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Preface

The National Compensation Survey (NCS) provides comprehensive measures of occupational earnings, compensation cost trends, benefit incidence, and detailed benefit provisions. This bulletin focuses on occupational earnings.

The NCS replaced the Occupational Compensation Survey (OCS) in 1996. The major difference between these two surveys is that the OCS used the same preselected list of occupations for all localities. The NCS uses a probability-based sample of establishments and occupations that is intended to represent more fully the employment patterns and occupational mix of each locality.

This bulletin presents aggregated pay data from the metropolitan and nonmetropolitan local area surveys conducted in the South Atlantic Census Division. (See Technical Note.) The bulletin provides estimates of occupational pay for the census division, as well as selected data by worker and establishment characteristics.

NCS bulletins are published for nine census divisions: New England, Middle Atlantic, East North Central, West North Central, South Atlantic, East South Central, West South Central, Mountain, and Pacific.

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Occupational Wages in the South Atlantic Census Division, July 2002

This bulletin provides July 2002 National Compensation Survey (NCS) estimates of occupational pay in the South Atlantic Census Division. The bulletin highlights average (mean) hourly pay for workers by seven characteristics:

- Private industry and State and local government
- Metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas
- Selected occupations and major occupational groups
- Full-time and part-time status
- Bargaining status
- Size of establishment
- Work level

Wages in the South Atlantic Census Division averaged \$15.97 per hour in July 2002. Workers in private industry in the South Atlantic region averaged \$15.38 per hour, while pay of workers in State and local government averaged \$18.84 per hour. The nationwide hourly average for all workers covered by the survey was \$17.18.

Table 1 in this bulletin provides an overview of average pay for workers in private industry and State and local government by selected worker and establishment characteristics. For example, white-collar workers in private industry averaged \$19.13 per hour; blue-collar workers averaged \$13.27; and service occupations, \$8.35. Corresponding averages in State and local government were \$21.52, \$13.91, and \$13.62. Overall average hourly earnings for private industry workers were lower than those for State and local government workers. Part of this difference can be explained by differences in the occupational and industrial mix of the two sectors. For example, professional specialty and technical occupations are more prevalent in State and local government than in private industry. Conversely, few State and local government workers are in goods-producing industries other than construction.

Full-time workers in the South Atlantic region averaged \$16.80 per hour, while part-time workers averaged \$8.83. In private industry, full-time workers averaged \$16.28 an hour, and part-time workers averaged \$8.62. For workers in State and local government, average hourly pay was \$19.10 and \$12.08, respectively. Full-time or part-time designation is based on the employer's definition of those terms.

In the South Atlantic region, workers in large establishments—that is, establishments with 2,500 or more workers—had average hourly pay at \$21.27. Workers in the smallest establishment-size category studied (1 to 99 em-

ployees) averaged \$13.30.

Table 2 shows that workers in metropolitan areas averaged \$16.26 per hour, more than the average pay for workers in nonmetropolitan areas, \$13.83. Table 2 also shows that, for many of the worker and establishment characteristics presented, average pay for metropolitan area workers was higher than that for their counterparts in nonmetropolitan areas. (See the Technical Note for definitions of metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas.)

Among census divisions, average earnings were generally highest in the Middle Atlantic, Pacific, and New England regions. Average earnings for census divisions, and for other characteristics, can be seen in tables 1 and 2.

Full-time, part-time, and combined average pay rates for occupations in private industry and in State and local governments in the South Atlantic region are shown in tables 3, 4, and 5. These tables contain wage rates and mean weekly hours for individual occupations and for major occupational groups. For example, all registered nurses averaged \$22.42 per hour (table 3). Registered nurses in private industry averaged \$22.47 (table 4), while their counterparts in State and local government averaged \$22.16 per hour (table 5). Secretaries averaged \$14.52 in private industry and \$13.21 in State and local governments. Janitors and cleaners, a service occupation, averaged \$8.73 in the private industry and \$9.46 in State and local government.

Earnings by occupational group and levels are shown in table 6. In determining the work level, the Bureau of Labor Statistics applies an *occupational leveling* technique to occupations selected during the collection process, using 10 criteria to level occupations. Usually, results tend to show higher pay at higher levels. In this region, average hourly earnings of white-collar workers ranged from \$7.09 for work level 1 to \$63.94 for level 14. Average earnings of blue-collar workers ranged from \$8.21 (level 1) to \$28.61 (level 10); service workers' average earnings ranged from \$6.74 (level 1) to \$30.37 (level 11). (The Technical Note has more information on occupational leveling.)

Table A in the Technical Note shows the number of workers represented by the surveys in the South Atlantic Census Division by major occupational group, such as professional specialty and technical, sales, and transportation and material moving. Table B shows the number of establishments studied in the South Atlantic Census Division by employment size; more establishments were studied in the group having 1 to 99 workers than in any other size category.

TABLE 1. Summary, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,² July 2002

Worker and establishment characteristics, and geographic areas	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ³ (percent)	
Total	\$15.97	1.9	36.4	\$15.38	2.4	36.1	\$18.84	1.2	38.0
Worker characteristics:⁴									
White-collar occupations ⁵	19.64	2.5	36.9	19.13	3.3	36.6	21.52	1.8	38.1
Professional specialty and technical ...	25.67	1.9	36.9	25.79	2.6	36.7	25.45	1.4	37.5
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.57	5.7	40.4	30.35	6.9	40.7	26.72	6.3	39.6
Sales	12.99	4.0	33.2	13.00	4.0	33.2	12.04	14.2	34.6
Administrative support	12.51	1.5	37.4	12.58	1.8	37.2	12.21	1.2	38.3
Blue-collar occupations ⁵	13.31	2.0	38.3	13.27	2.1	38.4	13.91	2.2	37.0
Precision production, craft, and repair	16.75	2.0	39.7	16.88	2.1	39.7	15.33	2.9	39.9
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	12.31	2.8	39.5	12.28	2.8	39.6	17.83	21.6	38.3
Transportation and material moving ...	13.15	4.4	37.4	13.12	4.9	38.2	13.39	1.7	32.1
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.00	1.6	36.1	9.95	1.7	35.9	11.00	3.8	39.1
Service occupations ⁵	9.56	1.4	32.5	8.35	1.5	31.1	13.62	1.9	38.4
Full time	16.80	2.0	39.8	16.28	2.5	39.8	19.10	1.2	39.5
Part time	8.83	1.5	21.1	8.62	1.8	21.2	12.08	3.0	19.5
Union	18.26	3.1	38.0	17.17	4.8	37.7	19.87	5.6	38.4
Nonunion	15.73	2.1	36.3	15.25	2.5	36.0	18.55	1.5	37.9
Time	15.59	1.1	36.3	14.87	1.3	35.9	18.84	1.2	38.0
Incentive	21.41	17.1	38.2	21.41	17.1	38.2	-	-	-
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	16.10	2.7	39.7	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
Service producing	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)	15.12	3.0	35.0	(⁶)	(⁶)	(⁶)
1 to 99 workers ⁷	13.30	1.6	35.1	13.30	1.6	35.1	13.72	5.4	37.7
100 to 499 workers	15.65	6.8	37.2	15.67	7.3	37.1	15.32	3.8	38.0
500 to 999 workers	16.99	3.7	38.0	16.94	4.3	38.3	17.16	7.0	36.6
1,000 to 2,499 workers	18.90	2.3	36.7	19.72	2.2	36.3	17.57	5.5	37.3
2,500 workers or more	21.27	1.9	38.1	22.71	2.9	37.3	20.41	2.4	38.6
Geographic areas:⁸									
Metropolitan	16.26	2.1	36.3	15.69	2.6	36.0	19.57	1.2	38.1
Nonmetropolitan	13.83	3.4	37.1	12.43	4.2	36.9	16.55	4.0	37.7
New England	18.61	2.9	34.4	17.73	3.5	34.2	24.55	2.6	35.8
Middle Atlantic	19.79	1.8	34.8	18.93	1.5	34.7	24.69	1.9	35.4
East North Central	17.42	1.2	35.7	16.64	1.3	35.6	22.47	2.3	35.9
West North Central	16.11	4.1	35.3	15.31	4.3	35.0	20.40	3.5	37.2
South Atlantic	15.97	1.9	36.4	15.38	2.4	36.1	18.84	1.2	38.0
East South Central	14.19	5.0	37.1	13.67	5.3	37.1	17.94	4.3	37.2
West South Central	15.39	1.5	36.6	14.81	1.6	36.3	18.24	1.4	38.2
Mountain	15.67	3.6	35.5	14.67	2.6	35.2	21.50	3.2	37.1
Pacific	19.08	1.8	35.8	18.01	2.4	35.9	24.87	.8	35.6

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January 2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

³ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see Technical Note.

⁴ Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Union workers are those whose wages are determined through collective bargaining. Wages of time workers are based solely on hourly rate or salary; incentive workers are those whose wages

are at least partially based on productivity payments such as piece rates, commissions, and production bonuses.

⁵ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See Technical Note for more information.

⁶ Classification of establishments into goods-producing and service-producing industries applies to private industry only.

⁷ Estimates include private establishments employing 1 to 99 workers and State and local government establishments employing 50 to 99 workers.

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TABLE 2. Summary, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002

Worker and establishment characteristics, and geographic areas	Total			Metropolitan areas			Nonmetropolitan areas		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Total	\$15.97	1.9	36.4	\$16.26	2.1	36.3	\$13.83	3.4	37.1
Private Industry	15.38	2.4	36.1	15.69	2.6	36.0	12.43	4.2	36.9
State and local government	18.84	1.2	38.0	19.57	1.2	38.1	16.55	4.0	37.7
Worker characteristics:⁵									
White-collar occupations ⁶	19.64	2.5	36.9	19.88	2.7	36.8	17.34	3.8	37.2
Professional specialty and technical ...	25.67	1.9	36.9	26.18	1.8	36.9	21.82	5.4	37.6
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.57	5.7	40.4	29.68	6.1	40.5	28.14	3.3	39.9
Sales	12.99	4.0	33.2	13.23	4.1	33.2	9.36	5.3	32.7
Administrative support	12.51	1.5	37.4	12.66	1.6	37.4	11.18	3.5	37.5
Blue-collar occupations ⁶	13.31	2.0	38.3	13.44	1.9	38.2	12.56	7.7	38.7
Precision production, craft, and repair Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	16.75	2.0	39.7	16.98	2.1	39.7	15.40	6.7	39.9
Transportation and material moving ...	12.31	2.8	39.5	12.40	2.4	39.5	11.92	10.7	39.8
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	13.15	4.4	37.4	13.22	4.9	37.5	12.64	5.8	36.6
Service occupations ⁶	10.00	1.6	36.1	10.08	.9	36.0	9.45	9.5	36.9
.....	9.56	1.4	32.5	9.60	1.4	32.2	9.33	7.4	34.6
Full time	16.80	2.0	39.8	17.14	2.2	39.8	14.34	3.6	39.7
Part time	8.83	1.5	21.1	8.95	1.7	21.2	7.59	2.4	20.5
Union	18.26	3.1	38.0	18.87	3.2	37.7	14.81	14.8	39.6
Nonunion	15.73	2.1	36.3	16.00	2.3	36.2	13.70	3.1	36.8
Time	15.59	1.1	36.3	15.85	1.1	36.2	13.83	3.6	37.0
Incentive	21.41	17.1	38.2	21.74	17.5	38.1	13.92	14.2	41.5
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing ⁷	16.10	2.7	39.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Service producing ⁷	15.12	3.0	35.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 to 99 workers ⁸	13.30	1.6	35.1	13.50	1.7	35.1	10.77	2.8	34.7
100 to 499 workers	15.65	6.8	37.2	16.16	7.7	37.1	12.95	6.2	37.7
500 to 999 workers	16.99	3.7	38.0	17.47	4.5	37.9	15.43	6.8	38.4
1,000 to 2,499 workers	18.90	2.3	36.7	19.71	1.1	36.4	16.57	8.5	37.7
2,500 workers or more	21.27	1.9	38.1	21.32	1.9	38.0	-	-	-
Geographic areas:⁹									
New England	18.61	2.9	34.4	18.99	2.9	34.4	14.66	9.4	34.5
Middle Atlantic	19.79	1.8	34.8	19.97	1.8	34.8	15.83	3.8	34.9
East North Central	17.42	1.2	35.7	17.73	1.3	35.6	15.11	3.4	36.3
West North Central	16.11	4.1	35.3	16.82	4.7	35.3	13.38	6.2	35.3
South Atlantic	15.97	1.9	36.4	16.26	2.1	36.3	13.83	3.4	37.1
East South Central	14.19	5.0	37.1	15.06	4.0	36.5	12.37	11.5	38.5
West South Central	15.39	1.5	36.6	15.49	1.7	36.7	14.45	6.5	36.3
Mountain	15.67	3.6	35.5	15.67	4.2	35.5	15.70	1.3	35.7
Pacific	19.08	1.8	35.8	19.22	1.9	35.9	16.10	1.6	34.8

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² A metropolitan area can be a Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) or Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area (CMSA) as defined by the Office of Management and Budget, 1994. Nonmetropolitan areas are counties that do not fit the definitions above.

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TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$15.97	1.9	36.4	\$16.80	2.0	39.8	\$8.83	1.5	21.1
All, excluding sales	16.29	1.9	36.8	16.94	2.1	39.7	9.38	1.9	20.8
White collar	19.64	2.5	36.9	20.55	2.5	39.8	10.66	2.4	21.2
White collar, excluding sales	21.13	2.4	37.8	21.50	2.5	39.7	14.55	4.7	20.3
Professional specialty and technical	25.67	1.9	36.9	26.00	2.1	39.4	20.20	4.9	18.1
Professional specialty	27.57	2.2	37.0	27.79	2.3	39.6	23.41	3.8	16.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	31.36	2.8	40.4	31.40	2.7	40.5	—	—	—
Architects	24.08	9.5	40.0	24.08	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Chemical engineers	35.52	8.7	41.4	35.52	8.7	41.4	—	—	—
Civil engineers	29.05	7.0	40.8	29.05	7.0	40.8	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic engineers	36.84	3.0	40.4	36.84	3.0	40.4	—	—	—
Industrial engineers	27.95	4.3	40.5	27.95	4.3	40.5	—	—	—
Mechanical engineers	29.44	3.4	39.6	29.78	3.4	40.6	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	34.52	10.4	40.6	34.52	10.4	40.6	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	31.16	.9	39.9	31.19	.9	40.0	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.48	1.0	39.9	31.49	1.0	40.1	—	—	—
Statisticians	24.87	15.5	40.0	24.87	15.5	40.0	—	—	—
Natural scientists	24.27	6.5	40.6	24.29	6.5	40.8	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	27.54	5.2	39.4	27.71	5.2	40.5	—	—	—
Physical scientists, n.e.c.	26.46	11.6	44.9	26.46	11.6	44.9	—	—	—
Biological and life scientists	21.18	6.0	39.7	21.18	6.0	39.7	—	—	—
Medical scientists	26.51	9.7	39.8	26.51	9.7	39.8	—	—	—
Health related	27.17	7.3	35.2	27.16	8.5	39.8	27.19	5.5	20.3
Physicians	54.97	5.6	42.6	54.89	5.7	43.5	60.46	7.8	16.9
Registered nurses	22.42	3.0	34.3	21.73	3.2	39.3	25.99	6.4	20.8
Pharmacists	36.16	1.5	32.4	36.36	1.8	40.0	34.98	6.3	15.4
Dietitians	18.96	3.5	38.7	18.76	3.0	40.0	—	—	—
Respiratory therapists	18.87	2.9	36.4	18.89	3.2	38.8	18.60	2.5	20.9
Occupational therapists	24.91	4.5	36.1	24.63	4.9	39.7	—	—	—
Physical therapists	31.52	6.3	28.5	30.64	11.7	38.7	32.38	1.8	22.7
Speech therapists	29.05	6.8	33.8	28.80	7.7	38.5	—	—	—
Therapists, n.e.c.	17.39	6.2	33.2	17.00	7.0	39.5	—	—	—
Physicians' assistants	31.14	5.1	40.0	31.14	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	37.63	4.1	40.3	37.81	4.2	42.5	29.08	9.1	11.9
Biological science teachers	40.89	17.5	42.7	40.75	17.8	44.2	—	—	—
Chemistry teachers	31.29	6.1	50.1	31.29	6.1	50.1	—	—	—
Psychology teachers	36.58	21.2	39.9	36.58	21.2	39.9	—	—	—
Economics teachers	40.38	2.0	51.8	40.38	2.0	51.8	—	—	—
History teachers	32.73	7.2	40.4	30.92	11.8	42.3	—	—	—
Social science teachers, n.e.c.	35.96	20.2	37.0	35.84	20.7	39.6	—	—	—
Mathematical science teachers	36.76	15.3	32.5	37.19	15.2	38.4	25.81	15.1	6.5
Computer science teachers	30.49	10.4	32.1	30.34	10.4	39.7	33.54	15.6	6.8
Medical science teachers	43.17	9.6	52.3	43.17	9.6	52.9	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	57.35	36.3	39.8	57.35	36.3	39.8	—	—	—
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers ..	51.67	16.5	40.1	51.67	16.5	40.1	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	24.44	6.4	35.4	24.52	6.7	40.7	—	—	—
Education teachers	35.84	18.8	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
English teachers	30.23	5.2	30.9	30.86	5.7	38.2	23.21	14.4	9.9
Foreign language teachers	18.80	18.5	44.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Law teachers	59.47	30.0	34.5	59.69	30.2	37.3	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	37.54	6.5	37.8	37.91	6.6	39.9	25.68	14.7	14.0
Teachers, except college and university	25.94	2.2	35.0	26.21	2.0	37.9	17.04	13.3	10.2
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	20.84	13.7	37.1	20.81	14.2	38.6	21.55	26.9	19.7
Elementary school teachers	26.47	1.5	37.0	26.56	1.4	37.5	18.23	31.3	16.2
Secondary school teachers	27.67	2.3	37.8	27.66	2.3	38.0	28.98	13.3	18.1
Teachers, special education	27.31	5.2	37.8	27.32	5.2	37.9	—	—	—
Teachers, n.e.c.	23.90	5.8	26.0	24.67	4.7	38.6	18.33	23.0	7.8
Substitute teachers	7.38	7.9	10.9	—	—	—	7.36	9.2	9.7
Vocational and educational counselors	26.64	8.2	37.0	26.77	8.3	38.3	—	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	22.73	4.3	37.6	22.88	4.4	39.0	17.87	8.3	17.9
Librarians	22.73	4.3	37.8	22.86	4.3	39.0	17.96	9.0	18.2
Social scientists and urban planners	23.44	7.9	39.4	23.43	8.0	39.9	—	—	—
Economists	23.79	5.6	41.2	23.79	5.6	41.2	—	—	—

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TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Professional specialty and technical —Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Social scientists and urban planners—Continued									
Psychologists	\$27.15	7.2	36.7	\$27.13	7.3	38.4	—	—	—
Urban planners	22.24	9.9	39.9	22.24	9.9	39.9	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	16.11	2.8	38.6	16.17	2.7	39.9	\$13.89	11.5	18.7
Social workers	16.17	2.9	38.7	16.23	2.9	39.9	14.19	11.6	18.9
Recreation workers	14.66	7.4	36.9	15.03	8.7	39.1	—	—	—
Clergy	14.53	14.1	36.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	36.46	9.6	42.8	36.53	9.9	43.4	—	—	—
Lawyers	35.91	10.3	43.5	35.85	10.4	43.6	—	—	—
Judges	45.92	15.7	33.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	21.96	6.8	34.5	22.76	6.6	39.0	13.25	12.9	15.3
Technical writers	21.81	6.7	37.9	21.52	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Designers	16.83	10.3	33.9	17.67	9.8	39.6	—	—	—
Actors and directors	19.87	20.0	28.3	23.32	19.5	41.5	—	—	—
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers	19.70	11.8	39.4	19.84	12.0	39.7	—	—	—
Photographers	17.78	15.7	39.7	17.76	15.7	39.9	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	25.16	5.8	39.6	25.16	5.8	39.6	—	—	—
Public relations specialists	27.31	11.8	39.2	27.38	11.9	39.4	—	—	—
Athletes	21.44	16.9	21.5	22.95	17.8	31.4	16.97	15.7	11.2
Technical	19.15	2.5	36.5	19.66	2.8	38.9	13.36	7.1	21.6
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.26	6.0	36.4	16.15	5.9	37.0	20.32	11.3	22.5
Dental hygienists	25.69	13.5	26.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Health record technologists and technicians	11.89	10.9	39.9	11.89	10.9	39.9	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	20.27	4.7	37.0	20.24	4.8	39.9	20.97	6.9	14.8
Licensed practical nurses	14.72	2.6	35.0	14.57	2.6	39.3	15.77	8.0	19.9
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	14.43	3.7	36.2	14.78	4.0	40.2	11.60	3.4	20.0
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.25	1.5	39.7	21.29	1.5	39.9	—	—	—
Mechanical engineering technicians	18.01	6.9	40.2	18.01	6.9	40.2	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	18.57	5.5	36.3	19.54	6.2	39.7	—	—	—
Drafters	16.57	6.1	40.4	16.55	6.3	41.3	—	—	—
Chemical technicians	17.68	8.4	40.0	17.68	8.4	40.0	—	—	—
Science technicians, n.e.c.	17.88	12.9	39.9	17.88	12.9	39.9	—	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	129.78	16.6	21.7	129.78	16.6	21.7	—	—	—
Broadcast equipment operators	10.59	21.0	33.0	15.90	12.4	40.0	—	—	—
Computer programmers	27.65	10.5	38.7	27.66	10.5	39.9	—	—	—
Legal assistants	16.76	4.2	34.7	17.12	3.4	38.9	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	15.19	9.4	36.3	16.69	6.3	39.7	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.57	5.7	40.4	29.63	5.7	40.7	20.92	21.9	21.4
Executives, administrators, and managers	32.89	6.7	40.9	32.98	6.7	41.1	14.21	21.4	22.0
Legislators	5.65	38.0	19.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration	40.95	7.2	38.6	42.27	6.6	40.1	—	—	—
Administrators and officials, public administration	29.28	6.6	39.6	29.30	6.7	39.8	—	—	—
Financial managers	28.12	6.4	40.3	28.12	6.4	40.3	—	—	—
Purchasing managers	29.25	12.0	40.3	29.25	12.0	40.3	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	38.75	7.6	40.8	38.75	7.6	40.8	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	35.53	5.0	39.8	35.63	5.0	40.0	—	—	—
Managers, medicine and health	31.61	11.1	40.7	31.62	11.2	40.8	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	18.77	5.2	41.1	19.01	5.7	42.3	—	—	—
Managers, properties and real estate	19.49	13.6	40.9	19.49	13.6	40.9	—	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	32.41	9.5	40.1	32.56	9.6	40.6	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	35.75	12.1	41.7	35.80	12.1	41.7	—	—	—
Management related	23.29	3.9	39.7	23.25	4.1	40.0	27.66	16.5	20.8

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
—Continued									
Management related—Continued									
Accountants and auditors	\$21.90	2.8	39.4	\$21.60	2.3	40.0	—	—	—
Underwriters	17.69	11.0	39.0	17.69	11.0	39.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	26.72	9.4	39.7	26.68	9.6	40.3	—	—	—
Management analysts	27.96	13.0	40.2	27.96	13.0	40.2	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.27	6.0	39.5	26.30	6.1	39.8	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	31.56	42.9	34.0	33.77	40.1	40.5	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	18.61	10.3	40.0	18.61	10.3	40.0	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	20.02	8.7	39.8	20.02	8.7	39.8	—	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.72	8.6	40.2	22.72	8.6	40.2	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	21.23	3.8	39.8	21.27	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
Sales	12.99	4.0	33.2	15.08	4.1	40.3	\$7.15	2.0	22.1
Supervisors, sales	18.52	9.7	41.0	18.61	9.6	41.4	—	—	—
Insurance sales	14.09	10.7	40.0	14.22	10.4	40.1	—	—	—
Real estate sales	14.34	20.8	40.5	14.34	20.8	40.5	—	—	—
Securities and financial services sales	21.01	15.9	39.9	21.01	15.9	39.9	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	20.86	12.4	38.3	21.31	12.7	39.6	—	—	—
Sales, other business services	20.10	7.8	39.1	20.59	7.3	40.8	—	—	—
Sales engineers	62.92	37.1	43.0	62.92	37.1	43.0	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	25.32	10.3	39.3	25.40	10.1	40.2	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	19.66	10.0	44.7	19.66	10.0	44.7	—	—	—
Sales workers, apparel	9.57	11.1	28.0	11.09	15.7	38.3	7.75	4.6	21.2
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings ..	13.83	6.8	35.5	14.47	5.7	39.1	—	—	—
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances ...	9.55	16.0	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies ..	14.06	11.8	38.2	14.59	12.7	40.3	9.79	4.1	27.1
Sales workers, parts	13.85	11.4	38.0	14.52	11.0	41.7	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	10.15	4.5	31.5	11.13	4.6	39.5	7.42	3.2	20.3
Sales counter clerks	7.70	9.6	31.8	8.86	9.2	39.4	6.04	4.8	24.9
Cashiers	7.38	2.0	28.4	8.05	2.0	39.1	6.81	2.6	23.1
Street and door-to-door sales workers	9.30	37.2	32.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales ..	13.42	16.7	33.3	15.36	20.3	41.4	8.18	6.0	21.8
Sales support, n.e.c.	16.01	8.2	34.7	16.85	8.6	39.3	8.91	4.0	17.5
Administrative support, including clerical	12.51	1.5	37.4	12.71	1.5	39.5	10.00	3.3	22.3
Supervisors, general office	17.24	3.2	40.1	17.25	3.2	40.2	—	—	—
Supervisors, computer equipment operators	19.43	14.3	40.3	19.43	14.3	40.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	19.58	4.1	39.8	19.58	4.1	39.8	—	—	—
Chief communications operators	21.76	7.5	40.0	21.76	7.5	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	21.42	7.4	40.4	21.42	7.4	40.4	—	—	—
Computer operators	14.30	5.6	40.0	14.30	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Peripheral equipment operators	13.77	15.4	40.0	13.77	15.4	40.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	14.17	2.2	38.7	14.14	2.3	39.5	15.11	16.1	22.6
Stenographers	11.96	5.6	34.0	12.59	5.2	39.1	—	—	—
Typists	14.06	4.9	38.2	14.20	5.2	38.5	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.87	4.8	38.2	11.95	5.0	40.0	10.13	2.9	19.8
Hotel clerks	8.99	4.9	37.4	9.13	5.0	39.9	7.76	4.7	24.3
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	14.81	6.7	34.9	14.78	6.3	39.9	14.98	12.1	21.2
Receptionists	9.79	2.4	33.9	10.19	2.6	39.7	7.78	6.6	19.7
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.58	4.9	37.7	11.76	5.5	40.0	9.63	8.1	23.4
Correspondence clerks	12.52	1.1	39.7	12.58	1.1	40.0	—	—	—
Order clerks	13.27	3.6	38.4	13.49	3.4	39.8	9.18	8.0	23.2
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	13.21	4.3	39.0	13.31	4.4	39.9	—	—	—
Library clerks	10.63	3.8	32.3	11.27	3.7	38.6	8.45	3.2	20.8

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TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
File clerks	\$9.12	2.3	36.1	\$9.31	3.0	39.8	\$7.86	8.1	22.0
Records clerks, n.e.c.	12.34	3.5	37.3	12.36	3.5	39.5	12.04	11.5	21.8
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	12.45	3.5	34.9	13.10	4.1	39.4	10.00	3.1	24.4
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.40	5.8	37.9	14.67	5.6	39.3	—	—	—
Billing clerks	10.57	4.2	39.8	10.56	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators	10.99	2.7	36.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Duplicating machine operators	9.54	3.3	39.9	9.48	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone operators	11.78	7.7	34.8	12.17	7.7	39.1	—	—	—
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. ...	12.84	5.8	35.2	12.73	6.8	39.1	—	—	—
Mail clerks, except postal service	11.05	5.9	35.1	11.45	6.2	38.7	8.68	7.1	22.6
Messengers	9.46	6.1	31.5	10.59	4.6	39.7	7.20	4.9	22.3
Dispatchers	14.07	6.7	41.1	14.08	6.8	41.1	—	—	—
Production coordinators	15.12	9.3	39.8	15.14	9.3	40.0	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	11.55	4.7	39.1	11.56	4.7	39.4	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	11.97	1.2	39.0	12.04	1.3	40.0	8.61	3.5	18.4
Meter readers	13.06	6.5	39.9	13.05	6.5	39.9	—	—	—
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers	14.32	8.5	40.0	14.32	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Expeditors	13.80	9.8	37.7	14.40	8.8	39.8	—	—	—
Material recording, scheduling, and distribution clerks, n.e.c.	10.39	7.0	38.9	10.42	7.1	39.1	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	16.62	7.9	39.3	16.67	8.0	39.6	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	13.69	5.9	39.2	13.54	6.1	40.0	16.44	5.5	29.5
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	13.82	6.1	39.7	13.95	5.3	39.9	—	—	—
Bill and account collectors	13.03	2.8	37.0	13.05	2.9	39.8	—	—	—
General office clerks	11.80	1.7	37.6	11.98	1.6	39.4	9.40	4.0	23.2
Bank tellers	10.08	.9	35.3	10.17	1.4	39.1	9.60	5.1	23.1
Proofreaders	13.84	4.2	37.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	11.23	2.6	32.9	11.30	2.6	39.4	10.74	9.1	15.1
Statistical clerks	13.16	7.8	39.7	13.16	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	9.82	1.8	35.7	9.78	1.8	36.9	10.67	10.7	20.2
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.85	3.4	38.3	13.03	3.5	39.8	9.04	12.1	21.4
Blue collar	13.31	2.0	38.3	13.59	2.0	40.0	8.39	2.9	22.0
Precision production, craft, and repair									
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	16.75	2.0	39.7	16.78	2.0	40.1	12.61	8.0	17.4
Automobile mechanics	23.62	7.8	40.8	23.62	7.8	40.8	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	17.22	4.6	40.6	17.26	4.7	40.7	—	—	—
Aircraft engine mechanics	15.99	2.5	39.8	16.00	2.3	40.0	—	—	—
Automobile body and related repairers	25.49	6.1	40.0	25.49	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Heavy equipment mechanics	18.57	22.0	40.0	18.79	22.6	40.5	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	14.82	3.5	38.6	14.75	3.4	40.0	—	—	—
Machinery maintenance	18.89	4.7	39.8	18.89	4.7	39.8	—	—	—
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	16.94	7.6	39.9	16.94	7.6	39.9	—	—	—
Data processing equipment repairers	17.88	9.1	33.5	18.79	6.0	39.9	—	—	—
Household appliance and power tool repairers	20.71	9.2	40.0	20.71	9.2	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	12.06	7.2	40.0	12.06	7.2	40.0	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	22.60	2.4	40.0	22.60	2.4	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanical controls and valve repairers	15.34	4.5	39.9	15.34	4.5	39.9	—	—	—
Millwrights	17.22	8.4	40.0	17.22	8.4	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	19.21	14.2	40.0	19.21	14.2	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers	15.80	3.9	38.6	15.79	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	24.82	9.1	37.3	25.67	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	23.77	7.7	40.0	23.77	7.7	40.0	—	—	—
Carpenters	20.12	4.1	40.9	20.12	4.1	40.9	—	—	—
	15.46	3.6	40.0	15.46	3.6	40.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair—Continued									
Drywall installers	\$14.65	3.3	40.0	\$14.65	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
Electricians	16.39	9.2	39.7	16.39	9.2	40.0	—	—	—
Electrician apprentices	15.46	13.8	40.0	15.46	13.8	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	19.57	4.9	40.0	19.57	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
Painters, construction and maintenance	11.91	4.8	40.0	11.91	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	17.26	4.1	40.0	17.26	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices	11.50	4.7	40.0	11.50	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Insulation workers	13.70	8.7	40.0	13.70	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	12.03	4.7	40.0	12.03	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Sheetmetal duct installers	14.93	6.7	40.0	14.93	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.05	5.6	40.0	13.05	5.6	40.1	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	18.86	5.6	40.8	18.86	5.6	40.8	—	—	—
Tool and die makers	18.74	5.0	40.0	18.74	5.0	40.0	—	—	—
Precision assemblers, metal	18.81	6.3	40.0	18.81	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Machinists	18.16	5.0	39.8	18.16	5.0	39.8	—	—	—
Sheet metal workers	12.89	3.9	40.0	12.89	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Furniture and wood finishers	11.95	3.5	40.0	11.95	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Upholsterers	16.57	19.1	40.0	16.57	19.1	40.0	—	—	—
Optical goods workers	10.76	17.4	39.1	10.76	17.4	39.1	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	11.93	5.8	39.4	11.99	5.9	39.9	—	—	—
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c.	16.12	4.4	39.9	16.12	4.4	39.9	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters	9.98	8.4	39.5	9.92	8.4	40.0	—	—	—
Bakers	9.82	4.2	34.0	10.31	2.1	39.8	—	—	—
Food batchmakers	12.57	10.7	42.1	12.57	10.7	42.1	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders	16.41	8.6	39.8	16.41	8.6	39.8	—	—	—
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c.	22.42	6.8	40.0	22.42	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	15.42	4.6	39.9	15.42	4.6	39.9	—	—	—
Power plant operators	24.36	9.8	40.0	24.36	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
Stationary engineers	19.47	6.2	40.0	19.47	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c.	18.04	11.6	39.3	18.04	11.6	39.3	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	12.31	2.8	39.5	12.34	2.8	39.8	\$8.67	7.1	24.1
Lathe and turning machine operators	11.16	8.9	40.0	11.16	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.82	10.1	40.0	11.82	10.1	40.0	—	—	—
Drilling and boring machine operators	11.24	7.4	40.0	11.24	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators	10.46	5.6	40.0	10.46	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.07	8.6	39.9	13.07	8.6	39.9	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	13.13	3.8	38.9	13.13	3.8	38.9	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	13.30	16.1	39.9	13.30	16.1	39.9	—	—	—
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators	12.10	2.9	40.0	12.10	2.9	40.0	—	—	—
Sawing machine operators	12.15	4.1	39.1	12.22	3.5	39.7	—	—	—
Shaping and jointing machine operators	11.74	2.2	39.9	11.74	2.2	39.9	—	—	—
Printing press operators	17.30	3.9	38.8	17.35	3.9	39.5	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	14.84	8.7	39.9	14.84	8.7	39.9	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	14.23	11.1	39.4	14.08	12.4	40.0	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	13.32	10.4	39.8	13.32	10.4	39.8	—	—	—
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators	11.56	5.5	40.0	11.56	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
Textile cutting machine operators	10.35	7.5	39.9	10.35	7.5	39.9	—	—	—
Textile sewing machine operators	9.85	11.6	39.3	9.88	11.7	40.0	—	—	—
Pressing machine operators	8.54	6.4	38.5	8.54	6.4	38.5	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	8.02	5.2	38.9	8.05	5.6	39.3	—	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.08	7.4	39.5	12.06	7.4	39.7	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	14.21	3.2	39.0	14.21	3.2	39.0	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	13.71	6.7	39.7	13.71	6.7	39.7	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors—Continued									
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	\$17.45	4.1	39.7	\$17.45	4.1	39.7	—	—	—
Compressing and compacting machine operators	11.04	8.8	39.9	11.04	8.8	39.9	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	17.27	19.4	40.3	17.27	19.4	40.3	—	—	—
Folding machine operators	11.00	3.1	39.9	11.00	3.1	39.9	—	—	—
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food	16.44	12.0	39.9	16.44	12.0	39.9	—	—	—
Crushing and grinding machine operators	13.94	13.2	39.8	13.94	13.2	39.8	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	13.01	5.2	39.5	13.07	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Photographic process machine operators	9.22	11.6	30.4	10.30	16.2	39.5	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	13.62	5.8	39.4	13.65	5.9	39.5	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	15.08	5.0	39.9	15.08	5.0	39.9	—	—	—
Assemblers	11.35	5.4	39.8	11.38	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
Hand cutting and trimming	13.50	6.2	40.0	13.50	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	12.26	6.2	40.0	12.26	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	10.65	5.3	39.3	10.70	5.6	39.9	—	—	—
Production testers	12.58	18.3	39.9	12.58	18.3	39.9	—	—	—
Graders and sorters, except agricultural	8.70	13.1	39.6	8.70	13.3	39.9	—	—	—
Hand inspectors, n.e.c.	9.53	9.2	39.9	9.53	9.2	39.9	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	13.15	4.4	37.4	13.46	4.6	40.4	\$9.36	8.9	19.5
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	18.10	9.0	40.9	18.10	9.0	40.9	—	—	—
Truck drivers	13.82	6.5	39.8	13.91	6.9	41.4	11.56	12.4	21.0
Driver-sales workers	11.64	5.6	37.1	12.34	3.8	40.4	5.56	3.9	21.8
Bus drivers	12.87	3.7	26.8	13.19	4.9	35.5	12.10	6.8	16.9
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs	6.90	7.7	34.5	6.76	8.4	40.0	7.53	6.5	21.3
Parking lot attendants	6.82	6.0	30.1	6.69	9.1	40.0	6.98	4.4	22.8
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	—	—	—	13.01	9.0	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	16.16	17.2	40.0	16.16	17.2	40.0	—	—	—
Operating engineers	16.59	7.8	40.0	16.59	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Crane and tower operators	15.48	7.8	40.0	15.48	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators	13.48	5.7	40.0	13.48	5.7	40.0	—	—	—
Grader, dozer, and scrapper operators	12.46	4.5	39.9	12.46	4.5	39.9	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	12.34	5.2	39.5	12.40	5.0	39.9	—	—	—
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	14.89	12.6	39.4	14.93	12.6	40.0	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	10.00	1.6	36.1	10.37	1.5	39.8	7.79	3.5	23.3
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	17.23	13.0	41.6	17.23	13.0	41.6	—	—	—
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm ...	10.10	5.6	38.5	10.31	5.8	39.7	7.79	5.9	28.4
Animal caretakers, except farm	11.46	7.0	39.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	17.57	4.4	40.3	17.62	4.5	40.6	—	—	—
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	10.46	6.7	39.1	10.54	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Helpers, construction trades	10.74	6.4	39.9	10.72	6.5	40.0	—	—	—
Construction laborers	9.94	2.4	37.7	9.79	1.8	40.0	—	—	—
Production helpers	11.31	7.0	39.6	11.36	6.8	39.8	—	—	—
Garbage collectors	11.34	5.7	39.6	11.36	5.7	40.2	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	9.15	3.4	30.4	10.63	3.1	39.8	6.85	1.5	22.2
Machine feeders and offbearers	9.97	2.2	39.6	9.98	2.3	39.8	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	10.30	3.9	34.8	10.55	3.7	40.0	9.31	9.1	23.0
Garage and service station related	9.17	15.0	40.1	9.17	15.0	40.1	—	—	—
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners	8.99	4.0	37.3	9.07	4.0	38.1	6.72	4.2	22.7
Hand packers and packagers	8.88	4.2	36.2	8.99	4.5	39.4	8.21	5.8	23.7
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	9.71	4.6	38.1	9.79	4.8	39.8	8.94	8.7	26.2
Service	9.56	1.4	32.5	10.36	1.7	39.1	6.79	1.7	20.6
Protective service	14.15	2.1	37.1	14.38	2.2	40.6	11.20	9.0	17.8

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 3. Selected occupations, South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Protective service—Continued									
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	\$23.44	6.7	48.8	\$23.44	6.7	48.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	23.98	5.1	40.4	23.98	5.1	40.4	—	—	—
Supervisors, guards	14.23	8.4	36.3	14.67	7.6	39.3	—	—	—
Fire inspection and fire prevention	15.79	10.8	47.3	15.79	10.8	47.3	—	—	—
Firefighting	14.60	3.9	47.7	14.62	3.9	47.9	—	—	—
Police and detectives, public service	19.14	1.5	40.2	19.15	1.5	40.3	—	—	—
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	15.16	2.6	39.9	15.15	2.6	40.3	—	—	—
Correctional institution officers	13.51	4.1	40.0	13.51	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Crossing guards	9.38	7.9	19.1	—	—	—	\$8.81	5.6	18.4
Guards and police, except public service	9.58	3.6	31.2	9.10	4.1	38.6	11.63	10.8	17.3
Protective service, n.e.c.	12.58	10.4	32.6	13.65	9.6	39.8	8.09	3.1	18.5
Food service	7.00	2.6	29.5	7.84	2.6	38.3	5.58	3.2	21.3
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.83	3.4	27.3	4.34	5.4	36.6	3.17	4.6	20.6
Bartenders	4.74	6.1	28.5	5.20	8.1	37.6	3.74	12.6	18.7
Waiters and waitresses	3.17	5.6	26.6	3.48	9.6	35.9	2.86	4.6	21.3
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	5.84	4.9	28.9	6.12	5.9	37.9	5.09	6.7	17.5
Other food service	8.20	1.8	30.5	8.98	1.8	38.9	6.74	2.5	21.7
Supervisors, food preparation and service	11.59	5.1	40.3	11.86	5.3	41.9	7.57	3.9	26.0
Cooks	8.80	3.1	33.9	9.14	3.0	38.6	7.20	6.4	21.4
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.42	5.2	30.3	7.81	6.8	38.5	6.91	4.7	23.6
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.47	2.0	28.1	8.02	2.2	38.2	6.83	4.2	21.4
Health service	9.70	2.4	35.0	9.75	2.5	39.2	9.33	4.3	19.2
Dental assistants	14.95	11.1	35.0	14.54	11.3	36.1	—	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	10.15	3.4	35.4	10.19	3.3	39.5	9.63	13.1	15.4
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.05	2.2	34.7	9.10	2.2	39.3	8.77	4.7	20.6
Cleaning and building service	9.01	2.2	34.5	9.33	2.2	39.4	7.46	2.6	21.5
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	14.18	10.4	39.7	14.22	10.5	40.0	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	7.99	3.3	37.3	8.03	3.7	38.7	7.29	4.7	22.5
Janitors and cleaners	8.95	2.1	32.9	9.42	2.0	39.7	7.47	3.0	21.5
Personal service	10.38	4.1	30.7	11.09	4.2	37.6	8.09	7.3	19.1
Supervisors, personal service	13.95	5.4	38.6	14.11	6.0	39.8	—	—	—
Hairdressers and cosmetologists	12.39	12.1	28.2	13.12	11.2	36.6	—	—	—
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	7.98	3.9	25.6	8.91	4.8	40.0	7.40	6.4	20.9
Guides	10.54	7.5	33.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ushers	8.90	2.4	31.3	—	—	—	8.23	10.2	22.0
Public transportation attendants	34.96	9.5	20.3	34.41	10.4	20.9	—	—	—
Baggage porters and bellhops	5.72	6.5	37.3	5.63	5.8	39.4	—	—	—
Welfare service aides	9.90	7.1	30.7	10.50	5.7	39.6	—	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	7.89	6.4	32.8	8.20	6.2	39.2	6.93	7.2	21.7
Child care workers, n.e.c.	8.21	3.1	30.9	8.64	3.6	39.9	6.89	3.7	18.3
Service, n.e.c.	10.26	12.5	33.8	10.56	13.5	39.4	8.14	5.7	16.9

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January

2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$15.38	2.4	36.1	\$16.28	2.5	39.8	\$8.62	1.8	21.2
All, excluding sales	15.69	2.4	36.5	16.40	2.6	39.8	9.14	2.1	20.9
White collar	19.13	3.3	36.6	20.21	3.3	40.0	10.38	2.8	21.5
White collar, excluding sales	20.97	3.2	37.7	21.42	3.4	39.9	14.43	5.3	20.7
Professional specialty and technical	25.79	2.6	36.7	26.18	2.9	39.6	20.70	5.9	18.5
Professional specialty	28.12	3.3	36.7	28.42	3.5	40.0	24.05	4.6	17.2
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	31.82	2.5	40.6	31.83	2.5	40.6	-	-	-
Architects	20.75	11.3	40.0	20.75	11.3	40.0	-	-	-
Chemical engineers	35.53	8.9	41.4	35.53	8.9	41.4	-	-	-
Civil engineers	29.33	8.3	41.0	29.33	8.3	41.0	-	-	-
Electrical and electronic engineers	36.85	3.0	40.4	36.85	3.0	40.4	-	-	-
Industrial engineers	28.37	4.2	40.5	28.37	4.2	40.5	-	-	-
Mechanical engineers	29.68	3.3	40.4	29.78	3.4	40.6	-	-	-
Engineers, n.e.c.	35.05	10.3	40.7	35.05	10.3	40.7	-	-	-
Mathematical and computer scientists	31.45	1.0	39.9	31.47	1.1	40.0	-	-	-
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.86	1.0	39.9	31.86	1.0	40.1	-	-	-
Statisticians	25.08	16.0	40.0	25.08	16.0	40.0	-	-	-
Natural scientists	25.43	5.8	40.8	25.46	5.8	41.1	-	-	-
Chemists, except biochemists	27.84	5.3	39.3	28.04	5.1	40.5	-	-	-
Biological and life scientists	21.87	8.7	39.6	21.87	8.7	39.6	-	-	-
Medical scientists	24.66	11.6	39.8	24.66	11.6	39.8	-	-	-
Health related	28.00	9.2	34.7	28.10	10.6	39.8	27.37	6.2	20.1
Physicians	60.39	6.8	42.5	60.37	6.8	42.8	-	-	-
Registered nurses	22.47	3.7	33.9	21.64	3.8	39.3	26.45	7.1	20.5
Pharmacists	36.43	1.4	32.4	36.66	1.5	40.0	35.04	6.6	15.0
Respiratory therapists	18.52	3.2	36.2	18.51	3.5	38.8	18.61	2.7	20.9
Occupational therapists	24.64	6.0	35.2	24.26	6.7	39.5	-	-	-
Physical therapists	29.94	3.8	27.0	25.84	4.6	39.5	32.35	1.9	22.8
Speech therapists	25.76	9.9	32.4	25.34	10.2	39.3	-	-	-
Therapists, n.e.c.	16.45	11.1	31.1	15.69	13.2	39.1	-	-	-
Teachers, college and university	38.52	7.6	36.1	39.29	7.9	39.2	24.70	15.7	15.0
Biological science teachers	41.81	15.9	37.1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Social science teachers, n.e.c.	36.66	2.6	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mathematical science teachers	36.95	15.3	38.3	37.19	15.2	38.4	-	-	-
Computer science teachers	31.77	11.9	33.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Medical science teachers	51.53	2.9	38.7	51.59	2.9	39.9	-	-	-
Health specialties teachers	33.44	18.1	38.4	33.44	18.1	38.4	-	-	-
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers ..	52.50	24.4	38.6	52.50	24.4	38.7	-	-	-
Art, drama, and music teachers	23.42	5.0	36.3	-	-	-	-	-	-
English teachers	29.40	13.9	30.3	31.31	16.5	37.3	-	-	-
Other post-secondary teachers	34.96	7.2	33.3	36.09	7.8	39.7	27.66	14.9	16.3
Teachers, except college and university	18.30	10.7	28.4	18.10	9.7	38.8	19.83	25.0	9.3
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	10.32	10.1	36.5	9.83	7.8	39.9	-	-	-
Elementary school teachers	21.13	11.8	35.5	20.93	10.6	37.4	-	-	-
Secondary school teachers	24.73	7.7	37.9	24.70	7.7	39.2	-	-	-
Teachers, special education	21.84	15.2	39.3	21.88	15.3	39.9	-	-	-
Teachers, n.e.c.	18.48	13.2	16.1	17.92	9.8	38.4	-	-	-
Vocational and educational counselors	18.28	6.2	35.6	17.92	5.1	39.6	-	-	-
Librarians, archivists, and curators	23.31	3.9	36.8	23.41	4.1	38.6	-	-	-
Librarians	23.33	4.0	37.3	23.36	4.0	38.5	-	-	-
Social scientists and urban planners	24.29	6.0	39.6	24.26	6.3	41.0	-	-	-
Economists	23.66	6.1	41.3	23.66	6.1	41.3	-	-	-
Psychologists	25.58	24.3	31.3	25.37	27.5	39.9	-	-	-
Social, recreation, and religious workers	15.18	3.3	36.7	15.31	3.4	39.8	13.36	11.4	17.2
Social workers	15.11	3.9	36.5	15.27	4.0	40.0	13.03	12.3	17.6
Clergy	14.53	14.1	36.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lawyers and judges	36.80	10.7	43.9	36.73	10.9	44.0	-	-	-
Lawyers	36.80	10.7	43.9	36.73	10.9	44.0	-	-	-
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	22.01	7.0	34.2	22.87	6.7	38.9	13.25	12.9	15.3
Technical writers	21.81	6.7	37.9	21.52	6.3	40.0	-	-	-
Designers	16.74	10.7	33.8	17.59	10.3	39.6	-	-	-
Actors and directors	19.87	20.0	28.3	23.32	19.5	41.5	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Professional specialty and technical —Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.—Continued									
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers									
	\$20.13	12.1	39.3	\$20.28	12.3	39.6	—	—	—
	17.78	19.4	39.6	17.75	19.4	39.8	—	—	—
	25.16	5.8	39.6	25.16	5.8	39.6	—	—	—
	27.87	12.7	39.1	27.95	12.7	39.3	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$16.97	15.7	11.2
	19.91	3.1	36.5	20.46	3.3	38.7	13.46	9.0	22.0
Technical									
	15.85	7.6	36.1	15.75	7.5	36.7	21.22	15.6	20.3
	26.07	14.9	25.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
	11.84	11.0	39.9	11.84	11.0	39.9	—	—	—
	20.28	5.1	38.2	20.23	5.2	39.9	21.91	5.6	16.1
	15.13	2.5	34.9	14.92	2.5	39.2	16.41	6.8	20.8
	15.07	3.5	36.6	15.44	3.6	40.2	11.51	6.4	19.5
	21.45	1.3	39.7	21.48	1.4	39.9	—	—	—
	18.69	7.5	40.3	18.69	7.5	40.3	—	—	—
	19.11	8.4	35.6	20.67	8.1	39.9	—	—	—
	16.68	6.5	40.5	16.66	6.7	41.4	—	—	—
	17.65	8.5	40.0	17.65	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
	17.95	14.2	39.8	17.95	14.2	39.8	—	—	—
	129.78	16.6	21.7	129.78	16.6	21.7	—	—	—
	9.73	20.6	32.6	14.41	13.3	40.0	—	—	—
	28.59	11.9	38.4	28.59	12.0	39.9	—	—	—
	16.67	5.1	33.8	17.11	4.1	38.8	—	—	—
	15.15	11.9	36.7	17.03	6.0	39.8	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
	30.35	6.9	40.7	30.40	6.9	40.9	23.38	22.2	22.0
Executives, administrators, and managers									
	33.06	8.4	41.2	33.13	8.4	41.3	16.46	26.5	24.3
	27.70	6.6	40.3	27.70	6.6	40.3	—	—	—
	34.60	9.7	40.5	34.60	9.7	40.5	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations									
	38.69	7.7	40.7	38.69	7.7	40.7	—	—	—
	34.13	10.0	40.8	34.49	10.4	41.3	—	—	—
	32.88	13.1	40.7	32.90	13.3	40.9	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments									
	18.77	5.2	41.1	19.01	5.7	42.3	—	—	—
	19.14	15.9	41.0	19.14	15.9	41.0	—	—	—
	33.92	10.9	40.3	34.13	11.0	40.9	—	—	—
	35.76	12.4	41.7	35.82	12.4	41.7	—	—	—
	24.74	4.2	39.6	24.70	4.4	40.1	27.70	16.5	20.8
Management related									
	23.20	4.4	39.3	22.81	4.0	40.1	—	—	—
	17.69	11.0	39.0	17.69	11.0	39.0	—	—	—
	26.72	10.1	39.7	26.67	10.3	40.4	—	—	—
	32.58	7.0	40.3	32.58	7.0	40.3	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists									
	28.58	7.1	39.3	28.64	7.1	39.7	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products									
	31.68	43.4	33.9	33.93	40.6	40.5	—	—	—
	22.40	8.6	39.9	22.40	8.6	39.9	—	—	—
	21.89	12.8	40.0	21.89	12.8	40.0	—	—	—
	20.82	4.4	39.8	20.86	4.4	40.1	—	—	—
Sales									
	13.00	4.0	33.2	15.11	4.1	40.4	7.14	2.0	22.1
	18.55	9.8	41.0	18.64	9.7	41.4	—	—	—
	14.09	10.7	40.0	14.22	10.4	40.1	—	—	—
	13.15	24.5	40.9	13.15	24.5	40.9	—	—	—
	21.01	15.9	39.9	21.01	15.9	39.9	—	—	—
	20.86	12.4	38.3	21.31	12.7	39.6	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Sales —Continued									
Sales, other business services	\$20.10	7.8	39.1	\$20.59	7.3	40.8	—	—	—
Sales engineers	62.92	37.1	43.0	62.92	37.1	43.0	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	25.32	10.3	39.3	25.40	10.1	40.2	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	19.66	10.0	44.7	19.66	10.0	44.7	—	—	—
Sales workers, apparel	9.57	11.1	28.0	11.09	15.7	38.3	\$7.75	4.6	21.2
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings ..	13.83	6.8	35.5	14.47	5.7	39.1	—	—	—
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances ...	9.55	16.0	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies ..	14.06	11.8	38.2	14.59	12.7	40.3	9.79	4.1	27.1
Sales workers, parts	13.85	11.4	38.0	14.52	11.0	41.7	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	10.15	4.5	31.5	11.13	4.6	39.5	7.42	3.2	20.3
Sales counter clerks	7.67	9.7	31.7	8.82	9.4	39.4	6.04	4.8	24.9
Cashiers	7.33	1.9	28.3	7.99	2.0	39.3	6.80	2.6	23.1
Street and door-to-door sales workers	9.30	37.2	32.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales ..	13.42	16.7	33.3	15.36	20.3	41.4	8.18	6.0	21.8
Sales support, n.e.c.	16.03	8.3	34.7	16.89	8.8	39.4	8.91	4.0	17.5
Administrative support, including clerical	12.58	1.8	37.2	12.82	1.8	39.6	10.00	3.6	22.4
Supervisors, general office	17.32	4.2	40.3	17.32	4.2	40.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, computer equipment operators	17.92	24.9	40.4	17.92	24.9	40.4	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	19.43	4.0	39.8	19.43	4.0	39.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	22.48	8.9	40.6	22.48	8.9	40.6	—	—	—
Computer operators	15.57	3.7	40.0	15.57	3.7	40.0	—	—	—
Peripheral equipment operators	13.77	15.4	40.0	13.77	15.4	40.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	14.52	2.0	38.7	14.47	2.3	39.5	16.21	17.9	23.2
Stenographers	11.72	7.3	32.2	12.59	6.6	38.6	—	—	—
Typists	14.11	5.4	38.0	14.27	5.7	38.3	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.94	4.8	37.7	12.05	5.0	39.9	10.13	2.9	19.8
Hotel clerks	8.99	4.9	37.4	9.13	5.0	39.9	7.76	4.7	24.3
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	14.81	6.7	34.9	14.78	6.3	39.9	14.98	12.1	21.2
Receptionists	9.82	2.5	33.6	10.26	2.8	39.6	7.78	6.7	19.7
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.59	5.1	37.6	11.79	5.6	40.0	9.63	8.2	23.5
Correspondence clerks	12.52	1.1	39.7	12.58	1.1	40.0	—	—	—
Order clerks	13.31	3.5	38.4	13.54	3.3	39.8	9.18	8.0	23.2
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	12.65	4.2	38.5	12.80	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Library clerks	12.37	5.6	32.8	12.85	6.7	39.5	—	—	—
File clerks	9.04	2.2	35.9	9.23	3.1	39.9	7.86	8.1	22.0
Records clerks, n.e.c.	12.30	4.1	37.8	12.31	3.9	39.5	12.08	18.1	20.1
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	12.35	3.9	34.6	13.05	4.5	39.4	9.99	3.2	24.4
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.47	6.1	37.8	14.77	5.8	39.4	—	—	—
Billing clerks	10.55	4.2	39.8	10.55	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators	10.99	2.7	36.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telephone operators	12.01	7.7	34.3	12.49	8.1	38.9	—	—	—
Mail clerks, except postal service	11.16	6.4	34.9	11.62	6.7	38.7	8.62	7.4	22.7
Messengers	9.44	7.1	30.6	10.79	6.0	39.6	7.28	4.9	22.5
Dispatchers	14.17	10.5	42.0	14.17	10.5	42.0	—	—	—
Production coordinators	15.12	9.3	39.8	15.14	9.3	40.0	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	11.58	4.8	39.1	11.59	4.8	39.4	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	11.94	1.4	38.9	12.02	1.5	40.0	8.61	3.5	18.4
Meter readers	13.58	9.2	40.0	13.58	9.2	40.0	—	—	—
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers ..	14.32	8.5	40.0	14.32	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Expeditors	13.22	7.1	37.7	13.81	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Material recording, scheduling, and distribution clerks, n.e.c.	10.39	7.0	38.9	10.42	7.1	39.1	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	16.84	8.8	39.2	16.89	8.8	39.6	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	13.68	5.9	39.2	13.53	6.1	40.0	16.44	5.5	29.5
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	11.28	4.9	40.0	11.28	4.9	40.0	—	—	—

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TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Bill and account collectors	\$12.88	3.3	36.8	\$12.90	3.5	39.8	—	—	—
General office clerks	11.83	2.1	36.9	12.09	2.2	39.3	\$9.35	4.1	23.3
Bank tellers	10.08	.9	35.3	10.17	1.4	39.1	9.60	5.1	23.1
Proofreaders	13.84	4.2	37.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	11.47	2.5	30.6	11.63	2.8	39.5	10.75	9.2	15.2
Statistical clerks	13.94	7.0	39.6	13.94	7.1	39.9	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	9.19	10.8	32.0	8.91	1.2	38.7	9.74	28.5	23.8
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.99	4.0	38.1	13.19	4.0	39.8	9.04	13.9	20.8
Blue collar	13.27	2.1	38.4	13.55	2.1	40.0	8.20	2.9	22.3
Precision production, craft, and repair									
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	23.97	9.4	41.0	23.97	9.4	41.0	—	—	—
Automobile mechanics	17.57	5.0	40.7	17.61	5.1	40.9	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	15.88	2.3	39.8	15.88	2.1	40.1	—	—	—
Aircraft engine mechanics	25.49	6.1	40.0	25.49	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Automobile body and related repairers	18.57	22.0	40.0	18.79	22.6	40.5	—	—	—
Heavy equipment mechanics	15.09	3.2	38.5	15.02	3.1	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	18.93	4.8	39.8	18.93	4.8	39.8	—	—	—
Machinery maintenance	17.03	7.9	39.9	17.03	7.9	39.9	—	—	—
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	17.74	9.7	33.1	18.70	6.7	39.9	—	—	—
Household appliance and power tool repairers	12.06	7.2	40.0	12.06	7.2	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	23.28	1.6	40.0	23.28	1.6	40.0	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	15.41	5.9	39.9	15.41	5.9	39.9	—	—	—
Mechanical controls and valve repairers	17.29	9.4	40.0	17.29	9.4	40.0	—	—	—
Millwrights	19.21	14.2	40.0	19.21	14.2	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	16.37	3.6	38.2	16.36	3.7	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers	24.82	9.1	37.3	25.67	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	23.51	7.9	40.0	23.51	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	21.11	4.2	41.1	21.11	4.2	41.1	—	—	—
Carpenters	15.48	3.9	40.0	15.48	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Drywall installers	14.65	3.3	40.0	14.65	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
Electricians	16.38	10.2	39.7	16.37	10.2	40.0	—	—	—
Electrician apprentices	15.46	13.8	40.0	15.46	13.8	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	19.47	5.2	40.0	19.47	5.2	40.0	—	—	—
Painters, construction and maintenance	11.80	5.4	40.0	11.80	5.4	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	17.31	4.2	40.0	17.31	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices	11.50	4.7	40.0	11.50	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Insulation workers	13.70	8.7	40.0	13.70	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	11.40	4.1	40.0	11.40	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Sheetmetal duct installers	14.93	6.7	40.0	14.93	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.94	6.3	40.2	13.94	6.3	40.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, production	18.84	5.6	40.8	18.84	5.6	40.8	—	—	—
Tool and die makers	18.92	5.1	40.0	18.92	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Precision assemblers, metal	18.81	6.3	40.0	18.81	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Machinists	18.16	5.0	39.8	18.16	5.0	39.8	—	—	—
Sheet metal workers	12.89	3.9	40.0	12.89	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Furniture and wood finishers	11.95	3.5	40.0	11.95	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
Upholsterers	16.57	19.1	40.0	16.57	19.1	40.0	—	—	—
Optical goods workers	10.76	17.4	39.1	10.76	17.4	39.1	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	11.93	5.8	39.4	11.99	5.9	39.9	—	—	—
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c.	16.12	4.4	39.9	16.12	4.4	39.9	—	—	—
Butchers and meat cutters	9.98	8.4	39.5	9.92	8.4	40.0	—	—	—
Bakers	9.65	5.9	32.0	10.35	3.5	39.6	—	—	—
Food batchmakers	12.57	10.7	42.1	12.57	10.7	42.1	—	—	—
Inspectors, testers, and graders	16.31	9.0	39.8	16.31	9.0	39.8	—	—	—

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TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair—Continued									
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c.	\$22.42	6.8	40.0	\$22.42	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	15.86	20.2	40.0	15.86	20.2	40.0	—	—	—
Power plant operators	25.19	10.2	40.0	25.19	10.2	40.0	—	—	—
Stationary engineers	19.47	6.2	40.0	19.47	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c.	17.99	12.2	39.3	17.99	12.2	39.3	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	12.28	2.8	39.6	12.31	2.8	39.8	\$8.50	6.7	24.3
Lathe and turning machine operators	11.16	8.9	40.0	11.16	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.82	10.1	40.0	11.82	10.1	40.0	—	—	—
Drilling and boring machine operators	11.24	7.4	40.0	11.24	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators	10.46	5.6	40.0	10.46	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.07	8.6	39.9	13.07	8.6	39.9	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	13.13	3.8	38.9	13.13	3.8	38.9	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	13.30	16.1	39.9	13.30	16.1	39.9	—	—	—
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators	12.10	2.9	40.0	12.10	2.9	40.0	—	—	—
Sawing machine operators	12.15	4.1	39.1	12.22	3.5	39.7	—	—	—
Shaping and jointing machine operators	11.74	2.2	39.9	11.74	2.2	39.9	—	—	—
Printing press operators	17.35	4.0	39.2	17.36	4.0	39.5	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	14.84	8.7	39.9	14.84	8.7	39.9	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	14.23	11.1	39.4	14.08	12.4	40.0	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	13.32	10.4	39.8	13.32	10.4	39.8	—	—	—
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators	11.56	5.5	40.0	11.56	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
Textile cutting machine operators	10.35	7.5	39.9	10.35	7.5	39.9	—	—	—
Textile sewing machine operators	9.85	11.6	39.3	9.88	11.7	40.0	—	—	—
Pressing machine operators	8.54	6.4	38.5	8.54	6.4	38.5	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	7.99	5.6	38.8	8.02	5.9	39.3	—	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.08	7.4	39.5	12.06	7.4	39.7	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	14.21	3.2	39.0	14.21	3.2	39.0	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	13.71	6.7	39.7	13.71	6.7	39.7	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	17.49	4.2	39.7	17.49	4.2	39.7	—	—	—
Compressing and compacting machine operators	11.04	8.8	39.9	11.04	8.8	39.9	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	17.27	19.4	40.3	17.27	19.4	40.3	—	—	—
Folding machine operators	11.00	3.1	39.9	11.00	3.1	39.9	—	—	—
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food	16.44	12.0	39.9	16.44	12.0	39.9	—	—	—
Crushing and grinding machine operators	13.94	13.2	39.8	13.94	13.2	39.8	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	13.01	5.2	39.5	13.07	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Photographic process machine operators	9.28	12.3	30.0	10.48	17.7	39.5	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	13.63	5.8	39.4	13.66	5.9	39.5	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	14.49	3.8	39.9	14.49	3.8	39.9	—	—	—
Assemblers	11.35	5.4	39.8	11.38	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
Hand cutting and trimming	13.50	6.2	40.0	13.50	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	12.26	6.2	40.0	12.26	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	10.65	5.3	39.3	10.70	5.6	39.9	—	—	—
Production testers	12.58	18.3	39.9	12.58	18.3	39.9	—	—	—
Graders and sorters, except agricultural	8.70	13.1	39.6	8.70	13.3	39.9	—	—	—
Hand inspectors, n.e.c.	9.53	9.2	39.9	9.53	9.2	39.9	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	13.12	4.9	38.2	13.43	5.1	40.7	8.69	10.5	20.0
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	17.71	9.3	42.2	17.71	9.3	42.2	—	—	—
Truck drivers	13.89	6.8	39.8	13.99	7.2	41.5	11.62	12.5	20.9
Driver-sales workers	11.64	5.6	37.1	12.34	3.8	40.4	5.56	3.9	21.8
Bus drivers	11.83	8.9	30.2	11.42	10.1	38.7	14.10	8.8	13.6
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs	6.85	6.9	34.2	6.68	7.7	40.1	7.52	6.5	21.3
Parking lot attendants	6.80	6.0	30.3	6.69	9.1	40.0	6.95	4.5	22.9

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Transportation and material moving—Continued									
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	—	—	—	\$13.17	12.1	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	\$16.18	16.9	40.0	16.18	16.9	40.0	—	—	—
Operating engineers	17.62	7.5	40.0	17.62	7.5	40.0	—	—	—
Crane and tower operators	15.48	7.8	40.0	15.48	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators	13.73	8.8	40.0	13.73	8.8	40.0	—	—	—
Grader, dozer, and scrapper operators	12.26	6.0	40.0	12.26	6.0	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	12.37	5.3	39.5	12.43	5.1	39.9	—	—	—
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	15.21	12.4	39.7	15.22	12.3	39.9	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers									
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	17.02	15.0	41.8	17.02	15.0	41.8	—	—	—
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm ...	10.07	7.0	38.5	10.35	7.1	39.7	7.39	5.0	29.9
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	18.20	4.6	40.4	18.27	4.8	40.7	—	—	—
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	10.44	6.9	39.1	10.53	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
Helpers, construction trades	10.67	6.8	39.9	10.64	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
Construction laborers	9.94	2.9	37.5	9.76	2.3	40.0	—	—	—
Production helpers	11.31	7.0	39.6	11.36	6.8	39.8	—	—	—
Garbage collectors	10.88	8.5	39.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	9.15	3.4	30.3	10.64	3.1	39.8	6.85	1.5	22.2
Machine feeders and offbearers	9.97	2.2	39.6	9.98	2.3	39.8	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	10.29	3.9	34.7	10.54	3.7	40.0	9.31	9.1	23.0
Garage and service station related	9.13	15.6	40.1	9.13	15.6	40.1	—	—	—
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners	8.99	4.0	37.4	9.06	4.0	38.1	6.79	4.5	23.3
Hand packers and packagers	8.88	4.2	36.2	8.99	4.5	39.4	8.21	5.8	23.7
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	9.75	4.8	38.0	9.83	5.0	39.8	8.94	8.9	26.4
Service									
Protective service	9.77	3.7	31.1	9.39	4.0	38.7	11.34	9.9	17.3
Supervisors, guards	13.67	7.7	38.6	13.67	7.9	38.9	—	—	—
Guards and police, except public service	9.46	3.8	31.0	8.92	4.2	38.6	11.64	10.9	17.3
Protective service, n.e.c.	8.44	7.5	24.6	9.17	11.2	36.5	7.45	2.7	17.1
Food service	6.84	2.8	29.4	7.69	2.7	38.5	5.45	3.7	21.2
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.83	3.4	27.3	4.34	5.4	36.6	3.17	4.6	20.6
Bartenders	4.74	6.1	28.5	5.20	8.1	37.6	3.74	12.6	18.7
Waiters and waitresses	3.17	5.6	26.6	3.48	9.6	35.9	2.86	4.6	21.3
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	5.84	4.9	28.9	6.12	5.9	37.9	5.09	6.7	17.5
Other food service	8.10	2.1	30.4	8.90	2.0	39.2	6.63	3.0	21.6
Supervisors, food preparation and service	11.52	5.7	40.5	11.83	6.0	42.4	7.57	3.9	26.0
Cooks	8.82	3.2	33.9	9.18	3.1	38.8	7.04	6.3	20.9
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.25	5.3	30.2	7.66	7.2	38.6	6.70	4.2	23.2
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.26	2.5	27.8	7.77	2.1	38.8	6.72	4.6	21.4
Health service	9.66	2.7	34.7	9.72	2.9	39.1	9.25	4.7	19.1
Dental assistants	14.64	10.0	35.7	14.54	11.3	36.1	—	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	10.17	3.6	35.1	10.21	3.5	39.5	9.71	14.0	14.9
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	8.91	2.3	34.5	8.94	2.5	39.2	8.78	5.1	20.7
Cleaning and building service	8.72	1.9	33.4	9.06	1.8	39.3	7.43	2.8	21.6
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	12.32	5.9	39.7	12.35	6.0	40.1	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	8.02	3.6	37.1	8.06	3.9	38.6	7.29	4.7	22.5
Janitors and cleaners	8.73	2.7	31.0	9.37	3.2	39.7	7.45	3.3	21.6
Personal service	10.33	4.7	30.3	11.05	4.8	37.5	8.02	8.1	18.7
Supervisors, personal service	13.46	4.6	39.3	13.54	4.9	40.1	—	—	—
Hairdressers and cosmetologists	12.39	12.1	28.2	13.12	11.2	36.6	—	—	—
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	7.49	5.1	23.8	8.37	3.1	40.0	6.75	3.0	17.7
Ushers	8.91	2.4	31.4	—	—	—	8.24	10.2	22.1
Public transportation attendants	—	—	—	39.44	4.6	18.9	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 4. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, private industry: Mean hourly earnings¹ for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Personal service —Continued									
Baggage porters and bellhops	\$5.72	6.5	37.3	\$5.63	5.8	39.4	—	—	—
Welfare service aides	9.50	10.4	28.9	10.14	10.8	39.4	—	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	6.92	4.9	31.7	7.07	5.3	39.9	\$6.59	4.4	22.0
Child care workers, n.e.c.	8.21	3.0	31.2	8.63	3.7	40.0	6.90	3.8	18.4
Service, n.e.c.	10.30	13.9	34.0	10.58	14.7	39.3	7.89	6.1	16.1

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January

2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$18.84	1.2	38.0	\$19.10	1.2	39.5	\$12.08	3.0	19.5
All, excluding sales	18.87	1.2	38.0	19.13	1.2	39.5	12.11	3.1	19.5
White collar	21.52	1.8	38.1	21.68	1.9	39.2	15.25	4.5	17.8
White collar, excluding sales	21.58	1.8	38.1	21.74	1.9	39.2	15.40	4.6	17.7
Professional specialty and technical	25.45	1.4	37.5	25.69	1.4	39.1	18.08	6.6	16.5
Professional specialty	26.73	1.6	37.6	26.87	1.5	39.0	20.64	7.8	15.2
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	27.31	4.0	39.1	27.53	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Civil engineers	27.84	6.5	39.9	27.84	6.5	39.9	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	28.91	10.0	39.5	28.91	10.0	39.5	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	26.12	8.6	39.1	25.95	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	26.17	8.6	39.1	26.00	9.6	40.0	—	—	—
Natural scientists	20.81	11.8	40.0	20.81	11.8	40.0	—	—	—
Health related	23.35	3.7	37.6	23.14	3.7	40.0	25.66	7.8	22.8
Physicians	25.49	32.6	43.2	23.59	33.9	48.1	—	—	—
Registered nurses	22.16	2.4	36.6	22.14	2.5	39.1	22.25	6.4	23.8
Dietitians	18.77	3.2	40.0	18.77	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
Speech therapists	31.80	5.4	35.0	32.08	6.5	37.7	—	—	—
Therapists, n.e.c.	19.31	6.6	38.4	19.27	6.7	40.0	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	37.38	4.4	41.7	37.41	4.5	43.5	34.61	4.9	9.4
Biological science teachers	40.82	18.5	43.2	40.57	18.8	44.7	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	25.26	11.1	34.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
English teachers	30.72	2.3	31.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	37.94	7.1	38.6	38.15	7.2	40.0	22.80	11.6	11.6
Teachers, except college and university	27.11	1.6	36.3	27.34	1.6	37.8	14.15	16.6	11.3
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	26.21	2.5	37.4	26.01	3.0	38.0	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	26.98	1.9	37.2	27.05	1.7	37.5	—	—	—
Secondary school teachers	27.83	2.3	37.8	27.82	2.2	38.0	—	—	—
Teachers, special education	28.45	2.8	37.5	28.45	2.8	37.5	—	—	—
Teachers, n.e.c.	25.93	5.4	33.8	26.51	6.4	38.7	15.13	14.6	10.1
Substitute teachers	7.34	7.8	10.9	—	—	—	7.31	9.1	9.8
Vocational and educational counselors	29.49	5.3	37.6	29.57	5.3	37.9	—	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	22.38	5.0	38.1	22.57	5.1	39.2	15.83	5.3	19.2
Librarians	22.38	5.0	38.1	22.57	5.1	39.2	15.83	5.3	19.2
Social scientists and urban planners	22.86	12.5	39.2	22.86	12.5	39.2	—	—	—
Psychologists	27.49	7.9	38.1	27.49	7.9	38.1	—	—	—
Urban planners	22.24	9.9	39.9	22.24	9.9	39.9	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	16.60	2.9	39.7	16.61	2.7	39.9	15.45	25.7	25.2
Social workers	16.65	3.0	39.8	16.63	2.9	39.9	—	—	—
Recreation workers	15.51	8.7	37.0	16.11	9.7	40.0	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	34.30	8.5	36.8	35.19	7.8	39.8	—	—	—
Lawyers	26.72	14.0	39.4	26.79	14.1	39.8	—	—	—
Judges	45.92	15.7	33.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	21.05	8.8	39.9	21.05	8.8	39.9	—	—	—
Public relations specialists	22.37	21.8	39.7	22.37	21.8	39.7	—	—	—
Technical	15.64	3.7	36.6	15.91	3.8	39.8	12.98	3.8	20.2
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	18.61	5.1	38.3	18.60	5.5	39.4	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	20.15	5.8	28.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	13.46	4.7	35.4	13.55	5.0	39.6	—	—	—
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	13.29	5.4	35.5	13.54	6.1	40.3	11.71	5.8	20.5
Electrical and electronic technicians	16.46	3.0	39.8	16.46	3.0	39.8	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	16.64	10.5	39.1	16.64	10.5	39.1	—	—	—
Drafters	14.92	8.3	39.2	14.92	8.3	39.2	—	—	—
Computer programmers	23.23	6.4	40.0	23.23	6.4	40.0	—	—	—
Legal assistants	17.19	5.5	39.7	17.19	5.5	39.7	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	15.29	10.2	35.3	15.92	11.3	39.6	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	26.72	6.3	39.6	26.82	6.5	39.9	10.79	48.5	19.0
Executives, administrators, and managers	32.13	4.8	39.4	32.36	5.1	39.9	10.58	49.5	19.1
Legislators	5.65	38.0	19.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration	43.26	7.1	38.1	45.30	5.1	40.2	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued									
Executives, administrators, and managers —Continued									
Administrators and officials, public administration	\$28.31	3.9	39.6	\$28.32	4.0	39.8	—	—	—
Financial managers	38.00	10.3	40.1	38.00	10.3	40.1	—	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	42.05	7.9	40.0	42.05	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	35.90	6.1	39.6	35.92	6.1	39.7	—	—	—
Managers, medicine and health	21.34	9.2	40.2	21.34	9.2	40.2	—	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	24.84	16.0	39.2	24.84	16.0	39.2	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	35.36	11.8	41.1	35.36	11.8	41.1	—	—	—
Management related	19.17	4.2	39.8	19.17	4.2	39.9	—	—	—
Accountants and auditors	18.56	4.2	39.7	18.56	4.2	39.7	—	—	—
Other financial officers	26.76	15.1	39.6	26.79	15.1	40.0	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	17.93	9.9	40.0	17.93	9.9	40.0	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	15.27	4.8	40.0	15.27	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	18.93	5.2	39.6	18.93	5.2	39.6	—	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	17.65	3.9	40.0	17.65	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Management related, n.e.c.	22.83	6.2	39.8	22.83	6.2	39.8	—	—	—
Sales	12.04	14.2	34.6	12.33	14.8	36.4	\$8.82	6.1	22.4
Cashiers	9.41	4.0	33.2	9.49	4.6	35.5	8.82	6.1	22.4
Administrative support, including clerical	12.21	1.2	38.3	12.27	1.2	39.1	9.93	6.3	21.0
Supervisors, general office	17.00	2.1	39.7	17.01	2.1	39.9	—	—	—
Computer operators	13.34	3.3	40.0	13.34	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	13.21	3.3	38.7	13.27	3.4	39.3	8.94	5.5	19.5
Stenographers	12.59	7.8	40.0	12.59	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Typists	13.72	10.5	39.7	13.72	10.5	39.7	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.66	14.7	40.0	11.66	14.7	40.0	—	—	—
Receptionists	9.35	3.8	38.5	9.38	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.35	7.8	39.4	11.38	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	14.05	6.5	39.8	14.05	6.5	39.8	—	—	—
Library clerks	10.36	4.3	32.2	11.00	4.1	38.5	8.33	4.4	21.3
File clerks	10.23	10.5	39.0	10.23	10.5	39.0	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	12.50	3.0	35.1	12.62	3.3	39.5	12.00	13.0	24.2
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ..	13.41	2.3	38.6	13.47	2.2	39.3	—	—	—
Telephone operators	10.01	11.5	39.4	10.03	11.7	40.0	—	—	—
Dispatchers	13.93	4.2	39.8	13.95	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	12.16	3.9	40.0	12.16	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Meter readers	11.84	5.6	39.6	11.80	5.8	39.8	—	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	14.62	5.2	39.6	14.81	3.8	39.8	—	—	—
General office clerks	11.73	2.6	39.3	11.74	2.6	39.6	10.60	16.8	20.1
Data entry keyers	10.72	7.2	38.9	10.73	7.2	39.4	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	9.87	1.8	36.0	9.83	1.9	36.8	12.15	10.0	16.3
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.40	3.5	38.9	12.51	3.5	39.6	9.00	22.6	25.0
Blue collar	13.91	2.2	37.0	14.06	2.3	39.3	11.32	7.4	18.4
Precision production, craft, and repair	15.33	2.9	39.9	15.33	2.9	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	22.17	7.8	39.9	22.17	7.8	39.9	—	—	—
Automobile mechanics	14.62	4.4	39.7	14.62	4.4	39.7	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	17.65	5.0	39.4	17.65	5.0	39.4	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.53	2.5	39.8	16.53	2.5	39.8	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	15.14	9.5	40.0	15.14	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	13.99	5.9	40.0	13.99	5.9	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	16.38	3.8	40.0	16.38	3.8	40.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002—Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair—Continued									
Carpenters	\$14.98	12.4	40.0	\$14.98	12.4	40.0	—	—	—
Electricians	16.54	4.5	39.7	16.54	4.5	39.7	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	20.40	11.6	40.0	20.40	11.6	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	16.26	6.6	40.0	16.26	6.6	40.0	—	—	—
Construction trades, n.e.c.	12.25	3.9	39.9	12.25	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	15.33	5.4	39.9	15.33	5.4	39.9	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	17.83	21.6	38.3	17.99	22.2	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	13.39	1.7	32.1	13.75	2.2	37.6	\$11.50	7.7	18.1
Truck drivers	12.37	4.2	39.6	12.44	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Bus drivers	13.50	3.0	25.1	14.67	2.2	33.2	11.61	7.9	18.0
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	12.87	13.0	40.0	12.87	13.0	40.0	—	—	—
Operating engineers	13.76	3.0	40.0	13.76	3.0	40.0	—	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators	12.97	6.8	39.9	12.97	6.8	39.9	—	—	—
Grader, dozer, and scrapper operators	13.06	4.5	39.6	13.06	4.5	39.6	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	10.72	8.3	40.0	10.72	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	13.64	15.4	38.4	13.73	15.4	40.0	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	11.00	3.8	39.1	11.05	3.9	40.0	9.09	9.3	21.2
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	18.94	13.8	40.0	18.94	13.8	40.0	—	—	—
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm ...	10.17	4.2	38.4	10.17	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	15.33	6.6	40.0	15.33	6.6	40.0	—	—	—
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	10.97	7.3	40.0	10.97	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
Helpers, construction trades	13.62	5.4	40.0	13.62	5.4	40.0	—	—	—
Construction laborers	9.97	7.6	39.9	9.98	7.7	40.0	—	—	—
Garbage collectors	11.46	6.8	39.6	11.49	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	9.22	5.0	39.0	9.24	5.1	40.0	8.75	7.7	19.4
Service	13.62	1.9	38.4	13.94	2.2	40.3	8.86	4.6	22.4
Protective service	16.20	4.4	40.8	16.29	4.6	41.3	10.34	7.1	21.3
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	23.44	6.7	48.8	23.44	6.7	48.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, police and detectives	23.98	5.1	40.4	23.98	5.1	40.4	—	—	—
Supervisors, guards	15.17	13.4	33.1	17.27	6.7	40.4	—	—	—
Fire inspection and fire prevention	15.79	10.8	47.3	15.79	10.8	47.3	—	—	—
Firefighting	14.37	4.3	47.7	14.39	4.4	47.9	—	—	—
Police and detectives, public service	19.18	1.5	40.2	19.19	1.5	40.3	—	—	—
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	15.16	2.6	40.0	15.15	2.6	40.3	—	—	—
Correctional institution officers	13.51	4.1	40.0	13.51	4.1	40.0	—	—	—
Crossing guards	9.38	7.9	19.1	—	—	—	8.81	5.6	18.4
Guards and police, except public service	12.94	3.7	39.3	13.01	3.7	39.9	—	—	—
Protective service, n.e.c.	14.78	10.9	39.4	15.12	11.7	40.9	10.21	6.6	25.9
Food service	9.36	2.4	31.9	9.71	3.8	36.4	8.37	6.3	23.7
Other food service	9.36	2.4	31.9	9.71	3.8	36.4	8.37	6.3	23.7
Supervisors, food preparation and service	12.07	8.2	38.7	12.07	8.2	38.7	—	—	—
Cooks	8.53	5.8	33.6	8.43	6.2	35.5	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	8.88	4.4	31.1	9.25	2.7	37.3	8.50	9.1	26.5
Food preparation, n.e.c.	8.99	4.4	30.3	9.21	5.9	35.5	8.30	2.7	20.9
Health service	10.01	5.3	36.7	10.00	5.5	39.8	10.13	15.5	20.5
Health aides, except nursing	9.96	7.4	38.9	10.04	8.4	39.6	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.86	5.5	36.3	9.98	5.6	39.9	8.68	5.4	19.4
Cleaning and building service	10.02	5.1	38.6	10.08	5.2	39.7	8.02	6.2	19.8
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	20.26	21.4	39.8	20.26	21.4	39.8	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	7.47	5.4	40.0	7.47	5.4	40.0	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	9.46	2.1	38.4	9.51	2.1	39.7	8.02	6.2	19.8

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 5. Selected occupations, South Atlantic, State and local government: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours for full-time and part-time workers,² National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002–Continued

Occupation ⁴	Total			Full time			Part time		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service –Continued									
Personal service	\$10.71	3.7	33.3	\$11.33	4.9	38.4	\$8.55	4.3	22.7
Supervisors, personal service	15.27	11.7	36.5	15.76	11.4	38.9	–	–	–
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	8.72	6.1	28.8	–	–	–	8.12	7.0	26.1
Welfare service aides	11.13	11.9	37.9	11.33	12.4	40.0	–	–	–
Early childhood teachers' assistants	10.53	3.8	36.1	10.39	3.6	37.9	–	–	–
Child care workers, n.e.c.	8.10	14.0	21.2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Service, n.e.c.	9.96	6.2	31.7	10.30	7.9	39.7	–	–	–

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Total includes full-time and part-time workers. Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January

2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

⁴ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

⁵ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
All	\$15.97	1.9	36.4	\$15.38	2.4	36.1	\$18.84	1.2	38.0
All, excluding sales	16.29	1.9	36.8	15.69	2.4	36.5	18.87	1.2	38.0
White collar	19.64	2.5	36.9	19.13	3.3	36.6	21.52	1.8	38.1
1	7.09	3.1	26.9	7.04	3.2	26.7	8.32	2.5	32.4
2	8.82	2.0	32.1	8.74	2.1	31.8	9.76	3.7	35.9
3	9.89	1.3	35.0	9.83	1.5	34.6	10.22	1.7	37.6
4	12.60	1.0	37.8	12.72	1.3	37.7	11.92	2.1	38.0
5	15.10	1.3	37.7	15.35	1.5	38.3	13.82	2.1	35.3
6	16.73	2.8	38.0	17.27	3.6	38.0	15.19	3.8	37.8
7	20.90	3.3	39.1	20.84	2.8	39.1	21.05	4.7	39.0
8	22.79	1.6	38.6	22.03	1.9	39.0	24.28	2.6	37.7
9	27.00	2.4	38.2	27.46	3.5	38.3	26.23	2.4	38.0
10	30.76	3.6	39.5	31.84	2.5	39.9	27.66	11.2	38.5
11	36.89	3.9	39.4	39.16	3.8	39.6	31.53	5.1	39.1
12	45.56	6.4	40.3	47.33	6.8	40.4	37.05	6.9	39.7
13	51.24	8.8	41.4	58.32	7.2	40.4	40.29	4.0	43.1
14	63.94	6.4	40.4	70.79	7.0	40.8	44.96	8.6	39.4
Not able to be leveled	19.87	4.5	36.1	19.34	5.3	35.9	26.59	6.5	39.6
White collar, excluding sales	21.13	2.4	37.8	20.97	3.2	37.7	21.58	1.8	38.1
1	8.00	3.1	27.5	7.94	3.6	26.7	8.32	2.5	32.6
2	9.63	1.5	35.6	9.61	1.8	35.5	9.75	3.7	36.0
3	10.54	1.6	37.1	10.61	2.0	36.9	10.28	1.8	37.9
4	12.60	1.3	38.0	12.76	1.7	38.0	11.91	2.1	38.0
5	14.74	1.1	37.3	14.98	1.5	37.9	13.82	2.1	35.3
6	16.44	1.7	37.6	16.97	1.7	37.6	15.19	3.8	37.8
7	20.53	2.3	38.8	20.26	1.3	38.7	21.05	4.7	39.0
8	22.66	1.7	38.1	21.69	1.8	38.4	24.28	2.6	37.7
9	26.95	2.3	38.1	27.38	3.4	38.2	26.23	2.4	38.0
10	30.19	3.4	39.5	31.13	1.2	39.8	27.66	11.2	38.5
11	36.84	4.0	39.4	39.17	3.9	39.5	31.63	5.2	39.2
12	44.73	5.0	40.2	46.36	5.3	40.3	37.05	6.9	39.7
13	51.24	8.8	41.4	58.32	7.2	40.4	40.29	4.0	43.1
14	63.94	6.4	40.4	70.79	7.0	40.8	44.96	8.6	39.4
Not able to be leveled	20.63	4.4	36.3	20.09	4.9	36.1	26.61	6.5	39.6
Professional specialty and technical	25.67	1.9	36.9	25.79	2.6	36.7	25.45	1.4	37.5
Professional specialty	27.57	2.2	37.0	28.12	3.3	36.7	26.73	1.6	37.6
3	10.97	4.2	27.8	10.64	1.4	29.2	-	-	-
4	9.50	7.3	26.4	9.64	7.6	30.0	9.09	11.9	19.5
5	14.64	4.2	34.2	15.06	5.1	37.4	12.87	6.2	25.4
6	18.13	2.4	35.5	18.50	3.1	35.0	17.57	2.5	36.2
7	21.96	2.6	37.8	21.14	1.9	37.0	22.79	4.2	38.7
8	24.11	3.1	36.8	22.18	4.1	36.5	25.98	2.6	37.1
9	27.08	1.2	36.8	26.74	2.7	36.2	27.42	1.4	37.5
10	29.83	3.3	39.1	31.01	1.6	39.4	26.60	9.4	38.3
11	35.46	2.8	39.3	37.01	3.8	39.8	30.75	1.3	37.9
12	42.65	3.2	39.8	43.42	2.8	39.9	39.88	11.6	39.5
13	44.79	5.3	42.6	47.64	5.6	40.0	41.99	7.2	45.5
14	66.92	8.4	40.3	69.44	9.9	40.3	-	-	-
Not able to be leveled	25.06	3.4	32.4	24.37	3.7	30.8	28.62	5.7	43.4
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	31.36	2.8	40.4	31.82	2.5	40.6	27.31	4.0	39.1
6	21.59	4.4	40.0	21.59	4.4	40.0	-	-	-
7	23.11	4.8	41.0	22.81	5.0	41.1	-	-	-
8	26.15	3.8	40.9	25.90	4.5	41.0	-	-	-
9	28.74	5.0	40.3	29.51	5.3	40.4	25.60	3.6	40.0
10	35.54	5.9	40.9	35.69	6.2	41.0	-	-	-
11	34.66	4.0	40.6	34.69	4.2	40.7	34.12	5.6	39.6
12	40.94	6.4	40.4	42.06	4.9	40.4	-	-	-
13	44.09	10.0	40.1	44.09	10.0	40.1	-	-	-
14	55.35	15.6	42.0	55.35	15.6	42.0	-	-	-
Not able to be leveled	28.43	7.2	36.9	29.24	8.2	39.2	-	-	-
Architects	24.08	9.5	40.0	20.75	11.3	40.0	-	-	-
9	26.75	5.9	40.0	-	-	-	-	-	-

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Engineers, architects, and surveyors—Continued									
Chemical engineers	\$35.52	8.7	41.4	\$35.53	8.9	41.4	—	—	—
Civil engineers	29.05	7.0	40.8	29.33	8.3	41.0	\$27.84	6.5	39.9
7	20.97	7.2	41.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	29.89	8.0	40.0	—	—	—	23.09	7.9	39.9
11	31.04	6.1	41.1	30.61	6.5	41.2	35.19	4.5	40.0
Electrical and electronic engineers	36.84	3.0	40.4	36.85	3.0	40.4	—	—	—
8	30.28	8.8	42.0	30.28	8.8	42.0	—	—	—
9	32.30	4.3	40.0	32.30	4.4	40.0	—	—	—
10	38.21	2.6	40.6	38.21	2.6	40.6	—	—	—
11	37.45	6.0	40.5	37.45	6.0	40.5	—	—	—
12	40.83	3.3	40.0	40.83	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial engineers	27.95	4.3	40.5	28.37	4.2	40.5	—	—	—
8	26.43	6.0	40.5	26.43	6.0	40.5	—	—	—
9	23.44	5.0	40.4	24.31	5.2	40.5	—	—	—
11	32.76	5.1	40.0	32.76	5.1	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanical engineers	29.44	3.4	39.6	29.68	3.3	40.4	—	—	—
9	27.11	7.8	40.0	27.11	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
11	31.37	6.8	41.4	31.37	6.8	41.4	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	34.52	10.4	40.6	35.05	10.3	40.7	28.91	10.0	39.5
8	29.94	10.3	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	28.03	4.2	41.8	28.60	4.8	42.4	—	—	—
11	40.54	9.0	39.9	41.87	9.8	40.0	—	—	—
12	43.99	4.0	40.0	44.76	2.6	40.0	—	—	—
13	44.21	14.5	40.2	44.21	14.5	40.2	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	31.16	.9	39.9	31.45	1.0	39.9	26.12	8.6	39.1
5	17.18	4.8	39.2	17.18	4.8	39.2	—	—	—
6	17.98	6.1	40.0	19.09	5.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	24.44	2.1	40.2	24.48	2.1	40.2	—	—	—
8	25.61	4.9	39.7	24.89	3.4	40.4	28.40	16.2	37.3
9	29.35	3.1	40.0	29.51	3.2	40.0	26.33	3.7	40.0
10	30.68	1.3	40.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	36.74	1.6	39.9	36.94	1.6	39.9	—	—	—
12	40.06	3.4	39.9	40.05	3.6	39.9	—	—	—
13	44.12	8.5	39.4	44.02	8.6	39.4	—	—	—
14	57.20	3.3	40.0	57.20	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	29.35	2.1	39.1	29.35	2.1	39.1	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	31.48	1.0	39.9	31.86	1.0	39.9	26.17	8.6	39.1
5	17.19	5.7	39.1	17.19	5.7	39.1	—	—	—
6	17.92	7.0	40.0	19.27	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
7	24.79	1.3	40.2	24.84	1.4	40.2	—	—	—
8	25.89	5.5	39.7	25.15	4.2	40.4	28.59	16.2	37.3
9	29.38	3.0	40.3	29.55	3.1	40.3	26.33	3.7	40.0
10	31.76	4.2	40.3	32.88	3.6	40.4	—	—	—
11	36.96	1.6	39.9	37.19	1.6	39.9	—	—	—
12	39.91	3.2	39.9	39.89	3.4	39.9	—	—	—
13	44.96	9.0	39.3	44.86	9.1	39.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	29.74	1.6	39.1	29.74	1.6	39.1	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	34.55	6.5	40.0	34.55	6.5	40.0	—	—	—
11	24.87	15.5	40.0	25.08	16.0	40.0	—	—	—
Statisticians	24.27	6.5	40.6	25.43	5.8	40.8	20.81	11.8	40.0
Natural scientists	13.52	6.3	39.9	13.76	8.4	39.8	—	—	—
5	22.42	4.8	40.4	22.52	4.7	40.4	—	—	—
7	17.55	9.4	40.0	—	—	—	16.41	7.4	40.0
8	20.79	6.3	39.9	21.07	7.5	39.8	20.08	6.6	40.0
9	29.58	4.4	41.8	30.06	3.7	42.0	—	—	—
10	29.09	10.0	39.9	26.58	5.4	39.8	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Natural scientists—Continued									
12	\$37.62	3.7	47.1	\$37.92	3.9	47.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	22.72	11.1	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chemists, except biochemists	27.54	5.2	39.4	27.84	5.3	39.3	—	—	—
7	23.51	7.1	39.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	23.05	4.4	36.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	31.77	6.3	39.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Physical scientists, n.e.c.	26.46	11.6	44.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Biological and life scientists	21.18	6.0	39.7	21.87	8.7	39.6	—	—	—
9	20.08	16.8	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical scientists	26.51	9.7	39.8	24.66	11.6	39.8	—	—	—
Health related	27.17	7.3	35.2	28.00	9.2	34.7	\$23.35	3.7	37.6
5	16.17	7.4	33.9	16.06	7.5	33.7	—	—	—
6	20.14	2.1	33.3	20.40	2.5	32.4	19.13	2.5	37.6
7	20.78	3.6	35.8	20.59	4.2	35.4	21.41	3.4	37.6
8	21.11	7.4	35.0	21.05	8.4	34.8	21.52	7.3	36.5
9	24.84	3.5	32.8	25.44	4.1	31.9	22.68	3.0	36.2
10	27.56	10.8	38.7	26.60	19.0	38.5	30.56	16.5	39.1
11	40.63	9.0	37.8	41.84	9.2	38.4	34.06	6.7	35.2
12	56.24	25.5	35.9	65.82	26.9	35.5	—	—	—
13	69.12	11.5	36.7	71.17	11.9	36.6	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	23.13	11.9	41.5	26.07	5.0	38.6	—	—	—
Physicians	54.97	5.6	42.6	60.39	6.8	42.5	25.49	32.6	43.2
10	16.79	34.2	55.3	16.60	44.5	58.7	—	—	—
11	52.34	10.9	42.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	72.60	26.6	38.4	73.32	28.7	40.0	—	—	—
13	69.99	12.2	36.7	72.26	12.7	36.6	—	—	—
Registered nurses	22.42	3.0	34.3	22.47	3.7	33.9	22.16	2.4	36.6
5	16.07	9.4	33.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	20.96	1.5	33.2	21.50	1.2	32.0	19.40	1.9	37.4
7	21.15	2.6	35.4	20.87	2.8	34.9	22.25	3.0	37.4
8	20.76	8.1	35.8	20.87	9.1	35.6	19.87	5.3	36.7
9	24.42	4.0	32.5	24.91	4.8	31.9	22.43	3.7	35.3
10	31.62	13.2	35.3	32.84	16.6	33.8	—	—	—
11	30.55	7.0	37.9	30.66	7.7	37.7	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	24.29	3.7	38.3	24.29	3.7	38.3	—	—	—
Pharmacists	36.16	1.5	32.4	36.43	1.4	32.4	—	—	—
9	37.02	1.6	38.9	37.02	1.6	38.9	—	—	—
10	36.39	2.2	36.2	36.39	2.2	36.2	—	—	—
11	36.56	1.9	36.8	37.10	1.1	36.6	—	—	—
Dietitians	18.96	3.5	38.7	—	—	—	18.77	3.2	40.0
Respiratory therapists	18.87	2.9	36.4	18.52	3.2	36.2	—	—	—
6	18.41	3.6	32.4	18.41	3.6	32.4	—	—	—
7	18.85	3.6	37.7	18.53	4.4	37.7	—	—	—
8	19.24	6.9	39.0	19.24	6.9	39.0	—	—	—
9	21.10	4.7	37.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Occupational therapists	24.91	4.5	36.1	24.64	6.0	35.2	—	—	—
9	25.98	1.9	35.6	25.91	2.5	34.4	—	—	—
Physical therapists	31.52	6.3	28.5	29.94	3.8	27.0	—	—	—
8	28.22	4.9	29.1	27.00	4.2	27.9	—	—	—
9	31.24	3.2	28.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Speech therapists	29.05	6.8	33.8	25.76	9.9	32.4	31.80	5.4	35.0
9	30.51	14.9	37.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Therapists, n.e.c.	17.39	6.2	33.2	16.45	11.1	31.1	19.31	6.6	38.4
7	17.85	3.5	38.1	—	—	—	18.33	5.3	37.5
Physicians' assistants	31.14	5.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	37.63	4.1	40.3	38.52	7.6	36.1	37.38	4.4	41.7
6	20.44	1.8	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	26.53	11.1	36.7	26.62	14.4	35.6	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Teachers, college and university—Continued									
8	\$24.85	6.5	35.1	\$25.29	5.6	27.0	\$24.82	7.0	35.8
9	27.95	12.8	37.1	26.18	6.0	34.1	28.29	15.1	37.7
10	27.67	12.4	34.9	32.85	8.5	34.5	22.58	19.4	35.2
11	34.83	4.5	38.1	37.37	7.0	36.7	34.36	4.5	38.3
12	44.14	15.3	39.9	31.77	9.5	40.9	45.92	16.2	39.7
13	42.50	6.8	44.9	50.45	14.2	38.5	41.70	7.5	45.7
14	60.66	3.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	42.22	8.2	48.3	45.47	15.6	37.0	—	—	—
Biological science teachers	40.89	17.5	42.7	41.81	15.9	37.1	40.82	18.5	43.2
13	40.80	3.7	47.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chemistry teachers	31.29	6.1	50.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Psychology teachers	36.58	21.2	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Economics teachers	40.38	2.0	51.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
History teachers	32.73	7.2	40.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social science teachers, n.e.c.	35.96	20.2	37.0	36.66	2.6	32.3	—	—	—
Mathematical science teachers	36.76	15.3	32.5	36.95	15.3	38.3	—	—	—
Computer science teachers	30.49	10.4	32.1	31.77	11.9	33.8	—	—	—
Medical science teachers	43.17	9.6	52.3	51.53	2.9	38.7	—	—	—
Health specialties teachers	57.35	36.3	39.8	33.44	18.1	38.4	—	—	—
Business, commerce, and marketing teachers ..	51.67	16.5	40.1	52.50	24.4	38.6	—	—	—
10	35.86	4.8	38.9	35.86	4.8	38.9	—	—	—
Art, drama, and music teachers	24.44	6.4	35.4	23.42	5.0	36.3	25.26	11.1	34.6
Education teachers	35.84	18.8	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
English teachers	30.23	5.2	30.9	29.40	13.9	30.3	30.72	2.3	31.3
10	29.48	5.7	25.9	26.94	7.3	34.3	—	—	—
Foreign language teachers	18.80	18.5	44.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Law teachers	59.47	30.0	34.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	37.54	6.5	37.8	34.96	7.2	33.3	37.94	7.1	38.6
8	27.63	5.0	35.8	—	—	—	27.69	5.2	35.9
9	30.27	8.7	38.6	—	—	—	30.69	8.5	38.7
10	34.14	12.0	33.5	38.63	15.1	29.7	—	—	—
11	33.09	4.1	37.8	—	—	—	33.03	4.2	37.8
12	39.36	2.5	40.0	—	—	—	39.33	2.6	40.0
13	51.73	10.0	40.0	—	—	—	51.58	10.6	40.0
Teachers, except college and university	25.94	2.2	35.0	18.30	10.7	28.4	27.11	1.6	36.3
4	8.82	6.3	24.3	9.03	6.2	28.3	—	—	—
5	9.67	9.1	25.3	9.88	10.8	38.2	9.09	15.6	13.3
6	18.07	3.9	32.5	17.54	11.3	33.1	18.41	2.2	32.2
7	23.68	3.6	38.2	17.71	5.4	34.6	24.36	4.0	38.6
8	27.41	3.3	35.8	20.41	17.2	28.8	28.09	2.5	36.7
9	28.68	1.5	37.1	25.92	7.6	31.3	28.83	1.7	37.5
10	32.45	3.2	35.9	—	—	—	32.80	2.9	37.7
11	29.31	3.8	36.3	—	—	—	29.19	3.9	36.7
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	20.84	13.7	37.1	10.32	10.1	36.5	26.21	2.5	37.4
7	26.39	1.4	39.1	—	—	—	26.41	1.3	39.6
8	26.72	4.3	34.2	—	—	—	27.60	3.4	36.2
9	28.18	5.4	34.7	—	—	—	28.27	5.7	34.7
Elementary school teachers	26.47	1.5	37.0	21.13	11.8	35.5	26.98	1.9	37.2
6	19.87	2.1	37.7	—	—	—	19.87	2.1	37.7
7	23.67	4.1	38.8	19.13	7.0	39.4	24.14	4.9	38.7
8	27.12	3.3	35.9	22.59	28.0	30.2	27.52	2.4	36.6
9	28.59	1.5	37.4	27.61	6.2	38.1	28.64	1.6	37.3
11	26.59	4.1	34.0	—	—	—	25.59	2.1	35.8
Secondary school teachers	27.67	2.3	37.8	24.73	7.7	37.9	27.83	2.3	37.8
7	25.41	5.0	38.4	—	—	—	25.53	5.3	38.4
8	28.50	3.1	36.4	24.94	12.9	33.1	28.60	3.2	36.5
9	28.61	3.2	38.0	27.92	14.6	37.6	28.64	3.3	38.0
Teachers, special education	27.31	5.2	37.8	21.84	15.2	39.3	28.45	2.8	37.5

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Teachers, except college and university—Continued									
Teachers, special education—Continued									
8	\$28.65	2.6	36.8	\$23.34	13.8	39.1	\$28.82	2.7	36.7
9	27.81	4.1	38.1	—	—	—	27.92	4.2	38.0
Teachers, n.e.c.	23.90	5.8	26.0	18.48	13.2	16.1	25.93	5.4	33.8
5	12.93	11.2	22.4	13.31	14.8	34.6	—	—	—
6	14.90	5.1	20.2	14.58	10.3	21.6	—	—	—
7	21.68	6.6	36.3	12.23	16.0	25.9	—	—	—
8	20.88	12.0	32.4	16.52	32.0	27.8	24.46	3.4	37.6
9	28.29	5.6	31.8	20.44	9.8	21.1	30.60	3.5	37.5
Substitute teachers	7.38	7.9	10.9	—	—	—	7.34	7.8	10.9
5	7.09	9.8	10.2	—	—	—	7.04	9.6	10.2
Vocational and educational counselors	26.64	8.2	37.0	18.28	6.2	35.6	29.49	5.3	37.6
7	16.81	19.4	38.3	16.84	8.3	39.4	—	—	—
8	32.10	4.3	38.5	—	—	—	32.15	4.3	38.5
9	32.97	2.3	36.5	—	—	—	33.06	4.2	36.6
10	29.80	9.9	26.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	28.54	9.3	37.5	—	—	—	28.54	9.3	37.5
Librarians, archivists, and curators	22.73	4.3	37.6	23.31	3.9	36.8	22.38	5.0	38.1
6	14.66	5.5	35.5	—	—	—	14.66	5.5	35.5
7	21.24	3.9	33.4	—	—	—	19.42	8.9	37.4
8	23.84	6.3	38.5	22.84	9.8	38.3	24.42	8.7	38.5
9	23.88	5.0	37.8	—	—	—	24.44	5.4	37.1
10	26.78	6.4	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	22.99	8.1	39.8	—	—	—	21.31	1.6	39.8
Librarians	22.73	4.3	37.8	23.33	4.0	37.3	22.38	5.0	38.1
6	14.66	5.5	35.5	—	—	—	14.66	5.5	35.5
7	21.36	4.2	34.4	—	—	—	19.42	8.9	37.4
8	23.84	6.3	38.5	22.84	9.8	38.3	24.42	8.7	38.5
9	23.88	5.0	37.8	—	—	—	24.44	5.4	37.1
10	26.78	6.4	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	22.99	8.1	39.8	—	—	—	21.31	1.6	39.8
Social scientists and urban planners	23.44	7.9	39.4	24.29	6.0	39.6	22.86	12.5	39.2
6	17.36	10.4	34.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	24.49	8.3	37.7	26.32	8.9	36.0	23.71	12.6	38.5
9	24.04	5.8	41.3	22.13	6.2	43.9	25.86	7.5	39.1
10	19.97	10.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	35.78	5.5	37.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Economists	23.79	5.6	41.2	23.66	6.1	41.3	—	—	—
9	22.92	5.4	42.7	22.13	6.2	43.9	—	—	—
Psychologists	27.15	7.2	36.7	25.58	24.3	31.3	27.49	7.9	38.1
8	26.53	7.0	35.7	—	—	—	—	—	—
Urban planners	22.24	9.9	39.9	—	—	—	22.24	9.9	39.9
Social, recreation, and religious workers	16.11	2.8	38.6	15.18	3.3	36.7	16.60	2.9	39.7
5	13.71	4.3	37.7	—	—	—	13.69	3.9	39.1
6	14.62	4.4	36.0	13.47	5.1	28.1	14.97	4.7	39.3
7	15.89	4.8	38.9	14.91	4.8	36.4	16.27	5.9	39.9
8	15.93	2.8	39.8	15.79	4.9	39.5	16.01	3.5	39.9
9	18.34	6.1	37.9	19.23	6.6	36.6	17.53	5.4	39.1
10	18.53	23.0	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	23.83	4.4	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social workers	16.17	2.9	38.7	15.11	3.9	36.5	16.65	3.0	39.8
5	13.75	4.3	37.8	—	—	—	13.75	4.2	39.5
6	14.61	4.5	36.6	12.99	3.9	28.4	15.08	4.5	40.0
7	15.55	4.8	39.1	14.12	4.6	36.7	16.04	5.8	39.9
8	15.93	2.8	39.8	15.18	3.6	39.5	16.24	2.8	39.9
9	18.34	6.1	37.9	19.23	6.6	36.6	17.53	5.4	39.1
10	22.63	21.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Professional specialty—Continued									
Social, recreation, and religious workers—Continued									
Social workers—Continued									
11	\$23.83	4.4	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Recreation workers	14.66	7.4	36.9	—	—	—	\$15.51	8.7	37.0
Clergy	14.53	14.1	36.8	\$14.53	14.1	36.8	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	36.46	9.6	42.8	36.80	10.7	43.9	34.30	8.5	36.8
9	23.92	5.5	41.2	—	—	—	22.05	4.3	33.7
10	32.03	11.7	42.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	55.57	8.9	38.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	49.06	9.4	44.0	49.32	10.3	44.3	—	—	—
Lawyers	35.91	10.3	43.5	36.80	10.7	43.9	26.72	14.0	39.4
9	23.80	5.6	46.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	33.05	11.9	42.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	49.06	9.4	44.0	49.32	10.3	44.3	—	—	—
Judges	45.92	15.7	33.3	—	—	—	45.92	15.7	33.3
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.									
5	21.96	6.8	34.5	22.01	7.0	34.2	21.05	8.8	39.9
6	15.60	12.9	39.4	15.62	13.8	39.3	—	—	—
7	15.37	6.1	39.7	15.16	6.0	39.7	—	—	—
8	21.10	4.9	38.9	21.30	5.3	38.8	—	—	—
9	20.57	5.7	39.9	20.53	5.5	39.9	—	—	—
10	24.17	5.6	39.7	24.22	6.0	39.7	—	—	—
11	29.78	9.2	35.5	29.78	9.2	35.5	—	—	—
12	37.00	7.5	39.6	37.00	7.5	39.6	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	46.00	3.6	39.1	46.00	3.6	39.1	—	—	—
Technical writers	18.97	12.0	26.6	18.63	12.7	26.0	—	—	—
Designers	21.81	6.7	37.9	21.81	6.7	37.9	—	—	—
9	16.83	10.3	33.9	16.74	10.7	33.8	—	—	—
Actors and directors	22.06	5.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	19.87	20.0	28.3	19.87	20.0	28.3	—	—	—
Painters, sculptors, craft artists, and artist printmakers	19.87	20.0	28.3	19.87	20.0	28.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	19.70	11.8	39.4	20.13	12.1	39.3	—	—	—
Photographers	19.70	11.8	39.4	20.13	12.1	39.3	—	—	—
5	17.78	15.7	39.7	17.78	19.4	39.6	—	—	—
6	18.13	27.8	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	25.16	5.8	39.6	25.16	5.8	39.6	—	—	—
8	20.88	6.3	38.7	20.88	6.3	38.7	—	—	—
9	27.87	9.0	40.4	27.87	9.0	40.4	—	—	—
10	34.76	11.3	39.8	34.76	11.3	39.8	—	—	—
11	27.31	11.8	39.2	27.87	12.7	39.1	22.37	21.8	39.7
Public relations specialists	21.21	15.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	21.09	7.3	38.2	21.18	7.6	38.3	—	—	—
9	21.44	16.9	21.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Athletes	21.44	16.9	21.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	30.20	5.7	40.0	30.20	5.7	40.0	—	—	—
Professional, n.e.c.	47.09	3.2	40.0	47.09	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
9	19.15	2.5	36.5	19.91	3.1	36.5	15.64	3.7	36.6
Technical	8.62	7.7	36.6	8.41	8.9	35.8	—	—	—
2	9.74	3.6	32.2	9.70	3.7	32.3	10.76	6.3	30.2
3	12.84	3.8	37.8	12.88	3.3	38.7	12.67	9.2	34.5
4	15.10	2.9	35.4	15.29	3.7	35.8	14.05	5.9	33.5
5	16.24	4.0	35.6	17.21	4.2	35.1	13.82	6.2	36.8
6	18.75	3.6	39.0	19.26	4.2	38.9	16.69	3.4	39.3
7	20.40	4.4	38.2	20.63	5.5	37.9	19.49	5.7	39.3
8	28.69	9.1	37.8	30.65	9.2	37.7	22.41	5.9	38.4
9	30.42	6.0	38.7	30.42	6.0	38.7	—	—	—
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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Technical—Continued									
11	\$78.36	41.0	29.3	\$78.36	41.0	29.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	18.14	9.0	37.6	18.14	9.0	37.6	—	—	—
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	16.26	6.0	36.4	15.85	7.6	36.1	\$18.61	5.1	38.3
2	9.15	.8	35.6	9.15	.8	35.6	—	—	—
3	10.28	5.7	38.9	10.28	5.7	38.9	—	—	—
4	11.24	7.3	37.7	11.56	12.3	37.0	—	—	—
6	15.74	4.9	40.0	15.11	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
7	19.13	2.6	39.6	19.21	3.3	39.6	—	—	—
8	19.46	3.3	40.2	19.60	4.0	40.5	—	—	—
9	21.14	3.9	37.1	21.41	4.4	37.7	—	—	—
Dental hygienists	25.69	13.5	26.6	26.07	14.9	25.8	—	—	—
Health record technologists and technicians	11.89	10.9	39.9	11.84	11.0	39.9	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	20.27	4.7	37.0	20.28	5.1	38.2	20.15	5.8	28.2
6	18.94	3.2	33.5	18.99	2.2	38.7	—	—	—
7	22.06	7.0	36.0	22.12	7.0	37.1	—	—	—
8	22.20	5.3	38.1	22.20	5.3	38.1	—	—	—
9	23.41	3.2	36.0	23.35	3.6	35.5	—	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	14.72	2.6	35.0	15.13	2.5	34.9	13.46	4.7	35.4
4	14.56	2.2	36.4	14.58	2.3	36.3	—	—	—
5	14.67	2.8	34.8	15.12	2.4	36.5	13.29	3.9	30.6
6	14.51	8.3	34.3	16.35	3.8	30.6	12.32	4.5	40.0
7	17.00	5.4	33.4	17.45	6.1	31.2	16.02	7.2	39.1
Not able to be leveled	13.05	2.8	38.8	13.05	2.8	38.8	—	—	—
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	14.43	3.7	36.2	15.07	3.5	36.6	13.29	5.4	35.5
2	9.52	11.0	36.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	10.48	6.1	26.2	10.49	6.9	25.6	—	—	—
4	12.16	2.8	36.5	12.49	3.0	39.4	11.60	4.8	32.4
5	14.37	4.9	36.1	14.61	5.9	37.9	13.79	12.4	32.5
6	14.20	8.9	38.6	16.85	7.7	32.0	13.58	9.3	40.6
7	18.17	6.4	40.0	19.27	5.5	39.7	—	—	—
8	20.42	7.5	37.0	21.58	9.8	36.1	17.67	3.8	39.4
Not able to be leveled	15.12	16.2	31.3	15.12	16.2	31.3	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.25	1.5	39.7	21.45	1.3	39.7	16.46	3.0	39.8
4	15.00	14.7	38.0	15.00	14.7	38.0	—	—	—
5	15.63	3.8	39.5	15.63	3.8	39.5	—	—	—
6	17.50	3.4	40.0	17.89	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
7	21.76	3.9	39.9	21.85	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
8	20.98	3.8	40.1	21.11	3.7	40.1	—	—	—
9	29.91	4.5	40.0	29.91	4.5	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanical engineering technicians	18.01	6.9	40.2	18.69	7.5	40.3	—	—	—
Engineering technicians, n.e.c.	18.57	5.5	36.3	19.11	8.4	35.6	16.64	10.5	39.1
5	14.66	6.9	39.8	14.66	9.7	39.7	—	—	—
7	22.29	6.4	40.0	23.26	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
8	23.57	5.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	28.21	4.2	40.0	28.21	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
Drafters	16.57	6.1	40.4	16.68	6.5	40.5	14.92	8.3	39.2
5	13.95	10.1	35.3	14.35	11.1	34.6	—	—	—
Chemical technicians	17.68	8.4	40.0	17.65	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
6	21.15	13.8	39.9	21.15	13.8	39.9	—	—	—
Science technicians, n.e.c.	17.88	12.9	39.9	17.95	14.2	39.8	—	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	129.78	16.6	21.7	129.78	16.6	21.7	—	—	—
9	50.63	31.8	26.9	50.63	31.8	26.9	—	—	—
11	187.94	3.9	18.5	187.94	3.9	18.5	—	—	—
Broadcast equipment operators	10.59	21.0	33.0	9.73	20.6	32.6	—	—	—
Computer programmers	27.65	10.5	38.7	28.59	11.9	38.4	23.23	6.4	40.0
6	19.04	.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	20.98	5.4	39.9	22.37	6.6	39.8	—	—	—
8	19.06	8.5	32.1	19.00	9.1	31.7	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Professional specialty and technical—Continued									
Technical—Continued									
Computer programmers—Continued									
9	\$33.51	15.9	40.0	\$36.51	17.5	40.0	\$26.06	4.4	40.0
10	29.37	6.4	39.5	29.37	6.4	39.5	—	—	—
Legal assistants	16.76	4.2	34.7	16.67	5.1	33.8	17.19	5.5	39.7
7	16.84	6.6	38.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	15.19	9.4	36.3	15.15	11.9	36.7	15.29	10.2	35.3
4	14.48	12.0	39.6	12.20	2.9	39.3	—	—	—
5	15.55	4.3	40.0	15.55	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
6	13.19	8.0	31.9	17.49	4.4	40.0	12.11	4.9	30.3
7	18.65	3.8	39.5	18.83	4.4	39.7	—	—	—
8	20.53	11.8	39.0	—	—	—	20.65	15.0	38.9
9	25.65	6.0	40.0	25.65	6.0	40.0	—	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
29.57	5.7	40.4	30.35	6.9	40.7	26.72	6.3	39.6	
4	10.68	2.9	35.6	10.68	2.9	35.6	—	—	—
5	14.56	6.5	41.1	14.49	7.6	41.3	15.14	4.9	39.3
6	15.06	3.8	40.2	15.55	3.7	40.3	13.58	5.1	40.0
7	20.37	3.3	40.5	20.44	3.7	40.7	20.05	4.4	39.6
8	21.20	3.2	40.6	21.47	3.5	40.8	19.95	4.4	39.7
9	26.51	6.1	40.5	27.61	6.8	40.7	21.68	7.6	39.9
10	30.94	6.3	40.4	31.56	3.3	41.1	29.61	17.2	38.9
11	34.49	4.9	40.7	36.02	3.7	41.2	32.16	9.0	40.0
12	46.08	6.9	40.4	48.12	6.8	40.5	34.38	5.0	39.9
13	55.67	12.1	40.7	63.46	5.3	40.8	38.11	15.1	40.5
14	62.24	9.4	40.5	71.68	8.5	41.1	40.78	9.0	39.2
Not able to be leveled	26.41	8.3	39.6	26.55	9.3	40.2	25.31	9.3	35.5
Executives, administrators, and managers	32.89	6.7	40.9	33.06	8.4	41.2	32.13	4.8	39.4
5	13.61	7.7	42.6	13.47	8.7	42.8	—	—	—
6	14.93	7.4	41.3	14.93	7.8	41.4	—	—	—
7	19.40	4.8	41.3	19.25	5.2	41.6	20.59	8.1	38.9
8	20.68	5.8	41.1	20.34	5.4	41.2	24.88	7.1	40.5
9	28.02	8.4	41.1	28.52	9.3	41.2	24.29	4.7	39.8
10	33.80	4.6	40.6	32.09	4.2	41.4	39.49	6.0	38.3
11	34.98	4.7	41.0	35.94	4.9	41.8	33.82	6.5	40.0
12	47.29	7.4	40.6	48.83	7.4	40.7	36.40	6.9	39.7
13	55.72	12.1	40.7	63.62	5.2	40.8	38.11	15.1	40.5
14	62.20	10.2	40.6	72.88	9.2	41.3	40.78	9.0	39.2
Not able to be leveled	28.93	11.2	39.6	29.78	13.0	40.6	24.64	12.0	35.1
Legislators	5.65	38.0	19.0	—	—	—	5.65	38.0	19.0
Not able to be leveled	5.65	38.0	19.0	—	—	—	5.65	38.0	19.0
Chief executives and general administrators, public administration	40.95	7.2	38.6	—	—	—	43.26	7.1	38.1
Administrators and officials, public administration	29.28	6.6	39.6	—	—	—	28.31	3.9	39.6
7	19.30	9.9	40.0	—	—	—	19.30	9.9	40.0
8	23.31	6.6	40.0	—	—	—	23.31	6.6	40.0
9	22.81	5.7	40.5	—	—	—	22.81	5.7	40.5
11	24.21	9.2	39.7	—	—	—	24.23	9.3	39.7
12	32.94	9.6	39.9	—	—	—	32.94	9.6	39.9
13	38.21	21.1	40.0	—	—	—	35.61	17.8	40.0
Financial managers	28.12	6.4	40.3	27.70	6.6	40.3	38.00	10.3	40.1
7	18.60	11.3	40.1	18.60	11.3	40.1	—	—	—
9	26.47	5.9	40.6	26.48	5.9	40.6	—	—	—
10	29.67	26.6	40.6	29.67	26.6	40.6	—	—	—
11	35.04	7.1	41.1	32.60	7.0	41.5	—	—	—
12	36.67	9.9	40.3	39.78	8.7	40.5	—	—	—
13	60.41	5.1	40.0	62.54	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	29.93	8.6	40.2	29.93	8.6	40.2	—	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	—	—	—	—	—	—	42.05	7.9	40.0

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial—Continued									
Executives, administrators, and managers—Continued									
Personnel and labor relations managers—Continued									
9	\$34.21	16.2	42.0	\$34.82	18.6	42.2	—	—	—
11	36.95	14.6	42.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	42.58	8.2	43.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Purchasing managers	29.25	12.0	40.3	34.60	9.7	40.5	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations									
8	38.75	7.6	40.8	38.69	7.7	40.7	—	—	—
9	25.59	17.2	41.0	25.59	17.2	41.0	—	—	—
11	34.93	5.0	40.5	35.43	5.0	40.5	—	—	—
12	37.63	14.7	43.8	36.69	15.2	43.7	—	—	—
12	51.37	9.1	40.1	51.43	9.3	40.1	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	46.36	11.7	39.9	46.36	11.7	39.9	—	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields									
8	35.53	5.0	39.8	34.13	10.0	40.8	\$35.90	6.1	39.6
9	26.82	9.2	40.8	19.76	5.5	38.8	27.81	7.0	41.0
10	26.69	8.0	39.1	25.77	6.9	39.9	26.98	10.1	38.8
11	40.00	6.0	39.5	—	—	—	42.11	4.7	38.0
12	38.09	5.1	40.1	41.11	16.5	42.2	37.55	5.5	39.8
13	38.55	7.8	39.5	44.11	3.4	39.5	37.72	8.9	39.5
14	48.01	11.1	42.1	—	—	—	44.02	10.3	42.3
Not able to be leveled	53.97	9.6	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
28.17	28.17	4.4	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Managers, medicine and health									
9	31.61	11.1	40.7	32.88	13.1	40.7	21.34	9.2	40.2
10	25.70	3.5	40.9	27.22	5.7	41.3	22.34	10.6	40.0
11	28.01	11.7	42.2	28.01	11.7	42.2	—	—	—
12	33.27	6.2	41.3	35.98	4.2	41.4	—	—	—
12	38.85	4.6	39.7	38.85	4.6	39.7	—	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments									
6	18.77	5.2	41.1	18.77	5.2	41.1	—	—	—
7	14.32	1.7	42.4	14.32	1.7	42.4	—	—	—
9	13.39	6.3	42.8	13.39	6.3	42.8	—	—	—
9	20.65	11.8	41.7	20.65	11.8	41.7	—	—	—
Managers, properties and real estate									
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	19.49	13.6	40.9	19.14	15.9	41.0	—	—	—
7	32.41	9.5	40.1	33.92	10.9	40.3	24.84	16.0	39.2
8	16.66	6.8	39.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	23.91	9.0	39.4	23.91	9.0	39.4	—	—	—
11	23.77	6.8	38.3	24.26	8.2	38.3	—	—	—
12	33.06	6.1	41.0	33.06	8.0	42.3	33.06	12.0	38.7
12	35.59	20.4	41.2	35.55	21.9	41.2	—	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.									
5	35.75	12.1	41.7	35.76	12.4	41.7	35.36	11.8	41.1
6	12.83	9.2	44.5	12.83	9.2	44.5	—	—	—
7	14.73	11.0	41.8	14.73	11.0	41.8	—	—	—
8	19.88	4.9	42.6	19.87	4.8	42.7	—	—	—
9	22.23	3.4	43.5	22.16	3.3	43.5	—	—	—
10	29.73	14.0	41.5	30.03	14.5	41.5	23.74	4.7	41.0
11	34.03	3.6	41.1	34.02	3.6	41.1	—	—	—
12	36.99	6.7	41.7	36.05	7.4	41.6	45.02	19.3	42.5
14	50.61	8.3	40.6	51.05	8.1	40.6	—	—	—
14	68.09	7.8	40.6	67.85	8.7	40.8	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	29.83	18.7	41.0	29.84	18.7	41.0	—	—	—
Management related									
5	23.29	3.9	39.7	24.74	4.2	39.6	19.17	4.2	39.8
6	15.86	2.9	39.2	16.17	3.3	39.2	14.68	2.9	39.6
7	15.12	3.8	39.7	16.00	2.9	39.5	13.46	5.7	40.0
8	21.20	4.0	39.8	21.59	4.7	39.7	19.80	5.2	40.0
9	21.90	5.1	40.0	23.48	7.1	40.2	18.35	2.8	39.5
10	23.93	5.4	39.6	25.64	4.5	39.5	19.93	8.3	39.9
10	24.67	11.5	39.9	29.73	2.5	40.2	19.74	8.7	39.6

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial—Continued									
Management related—Continued									
11	\$33.01	8.3	39.9	\$36.20	4.9	39.9	\$22.00	4.4	40.0
12	39.54	6.1	39.5	43.43	4.0	39.2	29.53	6.6	40.3
13	49.92	4.9	40.0	49.92	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	22.10	4.9	39.7	21.81	5.0	39.7	—	—	—
Accountants and auditors	21.90	2.8	39.4	23.20	4.4	39.3	18.56	4.2	39.7
5	15.45	5.4	40.0	15.87	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
6	15.29	10.7	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	20.73	4.1	40.0	21.20	5.3	40.1	17.59	6.2	40.0
8	21.23	4.8	40.5	21.30	5.3	40.6	20.54	3.8	39.6
9	21.82	7.5	38.5	23.41	9.5	37.8	18.70	6.1	39.8
10	26.16	8.4	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	33.55	3.2	40.0	33.82	3.1	40.0	—	—	—
12	27.70	8.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	21.91	1.5	40.1	21.91	1.5	40.1	—	—	—
Underwriters	17.69	11.0	39.0	17.69	11.0	39.0	—	—	—
Other financial officers	26.72	9.4	39.7	26.72	10.1	39.7	26.76	15.1	39.6
7	20.30	2.9	39.9	20.29	2.8	39.9	—	—	—
8	28.49	13.1	40.4	30.89	12.2	40.8	—	—	—
9	26.94	7.2	41.3	26.95	7.5	41.4	—	—	—
10	31.34	9.7	40.0	31.41	9.7	40.0	—	—	—
11	42.49	5.9	38.5	42.49	5.9	38.5	—	—	—
12	37.09	13.4	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	23.48	5.4	39.8	23.48	5.4	39.8	—	—	—
Management analysts	27.96	13.0	40.2	32.58	7.0	40.3	—	—	—
8	24.98	6.3	40.0	24.98	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
9	28.63	3.9	41.7	28.63	3.9	41.7	—	—	—
11	27.87	13.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	26.14	8.3	39.9	26.14	8.3	39.9	—	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	26.27	6.0	39.5	28.58	7.1	39.3	17.93	9.9	40.0
5	13.21	5.1	38.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	16.20	10.2	40.0	19.54	7.0	40.0	13.36	6.7	40.0
7	23.86	11.3	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	22.90	5.6	40.0	23.19	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
9	25.26	6.7	39.4	27.07	7.6	39.0	—	—	—
10	28.01	5.4	40.5	28.01	5.4	40.5	—	—	—
11	28.30	8.3	39.3	28.46	10.0	39.2	—	—	—
Buyers, wholesale and retail trade, except farm products	31.56	42.9	34.0	31.68	43.4	33.9	—	—	—
Purchasing agents and buyers, n.e.c.	18.61	10.3	40.0	22.40	8.6	39.9	15.27	4.8	40.0
5	19.80	8.5	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	12.62	5.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	21.69	5.0	39.9	21.80	5.3	39.9	—	—	—
8	21.00	10.4	40.0	24.98	6.4	40.0	—	—	—
9	19.58	11.8	40.0	27.29	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
Construction inspectors	20.02	8.7	39.8	21.89	12.8	40.0	18.93	5.2	39.6
6	18.31	6.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	17.42	2.5	40.0	—	—	—	17.55	2.2	40.0
8	19.53	9.4	39.6	—	—	—	19.61	10.4	39.6
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	22.72	8.6	40.2	—	—	—	17.65	3.9	40.0
7	21.25	12.0	40.0	—	—	—	15.72	4.8	40.0
8	19.79	7.6	40.8	—	—	—	19.53	10.5	40.0
Management related, n.e.c.	21.23	3.8	39.8	20.82	4.4	39.8	22.83	6.2	39.8
5	15.54	3.7	40.5	15.58	4.2	40.6	—	—	—
6	15.51	3.1	39.3	15.52	3.1	39.3	—	—	—
7	21.02	9.2	39.9	19.39	6.8	39.9	24.22	17.3	40.0
8	18.78	5.3	39.7	19.19	6.7	39.9	17.94	6.2	39.2

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
—Continued									
Management related—Continued									
Management related, n.e.c.—Continued									
9	\$27.44	3.9	40.1	\$27.81	3.8	40.1	\$26.30	13.2	40.0
10	29.87	11.4	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	37.29	7.8	42.2	37.98	7.5	42.4	—	—	—
12	38.33	6.5	41.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	20.19	10.2	39.2	18.87	5.3	39.1	—	—	—
Sales									
1	12.99	4.0	33.2	13.00	4.0	33.2	12.04	14.2	34.6
2	6.77	3.8	26.7	6.76	3.8	26.7	—	—	—
3	7.33	2.1	27.2	7.32	2.1	27.3	—	—	—
4	8.63	1.7	31.6	8.61	1.8	31.6	9.22	4.2	33.7
5	12.63	3.4	37.1	12.63	3.5	37.1	—	—	—
6	16.73	5.6	39.6	16.75	5.6	39.6	—	—	—
7	18.81	13.3	40.4	18.81	13.3	40.4	—	—	—
8	24.80	11.2	42.2	24.81	11.2	42.2	—	—	—
9	23.79	6.8	42.2	23.79	6.8	42.2	—	—	—
10	30.63	12.9	42.5	30.63	12.9	42.5	—	—	—
11	42.44	8.0	41.2	42.44	8.0	41.2	—	—	—
12	37.91	7.1	40.5	39.04	8.7	40.9	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	91.55	30.2	44.8	91.55	30.2	44.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, sales	15.23	15.3	34.8	15.23	15.3	34.8	—	—	—
4	18.52	9.7	41.0	18.55	9.8	41.0	—	—	—
5	10.70	4.2	40.3	10.66	4.3	40.3	—	—	—
6	15.57	5.8	41.3	15.57	5.8	41.3	—	—	—
7	15.51	3.5	40.1	15.50	3.5	40.1	—	—	—
8	26.22	23.3	43.0	26.22	23.3	43.0	—	—	—
9	21.44	8.5	41.6	21.44	8.5	41.6	—	—	—
10	27.13	24.8	44.0	27.13	24.8	44.0	—	—	—
11	36.69	18.4	42.4	36.69	18.4	42.4	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	27.23	37.1	40.5	27.23	37.1	40.5	—	—	—
Insurance sales	14.09	10.7	40.0	14.09	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Real estate sales	14.34	20.8	40.5	13.15	24.5	40.9	—	—	—
4	13.91	11.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Securities and financial services sales	21.01	15.9	39.9	21.01	15.9	39.9	—	—	—
Advertising and related sales	20.86	12.4	38.3	20.86	12.4	38.3	—	—	—
4	11.43	13.2	39.5	11.43	13.2	39.5	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	18.10	18.8	39.3	18.10	18.8	39.3	—	—	—
Sales, other business services	20.10	7.8	39.1	20.10	7.8	39.1	—	—	—
4	18.07	5.0	35.2	18.07	5.0	35.2	—	—	—
5	21.92	9.5	40.3	21.92	9.5	40.3	—	—	—
6	17.86	3.8	40.1	17.86	3.8	40.1	—	—	—
7	27.89	13.8	42.6	27.89	13.8	42.6	—	—	—
8	34.10	9.0	40.9	34.10	9.0	40.9	—	—	—
9	62.92	37.1	43.0	62.92	37.1	43.0	—	—	—
Sales engineers	62.92	37.1	43.0	62.92	37.1	43.0	—	—	—
Sales representatives, mining, manufacturing, and wholesale	25.32	10.3	39.3	25.32	10.3	39.3	—	—	—
5	17.52	5.2	39.3	17.52	5.2	39.3	—	—	—
7	24.78	11.9	41.4	24.78	11.9	41.4	—	—	—
8	29.37	6.7	41.7	29.37	6.7	41.7	—	—	—
11	39.89	4.8	40.0	39.89	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Sales workers, motor vehicles and boats	19.66	10.0	44.7	19.66	10.0	44.7	—	—	—
4	17.50	10.1	48.9	17.50	10.1	48.9	—	—	—
5	21.01	31.4	42.8	21.01	31.4	42.8	—	—	—
Sales workers, apparel	9.57	11.1	28.0	9.57	11.1	28.0	—	—	—
2	8.93	8.4	28.7	8.93	8.4	28.7	—	—	—
3	9.01	3.8	31.2	9.01	3.8	31.2	—	—	—
4	12.62	31.3	25.4	12.62	31.3	25.4	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Sales—Continued									
Sales workers, shoes									
3	\$8.17	3.0	30.9	\$8.17	3.0	30.9	—	—	—
Sales workers, furniture and home furnishings ..	13.83	6.8	35.5	13.83	6.8	35.5	—	—	—
Sales workers, radio, tv, hi-fi, and appliances ...	9.55	16.0	38.6	9.55	16.0	38.6	—	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies	14.06	11.8	38.2	14.06	11.8	38.2	—	—	—
3	9.98	2.7	36.8	9.98	2.7	36.8	—	—	—
Sales workers, parts	13.85	11.4	38.0	13.85	11.4	38.0	—	—	—
3	10.04	7.8	36.5	10.04	7.8	36.5	—	—	—
4	14.29	18.2	41.6	14.29	18.2	41.6	—	—	—
5	19.51	8.8	40.0	19.51	8.8	40.0	—	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	10.15	4.5	31.5	10.15	4.5	31.5	—	—	—
1	6.89	4.1	23.0	6.89	4.1	23.0	—	—	—
2	7.72	2.7	32.7	7.72	2.7	32.7	—	—	—
3	8.71	4.5	31.0	8.71	4.5	31.0	—	—	—
4	10.30	4.1	32.2	10.30	4.1	32.2	—	—	—
5	13.18	10.4	36.4	13.18	10.4	36.4	—	—	—
Sales counter clerks	7.70	9.6	31.8	7.67	9.7	31.7	—	—	—
1	6.23	8.1	29.8	6.23	8.1	29.8	—	—	—
2	7.24	5.7	25.9	7.24	5.7	25.9	—	—	—
3	9.43	5.6	38.0	9.43	5.6	38.0	—	—	—
4	10.95	10.6	38.9	10.95	10.6	38.9	—	—	—
Cashiers	7.38	2.0	28.4	7.33	1.9	28.3	\$9.41	4.0	33.2
1	6.67	3.0	27.2	6.66	3.0	27.2	—	—	—
2	7.06	2.9	28.3	7.05	2.9	28.3	—	—	—
3	7.82	2.8	29.1	7.73	2.9	28.9	9.22	4.2	33.7
4	11.87	6.9	35.1	11.84	7.0	35.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	7.67	7.0	27.8	7.67	7.0	27.8	—	—	—
Street and door-to-door sales workers	9.30	37.2	32.9	9.30	37.2	32.9	—	—	—
Demonstrators, promoters, and models, sales ..	13.42	16.7	33.3	13.42	16.7	33.3	—	—	—
Sales support, n.e.c.	16.01	8.2	34.7	16.03	8.3	34.7	—	—	—
4	12.10	4.9	33.3	12.10	4.9	33.3	—	—	—
5	17.95	7.9	39.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	12.51	1.5	37.4	12.58	1.8	37.2	12.21	1.2	38.3
1	8.00	3.1	27.5	7.94	3.6	26.7	8.32	2.6	33.2
2	9.67	1.5	35.7	9.65	1.7	35.6	9.79	3.8	36.6
3	10.55	1.8	37.4	10.64	2.1	37.2	10.25	1.8	38.1
4	12.61	1.3	38.2	12.79	1.7	38.0	11.87	1.7	38.7
5	14.66	1.1	38.5	14.91	1.2	38.4	13.86	2.2	38.8
6	16.25	2.9	39.1	16.84	3.3	39.2	14.67	2.6	38.8
7	18.41	2.7	39.4	19.28	2.3	39.2	16.09	5.0	39.8
8	19.55	6.7	39.8	22.60	2.8	39.8	17.47	4.2	39.9
9	25.10	5.7	40.5	26.63	3.5	40.6	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	12.64	2.4	37.7	12.67	2.5	37.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, general office	17.24	3.2	40.1	17.32	4.2	40.3	17.00	2.1	39.7
5	14.12	5.2	39.9	14.07	5.2	40.0	—	—	—
6	17.31	3.8	39.8	17.32	4.3	39.8	17.29	10.4	40.0
7	17.73	3.7	40.2	17.61	3.8	40.3	18.61	4.6	39.0
8	17.98	6.4	40.2	21.92	3.1	40.8	—	—	—
9	23.67	3.6	39.5	23.67	3.6	39.5	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	17.13	4.8	38.3	17.13	4.8	38.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, computer equipment operators	19.43	14.3	40.3	17.92	24.9	40.4	—	—	—
Supervisors, financial records processing	19.58	4.1	39.8	19.43	4.0	39.8	—	—	—
7	20.07	2.8	40.9	20.29	2.5	41.0	—	—	—
Chief communications operators	21.76	7.5	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, distribution, scheduling, and adjusting clerks	21.42	7.4	40.4	22.48	8.9	40.6	—	—	—
7	18.04	6.0	40.7	18.97	7.6	40.9	—	—	—
9	30.85	3.1	41.3	30.85	3.1	41.3	—	—	—
Computer operators	14.30	5.6	40.0	15.57	3.7	40.0	13.34	3.3	40.0

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical—Continued									
Computer operators—Continued									
4	\$14.74	4.4	40.0	\$14.61	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.99	6.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peripheral equipment operators	13.77	15.4	40.0	13.77	15.4	40.0	—	—	—
Secretaries	14.17	2.2	38.7	14.52	2.0	38.7	\$13.21	3.3	38.7
2	10.80	6.2	36.0	11.01	6.7	36.2	9.26	4.6	34.0
3	10.58	3.9	38.2	10.51	4.4	38.9	10.89	3.0	35.5
4	13.27	4.9	38.7	14.01	4.7	38.1	12.08	4.7	39.6
5	15.04	1.6	39.5	15.25	2.0	39.4	14.42	4.3	39.7
6	16.78	7.9	38.3	18.52	11.3	39.4	14.63	6.3	37.1
7	19.35	2.0	38.9	19.74	2.8	38.7	17.69	4.6	39.9
Not able to be leveled	15.84	6.1	39.0	15.84	6.1	39.0	—	—	—
Stenographers	11.96	5.6	34.0	11.72	7.3	32.2	12.59	7.8	40.0
4	12.11	3.3	39.6	12.25	4.8	39.2	—	—	—
Typists	14.06	4.9	38.2	14.11	5.4	38.0	13.72	10.5	39.7
4	15.28	9.7	39.0	15.83	9.6	39.0	—	—	—
Interviewers	11.87	4.8	38.2	11.94	4.8	37.7	11.66	14.7	40.0
2	13.69	17.5	39.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	11.07	7.2	39.3	11.73	10.3	38.8	—	—	—
4	11.81	10.2	37.2	11.90	10.2	37.0	—	—	—
5	11.72	4.5	39.8	11.72	4.5	39.8	—	—	—
Hotel clerks	8.99	4.9	37.4	8.99	4.9	37.4	—	—	—
2	7.73	4.2	36.2	7.73	4.2	36.2	—	—	—
3	9.15	4.4	36.8	9.15	4.4	36.8	—	—	—
4	10.43	5.3	40.0	10.43	5.3	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	14.81	6.7	34.9	14.81	6.7	34.9	—	—	—
2	9.23	12.7	31.1	9.23	12.7	31.1	—	—	—
3	14.48	16.3	35.5	14.48	16.3	35.5	—	—	—
4	17.61	4.7	35.0	17.61	4.7	35.0	—	—	—
Receptionists	9.79	2.4	33.9	9.82	2.5	33.6	9.35	3.8	38.5
1	7.06	3.9	24.2	7.04	4.0	24.0	—	—	—
2	9.60	2.5	34.2	9.60	2.4	34.0	9.59	5.6	37.5
3	10.51	2.5	38.6	10.70	2.0	38.5	—	—	—
4	12.04	3.0	38.4	12.11	3.0	38.5	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	11.37	6.0	35.5	11.37	6.0	35.5	—	—	—
Information clerks, n.e.c.	11.58	4.9	37.7	11.59	5.1	37.6	11.35	7.8	39.4
2	9.09	5.4	36.8	9.10	5.4	36.8	—	—	—
3	9.96	3.9	31.0	9.94	4.3	30.6	—	—	—
4	12.29	8.1	39.9	12.36	9.1	39.9	11.71	9.8	40.0
5	14.77	9.9	40.0	14.78	9.9	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	12.48	5.6	40.0	12.48	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Correspondence clerks	12.52	1.1	39.7	12.52	1.1	39.7	—	—	—
Order clerks	13.27	3.6	38.4	13.31	3.5	38.4	—	—	—
2	9.59	5.3	36.9	9.59	5.3	36.9	—	—	—
3	10.77	2.9	36.2	10.77	2.9	36.2	—	—	—
4	14.23	4.2	39.7	14.35	4.3	39.7	—	—	—
5	15.66	4.9	39.8	15.98	5.1	39.7	—	—	—
6	17.59	9.9	39.9	17.59	9.9	39.9	—	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	13.21	4.3	39.0	12.65	4.2	38.5	14.05	6.5	39.8
3	9.71	2.6	36.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	13.36	5.1	39.1	13.28	5.2	39.1	—	—	—
5	14.05	3.6	39.2	14.31	6.6	39.7	—	—	—
6	16.26	5.3	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Library clerks	10.63	3.8	32.3	12.37	5.6	32.8	10.36	4.3	32.2
1	7.47	5.0	22.1	—	—	—	7.47	5.0	22.1
2	8.76	4.6	27.2	—	—	—	8.62	4.2	30.3
3	10.58	6.6	35.5	—	—	—	10.58	6.7	35.5
4	11.47	4.3	37.0	13.50	8.4	39.2	11.06	3.4	36.6

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical—Continued									
Library clerks—Continued									
5	\$12.11	5.6	31.5	—	—	—	\$12.11	5.6	31.5
File clerks	9.12	2.3	36.1	\$9.04	2.2	35.9	10.23	10.5	39.0
1	7.73	6.4	23.6	7.73	6.4	23.6	—	—	—
3	10.41	2.7	39.9	10.46	2.9	39.9	—	—	—
Records clerks, n.e.c.	12.34	3.5	37.3	12.30	4.1	37.8	12.50	3.0	35.1
2	10.63	9.6	37.5	10.43	8.2	37.4	—	—	—
3	11.12	7.9	34.0	11.40	9.1	34.2	10.01	5.1	33.3
4	12.71	6.1	38.3	12.74	7.3	39.7	12.55	4.5	33.0
5	16.20	3.7	36.6	16.48	3.6	36.4	—	—	—
6	14.17	6.9	38.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	10.98	12.0	40.0	10.98	12.0	40.0	—	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks ...	12.45	3.5	34.9	12.35	3.9	34.6	13.41	2.3	38.6
2	10.72	5.1	31.9	10.68	5.1	31.7	—	—	—
3	10.66	4.1	35.1	10.57	5.0	34.7	11.54	4.8	40.0
4	11.62	3.6	33.9	11.49	3.6	33.6	12.88	3.4	37.1
5	15.10	4.3	35.8	15.13	4.8	35.3	14.92	6.1	39.3
6	16.35	10.4	37.5	16.49	11.3	37.3	15.17	2.5	39.8
7	16.42	2.8	39.5	17.51	4.2	38.7	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	13.15	4.3	38.1	13.15	4.3	38.1	—	—	—
Payroll and timekeeping clerks	14.40	5.8	37.9	14.47	6.1	37.8	—	—	—
4	13.62	4.6	39.5	13.70	5.0	39.7	—	—	—
5	19.94	7.2	38.7	20.25	7.3	38.6	—	—	—
Billing clerks	10.57	4.2	39.8	10.55	4.2	39.8	—	—	—
4	11.86	4.3	39.9	11.85	4.3	39.9	—	—	—
5	13.26	6.0	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Billing, posting, and calculating machine operators	10.99	2.7	36.1	10.99	2.7	36.1	—	—	—
Duplicating machine operators	9.54	3.3	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Telephone operators	11.78	7.7	34.8	12.01	7.7	34.3	10.01	11.5	39.4
2	9.67	7.4	32.1	9.67	7.4	32.1	—	—	—
3	9.86	5.7	37.5	10.44	5.1	34.5	—	—	—
Communications equipment operators, n.e.c. ...	12.84	5.8	35.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mail clerks, except postal service	11.05	5.9	35.1	11.16	6.4	34.9	—	—	—
1	8.87	10.0	31.5	8.87	10.0	31.5	—	—	—
2	9.89	2.1	37.2	9.88	2.2	37.3	—	—	—
3	11.59	7.1	34.4	11.99	7.3	34.0	—	—	—
Messengers	9.46	6.1	31.5	9.44	7.1	30.6	—	—	—
1	8.43	9.6	27.1	8.51	9.8	27.4	—	—	—
3	11.92	8.5	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	14.07	6.7	41.1	14.17	10.5	42.0	13.93	4.2	39.8
3	12.10	12.0	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	13.06	3.8	41.7	12.26	6.2	45.0	13.54	3.9	40.0
5	16.79	6.8	40.9	—	—	—	14.51	8.8	40.0
6	16.58	5.1	42.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	20.46	12.5	39.8	—	—	—	18.20	11.8	39.7
Production coordinators	15.12	9.3	39.8	15.12	9.3	39.8	—	—	—
3	13.80	20.2	40.0	13.80	20.2	40.0	—	—	—
4	13.14	5.0	39.2	13.14	5.0	39.2	—	—	—
5	18.38	4.9	40.0	18.38	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	19.22	4.0	40.0	19.22	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Traffic, shipping and receiving clerks	11.55	4.7	39.1	11.58	4.8	39.1	—	—	—
2	10.05	5.4	38.2	10.05	5.4	38.2	—	—	—
3	10.53	3.8	39.2	10.56	3.9	39.1	—	—	—
4	12.19	5.5	38.9	12.22	5.6	38.9	—	—	—
5	14.07	9.5	40.0	14.07	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	11.97	1.2	39.0	11.94	1.4	38.9	12.16	3.9	40.0
1	7.75	8.2	37.3	7.75	8.2	37.3	—	—	—
2	10.80	6.6	34.6	11.19	6.9	33.5	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar—Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical—Continued									
Stock and inventory clerks—Continued									
3	\$11.40	2.0	39.1	\$11.44	2.0	39.1	—	—	—
4	12.13	3.2	40.0	12.20	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.03	3.6	40.0	15.21	5.5	40.0	\$13.03	2.5	40.0
Meter readers	13.06	6.5	39.9	13.58	9.2	40.0	11.84	5.6	39.6
3	13.09	4.3	39.9	13.93	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Weighers, measurers, checkers, and samplers	14.32	8.5	40.0	14.32	8.5	40.0	—	—	—
Expeditors	13.80	9.8	37.7	13.22	7.1	37.7	—	—	—
4	12.30	6.3	38.8	12.30	6.3	38.8	—	—	—
Material recording, scheduling, and distribution clerks, n.e.c.	10.39	7.0	38.9	10.39	7.0	38.9	—	—	—
4	12.43	15.4	37.8	12.43	15.4	37.8	—	—	—
7	18.76	3.9	40.0	18.76	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	16.62	7.9	39.3	16.84	8.8	39.2	—	—	—
4	12.74	3.1	39.6	12.74	3.1	39.6	—	—	—
5	14.16	4.4	39.8	13.80	5.9	39.7	—	—	—
6	15.26	7.3	39.5	15.26	7.3	39.5	—	—	—
7	21.79	7.8	39.8	21.79	7.8	39.8	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	14.11	1.3	38.9	14.11	1.3	38.9	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance ...	13.69	5.9	39.2	13.68	5.9	39.2	—	—	—
3	10.91	3.4	38.7	10.91	3.4	38.7	—	—	—
4	12.98	4.7	38.5	12.94	4.7	38.5	—	—	—
5	14.78	5.4	39.9	14.77	5.4	39.9	—	—	—
6	16.25	10.6	40.0	16.25	10.6	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	14.02	11.5	39.5	14.02	11.5	39.5	—	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	13.82	6.1	39.7	11.28	4.9	40.0	14.62	5.2	39.6
4	12.12	3.5	39.5	—	—	—	12.89	4.6	39.0
5	12.74	.7	40.0	—	—	—	12.76	.7	40.0
Bill and account collectors	13.03	2.8	37.0	12.88	3.3	36.8	—	—	—
3	11.09	5.0	36.1	10.92	5.1	35.9	—	—	—
4	13.14	5.2	35.4	13.05	5.2	35.3	—	—	—
5	14.24	4.5	40.0	13.79	6.9	40.0	—	—	—
General office clerks	11.80	1.7	37.6	11.83	2.1	36.9	11.73	2.6	39.3
1	7.85	9.6	24.4	7.87	11.3	23.4	—	—	—
2	9.54	3.8	35.3	9.51	4.3	35.1	9.88	4.0	36.6
3	10.59	3.6	37.7	10.66	4.7	37.1	10.42	4.2	39.4
4	12.63	2.4	39.2	13.34	3.4	39.0	11.51	2.5	39.4
5	13.33	2.5	38.9	13.54	4.4	38.5	12.94	1.8	39.7
6	17.20	6.3	40.0	19.00	8.2	39.9	—	—	—
7	18.48	3.3	35.5	18.16	3.3	33.2	19.00	6.2	40.0
Not able to be leveled	11.32	6.2	38.2	11.32	6.2	38.2	—	—	—
Bank tellers	10.08	.9	35.3	10.08	.9	35.3	—	—	—
2	9.33	2.6	33.4	9.33	2.6	33.4	—	—	—
3	10.34	3.3	34.9	10.34	3.3	34.9	—	—	—
4	10.31	2.7	38.2	10.31	2.7	38.2	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	10.16	3.4	34.1	10.16	3.4	34.1	—	—	—
Proofreaders	13.84	4.2	37.0	13.84	4.2	37.0	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	11.23	2.6	32.9	11.47	2.5	30.6	10.72	7.2	38.9
2	9.96	2.8	33.5	10.05	3.1	32.8	—	—	—
3	11.70	3.2	36.8	11.43	4.4	35.8	12.08	4.5	38.3
4	12.37	7.8	33.7	12.68	8.3	32.7	—	—	—
Statistical clerks	13.16	7.8	39.7	13.94	7.0	39.6	—	—	—
4	13.51	9.2	39.4	13.67	9.6	39.4	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	9.82	1.8	35.7	9.19	10.8	32.0	9.87	1.8	36.0
2	9.41	3.8	36.0	—	—	—	9.33	3.7	36.0
3	9.80	2.8	37.1	—	—	—	9.82	2.8	37.5
4	10.26	3.9	35.3	—	—	—	10.25	3.9	35.5
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.85	3.4	38.3	12.99	4.0	38.1	12.40	3.5	38.9

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Administrative support, n.e.c.—Continued									
1	\$9.18	10.7	30.5	\$9.18	10.7	30.5	—	—	—
2	9.67	4.5	37.1	9.70	4.8	37.5	—	—	—
3	9.61	5.1	37.4	9.60	5.9	37.4	\$9.69	2.1	37.4
4	12.39	2.7	39.1	12.64	2.4	39.1	11.64	3.4	39.3
5	13.96	3.7	38.7	14.35	5.9	38.2	13.07	5.0	39.7
6	16.52	4.7	39.3	18.15	5.8	39.0	13.75	1.9	39.8
7	19.27	7.8	40.0	19.74	9.5	40.0	17.47	11.9	39.9
Not able to be leveled	11.00	9.8	35.2	11.31	11.4	35.7	—	—	—
Blue collar	13.31	2.0	38.3	13.27	2.1	38.4	13.91	2.2	37.0
1	8.21	1.8	35.0	8.17	1.9	34.9	9.38	6.4	38.6
2	9.85	2.5	38.2	9.83	2.6	38.5	10.41	2.6	32.6
3	11.87	2.0	38.1	11.91	2.1	38.6	11.33	4.5	31.9
4	13.66	2.7	39.4	13.74	2.7	39.6	11.97	2.4	36.1
5	14.80	1.6	39.8	14.93	1.7	39.9	13.81	2.8	39.2
6	18.11	3.7	40.2	18.23	4.0	40.2	16.63	6.6	39.9
7	18.86	1.6	39.9	18.98	1.9	39.9	17.90	2.9	39.7
8	24.02	2.7	39.8	24.15	3.0	39.8	21.87	4.5	39.8
9	24.46	3.4	39.5	24.65	4.0	39.5	22.79	6.3	39.8
10	28.61	10.9	43.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	14.34	7.6	37.5	14.35	7.7	37.5	—	—	—
Precision production, craft, and repair									
1	16.75	2.0	39.7	16.88	2.1	39.7	15.33	2.9	39.9
2	8.37	6.0	38.4	8.37	6.0	38.4	—	—	—
3	11.08	8.9	39.0	11.22	9.8	38.9	9.85	3.3	40.0
4	11.39	1.9	39.3	11.31	2.1	39.2	11.92	5.9	40.0
5	12.92	3.6	39.8	13.04	3.7	39.8	11.35	2.7	39.9
6	14.56	2.4	39.9	14.69	2.5	39.9	13.63	4.0	39.9
7	18.40	5.1	40.2	18.43	5.3	40.2	18.02	8.3	40.0
8	18.80	1.9	39.8	18.98	2.2	39.8	17.20	1.8	39.9
9	24.14	3.0	39.8	24.18	3.1	39.8	23.11	2.6	39.7
10	24.87	2.7	39.4	25.25	3.2	39.3	20.65	8.7	40.0
Not able to be leveled	28.61	10.9	43.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, mechanics and repairers	16.07	6.4	39.4	16.11	6.5	39.4	—	—	—
6	23.62	7.8	40.8	23.97	9.4	41.0	22.17	7.8	39.9
7	23.05	18.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	21.79	4.4	41.7	22.26	4.8	42.2	19.99	9.6	40.0
9	23.93	5.3	39.9	24.24	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
Automobile mechanics	28.67	7.9	40.2	—	—	—	22.40	12.5	40.0
5	17.22	4.6	40.6	17.57	5.0	40.7	14.62	4.4	39.7
6	14.32	5.4	40.0	14.59	6.5	40.0	12.97	6.0	40.0
7	17.11	5.9	39.2	17.14	6.4	39.1	—	—	—
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	19.06	3.3	40.9	19.60	3.4	41.1	15.38	7.3	39.5
5	15.99	2.5	39.8	15.88	2.3	39.8	17.65	5.0	39.4
6	13.98	4.2	40.0	13.97	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
7	17.79	3.4	39.3	17.97	3.4	39.3	—	—	—
Aircraft engine mechanics	17.57	2.4	40.1	17.37	3.6	40.3	—	—	—
Automobile body and related repairers	25.49	6.1	40.0	25.49	6.1	40.0	—	—	—
Heavy equipment mechanics	18.57	22.0	40.0	18.57	22.0	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.82	3.5	38.6	15.09	3.2	38.5	—	—	—
6	12.76	4.9	40.0	13.05	4.6	40.0	—	—	—
7	17.88	9.1	40.0	18.64	7.7	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.46	6.0	40.0	16.48	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
4	18.89	4.7	39.8	18.93	4.8	39.8	16.53	2.5	39.8
5	14.57	10.1	39.4	14.57	10.1	39.4	—	—	—
6	14.95	2.2	39.7	14.95	2.2	39.7	—	—	—
7	18.79	6.8	40.0	18.83	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
7	20.96	3.0	39.5	20.96	3.0	39.5	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair—Continued									
Machinery maintenance	\$16.94	7.6	39.9	\$17.03	7.9	39.9	—	—	—
3	12.32	3.9	40.0	12.32	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
4	11.26	1.7	40.0	11.26	1.7	40.0	—	—	—
5	17.95	7.3	40.0	17.95	7.3	40.0	—	—	—
6	20.63	22.6	38.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	19.73	10.6	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electronic repairers, communications and industrial equipment	17.88	9.1	33.5	17.74	9.7	33.1	—	—	—
5	22.17	4.2	40.0	22.58	5.2	40.0	—	—	—
7	20.38	5.5	36.9	20.29	7.0	35.8	—	—	—
Data processing equipment repairers	20.71	9.2	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Household appliance and power tool repairers	12.06	7.2	40.0	12.06	7.2	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	22.60	2.4	40.0	23.28	1.6	40.0	—	—	—
7	23.66	5.0	40.0	23.66	5.0	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone installers and repairers	21.82	5.9	40.0	21.82	5.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	21.82	5.9	40.0	21.82	5.9	40.0	—	—	—
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics	15.34	4.5	39.9	15.41	5.9	39.9	\$15.14	9.5	40.0
5	15.14	9.3	39.7	13.90	8.6	39.6	—	—	—
6	16.79	1.8	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	16.10	5.0	40.0	16.33	6.4	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanical controls and valve repairers	17.22	8.4	40.0	17.29	9.4	40.0	—	—	—
5	15.72	5.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Millwrights	19.21	14.2	40.0	19.21	14.2	40.0	—	—	—
7	19.18	9.5	40.0	19.18	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	15.80	3.9	38.6	16.37	3.6	38.2	13.99	5.9	40.0
3	11.91	6.6	38.1	10.82	10.0	35.9	12.78	10.8	40.0
4	11.54	9.0	40.0	11.62	11.2	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.27	3.1	40.0	14.78	4.9	40.0	13.48	3.5	40.0
6	15.55	6.9	40.0	15.56	7.8	40.0	15.51	8.6	40.0
7	19.34	3.1	34.6	19.77	3.4	33.5	17.68	6.3	40.0
8	23.37	8.8	39.9	23.37	8.8	39.9	—	—	—
Supervisors, carpenters and related workers	24.82	9.1	37.3	24.82	9.1	37.3	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	23.77	7.7	40.0	23.51	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	20.71	15.6	39.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, construction trades, n.e.c.	20.12	4.1	40.9	21.11	4.2	41.1	16.38	3.8	40.0
6	21.15	20.8	40.0	23.51	20.4	40.0	14.91	5.5	40.0
7	21.05	5.7	41.3	22.03	8.0	41.6	17.64	6.9	40.0
8	20.49	7.5	41.7	20.51	7.7	41.8	—	—	—
9	20.79	6.7	40.1	22.32	4.7	40.0	—	—	—
Carpenters	15.46	3.6	40.0	15.48	3.9	40.0	14.98	12.4	40.0
5	13.75	2.9	40.0	13.74	2.9	40.0	—	—	—
6	18.70	13.4	40.0	18.71	13.7	40.0	—	—	—
7	17.28	4.9	40.0	17.21	4.9	40.0	—	—	—
Drywall installers	14.65	3.3	40.0	14.65	3.3	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.42	3.6	40.0	14.42	3.6	40.0	—	—	—
Electricians	16.39	9.2	39.7	16.38	10.2	39.7	16.54	4.5	39.7
6	19.00	13.3	40.0	19.00	13.3	40.0	—	—	—
7	17.31	5.3	39.3	17.45	6.5	39.2	16.55	4.2	40.0
Electrician apprentices	15.46	13.8	40.0	15.46	13.8	40.0	—	—	—
Electrical power installers and repairers	19.57	4.9	40.0	19.47	5.2	40.0	20.40	11.6	40.0
5	15.24	9.7	40.0	14.49	14.9	40.0	—	—	—
6	17.92	5.8	40.0	17.92	5.8	40.0	—	—	—
7	22.64	3.1	40.0	22.77	3.4	40.0	—	—	—
8	24.40	1.5	40.0	24.88	2.2	40.0	—	—	—
Painters, construction and maintenance	11.91	4.8	40.0	11.80	5.4	40.0	—	—	—
4	12.92	2.4	40.0	12.92	2.4	40.0	—	—	—
Plumbers, pipefitters and steamfitters	17.26	4.1	40.0	17.31	4.2	40.0	16.26	6.6	40.0
7	18.22	5.3	40.0	18.39	5.2	40.0	16.37	7.2	40.0

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002–Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar –Continued									
Precision production, craft, and repair –Continued									
Plumber, pipefitter, and steamfitter apprentices	\$11.50	4.7	40.0	\$11.50	4.7	40.0	–	–	–
Insulation workers	13.70	8.7	40.0	13.70	8.7	40.0	–	–	–
Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators	12.03	4.7	40.0	11.40	4.1	40.0	–	–	–
Sheetmetal duct installers	14.93	6.7	40.0	14.93	6.7	40.0	–	–	–
Construction trades, n.e.c.	13.05	5.6	40.0	13.94	6.3	40.2	\$12.25	3.9	39.9
2	13.03	17.4	40.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
3	11.57	2.6	40.0	11.77	3.5	40.0	11.36	2.3	40.0
4	11.04	3.1	39.7	–	–	–	10.80	3.2	39.6
5	12.76	2.2	40.4	–	–	–	12.59	1.6	40.0
7	16.81	3.4	39.8	–	–	–	19.79	16.3	39.0
Supervisors, production	18.86	5.6	40.8	18.84	5.6	40.8	–	–	–
5	16.27	15.0	40.4	16.27	15.0	40.4	–	–	–
6	16.77	3.1	43.4	16.77	3.1	43.4	–	–	–
7	18.14	3.9	40.6	18.14	3.9	40.6	–	–	–
8	26.18	6.2	40.5	26.18	6.2	40.5	–	–	–
9	23.21	4.4	40.1	23.19	4.6	40.1	–	–	–
Not able to be leveled	27.93	7.2	41.6	27.93	7.2	41.6	–	–	–
Tool and die makers	18.74	5.0	40.0	18.92	5.1	40.0	–	–	–
7	19.76	4.2	40.0	20.18	4.4	40.0	–	–	–
Precision assemblers, metal	18.81	6.3	40.0	18.81	6.3	40.0	–	–	–
Machinists	18.16	5.0	39.8	18.16	5.0	39.8	–	–	–
5	15.44	2.8	40.0	15.44	2.8	40.0	–	–	–
7	19.63	6.1	40.0	19.63	6.1	40.0	–	–	–
Sheet metal workers	12.89	3.9	40.0	12.89	3.9	40.0	–	–	–
5	13.32	6.5	40.0	13.32	6.5	40.0	–	–	–
Furniture and wood finishers	11.95	3.5	40.0	11.95	3.5	40.0	–	–	–
Upholsterers	16.57	19.1	40.0	16.57	19.1	40.0	–	–	–
4	17.38	7.5	40.0	17.38	7.5	40.0	–	–	–
5	19.09	.0	40.0	19.09	.0	40.0	–	–	–
6	18.21	8.3	40.0	18.21	8.3	40.0	–	–	–
Optical goods workers	10.76	17.4	39.1	10.76	17.4	39.1	–	–	–
Electrical and electronic equipment assemblers	11.93	5.8	39.4	11.93	5.8	39.4	–	–	–
2	9.52	3.3	38.8	9.52	3.3	38.8	–	–	–
3	9.81	7.0	40.0	9.81	7.0	40.0	–	–	–
5	13.97	12.9	40.0	13.97	12.9	40.0	–	–	–
6	16.61	4.1	39.8	16.61	4.1	39.8	–	–	–
Miscellaneous precision workers, n.e.c.	16.12	4.4	39.9	16.12	4.4	39.9	–	–	–
Butchers and meat cutters	9.98	8.4	39.5	9.98	8.4	39.5	–	–	–
4	12.61	2.2	36.3	12.61	2.2	36.3	–	–	–
5	10.66	11.6	40.0	10.66	11.6	40.0	–	–	–
Bakers	9.82	4.2	34.0	9.65	5.9	32.0	–	–	–
2	9.56	5.5	37.0	8.34	5.2	32.6	–	–	–
Food batchmakers	12.57	10.7	42.1	12.57	10.7	42.1	–	–	–
Inspectors, testers, and graders	16.41	8.6	39.8	16.31	9.0	39.8	–	–	–
4	18.36	24.1	40.0	18.36	24.1	40.0	–	–	–
5	13.20	11.0	39.1	13.20	11.0	39.1	–	–	–
6	18.47	5.2	40.0	18.32	5.1	40.0	–	–	–
7	15.04	3.7	40.0	14.81	2.5	40.0	–	–	–
Precision inspectors, testers, and related workers, n.e.c.	22.42	6.8	40.0	22.42	6.8	40.0	–	–	–
Water and sewer treatment plant operators	15.42	4.6	39.9	15.86	20.2	40.0	15.33	5.4	39.9
5	13.49	5.0	39.7	–	–	–	13.49	5.0	39.7
7	17.52	3.4	40.0	–	–	–	17.25	4.3	40.0
Power plant operators	24.36	9.8	40.0	25.19	10.2	40.0	–	–	–
Stationary engineers	19.47	6.2	40.0	19.47	6.2	40.0	–	–	–
Miscellaneous plant and system operators, n.e.c.	18.04	11.6	39.3	17.99	12.2	39.3	–	–	–
7	21.37	3.4	40.0	21.78	3.9	40.0	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	\$12.31	2.8	39.5	\$12.28	2.8	39.6	\$17.83	21.6	38.3
1	8.14	3.2	39.0	8.14	3.3	39.0	—	—	—
2	9.48	1.8	39.8	9.48	1.8	39.8	—	—	—
3	12.38	3.0	39.7	12.39	3.0	39.7	—	—	—
4	13.97	2.5	39.4	13.98	2.5	39.4	—	—	—
5	15.06	2.9	39.6	15.06	2.9	39.6	—	—	—
6	17.74	6.4	39.8	17.74	6.4	39.8	—	—	—
7	19.11	6.1	39.8	18.80	6.2	39.8	—	—	—
8	23.54	8.6	38.7	23.54	8.6	38.7	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	11.66	8.1	38.4	11.66	8.1	38.4	—	—	—
Lathe and turning machine operators	11.16	8.9	40.0	11.16	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Punching and stamping press operators	11.82	10.1	40.0	11.82	10.1	40.0	—	—	—
4	14.01	7.9	40.0	14.01	7.9	40.0	—	—	—
Drilling and boring machine operators	11.24	7.4	40.0	11.24	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Grinding, abrading, buffing, and polishing machine operators	10.46	5.6	40.0	10.46	5.6	40.0	—	—	—
2	8.62	4.3	40.0	8.62	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.08	14.7	40.0	11.08	14.7	40.0	—	—	—
4	11.44	9.1	40.0	11.44	9.1	40.0	—	—	—
Numerical control machine operators	13.07	8.6	39.9	13.07	8.6	39.9	—	—	—
4	14.25	.7	40.0	14.25	.7	40.0	—	—	—
Fabricating machine operators, n.e.c.	13.13	3.8	38.9	13.13	3.8	38.9	—	—	—
3	12.38	2.4	34.1	12.38	2.4	34.1	—	—	—
4	12.48	4.2	39.8	12.48	4.2	39.8	—	—	—
5	16.00	4.8	40.0	16.00	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Molding and casting machine operators	13.30	16.1	39.9	13.30	16.1	39.9	—	—	—
3	12.33	1.7	39.8	12.33	1.7	39.8	—	—	—
Wood lathe, routing, and planing machine operators	12.10	2.9	40.0	12.10	2.9	40.0	—	—	—
Sawing machine operators	12.15	4.1	39.1	12.15	4.1	39.1	—	—	—
2	11.86	20.1	36.5	11.86	20.1	36.5	—	—	—
3	11.62	4.2	39.8	11.62	4.2	39.8	—	—	—
4	11.95	3.2	40.0	11.95	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
Shaping and jointing machine operators	11.74	2.2	39.9	11.74	2.2	39.9	—	—	—
Printing press operators	17.30	3.9	38.8	17.35	4.0	39.2	—	—	—
4	14.05	7.3	36.8	14.04	8.3	39.6	—	—	—
5	16.59	6.0	39.4	16.59	6.0	39.4	—	—	—
6	18.26	7.2	39.4	18.26	7.2	39.4	—	—	—
7	19.09	4.0	38.8	19.09	4.0	38.8	—	—	—
Photoengravers and lithographers	14.84	8.7	39.9	14.84	8.7	39.9	—	—	—
Typesetters and compositors	14.23	11.1	39.4	14.23	11.1	39.4	—	—	—
Winding and twisting machine operators	13.32	10.4	39.8	13.32	10.4	39.8	—	—	—
1	7.58	8.9	39.7	7.58	8.9	39.7	—	—	—
2	9.60	3.0	39.6	9.60	3.0	39.6	—	—	—
3	11.59	2.4	39.7	11.59	2.4	39.7	—	—	—
Knitting, looping, taping, and weaving machine operators	11.56	5.5	40.0	11.56	5.5	40.0	—	—	—
2	10.57	5.8	40.0	10.57	5.8	40.0	—	—	—
3	12.30	1.8	39.9	12.30	1.8	39.9	—	—	—
Textile cutting machine operators	10.35	7.5	39.9	10.35	7.5	39.9	—	—	—
2	9.41	3.8	40.0	9.41	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
3	9.74	9.4	40.0	9.74	9.4	40.0	—	—	—
Textile sewing machine operators	9.85	11.6	39.3	9.85	11.6	39.3	—	—	—
1	7.01	9.2	37.9	7.01	9.2	37.9	—	—	—
2	8.17	4.8	39.9	8.17	4.8	39.9	—	—	—
3	11.49	10.1	39.8	11.49	10.1	39.8	—	—	—
4	15.42	4.8	37.7	15.42	4.8	37.7	—	—	—
Pressing machine operators	8.54	6.4	38.5	8.54	6.4	38.5	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	8.02	5.2	38.9	7.99	5.6	38.8	—	—	—
1	7.60	3.4	39.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	9.50	9.6	39.4	9.50	9.6	39.4	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors									
—Continued									
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators									
—Continued									
3	\$10.63	8.3	40.0	\$10.63	8.3	40.0	—	—	—
Packaging and filling machine operators	12.08	7.4	39.5	12.08	7.4	39.5	—	—	—
1	8.83	17.0	39.1	8.83	17.0	39.1	—	—	—
2	9.70	3.2	40.0	9.70	3.2	40.0	—	—	—
3	12.52	8.7	40.0	12.52	8.7	40.0	—	—	—
4	13.28	7.5	39.4	13.28	7.5	39.4	—	—	—
5	19.86	11.5	39.3	19.86	11.5	39.3	—	—	—
Extruding and forming machine operators	14.21	3.2	39.0	14.21	3.2	39.0	—	—	—
2	12.21	3.4	40.0	12.21	3.4	40.0	—	—	—
3	12.92	2.7	39.8	12.92	2.7	39.8	—	—	—
4	14.61	7.4	39.8	14.61	7.4	39.8	—	—	—
5	14.44	1.3	36.9	14.44	1.3	36.9	—	—	—
Mixing and blending machine operators	13.71	6.7	39.7	13.71	6.7	39.7	—	—	—
2	11.03	3.8	40.0	11.03	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.71	4.0	40.0	11.71	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
4	14.21	2.3	39.4	14.21	2.3	39.4	—	—	—
5	19.86	16.0	39.0	19.86	16.0	39.0	—	—	—
Separating, filtering, and clarifying machine operators	17.45	4.1	39.7	17.49	4.2	39.7	—	—	—
7	17.39	5.9	40.0	17.52	7.1	40.0	—	—	—
Compressing and compacting machine operators	11.04	8.8	39.9	11.04	8.8	39.9	—	—	—
Painting and paint spraying machine operators	17.27	19.4	40.3	17.27	19.4	40.3	—	—	—
2	10.12	.8	39.6	10.12	.8	39.6	—	—	—
3	14.69	16.2	40.0	14.69	16.2	40.0	—	—	—
Folding machine operators	11.00	3.1	39.9	11.00	3.1	39.9	—	—	—
Furnace, kiln, and oven operators, except food	16.44	12.0	39.9	16.44	12.0	39.9	—	—	—
Crushing and grinding machine operators	13.94	13.2	39.8	13.94	13.2	39.8	—	—	—
Slicing and cutting machine operators	13.01	5.2	39.5	13.01	5.2	39.5	—	—	—
2	10.55	5.4	37.9	10.55	5.4	37.9	—	—	—
3	12.03	4.2	40.0	12.03	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
4	13.40	3.1	40.0	13.40	3.1	40.0	—	—	—
Photographic process machine operators	9.22	11.6	30.4	9.28	12.3	30.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	13.62	5.8	39.4	13.63	5.8	39.4	—	—	—
1	8.18	5.0	37.4	8.18	5.0	37.4	—	—	—
2	9.57	2.7	39.9	9.57	2.7	39.9	—	—	—
3	12.47	3.4	39.5	12.47	3.4	39.5	—	—	—
4	14.69	4.7	39.0	14.77	4.7	39.0	—	—	—
5	16.17	4.8	39.2	16.17	4.8	39.2	—	—	—
6	21.30	5.7	39.4	21.30	5.7	39.4	—	—	—
7	22.43	12.0	40.0	22.43	12.0	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	13.42	19.7	40.0	13.42	19.7	40.0	—	—	—
Welders and cutters	15.08	5.0	39.9	14.49	3.8	39.9	—	—	—
4	13.84	7.2	40.0	13.84	7.2	40.0	—	—	—
5	14.04	7.8	39.7	14.04	7.8	39.7	—	—	—
6	14.32	1.6	40.0	14.32	1.6	40.0	—	—	—
7	20.35	9.1	40.0	18.73	9.5	40.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	12.30	15.0	40.0	12.30	15.0	40.0	—	—	—
Assemblers	11.35	5.4	39.8	11.35	5.4	39.8	—	—	—
1	8.37	4.2	38.9	8.37	4.2	38.9	—	—	—
2	9.72	3.0	40.0	9.72	3.0	40.0	—	—	—
3	14.85	7.3	39.8	14.85	7.3	39.8	—	—	—
4	13.39	5.8	40.0	13.39	5.8	40.0	—	—	—
5	13.32	3.9	39.9	13.32	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Hand cutting and trimming	13.50	6.2	40.0	13.50	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.97	7.8	40.0	11.97	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
4	16.94	.0	40.0	16.94	.0	40.0	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors—Continued									
Miscellaneous hand working, n.e.c.	\$12.26	6.2	40.0	\$12.26	6.2	40.0	—	—	—
1	8.82	7.2	40.0	8.82	7.2	40.0	—	—	—
2	9.69	5.3	39.9	9.69	5.3	39.9	—	—	—
4	15.47	4.8	40.0	15.47	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners	10.65	5.3	39.3	10.65	5.3	39.3	—	—	—
1	8.71	4.8	40.0	8.71	4.8	40.0	—	—	—
2	9.13	2.9	40.0	9.13	2.9	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.03	1.6	40.0	11.03	1.6	40.0	—	—	—
4	12.25	4.6	36.8	12.25	4.6	36.8	—	—	—
5	14.13	9.4	39.8	14.13	9.4	39.8	—	—	—
6	17.84	4.4	40.0	17.84	4.4	40.0	—	—	—
Production testers	12.58	18.3	39.9	12.58	18.3	39.9	—	—	—
4	12.53	33.3	40.0	12.53	33.3	40.0	—	—	—
5	15.10	2.4	39.7	15.10	2.4	39.7	—	—	—
Graders and sorters, except agricultural	8.70	13.1	39.6	8.70	13.1	39.6	—	—	—
2	9.31	11.1	39.7	9.31	11.1	39.7	—	—	—
Hand inspectors, n.e.c.	9.53	9.2	39.9	9.53	9.2	39.9	—	—	—
2	9.00	3.1	40.0	9.00	3.1	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	13.15	4.4	37.4	13.12	4.9	38.2	\$13.39	1.7	32.1
1	8.79	5.0	33.5	8.73	5.5	33.6	—	—	—
2	9.80	6.3	34.7	9.63	7.1	35.8	11.44	4.3	27.2
3	11.71	3.6	36.9	11.81	4.0	38.7	10.96	6.8	27.6
4	14.30	4.0	39.8	14.42	4.1	40.3	12.54	3.5	33.4
5	15.70	3.8	40.6	16.56	5.4	42.0	13.99	3.3	38.0
6	17.77	2.0	41.8	18.42	3.1	42.5	15.31	2.4	39.4
7	20.49	4.1	39.9	20.79	4.8	40.8	—	—	—
8	21.74	3.2	40.5	21.84	4.3	40.7	—	—	—
9	26.27	4.9	40.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	16.05	17.9	35.1	16.06	17.9	35.1	—	—	—
Supervisors, motor vehicle operators	18.10	9.0	40.9	17.71	9.3	42.2	—	—	—
7	19.11	14.5	42.4	19.11	14.5	42.4	—	—	—
Truck drivers	13.82	6.5	39.8	13.89	6.8	39.8	12.37	4.2	39.6
1	9.54	7.2	36.6	9.54	7.2	36.6	—	—	—
2	9.89	4.2	38.5	9.84	4.1	38.4	—	—	—
3	11.70	5.7	38.1	11.76	6.0	38.1	10.71	8.4	38.9
4	14.52	3.2	41.1	14.62	3.2	41.2	12.00	4.3	40.0
5	16.40	7.5	42.6	16.60	9.0	43.1	15.26	5.2	40.0
6	19.41	5.6	47.4	19.80	5.4	48.3	—	—	—
Driver-sales workers	11.64	5.6	37.1	11.64	5.6	37.1	—	—	—
1	7.53	13.7	33.6	7.53	13.7	33.6	—	—	—
2	7.36	15.1	29.7	7.36	15.1	29.7	—	—	—
4	12.81	8.6	39.8	12.81	8.6	39.8	—	—	—
5	18.27	4.2	43.4	18.27	4.2	43.4	—	—	—
Bus drivers	12.87	3.7	26.8	11.83	8.9	30.2	13.50	3.0	25.1
2	11.33	8.8	22.6	10.54	18.6	23.3	12.02	4.7	22.0
3	10.58	8.7	24.5	8.00	3.6	35.9	11.52	8.2	22.0
4	13.80	3.7	29.3	—	—	—	13.44	8.4	24.9
5	16.18	5.1	35.8	—	—	—	15.68	5.7	34.9
Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs	6.90	7.7	34.5	6.85	6.9	34.2	—	—	—
2	6.89	8.4	34.4	6.79	7.3	34.2	—	—	—
Parking lot attendants	6.82	6.0	30.1	6.80	6.0	30.3	—	—	—
1	6.98	4.6	26.1	6.95	4.8	26.4	—	—	—
Motor transportation, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	12.87	13.0	40.0
3	7.75	9.5	29.8	7.66	9.3	29.5	—	—	—
Supervisors, material moving equipment	16.16	17.2	40.0	16.18	16.9	40.0	—	—	—
7	22.45	7.6	40.0	22.45	7.6	40.0	—	—	—
Operating engineers	16.59	7.8	40.0	17.62	7.5	40.0	13.76	3.0	40.0
5	14.71	3.8	40.0	—	—	—	13.80	4.0	40.0

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Transportation and material moving—Continued									
Crane and tower operators	\$15.48	7.8	40.0	\$15.48	7.8	40.0	—	—	—
4	14.69	4.5	40.0	14.69	4.5	40.0	—	—	—
Excavating and loading machine operators	13.48	5.7	40.0	13.73	8.8	40.0	\$12.97	6.8	39.9
3	11.09	4.5	39.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	13.48	4.8	40.0	13.75	3.5	40.0	—	—	—
5	13.31	15.3	40.0	12.81	7.4	40.0	13.66	21.3	40.0
Grader, dozer, and scrapper operators	12.46	4.5	39.9	12.26	6.0	40.0	13.06	4.5	39.6
4	12.90	4.1	40.0	13.14	4.0	40.0	—	—	—
Industrial truck and tractor equipment operators	12.34	5.2	39.5	12.37	5.3	39.5	10.72	8.3	40.0
2	10.42	1.8	38.5	10.42	1.8	38.5	—	—	—
3	12.01	5.9	39.8	12.02	5.9	39.8	—	—	—
4	15.31	5.9	40.1	15.38	5.8	40.1	—	—	—
5	17.26	7.9	40.0	17.75	7.0	40.0	—	—	—
Miscellaneous material moving equipment operators, n.e.c.	14.89	12.6	39.4	15.21	12.4	39.7	13.64	15.4	38.4
2	10.72	4.3	39.6	10.67	4.7	39.5	—	—	—
3	11.91	7.1	39.0	12.34	6.9	38.8	—	—	—
5	13.19	8.5	37.3	16.97	3.9	40.0	—	—	—
6	19.98	8.4	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers									
.....	10.00	1.6	36.1	9.95	1.7	35.9	11.00	3.8	39.1
1	8.18	2.1	34.0	8.12	2.2	33.8	9.33	7.0	39.1
2	10.06	2.2	38.1	10.08	2.3	38.1	9.42	3.6	38.5
3	11.71	3.3	37.4	11.70	3.4	37.3	11.74	5.2	39.7
4	12.64	3.4	37.9	12.67	3.4	38.0	11.98	4.9	36.3
5	14.43	7.0	38.2	14.41	7.7	38.0	14.66	3.4	40.0
6	16.89	6.5	40.1	17.76	6.1	40.2	13.40	16.9	40.0
7	17.13	17.9	43.1	16.93	20.2	43.6	18.71	5.2	40.0
Not able to be leveled	10.12	6.9	37.0	10.10	7.0	37.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, agriculture-related workers	17.23	13.0	41.6	17.02	15.0	41.8	18.94	13.8	40.0
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm ...	10.10	5.6	38.5	10.07	7.0	38.5	10.17	4.2	38.4
1	8.57	2.4	38.4	8.31	2.7	37.5	8.96	2.7	39.8
2	9.62	6.5	38.3	9.64	7.0	38.8	—	—	—
3	11.91	6.9	39.4	11.84	7.5	39.3	12.17	12.0	40.0
4	11.88	7.8	33.3	—	—	—	12.09	6.8	29.4
Animal caretakers, except farm	11.46	7.0	39.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Supervisors, handlers, equipment cleaners, and laborers, n.e.c.	17.57	4.4	40.3	18.20	4.6	40.4	15.33	6.6	40.0
4	13.11	10.4	40.0	13.11	10.4	40.0	—	—	—
5	16.63	11.7	39.5	17.62	12.4	39.3	—	—	—
6	17.28	11.0	40.2	18.89	10.5	40.2	—	—	—
7	21.52	4.7	42.4	21.57	5.0	42.6	—	—	—
Helpers, mechanics and repairers	10.46	6.7	39.1	10.44	6.9	39.1	10.97	7.3	40.0
2	10.87	10.0	40.0	10.90	10.2	40.0	—	—	—
3	10.00	12.5	40.0	9.88	12.8	40.0	—	—	—
4	13.56	5.1	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Helpers, construction trades	10.74	6.4	39.9	10.67	6.8	39.9	13.62	5.4	40.0
1	8.66	6.6	39.8	8.66	6.6	39.8	—	—	—
2	9.48	8.5	39.8	9.47	8.6	39.8	—	—	—
4	12.90	8.7	40.0	12.80	8.9	40.0	—	—	—
Construction laborers	9.94	2.4	37.7	9.94	2.9	37.5	9.97	7.6	39.9
1	8.39	3.6	39.1	8.28	3.9	39.0	—	—	—
2	9.80	4.3	40.0	9.91	4.5	40.0	—	—	—
5	16.04	8.0	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Production helpers	11.31	7.0	39.6	11.31	7.0	39.6	—	—	—
1	8.15	6.0	38.9	8.15	6.0	38.9	—	—	—
2	12.17	6.6	39.9	12.17	6.6	39.9	—	—	—
3	10.98	4.9	39.7	10.98	4.9	39.7	—	—	—
4	14.39	3.7	39.8	14.39	3.7	39.8	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Blue collar—Continued									
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers—Continued									
Garbage collectors	\$11.34	5.7	39.6	\$10.88	8.5	39.8	\$11.46	6.8	39.6
1	11.12	10.7	38.9	—	—	—	11.45	11.7	39.2
2	10.34	6.3	41.2	—	—	—	10.29	6.5	40.0
Stock handlers and baggers	9.15	3.4	30.4	9.15	3.4	30.3	—	—	—
1	7.63	2.9	26.7	7.63	2.9	26.7	—	—	—
2	9.53	3.4	34.8	9.53	3.4	34.7	—	—	—
3	10.40	2.8	36.5	10.40	2.8	36.5	—	—	—
4	13.65	4.1	39.4	13.65	4.1	39.4	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	8.92	8.9	31.6	8.92	8.9	31.6	—	—	—
Machine feeders and offbearers	9.97	2.2	39.6	9.97	2.2	39.6	—	—	—
1	8.69	5.3	39.3	8.69	5.3	39.3	—	—	—
2	10.78	5.0	40.0	10.78	5.0	40.0	—	—	—
3	11.32	7.5	40.0	11.32	7.5	40.0	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	10.30	3.9	34.8	10.29	3.9	34.7	—	—	—
1	8.80	5.2	33.9	8.80	5.2	33.9	—	—	—
2	10.46	4.9	36.0	10.46	4.9	36.0	—	—	—
3	14.42	8.5	36.5	14.65	7.8	36.3	—	—	—
4	11.40	11.4	33.2	11.40	11.4	33.2	—	—	—
5	15.61	10.5	37.8	15.61	10.5	37.8	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	8.69	16.6	40.0	8.69	16.6	40.0	—	—	—
Garage and service station related	9.17	15.0	40.1	9.13	15.6	40.1	—	—	—
Vehicle washers and equipment cleaners	8.99	4.0	37.3	8.99	4.0	37.4	—	—	—
1	7.87	4.4	37.4	7.89	4.5	37.7	—	—	—
2	10.65	11.3	40.0	10.62	11.6	40.0	—	—	—
Hand packers and packagers	8.88	4.2	36.2	8.88	4.2	36.2	—	—	—
1	8.05	3.2	35.7	8.05	3.2	35.7	—	—	—
2	9.75	2.1	36.4	9.75	2.1	36.4	—	—	—
3	12.43	4.7	39.9	12.43	4.7	39.9	—	—	—
4	12.67	3.9	39.9	12.67	3.9	39.9	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	9.71	4.6	38.1	9.75	4.8	38.0	9.22	5.0	39.0
1	8.32	5.4	37.9	8.28	5.7	37.8	8.70	8.0	38.9
2	10.11	5.0	38.2	10.15	5.2	38.2	9.41	1.9	38.9
3	12.72	12.5	38.9	12.89	12.8	38.9	10.02	7.1	40.0
4	11.40	7.2	39.8	11.37	7.2	39.9	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	13.73	9.0	38.3	13.74	9.7	38.1	—	—	—
Service	9.56	1.4	32.5	8.35	1.5	31.1	13.62	1.9	38.4
1	6.74	1.6	28.4	6.57	1.8	27.9	8.46	3.0	34.3
2	7.35	2.3	30.3	7.12	2.6	29.7	8.94	3.8	35.2
3	8.58	2.3	34.9	8.34	2.7	35.1	10.11	1.8	34.2
4	11.17	2.4	36.0	11.03	3.1	35.4	11.79	2.6	38.6
5	13.31	2.1	39.1	13.30	3.5	36.4	13.32	3.7	40.6
6	14.66	2.5	35.2	14.70	5.8	29.0	14.63	1.4	41.3
7	19.93	2.6	37.2	24.98	7.4	26.7	18.63	2.4	41.4
8	18.27	3.2	41.4	15.64	12.7	42.2	18.83	2.2	41.2
9	22.48	5.6	41.7	—	—	—	22.37	5.9	41.9
10	27.13	2.3	41.1	—	—	—	27.15	2.3	41.0
11	30.37	9.6	42.9	—	—	—	30.37	9.6	42.9
Not able to be leveled	8.93	7.4	32.8	8.47	5.4	32.6	—	—	—
Protective service	14.15	2.1	37.1	9.77	3.7	31.1	16.20	4.4	40.8
1	7.10	7.8	33.7	6.91	7.2	34.6	9.76	6.3	24.4
2	7.85	5.2	30.2	7.82	5.4	30.5	—	—	—
3	9.32	3.5	33.4	9.14	4.1	33.5	12.01	4.7	32.4
4	12.24	3.1	37.8	10.46	6.5	34.8	12.88	1.9	38.9
5	13.33	3.0	40.4	12.66	11.7	34.0	13.37	3.3	40.9
6	15.75	2.9	33.4	21.17	7.0	16.1	14.74	1.9	41.8
7	18.32	2.1	40.1	—	—	—	18.36	2.1	41.5
8	18.88	2.4	41.5	—	—	—	18.86	2.4	41.5
9	22.37	5.9	41.9	—	—	—	22.37	5.9	41.9

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Protective service—Continued									
10	\$27.15	2.3	41.0	—	—	—	\$27.15	2.3	41.0
11	30.37	9.6	42.9	—	—	—	30.37	9.6	42.9
Not able to be leveled	15.82	23.0	40.7	\$11.22	11.5	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, firefighters and fire prevention	23.44	6.7	48.8	—	—	—	23.44	6.7	48.8
7	16.56	15.7	52.7	—	—	—	16.56	15.7	52.7
8	22.57	3.9	44.6	—	—	—	22.57	3.9	44.6
9	21.97	7.3	51.5	—	—	—	21.97	7.3	51.5
10	26.72	7.8	43.6	—	—	—	26.72	7.8	43.6
Supervisors, police and detectives	23.98	5.1	40.4	—	—	—	23.98	5.1	40.4
7	18.30	2.9	40.0	—	—	—	18.30	2.9	40.0
8	18.56	7.3	40.4	—	—	—	18.56	7.3	40.4
9	26.51	5.0	40.2	—	—	—	26.51	5.0	40.2
10	26.91	4.1	40.5	—	—	—	26.91	4.1	40.5
11	36.25	11.4	41.1	—	—	—	36.25	11.4	41.1
Supervisors, guards	14.23	8.4	36.3	13.67	7.7	38.6	15.17	13.4	33.1
4	12.13	6.5	31.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	15.06	15.7	40.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	17.32	16.1	40.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fire inspection and fire prevention	15.79	10.8	47.3	—	—	—	15.79	10.8	47.3
Firefighting	14.60	3.9	47.7	—	—	—	14.37	4.3	47.7
4	10.90	5.6	51.2	—	—	—	10.90	5.6	51.2
5	12.63	7.5	51.4	—	—	—	12.63	7.5	51.4
6	14.51	3.3	46.8	—	—	—	14.07	4.2	46.0
7	16.17	8.4	46.2	—	—	—	16.17	8.4	46.2
8	17.19	2.5	45.9	—	—	—	17.19	2.5	45.9
Police and detectives, public service	19.14	1.5	40.2	—	—	—	19.18	1.5	40.2
5	15.27	3.8	40.1	—	—	—	15.60	2.8	40.1
6	15.33	3.2	40.0	—	—	—	15.33	3.2	40.0
7	20.31	3.6	40.2	—	—	—	20.31	3.6	40.2
8	19.07	2.6	40.2	—	—	—	19.07	2.6	40.2
9	21.21	4.5	40.2	—	—	—	21.21	4.5	40.2
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	15.16	2.6	39.9	—	—	—	15.16	2.6	40.0
4	12.64	4.0	39.6	—	—	—	12.64	4.0	39.6
5	13.55	10.4	37.6	—	—	—	13.55	10.4	37.6
6	14.52	4.9	40.8	—	—	—	14.52	4.9	40.8
7	16.94	5.6	39.4	—	—	—	16.98	6.0	39.8
Correctional institution officers	13.51	4.1	40.0	—	—	—	13.51	4.1	40.0
4	12.30	2.9	40.0	—	—	—	12.30	2.9	40.0
5	13.34	4.1	40.0	—	—	—	13.35	4.1	40.0
6	15.59	4.3	40.2	—	—	—	15.59	4.3	40.2
7	17.36	9.3	40.1	—	—	—	17.36	9.3	40.1
Crossing guards	9.38	7.9	19.1	—	—	—	9.38	7.9	19.1
1	9.21	10.6	19.4	—	—	—	9.21	10.6	19.4
Guards and police, except public service	9.58	3.6	31.2	9.46	3.8	31.0	12.94	3.7	39.3
1	6.91	7.1	34.6	6.91	7.2	34.6	—	—	—
2	7.79	5.1	31.6	7.79	5.1	31.6	—	—	—
3	9.19	4.2	33.9	9.16	4.2	33.8	—	—	—
4	9.84	3.9	33.9	9.87	4.0	33.8	—	—	—
5	13.42	9.1	36.5	13.43	17.2	34.2	13.40	3.4	40.0
6	25.32	8.7	10.4	25.32	8.7	10.4	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	10.73	3.8	40.0	10.73	3.8	40.0	—	—	—
Protective service, n.e.c.	12.58	10.4	32.6	8.44	7.5	24.6	14.78	10.9	39.4
3	9.64	10.6	25.2	—	—	—	12.17	10.1	33.5
4	11.07	4.1	34.2	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	11.54	.7	31.6	—	—	—	13.40	7.3	40.0
Food service	7.00	2.6	29.5	6.84	2.8	29.4	9.36	2.4	31.9
1	5.95	2.7	26.7	5.84	2.9	26.6	8.26	2.2	30.5
2	6.04	4.5	27.4	5.91	4.6	27.3	8.67	9.0	28.0
3	7.00	5.3	33.9	6.87	6.1	34.3	8.77	3.6	29.7
4	10.50	3.1	39.0	10.47	3.0	39.0	—	—	—

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TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Food service—Continued									
5	\$10.93	3.8	40.5	\$10.76	5.1	40.8	\$11.47	6.3	39.5
6	13.94	5.1	41.6	14.02	5.8	42.3	—	—	—
7	16.39	20.8	40.8	16.39	20.8	40.8	—	—	—
8	16.17	16.9	43.3	16.17	16.9	43.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	7.82	4.6	29.1	7.82	4.6	29.1	—	—	—
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	3.83	3.4	27.3	3.83	3.4	27.3	—	—	—
1	3.91	2.8	27.2	3.91	2.8	27.2	—	—	—
2	3.67	8.2	24.9	3.67	8.2	24.9	—	—	—
3	3.62	10.1	32.4	3.62	10.1	32.4	—	—	—
4	6.84	25.1	28.8	6.84	25.1	28.8	—	—	—
Bartenders	4.74	6.1	28.5	4.74	6.1	28.5	—	—	—
2	4.28	5.5	23.8	4.28	5.5	23.8	—	—	—
3	4.75	13.9	34.6	4.75	13.9	34.6	—	—	—
4	7.05	32.7	23.8	7.05	32.7	23.8	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	3.17	5.6	26.6	3.17	5.6	26.6	—	—	—
1	3.06	6.2	26.2	3.06	6.2	26.2	—	—	—
2	3.27	11.1	25.1	3.27	11.1	25.1	—	—	—
3	3.11	10.5	31.5	3.11	10.5	31.5	—	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	5.84	4.9	28.9	5.84	4.9	28.9	—	—	—
1	5.76	5.3	29.0	5.76	5.3	29.0	—	—	—
2	6.19	32.7	26.8	6.19	32.7	26.8	—	—	—
Other food service	8.20	1.8	30.5	8.10	2.1	30.4	9.36	2.4	31.9
1	6.79	2.6	26.5	6.69	2.8	26.3	8.26	2.2	30.5
2	7.72	2.5	29.4	7.64	2.6	29.6	8.67	9.0	28.0
3	8.21	2.6	34.5	8.15	3.0	35.1	8.77	3.6	29.7
4	10.68	3.2	39.7	10.66	3.1	39.8	—	—	—
5	11.32	2.7	40.9	11.27	3.1	41.4	11.47	6.3	39.5
6	13.94	5.1	41.6	14.02	5.8	42.3	—	—	—
7	16.39	20.8	40.8	16.39	20.8	40.8	—	—	—
8	16.17	16.9	43.3	16.17	16.9	43.3	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	9.08	6.2	31.8	9.08	6.2	31.8	—	—	—
Supervisors, food preparation and service	11.59	5.1	40.3	11.52	5.7	40.5	12.07	8.2	38.7
3	7.19	5.2	38.1	7.19	5.2	38.1	—	—	—
4	10.35	4.5	41.3	10.11	4.3	41.8	—	—	—
5	11.13	3.9	41.7	11.10	4.6	42.6	11.21	7.5	39.4
6	14.10	5.3	41.9	14.25	6.1	42.8	—	—	—
7	16.54	22.0	40.8	16.54	22.0	40.8	—	—	—
Cooks	8.80	3.1	33.9	8.82	3.2	33.9	8.53	5.8	33.6
1	6.74	4.2	29.0	6.75	4.4	29.1	—	—	—
2	8.19	4.8	30.4	8.18	5.5	30.5	—	—	—
3	8.66	4.0	35.7	8.67	4.5	35.4	8.53	3.9	38.3
4	10.69	2.8	38.6	10.66	2.8	38.6	—	—	—
5	11.91	7.4	40.0	11.91	7.4	40.0	—	—	—
Food counter, fountain, and related	6.98	3.7	26.3	6.98	3.7	26.4	—	—	—
1	6.54	3.5	25.1	6.53	3.5	25.0	—	—	—
2	6.36	4.0	27.5	6.36	4.0	27.5	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	7.42	5.2	30.3	7.25	5.3	30.2	8.88	4.4	31.1
1	6.51	7.4	30.4	6.30	6.4	30.4	8.79	4.5	30.8
2	7.66	3.8	29.1	7.58	3.4	29.1	—	—	—
3	8.17	4.6	30.1	8.13	5.4	30.9	8.37	9.0	26.5
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.47	2.0	28.1	7.26	2.5	27.8	8.99	4.4	30.3
1	7.10	2.4	25.7	6.95	3.3	25.2	8.18	2.7	30.8
2	7.77	3.8	30.4	7.67	4.2	31.4	8.56	1.6	24.5
3	7.94	4.4	36.5	7.68	3.2	38.0	9.91	8.9	28.1
4	10.16	10.9	37.4	9.68	12.5	36.7	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	7.59	16.0	26.2	7.59	16.0	26.2	—	—	—
Health service	9.70	2.4	35.0	9.66	2.7	34.7	10.01	5.3	36.7
1	7.87	6.7	32.0	8.15	6.1	31.1	—	—	—
2	8.50	2.3	34.4	8.52	2.7	34.2	8.30	7.7	36.0
3	9.77	5.1	36.1	9.69	6.1	36.2	10.17	4.3	35.5
4	10.81	1.8	34.4	10.83	2.1	33.9	10.61	2.7	39.0

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002—Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Health service—Continued									
5	\$12.19	4.8	35.3	\$11.72	1.9	36.1	—	—	—
6	11.76	6.8	37.7	10.69	9.9	36.5	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	8.49	14.4	37.1	8.49	14.4	37.1	—	—	—
Dental assistants	14.95	11.1	35.0	14.64	10.0	35.7	—	—	—
4	13.38	3.9	34.3	13.38	3.9	34.3	—	—	—
Health aides, except nursing	10.15	3.4	35.4	10.17	3.6	35.1	\$9.96	7.4	38.9
1	8.18	10.5	34.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	8.47	5.6	34.6	8.39	6.4	34.3	—	—	—
3	9.29	4.8	38.2	—	—	—	11.31	4.1	38.1
4	10.89	2.0	33.9	10.90	2.1	33.6	10.69	3.1	39.7
5	11.36	5.2	39.4	11.36	5.2	39.4	—	—	—
6	11.13	9.8	37.9	10.57	10.5	37.6	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	9.05	2.2	34.7	8.91	2.3	34.5	9.86	5.5	36.3
1	7.57	6.6	30.3	7.57	6.6	30.5	—	—	—
2	8.47	2.7	34.3	8.50	3.1	34.1	8.15	8.2	35.9
3	9.36	1.9	34.9	9.22	2.6	35.0	9.85	3.7	34.9
4	10.09	3.1	35.6	9.91	3.5	34.6	10.57	3.4	38.6
5	12.10	4.6	33.2	12.08	4.7	33.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	8.20	14.6	37.0	8.20	14.6	37.0	—	—	—
Cleaning and building service	9.01	2.2	34.5	8.72	1.9	33.4	10.02	5.1	38.6
1	7.87	1.0	31.9	7.72	1.2	30.9	8.62	2.5	37.7
2	8.77	2.3	36.4	8.47	3.4	34.7	9.15	5.7	39.0
3	10.04	2.6	39.2	9.93	3.4	39.2	10.42	2.1	39.1
4	11.03	3.4	38.5	11.06	4.0	37.9	10.96	3.7	40.0
5	14.23	8.2	37.7	14.39	10.1	37.3	13.43	8.8	39.9
6	11.49	15.7	40.1	11.16	16.7	40.4	—	—	—
7	22.53	16.2	39.9	17.50	7.1	40.0	27.16	14.8	39.8
Not able to be leveled	8.71	7.1	38.1	8.71	7.1	38.1	—	—	—
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	14.18	10.4	39.7	12.32	5.9	39.7	20.26	21.4	39.8
3	10.06	3.6	40.0	9.74	4.2	40.0	—	—	—
4	11.69	5.0	38.0	11.66	5.2	38.0	—	—	—
5	13.61	8.9	40.1	13.73	10.2	40.2	—	—	—
6	11.00	16.3	40.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
7	23.31	19.1	39.9	—	—	—	27.75	14.1	39.8
Maids and housemen	7.99	3.3	37.3	8.02	3.6	37.1	7.47	5.4	40.0
1	7.68	1.7	36.4	7.71	1.8	36.2	—	—	—
2	7.85	2.7	39.9	7.80	3.3	39.8	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	8.95	2.1	32.9	8.73	2.7	31.0	9.46	2.1	38.4
1	7.97	1.3	29.9	7.72	1.6	28.1	8.79	2.2	37.5
2	9.02	2.9	35.6	8.77	4.2	32.8	9.27	6.1	38.9
3	10.59	3.6	39.1	10.69	5.0	39.1	10.36	2.3	39.0
4	10.71	3.4	38.6	10.54	4.7	37.6	10.92	3.7	40.0
5	16.52	6.7	31.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	9.38	8.1	38.0	9.38	8.1	38.0	—	—	—
Personal service	10.38	4.1	30.7	10.33	4.7	30.3	10.71	3.7	33.3
1	7.10	4.0	25.9	6.97	3.8	25.8	8.73	10.6	27.8
2	7.61	2.2	29.0	7.32	2.1	28.3	9.18	5.4	34.0
3	8.60	4.2	33.2	8.01	3.5	33.3	10.27	2.8	33.0
4	11.87	8.7	34.5	11.95	9.5	34.5	10.76	5.1	34.7
5	18.38	11.5	32.0	19.24	14.9	31.2	14.32	13.1	36.5
6	12.50	2.9	37.7	12.46	2.5	38.2	13.04	6.0	32.0
Supervisors, personal service	13.95	5.4	38.6	13.46	4.6	39.3	15.27	11.7	36.5
5	12.48	16.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	12.42	1.1	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hairdressers and cosmetologists	12.39	12.1	28.2	12.39	12.1	28.2	—	—	—
4	13.60	11.2	32.5	13.60	11.2	32.5	—	—	—
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	7.98	3.9	25.6	7.49	5.1	23.8	8.72	6.1	28.8
1	6.59	4.3	22.9	6.29	6.6	18.1	6.92	3.0	31.9
2	7.64	6.4	21.3	7.08	4.2	18.0	8.60	4.4	31.1

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 6. Occupations¹ and levels,² South Atlantic: Mean hourly earnings³ and weekly hours, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey,⁴ July 2002–Continued

Occupations and levels	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours
	Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁵ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Personal service—Continued									
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities—Continued									
3	\$7.38	7.7	25.7	—	—	—	\$8.19	12.8	19.9
4	10.18	10.3	33.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Guides	10.54	7.5	33.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ushers	8.90	2.4	31.3	\$8.91	2.4	31.4	—	—	—
Public transportation attendants	34.96	9.5	20.3	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	33.05	3.5	20.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Baggage porters and bellhops	5.72	6.5	37.3	5.72	6.5	37.3	—	—	—
1	6.01	4.9	39.0	6.01	4.9	39.0	—	—	—
Welfare service aides	9.90	7.1	30.7	9.50	10.4	28.9	11.13	11.9	37.9
2	8.49	2.8	32.8	—	—	—	8.59	1.8	35.1
3	9.71	1.2	38.0	—	—	—	9.71	1.2	38.0
4	10.36	9.6	28.0	10.26	11.8	26.3	10.81	1.8	40.0
Early childhood teachers' assistants	7.89	6.4	32.8	6.92	4.9	31.7	10.53	3.8	36.1
1	6.22	7.1	29.8	6.05	1.6	29.6	—	—	—
2	8.27	3.2	31.3	7.77	6.4	30.1	10.33	12.5	37.9
3	9.22	10.4	36.4	—	—	—	10.34	4.0	35.1
4	8.10	8.6	38.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	8.21	3.1	30.9	8.21	3.0	31.2	8.10	14.0	21.2
1	6.81	5.7	18.8	6.83	5.8	19.1	—	—	—
2	6.93	4.5	30.1	6.91	4.7	30.0	—	—	—
3	7.96	2.8	36.9	7.92	2.7	37.2	—	—	—
4	11.51	9.6	39.5	11.53	9.6	39.8	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	10.26	12.5	33.8	10.30	13.9	34.0	9.96	6.2	31.7
1	7.57	4.5	33.7	7.55	4.8	33.7	—	—	—
2	7.72	12.1	31.0	7.75	12.9	31.5	—	—	—
3	9.67	3.7	33.3	9.45	5.4	34.7	10.20	5.5	30.2
4	14.55	17.7	33.5	14.78	17.8	33.2	—	—	—
6	10.37	5.5	38.1	10.20	4.4	38.0	—	—	—
Not able to be leveled	10.11	4.9	40.0	10.11	4.9	40.0	—	—	—

¹ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

² Each occupation for which data are collected in an establishment is evaluated based on 10 factors, including knowledge, complexity, work environment, and so forth. Points are assigned based on the occupation's rank within each factor. The points are summed to determine the overall level of the occupation. See the Technical Note for more information.

³ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers,

weighted by hours.

⁴ In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January 2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

⁵ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see Technical Note.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

Technical Note

The data in this bulletin are based on the National Compensation Survey (NCS) conducted by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) throughout the year. The surveys are locality-based and cover establishments in private industry and State and local governments. Bulletins are issued for individual localities when sufficient data meet publication standards. Agriculture, private households, and the Federal Government are excluded from the scope of the survey.

Survey scope. In the South Atlantic Census Division, the NCS studied 4,325 establishments representing approximately 14,836,300 workers within the scope of the survey. Beginning with the 1999 NCS, private sector establishments with one or more workers are included in the survey. State and local governments with 50 or more workers also are included. The number of workers represented by the survey is shown in table A, and the number of establishments is shown in table B. For purposes of this survey, an establishment is an economic unit that produces goods or services, a central administrative office, or an auxiliary unit providing support services to a company. For private industries in this survey, the establishment is usually at a single physical location. For State and local governments, an establishment is defined as all locations of a government entity.

Sampling frame. The list of establishments from which the survey sample was selected (sampling frame) was developed from the State unemployment insurance reports. The reference month for the public sector is June 1994. Due to the volatility of industries within the private sector, sampling frames were developed using the most recent month of reference available at the time the sample was selected. The reference month for the private sector varied by area.

Sample design and data collection. The sample for this survey was selected using a three-stage design. The first stage consisted of the selection of areas. The nationwide NCS sample consists of 154 metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas that represent the Nation's 326 metropolitan statistical areas and the remaining portions of the 50 States. Metropolitan areas are designated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA) or Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (CMSA), as defined in 1994 by the Office of Management and Budget. Nonmetropolitan areas are counties that do not fit the metropolitan area definition.

The NCS locality areas that contribute to the South Atlantic Census Division are:

Atlanta, GA, MSA
Augusta-Aiken, GA-SC, MSA

Charleston-North Charleston, SC, MSA
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC, MSA
Citrus County, FL
Craven County, NC
Decatur County, GA
Dorchester County, MD
Franklin County, VA
Georgetown County, SC
Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point, NC, MSA
Greenville-Spartanburg-Anderson, SC, MSA
Greenwood County, SC
Hickory-Morganton-Lenoir, NC, MSA
Liberty County, GA
Melbourne-Titusville-Palm Bay, FL, MSA
Miami-Fort Lauderdale, FL, CMSA
Montgomery County, VA
Moore County, NC
Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Newport News, VA-NC, MSA
Ocala, FL, MSA
Orlando, FL, MSA
Polk County, NC
Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill, NC, MSA
Richmond-Petersburg, VA, MSA
Tallahassee, FL, MSA
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL, MSA
Tattnall County, GA
Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, CMSA
Washington County, GA

In the second stage, the sample of establishments was drawn by first stratifying the sampling frame by ownership and industry. The number of sample establishments allocated to each stratum is approximately proportional to the stratum employment. Each sampled establishment is selected within a stratum with a probability proportional to its employment. Use of this technique means that the larger an establishment's employment, the greater the establishment's chance of selection. Weights were applied to each establishment when the data were tabulated so that the establishment represents similar units (by industry and employment size) in the economy which were not selected for data collection.

The third stage of sample selection was a probability sample of occupations within a sampled establishment. In the South Atlantic region, data were collected between December 2001 and January 2003, with an average reference period of July 2002.

Occupational selection and classification. Identification of the occupations for which wage data were collected was a four-step process:

1. Probability-proportional-to-size selection of establishment jobs
2. Classification of jobs into occupations based on the Census of Population system
3. Characterization of jobs as full-time vs. part-time, union vs. nonunion, and time vs. incentive
4. Determination of the level of work of each job

For each occupation, wage data were collected for those workers who met all the criteria identified in the last three steps. Special procedures were developed for jobs for which a correct classification or level could not be determined.

In step one, the jobs to be sampled were selected at each establishment by the BLS field economist during a personal visit. A complete list of employees was used for sampling, with each selected worker representing a job within the establishment. As with the selection of establishments, the selection of a job was based on probability proportional to its size in the establishment. The greater the number of people working in a job in the establishment, the greater its chance of selection.

The second step of the process entailed classifying the selected jobs into occupations based on their duties. The NCS occupational classification system is based on the 1990 Census of Population. A selected job may fall into any one of about 480 occupational classifications, from accountant to wood lathe operator. For cases in which a job's duties overlapped two or more census classification codes, duties used to set the wage level were used to classify the job. Classification by primary duties was the fallback.

In step three, certain other job characteristics of the chosen workers were identified. First, the worker was identified as holding either a full-time or part-time job, based on the establishment's definition of those terms. Then, the worker was classified as having a time versus incentive job, depending on whether any part of pay was directly based on the actual production of the worker, rather than solely on hours worked. Finally, the worker was identified as being in a union or a nonunion job.

The fourth step in the job classification procedure was to determine the work level of each of the establishment's selected jobs, using an *occupational leveling* process. This process, involving discussions between the BLS field economist and respondent, ranks and compares all selected establishment occupations using 10 leveling factors. For more information on occupational leveling and an example of how to use the criteria for leveling a job, see appendixes C and D of any published NCS locality bulletin or visit <http://www.bls.gov/ncs/ocs/compub.htm> on the World Wide Web. The Web site also has a link to the NCS job descriptions.

Data reliability. The data in this bulletin are estimates from

a scientifically selected probability sample. There are two types of errors possible in an estimate based on a sample survey, sampling and nonsampling.

Sampling errors occur because observations come only from a sample and not from an entire population. The sample used for this survey is one of a number of possible samples of the same size that could have been selected using the sample design. Estimates derived from the different samples would differ from each other.

A measure of the variation among these differing estimates is called the standard error or sampling error. It indicates the precision with which an estimate from a particular sample approximates the average of estimates from all possible samples. The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error divided by the estimate. Tables in this bulletin provide RSE data for indicated series.

The relative standard error can be used to calculate a *confidence interval* around a sample estimate. As an example, suppose the mean hourly earnings for all workers were \$17.18 per hour, with a relative standard error of 0.8 percent for this estimate. At the 90-percent level, the confidence interval for this estimate is \$16.90 to \$17.46 ($\$17.18 \times 1.645 \times 0.008 = \0.2828 , round to \$0.28); ($\$17.18 - .28 = \16.90 ; $\$17.18 + .28 = \17.46). If all possible samples were selected to estimate the population value, the interval from each sample would include the true population value approximately 90 percent of the time.

Nonsampling errors also affect survey results. These errors can stem from many sources, such as inability to obtain information for some establishments, difficulties with survey definitions, inability of the respondents to provide correct information, or mistakes in recording or coding the data obtained. Although such errors were not specifically measured, efforts were made to minimize nonsampling errors by the extensive training of field economists who gathered survey data by personal visit, computer editing of the data, and detailed data review.

Census area divisions. Data are tabulated by census divisions defined as follows: **New England**—Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, and Rhode Island; **Middle Atlantic**—New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania; **East North Central**—Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin; **West North Central**—Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Nebraska; **South Atlantic**—Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia; **East South Central**—Alabama, Kentucky, Mississippi, and Tennessee; **West South Central**—Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas; **Mountain**—Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, and Nevada; and **Pacific**—Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii, and Alaska. Some census divisions include CMSAs and MSAs that cross State lines.

TABLE A. Number of workers¹ represented by the survey, by occupational group,² South Atlantic, National Compensation Survey,³ July 2002

Occupational group	All industries	Private industry	State and local government
All	14,836,300	12,229,200	2,607,100
All, excluding sales	13,300,800	10,706,500	2,594,300
White collar	7,760,600	6,009,600	1,751,000
White collar, excluding sales	6,225,100	4,486,800	1,738,300
Professional specialty and technical	2,574,800	1,601,100	973,700
Professional specialty occupations	2,030,300	1,153,800	876,500
Technical occupations	544,500	447,300	97,200
Executive, administrative, and managerial	1,154,300	897,000	257,300
Sales	1,535,500	1,522,700	12,700
Administrative support, including clerical	2,496,000	1,988,700	507,300
Blue collar	4,158,300	3,882,300	276,000
Precision production, craft, and repair	1,309,100	1,194,800	114,300
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	1,018,300	1,012,600	5,600
Transportation and material moving	702,400	596,800	105,600
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	1,128,600	1,078,100	50,400
Service	2,917,400	2,337,300	580,100

¹ Number of workers represented by the survey are rounded to the nearest 100. Estimates of the number of workers provide a description of size and composition of the labor force included in the survey. Estimates are not intended, however, for comparison with other statistical series to measure employment trends or levels. Both full-time and part-time workers were included in the survey.

² A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. For more information, see Technical Note.

³ In this census division, data were collected between December 2001 and January 2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

TABLE B. Number of establishments studied by industry group and establishment employment size, South Atlantic, National Compensation Survey,¹ July 2002

Industry division	Number of establishments studied						
	Total	1 to 99 workers ²	100 to 499 workers	500 to 999 workers	1,000 to 2,499 workers	2,500 to 4,999 workers	5,000 or more workers
All	4,325	1,697	1,438	440	408	193	149
Private Industry	3,827	1,653	1,299	349	320	133	73
Goods-producing industries	1,026	347	419	129	87	27	17
Mining	32	21	10	—	1	—	—
Construction	182	133	45	2	2	—	—
Manufacturing	812	193	364	127	84	27	17
Durable goods	384	97	149	67	46	15	10
Nondurable goods	428	96	215	60	38	12	7
Service-producing industries	2,801	1,306	880	220	233	106	56
Transportation and utilities	291	89	104	37	37	15	9
Wholesale trade	175	95	58	9	11	2	—
Retail trade	687	427	214	20	21	5	—
Finance, insurance and real estate	268	140	58	19	29	17	5
Services	1,380	555	446	135	135	67	42
State and local government	498	44	139	91	88	60	76

¹ In this census division, collection was conducted between December 2001 and January 2003. The average reference period was July 2002.

² Estimates include private establishments employing 1 to 99 workers and State and local government establishments employing 50 to 99 workers.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported. Overall industry and industry groups may include data for categories not shown separately.