5	5	1	11
49-3053	Outdoor Power Equipment and Other Small Engine Mechanics	34	36	2	5.9%	2	2	0	4
49-3092	Recreational Vehicle Service Technicians	39	49	10	25.6%	2	3	1	6
49-3093	Tire Repairers and Changers	70	77	7	10.0%	3	5	1	9
49-9011	Mechanical Door Repairers	58	64	6	10.3%	2	2	1	5
49-9021	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers	224	261	37	16.5%	8	12	4	24
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	80	93	13	16.3%	3	4	1	8
49-9051	Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	121	130	9	7.4%	3	6	1	10
49-9052	Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	38	41	3	7.9%	1	2	0	3
49-9062	Medical Equipment Repairers	46	55	9	19.6%	2	3	1	6

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49-9071	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	568	626	58	10.2%	26	27	6	59
49-9091	Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers and Repairers	49	56	7	14.3%	3	3	1	7
49-9099	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other	96	115	19	19.8%	4	6	2	12
51-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	145	155	10	6.9%	5	8	1	14
51-2028	Electrical, Electronic, and Electromechanical Assemblers, Except Coil Winders, Tapers, and Finishers	88	96	8	9.1%	5	5	1	11
51-2090	Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	461	445	-16	-3.5%	19	29	-2	46
51-3011	Bakers	34	37	3	8.8%	2	3	0	5
51-3021	Butchers and Meat Cutters	67	71	4	6.0%	3	5	0	8
51-3022	Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	35	36	1	2.9%	2	2	0	4
51-4031	Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	53	53	0	0.0%	2	3	0	5
51-4041	Machinists	73	80	7	9.6%	3	4	1	8
51-4072	Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	43	43	0	0.0%	1	2	0	3
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	215	235	20	9.3%	7	15	2	24
51-5112	Printing Press Operators	55	54	-1	-1.8%	2	3	0	5
51-6011	Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers	167	177	10	6.0%	13	10	1	24
51-7011	Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters	45	47	2	4.4%	2	2	0	4
51-7041	Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Wood	76	85	9	11.8%	4	5	1	10
51-7042	Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing	91	101	10	11.0%	3	6	1	10
51-8031	Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	118	121	3	2.5%	5	6	0	11
51-9012	Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and Still Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	36	38	2	5.6%	1	2	0	3
51-9023	Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	36	38	2	5.6%	1	2	0	3
51-9032	Cutting and Slicing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	30	33	3	10.0%	2	2	0	4
51-9041	Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	91	101	10	11.0%	4	6	1	11
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	60	59	-1	-1.7%	2	4	0	6
51-9111	Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	70	74	4	5.7%	3	4	0	7
51-9124	Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	106	113	7	6.6%	3	6	1	10
51-9161	Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Operators	54	54	0	0.0%	2	3	0	5
53-1047	First-Line Supervisors of Transportation & Material Moving Workers, Exc Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisor	200	215	15	7.5%	7	14	2	23
53-2012	Commercial Pilots	41	46	5	12.2%	2	3	0	5
53-2022	Airfield Operations Specialists	56	64	8	14.3%	2	4	1	7
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	264	306	42	15.9%	13	17	4	34
53-3032	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	914	991	77	8.4%	43	56	8	107
53-3033	Light Truck Drivers	613	685	72	11.8%	29	38	7	74
53-3051	Bus Drivers, School	154	161	7	4.6%	17	7	1	25
53-3053	Shuttle Drivers and Chauffeurs	85	93	8	9.4%	8	4	1	13
53-4011	Locomotive Engineers	42	42	0	0.0%	1	2	0	3
53-6031	Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants	105	115	10	9.5%	6	10	1	17
53-7011	Conveyor Operators and Tenders	54	60	6	11.1%	2	4	1	7
53-7051	Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	170	185	15	8.8%	6	11	2	19
53-7061	Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	267	297	30	11.2%	15	22	3	40
53-7062	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	506	545	39	7.7%	25	43	4	72

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53-7064	Packers and Packagers, Hand	135	121	-14	-10.4%	8	11	-1	18
53-7065	Stockers and Order Fillers	1,528	1,696	168	11.0%	100	158	17	275
53-7081	Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors	56	60	4	7.1%	3	4	0	7

Notes:

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