TABLE H-3. Employed females 16 years and older, by detailed occupation: Selected years, 1983-2001 annual averages

| (Thousands) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Page 1 of 3 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Occupation | 1983 | 1985 | 1987 | 1989 | 1991 | 1993 | 1995 | 1997 | 1999 | 2001 |
| All occupations | 44,047 | 47,259 | 50,334 | 53,027 | 53,496 | 54,910 | 57,523 | 59,873 | 62,042 | 62,992 |
| Managerial and professional specialty | 9,659 | 11,049 | 12,286 | 13,746 | 14,311 | 15,419 | 16,940 | 18,437 | 20,021 | 20,928 |
| Executive, administrative, and managerial | 3,490 | 4,351 | 5,053 | 5,904 | 6,046 | 6,441 | 7,346 | 8,170 | 8,840 | 9,348 |
| Professional specialty | 6,169 | 6,699 | 7,232 | 7,842 | 8,265 | 8,978 | 9,593 | 10,267 | 11,181 | 11,580 |
| Engineers, architects, and surveyors | 104 | 128 | 138 | 171 | 175 | 174 | 198 | 227 | 253 | 273 |
| Architects | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | 50 |
| Engineers | 91 | 113 | 120 | 138 | 153 | 150 | 163 | 195 | 221 | 221 |
| Aerospace | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Agricultural | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Chemical | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Civil | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Electrical and electronic | S | S | S | S | S | S | 53 | 60 | 65 | 74 |
| Industrial | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Marine and naval architects | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mechanical | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Metallurgical and materials | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mining | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Nuclear | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Petroleum | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Surveyors and mapping scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Health assessment and treating | 1,629 | 1,717 | 1,853 | 1,902 | 2,040 | 2,243 | 2,369 | 2,495 | 2,588 | 2,629 |
| Dietitians | 65 | 76 | 57 | 75 | 66 | 87 | 88 | 89 | 77 | 87 |
| Pharmacists | S | 51 | S | 56 | 69 | 72 | 62 | 92 | 106 | 102 |
| Physicians' assistants | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Registered nurses | 1,315 | 1,376 | 1,511 | 1,507 | 1,615 | 1,749 | 1,841 | 1,930 | 1,978 | 2,013 |
| Therapists | 188 | 196 | 218 | 247 | 265 | 311 | 350 | 343 | 392 | 379 |
| Respiratory (inhalation) | S | S | S | S | S | 54 | 56 | 50 | 55 | 53 |
| Occupational | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | 61 | 59 |
| Physical | S | S | 56 | 69 | 79 | 83 | 91 | 70 | 105 | 100 |
| Speech | S | 55 | 67 | 56 | 63 | 75 | 84 | 97 | 92 | 102 |
| Other | S | S | S | S | 50 | 59 | 72 | 77 | 79 | 65 |
| Health diagnosing | 98 | 108 | 131 | 141 | 153 | 187 | 229 | 259 | 258 | 312 |
| Dentists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Optometrists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Physicians | 82 | 85 | 100 | 98 | 115 | 133 | 169 | 190 | 177 | 223 |
| Podiatrists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Veterinarians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mathematical and computer scientists | 137 | 178 | 233 | 304 | 341 | 340 | 382 | 454 | 575 | 633 |
| Actuaries | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Computer systems analysts and scientists | 77 | 101 | 144 | 184 | 228 | 230 | 275 | 354 | 442 | 496 |
| Operations and systems researchers and analysts | S | 57 | 74 | 98 | 87 | 93 | 85 | 82 | 112 | 111 |
| Statisticians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Natural scientists | 73 | 78 | 94 | 111 | 115 | 161 | 142 | 164 | 174 | 200 |
| Agricultural and food scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Atmospheric and space scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Biological and life scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | 56 |
| Chemists, except biochemists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | 51 |
| Forestry and conservation scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Geologists and geodesists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Medical scientists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Physicists and astronomers | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |

TABLE H-3. Employed females 16 years and older, by detailed occupation: Selected years, 1983-2001 annual averages

| (Thousands) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Page 2 of 3 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Occupation | 1983 | 1985 | 1987 | 1989 | 1991 | 1993 | 1995 | 1997 | 1999 | 2001 |
| Social scientists and urban planners | 122 | 122 | 154 | 182 | 205 | 227 | 246 | 242 | 269 | 263 |
| Economists | S | S | S | 51 | 53 | 56 | 75 | 71 | 72 | 71 |
| Psychologists | 77 | 76 | 93 | 113 | 138 | 153 | 154 | 152 | 172 | 165 |
| Sociologists | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Urban planners | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Teachers, postsecondary (college | 220 | 226 | 245 | 275 | 315 | 329 | 382 | 371 | 414 | 435 |
| and university) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agriculture and forestry | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Biological sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Chemistry | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Computer sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Earth, environmental, and marine sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Economics | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Engineering | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Health specialties | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mathematical sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Medical sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Natural sciences NEC | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Physics | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Political sciences | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Psychology | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Social sciences NEC | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Sociology | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | 135 | 144 | 173 | 198 | 215 | 221 | 261 | 260 | 301 | 317 |
| Teachers, except postsecondary (college and university) | 2,386 | 2,573 | 2,642 | 2,884 | 2,977 | 3,294 | 3,365 | 3,632 | 3,952 | 4,098 |
| Elementary school | 1,125 | 1,142 | 1,134 | 1,262 | 1,299 | 1,425 | 1,461 | 1,571 | 1,736 | 1,828 |
| Prekindergarten and kindergarten | 294 | 325 | 383 | 421 | 441 | 492 | 489 | 561 | 591 | 637 |
| Secondary school | 627 | 635 | 636 | 641 | 663 | 708 | 702 | 685 | 772 | 763 |
| Special education | 67 | 175 | 181 | 217 | 235 | 238 | 262 | 318 | 311 | 304 |
| Other | 274 | 296 | 308 | 343 | 338 | 431 | 451 | 497 | 542 | 566 |
| Other | 1,399 | 1,569 | 1,742 | 1,873 | 1,944 | 2,023 | 2,280 | 2,423 | 2,699 | 2,737 |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support | 20,187 | 21,507 | 22,704 | 23,440 | 23,466 | 23,641 | 24,107 | 24,549 | 24,842 | 24,877 |
| Administrative support, including clerical | 13,100 | 13,882 | 14,614 | 14,740 | 14,717 | 14,679 | 14,613 | 14,469 | 14,512 | 14,553 |
| Sales | 5,617 | 6,088 | 6,465 | 6,941 | 6,872 | 6,924 | 7,485 | 7,894 | 8,069 | 7,924 |
| Technicians and related support | 1,471 | 1,537 | 1,624 | 1,759 | 1,877 | 2,039 | 2,009 | 2,186 | 2,261 | 2,400 |
| Engineering and related technologists and technicians | 151 | 163 | 153 | 180 | 176 | 156 | 157 | 178 | 185 | 214 |
| Drafting occupations | S | 52 | S | 61 | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Electrical and electronic technicians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | 56 | 63 | 93 |
| Industrial engineering technicians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Mechanical engineering technicians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Surveying and mapping technicians | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |
| Other | 62 | 63 | 57 | 60 | 70 | 60 | 65 | 74 | 68 | 63 |
| Health technologists and technicians | 937 | 929 | 962 | 1,051 | 1,142 | 1,237 | 1,314 | 1,357 | 1,380 | 1,477 |
| Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians | 194 | 223 | 204 | 229 | 241 | 242 | 268 | 295 | 266 | 279 |
| Dental hygienists | 65 | 56 | 72 | 80 | 83 | 75 | 94 | 105 | 105 | 114 |
| Health record technologists and technicians | S | S | 51 | 66 | 63 | 57 | S | S | S | S |
| Licensed practical nurses | 430 | 390 | 393 | 397 | 421 | 401 | 380 | 384 | 339 | 353 |
| Radiologic technicians | 72 | 89 | 90 | 94 | 104 | 103 | 114 | 103 | 124 | 118 |
| Other | 134 | 124 | 151 | 185 | 231 | 360 | 442 | 453 | 529 | 597 |

TABLE H-3. Employed females 16 years and older, by detailed occupation: Selected years, 1983-2001 annual averages

| (Thousands) | 1983 | 1985 | 1987 | 1989 | 1991 | 1993 | 1995 | 1997 | 1999 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Occupation | 59 | 70 | 64 | 64 | 72 | 99 | 98 | 113 | 119 |
| Science technicians | S | S | S | S | S | 51 | S | 61 | 68 |
| Biological | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |  |  |
| Chemical | S | S | S | S | S | S | S |  |  |
| Other |  |  |  |  |  | S | S |  |  |
| Technicians, except health, engineering, and |  |  |  | S | S |  |  |  |  |
| sciences | 324 | 374 | 444 | 464 | 487 | 546 | 441 | 538 | 576 |
| Other occupations | 15,223 | 15,822 | 16,557 | 17,166 | 16,971 | 17,171 | 17,920 | 18,428 | 18,804 |
| NEC $\quad 18,868$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

NEC not elsewhere classified
S suppressed because fewer than 50,000 weighted cases
SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey, 1983-2001.

