

**B24060. OCCUPATION BY CLASS OF WORKER FOR THE CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER - Universe: CIVILIAN EMPLOYED POPULATION 16 YEARS AND OVER**Data Set: [2008 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates](#)

Survey: American Community Survey

NOTE. Although the American Community Survey (ACS) produces population, demographic and housing unit estimates, it is the Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program that produces and disseminates the [official estimates of the population for the nation, states, counties, cities and towns and estimates of housing units for states and counties](#).

For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [Survey Methodology](#).

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	Alaska	
	Estimate	Margin of Error
Total:	339,851	+/-5,586
Management, professional, and related occupations:	115,900	+/-4,655
Management, business, and financial occupations:	42,776	+/-3,277
Management occupations	31,284	+/-2,908
Business and financial operations occupations	11,492	+/-1,878
Professional and related occupations:	73,124	+/-3,561
Computer and mathematical occupations	4,977	+/-1,039
Architecture and engineering occupations	8,581	+/-1,186
Life, physical, and social science occupations	6,505	+/-1,285
Community and social services occupations	7,969	+/-1,636
Legal occupations	3,674	+/-779
Education, training, and library occupations	19,513	+/-2,051
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	5,807	+/-1,181
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	16,098	+/-1,892
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	11,159	+/-1,622
Health technologists and technicians	4,939	+/-1,242
Service occupations:	55,553	+/-3,808
Healthcare support occupations	5,300	+/-1,133
Protective service occupations:	7,204	+/-1,377
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	4,539	+/-1,195
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	2,665	+/-719
Food preparation and serving related occupations	15,778	+/-2,128
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	13,389	+/-2,017
Personal care and service occupations	13,882	+/-2,207
Sales and office occupations	85,648	+/-3,959
Sales and related occupations	33,046	+/-2,994
Office and administrative support occupations	52,602	+/-3,139
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	3,051	+/-768
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	43,006	+/-3,663
Construction and extraction occupations	28,101	+/-3,091
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	14,905	+/-2,218
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	36,693	+/-3,842
Production occupations	13,477	+/-1,941
Transportation and material moving occupations:	23,216	+/-2,843
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	465	+/-232
Air transportation workers	2,654	+/-929
Motor vehicle operators	7,360	+/-1,364
Rail and water and other transportation workers	2,563	+/-726
Material moving workers	10,174	+/-1,751
Employee of private company workers:	185,401	+/-7,506
Management, professional, and related occupations:	40,778	+/-3,165
Management, business, and financial occupations:	18,335	+/-2,267
Management occupations	13,317	+/-1,685
Business and financial operations occupations	5,018	+/-1,253
Professional and related occupations:	22,443	+/-2,279
Computer and mathematical occupations	2,360	+/-800
Architecture and engineering occupations	5,966	+/-1,052
Life, physical, and social science occupations	1,675	+/-852
Community and social services occupations	563	+/-414
Legal occupations	1,288	+/-526
Education, training, and library occupations	1,034	+/-325
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	2,199	+/-803
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	7,358	+/-1,457
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	4,142	+/-1,097
Health technologists and technicians	3,216	+/-983
Service occupations:	30,108	+/-3,041
Healthcare support occupations	2,389	+/-740

Protective service occupations:	1,476	+/-648
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	1,476	+/-648
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Food preparation and serving related occupations	12,919	+/-1,927
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	7,141	+/-1,458
Personal care and service occupations	6,183	+/-1,392
Sales and office occupations:	56,565	+/-3,822
Sales and related occupations	26,418	+/-2,813
Office and administrative support occupations	30,147	+/-2,933
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,228	+/-519
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	29,105	+/-3,454
Construction and extraction occupations	18,925	+/-2,691
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	10,180	+/-1,999
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	27,617	+/-3,168
Production occupations	10,413	+/-1,710
Transportation and material moving occupations:	17,204	+/-2,239
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	402	+/-229
Air transportation workers	1,799	+/-814
Motor vehicle operators	5,691	+/-1,165
Rail and water and other transportation workers	1,645	+/-654
Material moving workers	7,667	+/-1,606
Self-employed in own incorporated business workers:	9,832	+/-1,515
Management, professional, and related occupations:	4,667	+/-986
Management, business, and financial occupations:	2,270	+/-790
Management occupations	1,869	+/-730
Business and financial operations occupations	401	+/-240
Professional and related occupations:	2,397	+/-656
Computer and mathematical occupations	39	+/-68
Architecture and engineering occupations	93	+/-113
Life, physical, and social science occupations	136	+/-163
Community and social services occupations	102	+/-117
Legal occupations	284	+/-209
Education, training, and library occupations	136	+/-164
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	240	+/-210
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	1,367	+/-538
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	1,248	+/-502
Health technologists and technicians	119	+/-204
Service occupations:	801	+/-394
Healthcare support occupations	0	+/-240
Protective service occupations:	0	+/-240
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Food preparation and serving related occupations	196	+/-198
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	290	+/-210
Personal care and service occupations	315	+/-246
Sales and office occupations:	2,452	+/-649
Sales and related occupations	1,284	+/-509
Office and administrative support occupations	1,168	+/-512
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	204	+/-137
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	999	+/-513
Construction and extraction occupations	746	+/-453
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	253	+/-193
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	709	+/-382
Production occupations	159	+/-143
Transportation and material moving occupations:	550	+/-316
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	0	+/-240
Air transportation workers	133	+/-152
Motor vehicle operators	90	+/-146
Rail and water and other transportation workers	117	+/-130
Material moving workers	210	+/-187
Private not-for-profit wage and salary workers:	35,338	+/-2,821
Management, professional, and related occupations:	18,625	+/-1,986
Management, business, and financial occupations:	6,193	+/-1,128
Management occupations	4,834	+/-1,010
Business and financial operations occupations	1,359	+/-481
Professional and related occupations:	12,432	+/-1,755
Computer and mathematical occupations	315	+/-245
Architecture and engineering occupations	299	+/-294
Life, physical, and social science occupations	599	+/-299
Community and social services occupations	4,004	+/-990
Legal occupations	191	+/-139
Education, training, and library occupations	2,196	+/-600
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	951	+/-450
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	3,877	+/-1,006
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	2,780	+/-824
Health technologists and technicians	1,097	+/-668
Service occupations:	6,780	+/-1,355
Healthcare support occupations	2,060	+/-732

Protective service occupations:	414	+/-328
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	414	+/-328
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Food preparation and serving related occupations	1,047	+/-622
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	955	+/-396
Personal care and service occupations	2,304	+/-732
Sales and office occupations:	6,459	+/-1,304
Sales and related occupations	631	+/-308
Office and administrative support occupations	5,828	+/-1,259
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	110	+/-120
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	1,521	+/-535
Construction and extraction occupations	1,155	+/-442
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	366	+/-296
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	1,843	+/-726
Production occupations	555	+/-290
Transportation and material moving occupations:	1,288	+/-664
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	0	+/-240
Air transportation workers	104	+/-171
Motor vehicle operators	398	+/-395
Rail and water and other transportation workers	34	+/-40
Material moving workers	752	+/-480
Local, state, and federal government workers:	83,895	+/-4,936
Management, professional, and related occupations:	43,581	+/-3,507
Management, business, and financial occupations:	11,664	+/-1,639
Management occupations	8,305	+/-1,406
Business and financial operations occupations	3,359	+/-979
Professional and related occupations:	31,917	+/-2,729
Computer and mathematical occupations	2,198	+/-680
Architecture and engineering occupations	1,670	+/-606
Life, physical, and social science occupations	3,708	+/-876
Community and social services occupations	3,176	+/-993
Legal occupations	1,598	+/-507
Education, training, and library occupations	15,736	+/-1,868
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	761	+/-398
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	3,070	+/-975
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	2,578	+/-930
Health technologists and technicians	492	+/-262
Service occupations:	12,545	+/-2,099
Healthcare support occupations	548	+/-350
Protective service occupations:	5,314	+/-1,214
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	2,649	+/-981
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	2,665	+/-719
Food preparation and serving related occupations	1,352	+/-509
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	3,327	+/-909
Personal care and service occupations	2,004	+/-760
Sales and office occupations:	16,695	+/-2,195
Sales and related occupations	1,909	+/-711
Office and administrative support occupations	14,786	+/-2,080
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	260	+/-164
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	6,461	+/-1,416
Construction and extraction occupations	3,323	+/-954
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	3,138	+/-1,136
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	4,353	+/-990
Production occupations	1,755	+/-628
Transportation and material moving occupations:	2,598	+/-727
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	18	+/-34
Air transportation workers	510	+/-299
Motor vehicle operators	550	+/-325
Rail and water and other transportation workers	582	+/-370
Material moving workers	938	+/-411
Self-employed in own not incorporated business and unpaid family workers:	25,385	+/-2,645
Management, professional, and related occupations:	8,249	+/-1,452
Management, business, and financial occupations:	4,314	+/-1,180
Management occupations	2,959	+/-1,028
Business and financial operations occupations	1,355	+/-736
Professional and related occupations:	3,935	+/-871
Computer and mathematical occupations	65	+/-81
Architecture and engineering occupations	553	+/-343
Life, physical, and social science occupations	387	+/-342
Community and social services occupations	124	+/-131
Legal occupations	313	+/-199
Education, training, and library occupations	411	+/-288
Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations	1,656	+/-695
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations:	426	+/-315
Health diagnosing and treating practitioners and other technical occupations	411	+/-315
Health technologists and technicians	15	+/-26
Service occupations:	5,319	+/-1,432
Healthcare support occupations	303	+/-274

Protective service occupations:	0	+/-240
Fire fighting and prevention, and other protective service workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Law enforcement workers including supervisors	0	+/-240
Food preparation and serving related occupations	264	+/-207
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	1,676	+/-996
Personal care and service occupations	3,076	+/-1,057
Sales and office occupations:	3,477	+/-1,005
Sales and related occupations	2,804	+/-824
Office and administrative support occupations	673	+/-390
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	1,249	+/-515
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations:	4,920	+/-1,138
Construction and extraction occupations	3,952	+/-993
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	968	+/-566
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations:	2,171	+/-872
Production occupations	595	+/-253
Transportation and material moving occupations:	1,576	+/-817
Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers	45	+/-72
Air transportation workers	108	+/-173
Motor vehicle operators	631	+/-451
Rail and water and other transportation workers	185	+/-209
Material moving workers	607	+/-552

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see [Accuracy of the Data](#)). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.

While the 2008 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2007 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities. The 2008 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the November 2007 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in PRCS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '*' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.

Standard Error/Variance documentation for this dataset:

[Accuracy of the Data](#)