

2010 High Priority Occupations for Central Workforce Investment Area

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			Annual Average	Entry Level	Exper. Level	Estimated 2006	Projected 2016	Percent Change	Annual Openings
11-9011	Farm & Agricultural Managers	BD+	N/A	N/A	N/A	1,140	1,270	11.5%	21
11-9021	Construction Managers	BD	\$ 63,530	\$ 43,380	\$ 73,600	210	220	4.2%	4
11-9033	Education Administrators, Postsecondary	BD+	\$ 119,970	\$ 57,850	\$ 151,030	800	900	11.3%	31
11-9111	Medical & Health Services Managers	BD+	\$ 83,550	\$ 47,850	\$ 101,400	620	710	15.0%	21
13-1031	Claims Adjusters, Examiners & Investigators	LT OJT	\$ 63,680	\$ 44,220	\$ 73,420	110	100	-5.7%	3
13-1051	Cost Estimators	BD	\$ 43,060	\$ 27,650	\$ 50,770	490	550	12.5%	16
13-1072	Compensation, Benefits & Job Analysis Specialists	BD	\$ 50,430	\$ 31,300	\$ 60,000	140	170	18.3%	6
13-1073	Training & Development Specialists	BD	\$ 37,970	\$ 21,700	\$ 46,100	440	470	7.8%	12
13-1111	Management Analysts	BD+	\$ 82,590	\$ 45,520	\$ 101,120	610	730	18.8%	22
13-2011	Accountants & Auditors	BD	\$ 54,880	\$ 35,190	\$ 64,730	1,410	1,520	8.3%	37
13-2051	Financial Analysts	BD	\$ 58,500	\$ 38,920	\$ 68,300	160	200	23.6%	5
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	BD	\$ 51,870	\$ 26,090	\$ 64,760	220	300	32.1%	9
13-2053	Insurance Underwriters	BD	\$ 59,990	\$ 35,870	\$ 72,050	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
13-2072	Loan Officers	BD	\$ 50,740	\$ 32,360	\$ 59,940	680	620	-9.5%	7
15-1021	Computer Programmers	BD	\$ 55,580	\$ 32,150	\$ 67,300	400	340	-13.4%	8
15-1031	Computer Software Engineers, Applications	BD	\$ 79,980	\$ 54,930	\$ 92,510	300	390	30.6%	13
15-1032	Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	BD	\$ 76,260	\$ 57,190	\$ 85,800	260	310	18.6%	9
15-1041	Computer Support Specialists	AD	\$ 40,900	\$ 28,010	\$ 47,350	1,030	1,090	5.7%	38
15-1051	Computer Systems Analysts	BD	\$ 52,760	\$ 40,580	\$ 58,860	760	1,010	32.3%	45
15-1071	Network & Computer Systems Administrators	BD	\$ 54,380	\$ 38,710	\$ 62,210	460	550	18.6%	20
15-1081	Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts	BD	\$ 69,760	\$ 37,930	\$ 85,680	540	780	44.2%	35
17-2051	Civil Engineers	BD	\$ 66,780	\$ 44,900	\$ 77,730	460	480	3.3%	14
17-2081	Environmental Engineers	BD	\$ 61,540	\$ 45,560	\$ 69,540	230	320	40.4%	16
17-2112	Industrial Engineers	BD	\$ 62,660	\$ 38,890	\$ 74,540	420	510	19.4%	18
17-2151	Mining & Geological Engineers	BD	\$ 80,750	\$ 61,590	\$ 90,330	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
17-2161	Nuclear Engineers	BD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
17-2199	Energy Engineers	BD	\$ 90,550	\$ 62,560	\$ 104,550	20	20	0.0%	0
17-3011	Architectural & Civil Drafters	PS VOC	\$ 36,700	\$ 28,230	\$ 40,930	150	140	-10.0%	4
17-3013	Mechanical Drafters	PS VOC	\$ 40,130	\$ 29,140	\$ 45,620	170	170	-0.6%	5
17-3023	Electrical & Electronic Engineering Technicians	AD	\$ 52,050	\$ 31,880	\$ 62,140	270	240	-11.7%	5
17-3024	Electro-Mechanical Technicians	AD	N/A	N/A	N/A	10	10	0.0%	0
17-3025	Environmental Engineering Technicians	AD	\$ 53,540	\$ 31,930	\$ 64,340	50	50	4.1%	1
17-3026	Industrial Engineering Technicians	AD	\$ 40,570	\$ 26,910	\$ 47,400	290	310	4.5%	7
19-1021	Biochemists & Biophysicists	PhD	N/A	N/A	N/A	10	10	16.7%	0
19-1042	Medical Scientists	PhD	\$ 93,060	\$ 61,490	\$ 108,840	20	30	21.7%	2
19-2031	Chemists	BD	\$ 80,450	\$ 49,680	\$ 95,840	200	210	6.0%	6
19-2042	Geoscientists	BD	\$ 57,930	\$ 45,130	\$ 64,340	30	30	10.7%	1
19-4021	Biological Technicians	AD	\$ 44,940	\$ 28,520	\$ 53,150	40	40	0.0%	1

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19-4041	Geological & Petroleum Technicians	AD	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
21-1011	Substance Abuse & Behavioral Disorder Counselors	MD	\$ 40,650	\$ 28,240	\$ 46,860	220	250	17.6%	8
21-1012	Educational, Vocational & School Counselors	MD	\$ 53,640	\$ 37,490	\$ 61,720	550	560	2.7%	13
21-1014	Mental Health Counselors	MD	\$ 36,570	\$ 26,800	\$ 41,460	400	490	22.9%	17
21-1021	Child, Family & School Social Workers	BD	\$ 33,540	\$ 22,930	\$ 38,840	1,640	1,930	17.5%	64
21-1022	Medical & Public Health Social Workers	BD	\$ 42,590	\$ 31,920	\$ 47,930	300	320	8.1%	8
21-1023	Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Workers	MD	\$ 32,890	\$ 22,360	\$ 38,150	340	420	22.1%	15
21-1093	Social & Human Service Assistants	MT OJT	\$ 25,620	\$ 18,430	\$ 29,210	980	1,200	22.2%	33
23-1011	Lawyers	PROF	\$ 94,820	\$ 44,000	\$ 120,230	430	440	2.1%	9
23-2011	Paralegals & Legal Assistants	AD	\$ 36,220	\$ 26,350	\$ 41,150	280	330	14.8%	8
25-1011	Business Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 97,250	\$ 47,880	\$ 121,930	560	670	19.8%	20
25-1021	Computer Science Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 96,440	\$ 58,920	\$ 115,200	230	280	19.3%	9
25-1022	Mathematical Science Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 92,190	\$ 53,160	\$ 111,710	400	480	19.7%	15
25-1032	Engineering Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	N/A	N/A	N/A	620	750	19.6%	22
25-1042	Biological Science Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 84,010	\$ 48,310	\$ 101,860	410	490	20.0%	15
25-1066	Psychology Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 96,660	\$ 64,000	\$ 112,990	210	260	19.7%	8
25-1071	Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 86,050	\$ 51,520	\$ 103,310	200	240	20.2%	7
25-1072	Nursing Instructors & Teachers, Postsecondary	MD (MSN)*	\$ 69,250	\$ 47,700	\$ 80,030	260	310	19.3%	9
25-1081	Education Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 79,500	\$ 50,910	\$ 93,800	420	500	20.0%	15
25-1121	Art, Drama & Music Teachers, Postsecondary	PhD	\$ 73,510	\$ 48,620	\$ 85,950	450	530	20.0%	16
25-1194	Vocational Education Teachers, Postsecondary	WK EXP	\$ 46,120	\$ 35,510	\$ 51,420	360	400	10.8%	10
25-2011	Preschool Teachers	BD	\$ 24,240	\$ 16,890	\$ 27,920	560	660	18.6%	19
25-2012	Kindergarten Teachers	BD	\$ 46,880	\$ 31,510	\$ 54,570	280	290	2.5%	6
25-2021	Elementary School Teachers	BD	\$ 47,420	\$ 29,600	\$ 56,330	3,440	3,430	-0.1%	75
25-2022	Middle School Teachers	BD	\$ 50,490	\$ 32,010	\$ 59,730	1,260	1,230	-2.1%	27
25-2031	Secondary School Teachers	BD	\$ 49,300	\$ 31,520	\$ 58,190	2,030	1,890	-7.1%	61
25-2032	Vocational Education Teachers, Secondary School	BD	\$ 50,240	\$ 36,250	\$ 57,230	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
25-2041	Special Education Teachers, Pre-, Kindergarten & Elem.	BD	\$ 45,520	\$ 27,320	\$ 54,610	350	380	8.3%	11
25-2042	Special Education Teachers, Middle School	BD	\$ 51,680	\$ 36,060	\$ 59,480	140	150	2.1%	3
25-2043	Special Education Teachers, Secondary School	BD	\$ 50,880	\$ 34,370	\$ 59,130	240	230	-4.6%	5
25-3011	Adult Literacy, Remedial Education & GED Teachers	BD	\$ 52,720	\$ 41,800	\$ 58,190	110	110	-3.7%	1
25-4021	Librarians	MD	\$ 55,250	\$ 36,200	\$ 64,770	320	300	-4.7%	9
25-9041	Teacher Assistants	AD*	\$ 27,340	\$ 16,440	\$ 32,780	2,990	3,070	2.8%	58
27-1024	Graphic Designers	BD	\$ 35,530	\$ 25,800	\$ 40,390	300	310	3.3%	9
29-1021	Dentists, General	PROF	\$ 141,160	\$ 79,020	\$ 172,230	170	170	3.0%	4
29-1051	Pharmacists	PROF	\$ 90,930	\$ 71,280	\$ 100,750	460	540	15.3%	15
29-1062	Family & General Practitioners	PROF	\$ 171,450	\$ 97,620	\$ 208,370	540	600	10.9%	16
29-1071	Physician Assistants	BD	\$ 58,370	\$ 33,540	\$ 70,780	160	210	26.4%	6

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29-1111	Registered Nurses	AD	\$ 56,680	\$ 39,830	\$ 65,100	5,310	6,380	20.1%	195
29-1122	Occupational Therapists	BD	\$ 60,330	\$ 40,380	\$ 70,310	180	220	18.0%	6
29-1123	Physical Therapists	MD	\$ 71,150	\$ 52,700	\$ 80,380	460	550	19.5%	15
29-1126	Respiratory Therapists	AD	\$ 49,280	\$ 40,850	\$ 53,500	170	200	18.9%	6
29-1131	Veterinarians	PROF	\$ 87,460	\$ 55,590	\$ 103,400	130	160	26.8%	6
29-2011	Medical & Clinical Laboratory Technologists	BD	\$ 49,610	\$ 38,920	\$ 54,950	380	400	4.7%	8
29-2012	Medical & Clinical Laboratory Technicians	AD	\$ 41,020	\$ 27,310	\$ 47,870	280	320	12.7%	8
29-2021	Dental Hygienists	AD	\$ 52,240	\$ 45,200	\$ 55,760	290	370	27.3%	14
29-2031	Cardiovascular Technologists & Technicians	AD	\$ 43,420	\$ 27,380	\$ 51,450	150	180	20.8%	5
29-2034	Radiologic Technologists & Technicians	AD	\$ 47,970	\$ 36,350	\$ 53,780	390	440	12.3%	10
29-2041	Emergency Medical Technicians & Paramedics	PS VOC	\$ 27,730	\$ 19,550	\$ 31,820	620	730	17.5%	18
29-2052	Pharmacy Technicians	MT OJT	\$ 26,150	\$ 20,680	\$ 28,880	460	580	27.3%	26
29-2055	Surgical Technologists	PS VOC	\$ 35,920	\$ 29,710	\$ 39,030	150	180	21.1%	8
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists & Technicians	AD	\$ 28,550	\$ 21,670	\$ 32,000	110	140	33.3%	7
29-2061	Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	PS VOC	\$ 35,690	\$ 28,160	\$ 39,450	2,050	2,230	8.8%	74
29-2071	Medical Records & Health Information Technicians	AD	\$ 30,280	\$ 21,320	\$ 34,770	320	360	11.5%	13
31-1011	Home Health Aides	ST OJT	\$ 19,600	\$ 16,150	\$ 21,320	2,270	3,210	41.5%	114
31-1012	Nursing Aides, Orderlies & Attendants	ST OJT	\$ 25,040	\$ 19,970	\$ 27,580	3,860	4,320	11.9%	81
31-2021	Physical Therapist Assistants	AD	\$ 32,980	\$ 27,000	\$ 35,960	200	240	19.9%	7
31-9091	Dental Assistants	MT OJT	\$ 28,000	\$ 20,810	\$ 31,600	500	640	27.8%	23
31-9094	Medical Transcriptionists	PS VOC	\$ 27,680	\$ 22,550	\$ 30,250	270	290	7.4%	5
31-9096	Veterinary Assistants & Laboratory Animal Caretakers	ST OJT	\$ 24,120	\$ 17,040	\$ 27,660	200	220	7.8%	5
31-9099	Phlebotomists	N/A	\$ 30,870	\$ 22,110	\$ 35,250	240	260	4.9%	4
33-3012	Correctional Officers & Jailers	MT OJT	\$ 47,420	\$ 34,140	\$ 54,070	1,880	2,110	11.8%	65
33-3051	Police & Sheriff's Patrol Officers	LT OJT	\$ 47,900	\$ 29,000	\$ 57,350	890	930	4.6%	28
39-9011	Child Care Workers	AD*	\$ 18,430	\$ 15,560	\$ 19,860	1,050	1,220	16.5%	47
39-9021	Personal & Home Care Aides	ST OJT	\$ 22,750	\$ 17,770	\$ 25,240	1,340	1,840	36.8%	73
41-3011	Advertising Sales Agents	MT OJT	\$ 50,290	\$ 24,200	\$ 63,340	280	330	15.2%	9
41-3021	Insurance Sales Agents	BD	\$ 53,360	\$ 25,780	\$ 67,140	1,020	980	-4.1%	22
41-4011	Sales Representatives, Scientific & Technical	MT OJT	\$ 63,770	\$ 30,570	\$ 80,370	250	250	0.0%	6
41-4012	Sales Representatives	MT OJT	\$ 55,140	\$ 29,270	\$ 68,070	2,570	2,650	3.1%	65
41-9022	Real Estate Sales Agents	PS VOC	\$ 51,530	\$ 29,020	\$ 62,790	420	380	-9.2%	7
43-1011	Supervisors - Office & Administrative Support Workers	WK EXP	\$ 43,720	\$ 28,980	\$ 51,090	1,610	1,600	-0.6%	33
43-3021	Billing & Posting Clerks & Machine Operators	ST OJT	\$ 29,020	\$ 21,930	\$ 32,560	930	910	-2.1%	12
43-3031	Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks	MT OJT	\$ 29,730	\$ 20,070	\$ 34,550	3,490	3,670	5.0%	72
43-4011	Brokerage Clerks	MT OJT	\$ 33,890	\$ 23,950	\$ 38,870	30	30	10.0%	1
43-4051	Customer Service Representatives	MT OJT	\$ 27,490	\$ 18,170	\$ 32,150	3,300	3,890	17.9%	151
43-4131	Loan Interviewers & Clerks	ST OJT	\$ 27,820	\$ 19,490	\$ 31,980	250	200	-19.5%	4

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43-4151	Order Clerks	ST OJT	\$ 25,630	\$ 17,530	\$ 29,680	400	270	-33.3%	8
43-5011	Cargo & Freight Agents	MT OJT	\$ 35,730	\$ 29,450	\$ 38,870	50	50	-5.6%	2
43-5061	Production, Planning & Expediting Clerks	ST OJT	\$ 40,290	\$ 26,310	\$ 47,280	660	650	-0.9%	18
43-5071	Shipping, Receiving & Traffic Clerks	ST OJT	\$ 28,580	\$ 19,620	\$ 33,050	1,130	1,060	-6.4%	27
43-6011	Executive Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	MT OJT	\$ 37,730	\$ 24,290	\$ 44,440	1,920	2,060	6.9%	44
43-6012	Legal Secretaries	PS VOC	\$ 29,040	\$ 22,500	\$ 32,310	420	430	3.4%	8
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	PS VOC	\$ 25,750	\$ 19,730	\$ 28,760	580	680	15.6%	18
43-6014	Secretaries	MT OJT	\$ 27,100	\$ 19,810	\$ 30,750	4,690	4,460	-4.8%	75
43-9041	Insurance Claims & Policy Processing Clerks	MT OJT	\$ 29,960	\$ 22,230	\$ 33,830	90	80	-12.1%	1
43-9061	Office Clerks	ST OJT	\$ 27,100	\$ 18,600	\$ 31,350	10,090	10,750	6.5%	251
45-1011	Farm & Forestry Worker Supervisors	MT OJT	\$ 54,030	\$ 38,520	\$ 61,780	210	230	5.6%	5
45-4011	Forest & Conservation Workers	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	50	50	6.4%	2
45-4022	Logging Equipment Operators	MT OJT	\$ 21,680	\$ 17,750	\$ 23,640	70	60	-3.1%	1
47-1011	Supervisors - Construction Trades & Extraction Workers	WK EXP	\$ 49,700	\$ 34,140	\$ 57,480	890	890	-0.1%	13
47-2021	Brickmasons & Blockmasons	LT OJT	\$ 41,080	\$ 30,320	\$ 46,470	250	250	0.4%	5
47-2022	Stonemasons	LT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
47-2031	Carpenters	LT OJT	\$ 33,540	\$ 24,200	\$ 38,210	4,080	4,080	0.1%	55
47-2051	Cement Masons & Concrete Finishers	LT OJT	\$ 33,410	\$ 26,760	\$ 36,730	200	210	1.5%	6
47-2061	Construction Laborers	MT OJT	\$ 28,180	\$ 21,410	\$ 31,570	2,550	2,600	1.8%	24
47-2073	Operating Engineers	MT OJT	\$ 41,320	\$ 25,740	\$ 49,120	900	910	1.6%	18
47-2111	Electricians	LT OJT	\$ 37,950	\$ 26,550	\$ 43,640	910	910	0.3%	23
47-2132	Insulation Workers, Mechanical	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
47-2141	Painters, Construction & Maintenance	MT OJT	\$ 31,290	\$ 19,630	\$ 37,120	340	350	3.3%	7
47-2152	Plumbers, Pipefitters & Steamfitters	LT OJT	\$ 38,390	\$ 25,030	\$ 45,060	670	670	0.4%	14
47-2181	Roofers	MT OJT	\$ 34,600	\$ 23,990	\$ 39,910	300	300	1.7%	8
47-2211	Sheet Metal Workers	MT OJT	\$ 49,670	\$ 39,800	\$ 54,600	110	110	-1.8%	3
47-2221	Structural Iron & Steel Workers	LT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	70	80	10.0%	3
47-4011	Construction & Building Inspectors	WK EXP	\$ 43,050	\$ 34,440	\$ 47,350	270	290	4.8%	6
47-5011	Derrick Operators, Oil & Gas	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
47-5012	Rotary Drill Operators, Oil & Gas	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
47-5013	Service Unit Operators, Oil, Gas & Mining	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
47-5071	Roustabouts, Oil & Gas	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
49-1011	Supervisors - Mechanics, Installers & Repairers	WK EXP	\$ 53,670	\$ 39,840	\$ 60,580	760	760	-0.3%	18
49-2022	Telecommunications Equipment Installers & Repairers	PS VOC	\$ 40,800	\$ 34,030	\$ 44,190	210	250	16.0%	8
49-2095	Elec. Repairers, Powerhouse & Substation	PS VOC	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
49-3023	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	PS VOC	\$ 33,820	\$ 20,080	\$ 40,690	1,770	1,830	3.7%	42
49-3031	Bus, Truck & Diesel Engine Mechanics	PS VOC	\$ 33,920	\$ 25,260	\$ 38,250	600	620	3.5%	15
49-3042	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics	PS VOC	\$ 31,700	\$ 17,440	\$ 38,830	120	130	9.0%	3

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49-9021	Heating, A/C & Refrigeration Mechanics & Installers	LT OJT	\$ 37,210	\$ 24,510	\$ 43,560	630	650	1.9%	12
49-9041	Industrial Machinery Mechanics	LT OJT	\$ 37,750	\$ 26,740	\$ 43,260	810	910	12.3%	24
49-9042	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	LT OJT	\$ 32,550	\$ 20,360	\$ 38,640	3,590	3,710	3.4%	21
49-9043	Maintenance Workers, Machinery	LT OJT	\$ 35,400	\$ 26,830	\$ 39,680	290	310	3.7%	6
49-9051	Electrical Power-Line Installers & Repairers	LT OJT	\$ 59,970	\$ 48,070	\$ 65,920	410	440	5.6%	15
49-9052	Telecommunications Line Installers & Repairers	LT OJT	\$ 45,810	\$ 34,490	\$ 51,470	400	470	16.3%	17
49-9099	Renewable Energy Technician	LT OJT	\$ 36,890	\$ 25,290	\$ 42,690	220	220	-1.4%	1
51-1011	Supervisors - Production & Operating Workers	WK EXP	\$ 50,310	\$ 32,320	\$ 59,310	1,700	1,620	-4.3%	28
51-2022	Electrical & Electronic Equipment Assemblers	ST OJT	\$ 29,150	\$ 22,210	\$ 32,620	150	110	-27.0%	3
51-2092	Team Assemblers	MT OJT	\$ 26,760	\$ 18,910	\$ 30,680	3,900	3,770	-3.2%	81
51-4011	Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal & Plastic	LT OJT	\$ 30,500	\$ 22,490	\$ 34,510	390	420	9.3%	9
51-4012	Numerical Tool & Process Control Programmers	LT OJT	\$ 32,360	\$ 29,160	\$ 33,960	20	30	17.4%	0
51-4021	Extruding & Drawing Machine Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 34,200	\$ 28,080	\$ 37,270	200	190	-3.0%	5
51-4022	Forging Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
51-4023	Rolling Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 34,760	\$ 28,000	\$ 38,140	180	150	-15.6%	4
51-4031	Cutting, Punching & Press Machine Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 24,310	\$ 18,710	\$ 27,110	960	850	-11.7%	23
51-4032	Drilling & Boring Machine Tool Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
51-4033	Grinding, Polishing & Buffing Machine Tool Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 33,980	\$ 21,240	\$ 40,350	260	250	-2.7%	3
51-4034	Lathe & Turning Machine Tool Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 28,610	\$ 22,840	\$ 31,490	280	200	-27.4%	5
51-4035	Milling & Planing Machine Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 32,520	\$ 28,660	\$ 34,450	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
51-4041	Machinists	LT OJT	\$ 37,130	\$ 25,720	\$ 42,840	930	970	4.4%	18
51-4072	Molding & Casting Machine Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 28,540	\$ 21,700	\$ 31,960	690	620	-10.4%	16
51-4081	Multiple Machine Tool Oprs, Metal & Plastic	MT OJT	\$ 30,820	\$ 23,080	\$ 34,690	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
51-4111	Tool & Die Makers	LT OJT	\$ 40,850	\$ 27,770	\$ 47,400	90	100	6.4%	2
51-4121	Welders, Cutters, Solderers & Brazers	PS VOC	\$ 33,400	\$ 25,110	\$ 37,550	1,170	1,220	4.3%	30
51-4122	Welding, Soldering & Brazing Machine Oprs	MT OJT	\$ 35,510	\$ 28,510	\$ 39,010	150	170	13.0%	5
51-5023	Printing Machine Operators	MT OJT	\$ 35,290	\$ 22,030	\$ 41,920	670	650	-2.8%	15
51-7011	Cabinetmakers & Bench Carpenters	LT OJT	\$ 30,290	\$ 24,730	\$ 33,070	1,440	1,480	2.7%	47
51-7041	Sawing Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders, Wood	MT OJT	\$ 25,720	\$ 19,750	\$ 28,700	320	360	11.2%	10
51-7042	Woodworking Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders	MT OJT	\$ 28,010	\$ 21,190	\$ 31,430	910	990	8.8%	31
51-8031	Water & Liquid Waste Treatment Plant & System Operators	LT OJT	\$ 36,520	\$ 26,040	\$ 41,750	430	450	6.1%	11
51-9061	Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers & Weighers	MT OJT	\$ 32,530	\$ 24,390	\$ 36,610	1,420	1,290	-8.9%	21
51-9081	Dental Laboratory Technicians	LT OJT	\$ 30,510	\$ 22,100	\$ 34,720	20	20	5.3%	0
51-9082	Medical Appliance Technicians	LT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
51-9111	Packaging & Filling Machine Operators/Tenders	ST OJT	\$ 27,560	\$ 19,730	\$ 31,470	1,230	1,120	-9.1%	23
51-9196	Paper Goods Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders	MT OJT	\$ 26,390	\$ 17,650	\$ 30,760	920	880	-3.6%	22
53-1031	Supervisors - Transportation & Vehicle Operators	WK EXP	\$ 50,070	\$ 33,320	\$ 58,450	370	380	2.4%	9
53-3031	Driver/Sales Workers	ST OJT	\$ 26,360	\$ 15,920	\$ 31,590	930	830	-10.2%	17

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SOC Code	SOC Title	Educational Attainment ¹	Wages (2008)			Employment			
			Annual Average	Entry Level	Exper. Level	Estimated 2006	Projected 2016	Percent Change	Annual Openings
53-3032	Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer	MT OJT	\$ 36,610	\$ 24,350	\$ 42,740	4,170	4,440	6.6%	102
53-3033	Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	ST OJT	\$ 27,340	\$ 17,860	\$ 32,080	2,160	2,240	3.6%	46
53-7051	Industrial Truck & Tractor Operators	ST OJT	\$ 28,520	\$ 22,980	\$ 31,290	1,480	1,370	-7.6%	37
53-7062	Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers	ST OJT	\$ 24,120	\$ 17,150	\$ 27,600	4,280	4,170	-2.5%	137
53-7071	Gas Compressor & Gas Pumping Station Operators	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	30	30	0.0%	1
53-7072	Pump Operators	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	10	20	15.4%	1
53-7073	Wellhead Pumpers	MT OJT	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
53-7081	Refuse & Recyclable Material Collectors	ST OJT	\$ 23,240	\$ 17,300	\$ 26,220	240	230	-1.3%	6

Footnotes:

¹ Educational Attainment Abbreviations:

Short-term, Moderate-term and Long-term training (**ST OJT**, **MT OJT** and **LT OJT**) – basic tasks and skills are learned through a period of on-the-job training.

Work experience in a related occupation (**WK EXP**) – training is gained through hands-on work in a similar occupation.

Postsecondary vocational award (**PS VOC**) – training is gained through a vocational training program.

Associate Degree (**AD** or **AD***) – degree completed after two years of full-time schooling beyond high school.

Bachelor's Degree (**BD**) – degree completed after four years of full-time schooling beyond high school.

Bachelor's Degree plus experience (**BD+**) – a four-year bachelor's degree plus experience gained through hands-on experience.

Master's (**MD**), Master's in Nursing (**MD (MSN)**), Doctoral (**PhD**) or First Professional Degree (**PROF**) – training at the college or university level beyond a four-year bachelor's degree.