

12. Employed persons by sex, occupation, class of worker, full- or part-time status, and race

(Numbers in thousands)

Category	Total		White ¹		Black or African American ¹		Asian ¹	
	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
SEX								
Total (all civilian workers)	136,485	137,736	114,013	114,235	14,872	14,739	6,215	5,756
Men	72,903	73,332	61,849	61,866	6,959	6,820	3,349	3,073
Women	63,582	64,404	52,164	52,369	7,914	7,919	2,866	2,683
OCCUPATION								
Management, professional, and related occupations	47,180	47,929	40,318	40,558	3,818	3,923	2,693	2,601
Management, business, and financial operations occupations	19,823	19,934	17,435	17,377	1,364	1,368	892	845
Management occupations	14,492	14,468	12,920	12,827	904	859	578	538
Business and financial operations occupations	5,330	5,465	4,516	4,550	461	509	313	308
Professional and related occupations	27,358	27,995	22,883	23,181	2,454	2,555	1,801	1,756
Computer and mathematical occupations	3,117	3,122	2,396	2,418	221	252	475	402
Architecture and engineering occupations	2,731	2,727	2,344	2,321	130	119	242	236
Life, physical, and social science occupations	1,287	1,375	1,079	1,113	67	86	132	142
Community and social services occupations	2,151	2,184	1,675	1,663	384	408	63	70
Legal occupations	1,473	1,508	1,344	1,360	84	90	35	37
Education, training, and library occupations	7,569	7,768	6,503	6,599	751	758	258	255
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	2,641	2,663	2,343	2,322	153	171	125	124
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	6,388	6,648	5,197	5,385	665	671	471	490
Service occupations	21,766	22,086	16,962	17,132	3,519	3,408	993	923
Healthcare support occupations	2,694	2,926	1,836	1,996	712	738	108	114
Protective service occupations	2,696	2,727	2,082	2,098	522	511	61	42
Food preparation and serving related occupations	6,968	7,254	5,647	5,797	823	842	416	404
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	5,050	4,947	4,000	3,920	819	740	153	136
Personal care and service occupations	4,358	4,232	3,397	3,321	643	578	257	228
Sales and office occupations	35,408	35,496	29,745	29,555	3,872	3,881	1,486	1,297
Sales and related occupations	15,828	15,960	13,622	13,587	1,357	1,416	719	652
Office and administrative support occupations	19,580	19,536	16,123	15,968	2,515	2,465	767	645
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	13,562	14,205	12,071	12,600	1,009	1,022	278	228
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,040	1,050	928	954	58	49	25	19
Construction and extraction occupations	7,898	8,114	7,076	7,242	573	578	126	84
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	4,623	5,041	4,067	4,404	377	395	127	126
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	18,569	18,020	14,918	14,391	2,654	2,504	765	706
Production occupations	10,081	9,700	8,121	7,766	1,307	1,204	528	510
Transportation and material moving occupations	8,488	8,320	6,797	6,625	1,348	1,301	236	196
CLASS OF WORKER								
Agriculture:								
Wage and salary workers	1,282	1,299	1,174	1,201	61	57	19	15
Self-employed workers	1,003	951	972	922	7	6	15	7
Unpaid family workers	26	25	25	25	-	-	-	-
Nonagricultural industries:								
Wage and salary workers	125,156	126,015	103,845	103,849	14,217	14,075	5,825	5,330
Government	19,636	19,634	15,676	15,532	2,985	2,912	716	699
Private industries	105,521	106,381	88,169	88,317	11,232	11,162	5,108	4,632
Private households	757	764	620	639	102	84	23	22
Other industries	104,764	105,616	87,549	87,678	11,130	11,078	5,086	4,610
Self-employed workers	8,923	9,344	7,914	8,160	582	593	350	390
Unpaid family workers	95	101	83	78	5	9	5	13
FULL- OR PART-TIME STATUS ²								
Full-time workers	112,700	113,324	93,521	93,465	12,782	12,607	5,232	4,850
Part-time workers	23,785	24,412	20,491	20,770	2,091	2,132	982	906

¹ Beginning in 2003, persons who selected this race group only; persons who selected more than one race group are not included. Prior to 2003, persons who reported more than one race group were included in the group they identified as the main race. For more information, see the "Explanatory Notes and Estimates of Error" section of this publication.

² Employed persons are classified as full- or part-time workers based on their usual weekly hours at all jobs regardless of the number of hours they are at work during the reference week. Persons absent from work also are classified according to their usual status.

NOTE: Estimates for the above race groups (white, black or African American, and Asian) do not sum to totals because data are not presented for all races. Beginning in January 2003, data reflect revised population controls used in the household survey. Occupations and industries reflect the introduction of the 2002 census occupational and industry classification systems derived from the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification system and the 2002 North American Industry Classification System into the Current Population Survey.