

2019 West Virginia County Data Profile

Mercer County

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This publication compiles three sets of data. The first set comes from the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey, which includes data on selected Social, Economic, Housing, and Demographic characteristics. The second set is the labor force statistics from the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, which includes data on Total Labor Force, Total Employment, Unemployment, and Unemployment Rate. The third set comes from the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, which includes data on: Personal Income; Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment; Compensation by Industry; Regional Income and Expenses; Transfer Payments; and Farm Income and Expenses.

Data containing industry break-down are presented in two sets. The first is presented in terms of the U.S. Standard Industrial Classification system (SIC) and the second is in terms of the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The SIC data cover the years from 1969 to 2000, while the NAICS data cover the years from 2001 to 2018.

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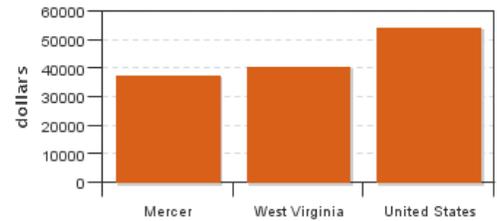
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Mercer is one of 55 counties in West Virginia. It is part of the Bluefield, WV-VA Micropolitan Statistical Area. Its 2018 population of 59,131 ranked 8th in the state.

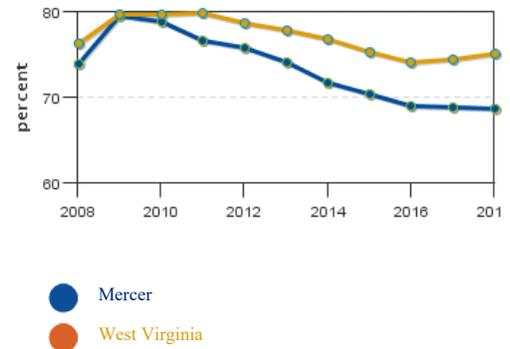
Per Capita Personal Income

In 2018, Mercer had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$37,452. This PCPI ranked 23rd in the state and was 92 percent of the state average, \$40,873, and 69 percent of the national average, \$54,446. The 2018 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.8 percent from 2017. The 2017-2018 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 2008, the PCPI of Mercer was \$30,215 and ranked 16th in the state. The 2008-2018 compound annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.2 percent. The compound annual growth rate for the state was 2.7 percent and for the nation was 2.9 percent.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2018



Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States



Personal Income

In 2018, Mercer had a personal income of \$2,214,560*. This personal income ranked 12th in the state and accounted for 3.0 percent of the state total. In 2008, the personal income of Mercer was \$1,868,732* and ranked 11th in the state.

*Personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

	2017-2018 percent change	2008-2018 CAGR
Mercer	3.6 %	1.7 %
West Virginia	5.1 %	2.5 %
U.S.	5.6 %	3.7 %

CAGR: compound annual growth rate

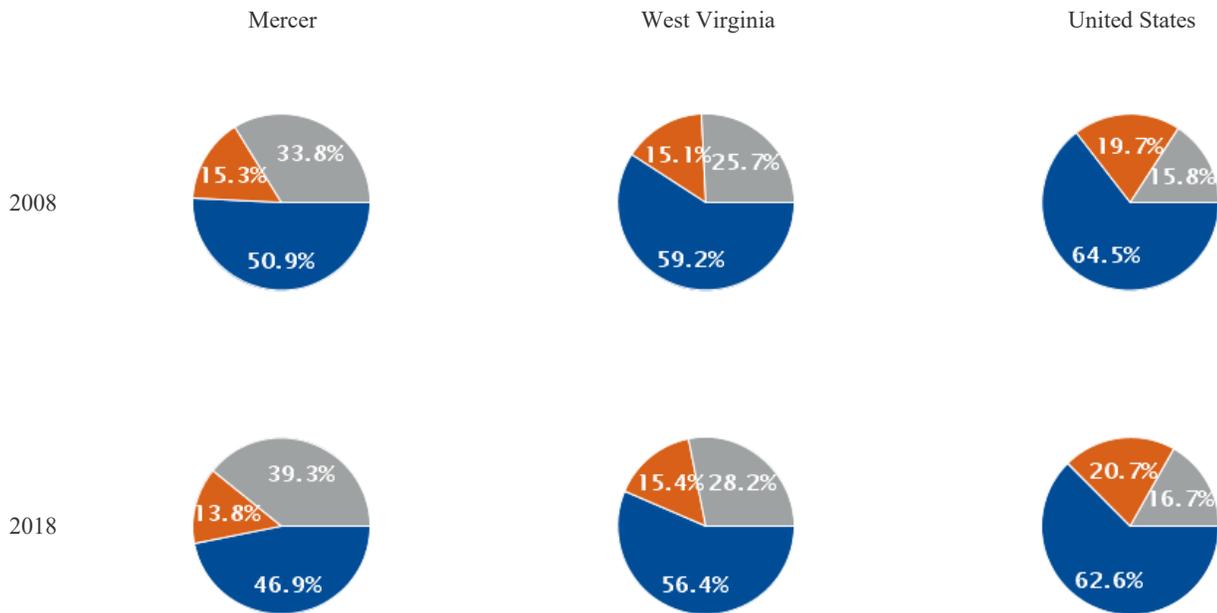
Components of Personal Income

Personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Mercer.

	2017-2018 percent change			2008-2018 CAGR		
	Mercer	West Virginia	U.S.	Mercer	West Virginia	U.S.
Net earnings	4.1 %	5.8 %	5.0 %	0.9 %	2.0 %	3.3 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	6.9 %	7.6 %	8.4 %	0.7 %	2.8 %	4.1 %
Personal current transfer receipts	1.9 %	2.5 %	4.3 %	3.3 %	3.5 %	4.3 %

CAGR: compound annual growth rate

Percent Contribution to Personal Income



- Net earnings by place of residence
- Dividends, interest, and rent
- Personal current transfer receipts

DP02: SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Mercer County

Subject	Estimate	Percent
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Total households	24882	100.0%
Family households (families)	15765	63.4
With own children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	5867	23.6
Married-couple family	11105	44.6
With own children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	3342	13.4
Male householder, no wife present	1212	4.9
With own children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	750	3
Female householder, no husband present	3448	13.9
With own children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	1775	7.1
Nonfamily households	9117	36.6
Householder living alone	7952	27.7
65 years and over	3852	15.5
Households w/ 1 or more people < 18 yrs	7052	28.3
Households w/ 1 or more people 65+	8973	36.1
Average household size	2.38	(X)
Average family size	2.98	(X)
RELATIONSHIP		
Population in households	59327	100.0%
Householder	24882	41.9
Spouse	11172	18.8
Child	15492	26.1
Other relatives	4623	7.8
Nonrelatives	3158	5.3
Unmarried partner	1609	2.7
MARITAL STATUS		
Males 15 years and over	23520	100.0%
Never married	7024	29.9
Now married, except separated	11808	50.2
Separated	412	1.8
Widowed	1008	4.3
Divorced	3268	13.9
Females 15 years and over	26622	100.0%
Never married	6152	23.1
Now married, except separated	12045	45.2
Separated	270	1
Widowed	3953	14.8
Divorced	4202	15.8
FERTILITY		
Number of women 15 to 50 years old	765	100.0%
Unmarried (widowed,divorced,never mar.)	354	46.3
Per 1,000 unmarried women	47	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 50 years old	58	(X)
Per 1,000 women 15 to 19 years old	13	(X)
Per 1,000 women 20 to 34 years old	114	(X)
Per 1,000 women 35 to 50 years old	18	(X)

Subject	Estimate	Percent
GRANDPARENTS		
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	1818	100%
Grandparents responsible for grandchild. Years responsible for grandchildren	1006	55.3
Less than 1 year	215	11.8
1 or 2 years	121	6.7
3 or 4 years	102	5.6
5 or more years	568	31.2
Number of grandparents responsible for own grandchildren under 18 years	1006	100.0%
Who are female	548	54.5
Who are married	774	76.9
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Population 3 yrs & over enrolled in school	13036	100.0%
Nursery school, preschool	726	5.6
Kindergarten	672	5.2
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	5488	42.1
High school (grades 9-12)	2775	21.3
College or graduate school	3375	25.9
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT		
Population 25 years and over	42909	100.0%
Less than 9th grade	2589	6
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	4080	9.5
High school graduate (incl. equivalency)	17045	39.7
Some college, no degree	8138	19
Associate's degree	2482	5.8
Bachelor's degree	5570	13
Graduate or professional degree	3005	7
High school graduate or higher	36240	84.5
Bachelor's degree or higher	8575	20
VETERAN STATUS		
Civilian population 18 years and over	48047	100.0%
Civilian veterans	4363	9.1
DISABILITY STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN NON-INSTITUTIONALIZED POP.		
Total Civilian Noninstitutionalized Pop.	60043	100.0%
With a disability	16057	26.7
Under 18 years	12361	100.0%
With a disability	1178	9.5
18 to 64 years	35369	100.0%
With a disability	8358	23.6
65 years and over	12313	100.0%
With a disability	6521	53

DP02: SELECTED SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

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Subject	Estimate	Percent
RESIDENCE 1 YEAR AGO		
Population 1 year and over	59797	100.0%
Same house	50817	85
Different house in the U.S.	8873	14.8
Same county	5837	9.8
Different county	3036	5.1
Same state	1302	2.2
Different state	1734	2.9
Abroad	107	0.2
PLACE OF BIRTH		
Total population	60486	100.0%
Native	59849	98.9
Born in United States	59674	98.7
State of residence	46773	77.3
Different state	12901	21.3
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Islands., abroad	175	0.3
Foreign born	637	1.1
U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS		
Foreign-born population	637	100.0%
Naturalized U.S. citizen	441	69.2
Not a U.S. citizen	196	30.8
YEAR OF ENTRY		
Population born outside the United States	812	812
Native	175	100.0%
Entered 2010 or later	6	3.4
Entered before 2010	169	96.6
Foreign born	637	100.0%
Entered 2010 or later	162	25.4
Entered before 2010	475	74.6
WORLD REGION OF BIRTH OF FOREIGN BORN		
Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	637	100.0%
Europe	132	20.7
Asia	325	51
Africa	102	16
Oceania	0	0
Latin America	47	7.4
Northern America	31	4.9
LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME		
Population 5 years and over	56987	100.0%
English only	55643	97.6
Language other than English	1344	2.4
Speak English less than "very well"	626	1.1
Spanish	513	0.9
Speak English less than "very well"	320	0.6

Subject	Estimate	Percent
Other Indo-European languages	351	0.6
Speak English less than "very well"	168	0.3
Asian and Pacific Islander languages	232	0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	39	0.1
Other languages	248	0.4
Speak English less than "very well"	99	0.2
ANCESTRY		
Total population	60486	100.0%
American	6460	10.7
Arab	205	0.3
Czech	87	0.1
Danish	8	0
Dutch	821	1.4
English	5420	9
French (except Basque)	674	1.1
French Canadian	64	0.1
German	7290	12.1
Greek	78	0.1
Hungarian	346	0.6
Irish	8548	14.1
Italian	2324	3.8
Lithuanian	17	0
Norwegian	78	0.1
Polish	354	0.6
Portuguese	0	0
Russian	106	0.2
Scotch-Irish	1180	2
Scottish	1219	2
Slovak	38	0.1
Subsaharan African	94	0.2
Swedish	195	0.3
Swiss	60	0.1
Ukrainian	24	0
Welsh	110	0.2
West Indian (excl. Hispanic origin groups)	25	0
COMPUTERS AND INTERNET USE		
Total households	24882	100.0%
With a computer	19549	78.6
With a broadband Internet subscription	16823	67.6

DP03: SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Mercer County

Subject	Estimate	Percent
EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
Population 16 years and over	49533	100.0%
In labor force	24116	48.7
Civilian labor force	24116	48.7
Employed	22660	45.7
Unemployed	1456	2.9
Armed Forces	0	0
Not in labor force	25417	51.3
Civilian labor force	24116	100.0%
Unemployment Rate	(X)	6
Females 16 years and over	26318	100.0%
In labor force	12079	45.9
Civilian labor force	12079	45.9
Employed	11473	43.6
Own children of the HH-er under 6 years	3867	100.0%
All parents in family in labor force	2603	67.3
Own children of the HH-er 6 to 17 years	6972	100.0%
All parents in family in labor force	4776	68.5
COMMUTING TO WORK		
Workers 16 years and over	22308	100.0%
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	18904	84.7
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	2188	9.8
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	44	0.2
Walked	513	2.3
Other means	162	0.7
Worked at home	497	2.2
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	21.5	(X)
OCCUPATION		
Civilian employed pop. 16 years & over	22660	100.0%
Mngmt, business, science, & arts occup.	6811	30.1
Service occupations	4892	21.6
Sales and office occupations	5859	25.9
Nat. resources, construction, maintenance	1904	8.4
Prod., transp., & material moving occ.	3194	14.1
INDUSTRY		
Civilian employed pop. 16 years & over	22660	100.0%
Ag., forestry, fishing & hunting, & mining	576	2.5
Construction	685	3
Manufacturing	1707	7.5
Wholesale trade	442	2
Retail trade	3383	14.9
Transp. and warehousing, and utilities	1011	4.5
Information	443	2
Fin. & ins. & real estate & rental-leasing	1053	4.6
Profess., scientific, mngmt, admin., & waste management services	1690	7.5
Educ. Serv. & health care & soc. assistance	7044	31.1
Arts, entert., rec., accom., & food services	2102	9.3
Other services, except public admin.	1369	6
Public administration	1155	5.1

Subject	Estimate	Percent
CLASS OF WORKER		
Civilian employed pop. 16 years & over	22660	100.0%
Private wage and salary workers	17267	76.2
Government workers	4315	19
Self-emp. in own not incorp. workers	1061	4.7
Unpaid family workers	17	0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2017 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	24882	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	2352	9.5
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1891	7.6
\$15,000 to \$24,999	4128	16.6
\$25,000 to \$34,999	3130	12.6
\$35,000 to \$49,999	3609	14.5
\$50,000 to \$74,999	4700	18.9
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2385	9.6
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1911	7.7
\$150,000 to \$199,999	443	1.8
\$200,000 or more	333	1.3
Median household income (dollars)	39372	(X)
Mean household income (dollars)	51002	(X)
With earnings	14989	60.2
Mean earnings (dollars)	55350	(X)
With Social Security	12030	48.3
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	18953	(X)
With retirement income	6057	24.3
Mean retirement income (dollars)	17431	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	2544	10.2
Mean Supplemental Security Income (\$)	9164	(X)
With cash public assistance income	838	3.4
Mean cash public assistance income (\$)	4618	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP in the past 12 mo.	5664	22.8
Families	15765	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	832	5.3
\$10,000 to \$14,999	754	4.8
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1745	11.1
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1693	10.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999	2528	16
\$50,000 to \$74,999	3682	23.4
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2157	13.7
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1666	10.6
\$150,000 to \$199,999	418	2.7
\$200,000 or more	290	1.8
Median family income (dollars)	51553	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	62236	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	21821	(X)
Nonfamily households	9117	9117
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	20903	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	29135	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	26283	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time (\$)	42019	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time (\$)	30429	(X)

Source: 2018 American Community Survey, 5 Year Estimates

U.S. Census Bureau

DP03: SELECTED ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Mercer County

Subject	Estimate	Percent
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE		
Civilian noninstitutionalized population	60043	100.0%
With health insurance coverage	56057	93.4
With private health insurance	33388	55.6
With public coverage	32934	54.9
No health insurance coverage	3986	6.6
Civilian noninstitutionalized population under 18	13049	100.0%
No health insurance coverage	378	2.9
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 19 to 64	34681	100.0%
In labor force:	22159	22159
Employed:	20960	20960
With health insurance coverage	18674	89.1
With private health insurance	15329	73.1
With public coverage	4141	19.8
No health insurance coverage	2286	10.9
Unemployed:	1199	1199
With health insurance coverage	951	79.3
With private health insurance	327	27.3
With public coverage	674	56.2
No health insurance coverage	248	20.7
Not in labor force:	12522	12522
With health insurance coverage	11453	91.5
With private health insurance	4524	36.1
With public coverage	8272	66.1
No health insurance coverage	1069	8.5

Subject	Estimate	Percent
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL		
All families	(X)	14.9
With related children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	(X)	26.7
With related children of the HH-er < 5 yrs	(X)	30.3
Married couple families	(X)	7.1
With related children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	(X)	12.6
With related children of the HH-er < 5 yrs	(X)	7.2
Families w/ female householder, no husband	(X)	35.6
With related children of the HH-er < 18 yrs	(X)	49
With related children of the HH-er < 5 yrs	(X)	72.2
	0	0
All people	(X)	19.8
Under 18 years	(X)	28.2
Related children of the HH-er under 18 yrs	(X)	28
Related children of the HH-er < 5 yrs	(X)	28.7
Related children of the HH-er 5-17 yrs	(X)	27.7
18 years and over	(X)	17.6
18 to 64 years	(X)	20.8
65 years and over	(X)	8.7
People in families	(X)	16.1
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	(X)	34.1

DP04: SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Mercer County

Subject	Estimate	Percent
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	29986	100.0%
Occupied housing units	24882	83
Vacant housing units	5104	17
Homeowner vacancy rate	2.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate	9.2	(X)
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
Total housing units	29986	100.0%
1-unit, detached	20020	70.9
1-unit, attached	343	1.1
2 units	585	2
3 or 4 units	812	2.7
5 to 9 units	984	3.3
10 to 19 units	591	2
20 or more units	548	1.8
Mobile home	6091	20.3
Boat, RV, van, etc.	12	0
YEAR STRUCTURE BUILT		
Total housing units	29986	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	78	0.3
Built 2010 to 2013	217	0.7
Built 2000 to 2009	2713	9
Built 1990 to 1999	5125	17.1
Built 1980 to 1989	3482	11.6
Built 1970 to 1979	5173	17.3
Built 1960 to 1969	2149	7.2
Built 1950 to 1959	3874	12.9
Built 1940 to 1949	2506	8.4
Built 1939 or earlier	4669	15.6
ROOMS		
Total housing units	29986	100.0%
1 room	129	0.4
2 rooms	275	0.9
3 rooms	1342	4.5
4 rooms	4530	15.1
5 rooms	7086	23.6
6 rooms	6264	20.9
7 rooms	4419	14.7
8 rooms	2899	9.7
9 rooms or more	3042	10.1
Median rooms	5.8	(X)
BEDROOMS		
Total housing units	29986	100.0%
No bedroom	129	0.4
1 bedroom	1479	4.9
2 bedrooms	8545	28.5
3 bedrooms	14690	49
4 bedrooms	4371	14.6
5 or more bedrooms	772	2.6

Subject	Estimate	Percent
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
Owner-occupied	17676	71
Renter-occupied	7206	29
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.38	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.4	(X)
YEAR HOUSEHOLDER MOVED INTO UNIT		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
Moved in 2017 or later	1062	4.3
Moved in 2015 to 2016	2911	11.7
Moved in 2010 to 2014	5279	21.2
Moved in 2000 to 2009	6316	25.4
Moved in 1990 to 1999	4055	16.3
Moved in 1989 and earlier	5259	21.1
VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
No vehicles available	2507	10.1
1 vehicle available	9763	39.2
2 vehicles available	8414	33.8
3 or more vehicles available	4198	16.9
HOUSE HEATING FUEL		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
Utility gas	5138	20.6
Bottled, tank, or LP gas	891	3.6
Electricity	16631	66.8
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc.	630	2.5
Coal or coke	157	0.6
Wood	1382	5.6
Solar energy	0	0
Other fuel	26	0.1
No fuel used	27	0.1
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	101	0.4
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	177	0.7
No telephone service available	559	2.2
OCCUPANTS PER ROOM		
Occupied housing units	24882	100.0%
1.00 or less	24659	99.1
1.01 to 1.50	171	0.7
1.51 or more	52	0.2

DP04: SELECTED HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

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Subject	Estimate	Percent
VALUE		
Owner-occupied units	17676	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	4517	25.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4939	27.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	3165	17.9
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2491	14.1
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1708	9.7
\$300,000 to \$499,999	675	3.8
\$500,000 to \$999,999	105	0.6
\$1,000,000 or more	76	0.4
Median (dollars)	92200	(X)
MORTGAGE STATUS		
Owner-occupied units	17676	100.0%
Housing units with a mortgage	7197	40.7
Housing units without a mortgage	10479	59.3
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS (SMOC)		
Housing units with a mortgage	7197	100.0%
Less than \$500	356	4.9
\$500 to \$999	3747	52.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	2235	31.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999	651	9
\$2,000 to \$2,499	127	1.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999	62	0.9
\$3,000 or more	19	0.3
Median (dollars)	942	(X)
Housing units without a mortgage		
Less than \$250	3337	31.8
\$250 to \$399	4219	40.3
\$400 to \$599	2106	20.1
\$600 to \$799	580	5.5
\$800 to \$999	192	1.8
\$1,000 or more	45	0.4
Median (dollars)	302	(X)
SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOSEHOLD INCOME (SMOCAPI)		
Housing unit with a mortgage (excluding units SMOCAP cannot be computed)	7143	100.0%
Less than 20.0 percent	3777	52.9
20.0 to 24.9 percent	960	13.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	703	9.8
30.0 to 34.9 percent	428	6
35.0 percent or more	1275	17.8
Not computed	54	(X)

Subject	Estimate	Percent
Housing unit without a mortgage (excl. units SMOCAP cannot be computed)	10361	100.0%
Less than 10.0 percent	4880	47.1
10.0 to 14.9 percent	1995	19.3
15.0 to 19.9 percent	1047	10.1
20.0 to 24.9 percent	870	8.4
25.0 to 29.9 percent	280	2.7
30.0 to 34.9 percent	319	3.1
35.0 percent or more	970	9.4
Not computed	118	(X)
GROSS RENT		
Occupied units paying rent	6189	100.0%
Less than \$500	1478	23.9
\$500 to \$999	4155	67.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499	556	9
\$1,500 to \$1,999	0	0
\$2,000 to \$2,499	0	0
\$2,500 to \$2,999	0	0
\$3,000 or more	0	0
Median (dollars)	644	(X)
No rent paid	1017	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)		
Occupied units paying rent (excluding units where GRAPI can't be computed)	6135	100.0%
Less than 15.0 percent	988	16.1
15.0 to 19.9 percent	632	10.3
20.0 to 24.9 percent	859	14
25.0 to 29.9 percent	613	10
30.0 to 34.9 percent	626	10.2
35.0 percent or more	2417	39.4
Not computed	1071	(X)

DP05: ACS DEMOGRAPHIC AND HOUSING ESTIMATES

2018 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Mercer County

Subject	Estimate	Percent
SEX AND AGE		
Total population	60486	100.0%
Male	28728	47.5
Female	31758	52.5
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	90.5	(X)
Under 5 years	3499	5.8
5 to 9 years	3919	6.5
10 to 14 years	2926	5.9
15 to 19 years	3485	5.8
20 to 24 years	3748	6.2
25 to 34 years	7225	11.9
35 to 44 years	6890	11.4
45 to 54 years	7416	12.3
55 to 59 years	4154	6.9
60 to 64 years	4640	7.7
65 to 74 years	7282	12
75 to 84 years	105707	5.9
85 years and over	1612	2.7
Median age (years)	42.7	(X)
Under 18 years	12439	20.6
16 years and over	49533	81.9
18 years and over	48047	79.4
21 years and over	45754	75.6
62 years and over	15418	25.5
65 years and over	12584	20.8
18 years and over	48047	48047
Male	22486	46.8
Female	25561	53.2
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	88	(X)
65 years and over	12584	12584
Male	5503	43.7
Female	7081	56.3
Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	77.7	(X)
RACE		
Total population	60486	60486
One race	59498	98.4
Two or more races	988	1.6
One race	59498	98.4
White	55138	91.2
Black or African American	3779	6.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	146	0.2
Cherokee tribal grouping	123	0.2
Chippewa tribal grouping	0	0
Navajo tribal grouping	0	0
Sioux tribal grouping	0	0
Asian	392	0.6
Asian Indian	11	0
Chinese	2	0

Subject	Estimate	Percent
Filipino	265	0.4
Japanese	12	0
Korean	16	0
Vietnamese	0	0
Other Asian	86	0.1
Native Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander	15	0
Native Hawaiian	0	0
Guamanian or Chamorro	15	0
Samoan	0	0
Other Pacific Islander	0	0
Some other race	28	0
Two or more races	988	1.6
White & Black or African American	579	1
White & Amer. Indian & Alaska Native	204	0.3
White and Asian	51	0.1
Black or African American and American Indian & Alaska Native	0	0
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races		
Total population	60486	100.0%
White	56126	92.8
Black or African American	4361	60486
American Indian and Alaska Native	380	92.8
Asian	453	7.2
Nat. Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander	130	0.6
Some other race	64	0.7
HISPANIC OR LATINO & RACE		
Total population	60486	100.0%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	690	1.1
Mexican	170	0.3
Puerto Rican	219	0.4
Cuban	44	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	257	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	59796	98.9
White alone	54644	90.3
Black or African Amer. alone	3682	6.1
Amer. Indian & Alaska Nat. alone	146	0.2
Asian alone	381	0.6
Nat. Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander alone	0	0
Some other race alone	16	0
Two or more races	927	1.5
Two races including Some other race	19	0
Two races excluding Some other race, and Three or more races	908	1.5
Total housing units	29986	(X)
CITIZEN, VOTING AGE POPULATION		
Citizen, 18 and over population	47851	47851
Male	22392	46.8
Female	25459	53.2

Source: 2018 American Community Survey, 5 Year Estimates
U.S. Census Bureau

West Virginia University
Bureau of Business and Economic Research
Labor Force Statistics

Mercer County, West Virginia, and the United States

Mercer County	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Civilian Labor Force	27,935	28,038	27,701	27,828	28,082	28,031	28,232	25,664	25,736	25,512	24,798	23,937	23,764
Employment	25,501	26,042	26,126	26,353	26,555	26,549	26,888	24,360	24,484	24,086	23,236	22,586	22,563
Unemployment	2,434	1,996	1,575	1,475	1,527	1,482	1,344	1,304	1,252	1,426	1,562	1,351	1,201
Unemployment Rate	8.7	7.1	5.7	5.3	5.4	5.3	4.8	5.1	4.9	5.6	6.3	5.6	5.1

Mercer County	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Civilian Labor Force	24,324	24,823	25,128	25,342	24,076	23,732	23,431	23,129	22,241	21,956	21,697	21,313	20,928
Employment	23,122	23,780	24,113	23,686	22,035	21,694	21,470	21,359	20,540	20,363	20,245	20,073	19,608
Unemployment	1,202	1,043	1,015	1,656	2,041	2,038	1,961	1,770	1,701	1,593	1,452	1,240	1,320
Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.2	4.0	6.5	8.5	8.6	8.4	7.7	7.6	7.3	6.7	5.8	6.3

West Virginia	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Civilian Labor Force	779,810	782,507	784,567	795,409	796,507	795,145	804,343	809,063	809,128	799,998	786,552	783,658	790,982
Employment	697,021	713,372	722,870	735,701	741,865	742,528	752,379	764,711	768,661	752,548	738,990	741,890	750,561
Unemployment	82,789	69,135	61,697	59,708	54,642	52,617	51,964	44,352	40,467	47,450	47,562	41,768	40,421
Unemployment Rate	10.6	8.8	7.9	7.5	6.9	6.6	6.5	5.5	5.0	5.9	6.0	5.3	5.1

West Virginia	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Civilian Labor Force	806,168	811,160	812,905	814,027	811,125	807,021	807,917	798,530	788,821	781,903	782,908	779,591	783,344
Employment	766,399	773,990	777,560	751,165	740,910	741,972	747,384	744,410	736,472	729,215	735,157	739,079	742,179
Unemployment	39,769	37,170	35,345	62,862	70,215	65,049	60,533	54,120	52,349	52,688	47,751	40,512	41,165
Unemployment Rate	4.9	4.6	4.3	7.7	8.7	8.1	7.5	6.8	6.6	6.7	6.1	5.2	5.3

United States	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Civilian LF ('000)	129,200	131,056	132,304	133,943	136,297	137,673	139,368	142,583	143,734	144,863	146,510	147,401	149,320
Employment ('000)	120,259	123,060	124,900	126,708	129,558	131,463	133,488	136,891	136,933	136,485	137,736	139,252	141,730
Unemployment ('000)	8,940	7,996	7,404	7,236	6,739	6,210	5,880	5,692	6,801	8,378	8,774	8,149	7,591
Unemployment Rate	6.9	6.1	5.6	5.4	4.9	4.5	4.2	4.0	4.7	5.8	6.0	5.5	5.1

United States	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Civilian LF ('000)	151,428	153,124	154,287	154,142	153,889	153,617	154,975	155,389	155,922	157,130	159,187	160,320	162,075
Employment ('000)	144,427	146,047	145,362	139,877	139,064	139,869	142,469	143,929	146,305	148,834	151,436	153,337	155,761
Unemployment ('000)	7,001	7,078	8,924	14,265	14,825	13,747	12,506	11,460	9,617	8,296	7,751	6,982	6,314
Unemployment Rate	4.6	4.6	5.8	9.3	9.6	8.9	8.1	7.4	6.2	5.3	4.9	4.4	3.9

Personal Income by Major Source and Earnings by Detailed Industry**Mercer County**

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	172,960	197,001	222,762	249,878	275,071	304,492	353,225
Population (persons) 2/	63,283	63,182	64,005	66,271	66,760	68,342	69,309
Per capita personal income (dollars)	2,733	3,118	3,480	3,771	4,120	4,455	5,096
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	126,471	140,841	158,598	173,338	187,890	202,057	228,953
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	10,511	11,546	13,441	15,241	18,840	20,874	23,306
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	4,718	5,176	5,955	6,721	8,124	8,819	9,976
Employer contributions for government social insurance	5,793	6,370	7,486	8,520	10,716	12,055	13,330
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	11,272	13,961	14,490	19,704	20,074	24,906	33,355
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	127,232	143,256	159,647	177,801	189,124	206,089	239,002
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	21,360	24,321	26,886	29,850	34,049	39,893	45,515
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	24,368	29,424	36,229	42,227	51,898	58,510	68,708
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Components of earnings							
Wages and salaries	99,608	111,040	125,460	135,581	146,609	156,649	178,197
Supplements to wages and salaries	11,859	13,317	15,782	18,300	20,742	22,918	25,158
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	6,066	6,947	8,296	9,780	10,026	10,863	11,828
Employer contributions for government social insurance	5,793	6,370	7,486	8,520	10,716	12,055	13,330
Proprietors' income 7/	15,004	16,484	17,356	19,457	20,539	22,490	25,598
Farm proprietors' income	146	111	168	234	336	136	-63
Nonfarm proprietors' income	14,858	16,373	17,188	19,223	20,203	22,354	25,661
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	269	239	300	354	502	301	63
Nonfarm earnings	126,202	140,602	158,298	172,984	187,388	201,756	228,890
Private nonfarm earnings	106,865	118,532	133,768	144,952	158,182	171,504	195,484
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	354	360	505	471	518	504	323
Agricultural services	(D)						
Forestry and fishing	(D)						
Forestry	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fishing	(D)						

Personal Income by Major Source and Earnings by Detailed Industry**Mercer County**

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Mining	6,135	5,320	6,088	8,225	10,068	11,829	16,530
Metal mining	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal mining	(D)						
Oil and gas extraction	105	96	89	155	390	960	1,386
Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels	(D)						
Construction	6,550	8,352	12,255	12,043	13,417	12,052	13,999
General building contractors	2,616	2,482	3,003	3,386	4,803	4,397	4,520
Heavy construction contractors	1,293	3,662	6,519	5,698	5,619	4,370	5,409
Special trade contractors	2,641	2,208	2,733	2,959	2,995	3,285	4,070
Manufacturing	17,829	19,175	20,513	21,303	21,808	24,015	26,591
Durable goods manufacturing	9,518	10,778	11,708	12,876	12,760	14,978	16,872
Lumber and wood products	1,107	910	1,021	1,450	1,948	2,324	2,001
Furniture and fixtures	(D)						
Stone, clay, and glass products	283	346	411	499	616	497	634
Primary metal industries	(D)						
Fabricated metal products	16	22	23	54	125	35	37
Industrial machinery and equipment	3,039	3,457	4,364	4,777	4,366	5,916	7,388
Electronic and other electric equipment	(D)						
Motor vehicles and equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Instruments and related products	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	(D)						
Ordnance 8/	0	0	0	0	0	0	(NA)
Nondurable goods manufacturing	8,311	8,397	8,805	8,427	9,048	9,037	9,719
Food and kindred products	4,972	4,895	5,258	4,805	4,717	4,802	5,405
Tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile mill products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Apparel and other textile products	(D)						
Paper and allied products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and publishing	1,746	1,760	1,820	1,915	1,969	1,909	2,025
Chemicals and allied products	35	20	22	42	0	0	0
Petroleum and coal products	0	0	0	0	279	441	506
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	(D)						
Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Personal Income by Major Source and Earnings by Detailed Industry**Mercer County**

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Transportation and public utilities	20,815	22,773	26,127	27,492	29,943	31,194	31,691
Railroad transportation	11,022	12,081	12,983	13,101	13,596	14,650	13,993
Trucking and warehousing	2,211	2,444	2,634	2,582	3,455	3,957	4,620
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation	(D)						
Local and interurban passenger transit	(D)						
Transportation by air	72	69	83	92	141	196	202
Pipelines, except natural gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation services	325	352	299	485	540	1,000	1,027
Communications	2,786	3,061	3,437	4,185	4,754	5,046	5,038
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	(D)						
Wholesale trade	11,018	12,797	13,769	14,861	15,744	18,779	25,229
Retail trade	16,250	17,677	19,815	22,291	24,523	25,830	28,498
Building materials and garden equipment	1,588	1,677	1,942	2,275	2,608	2,415	2,440
General merchandise stores	3,464	4,082	4,251	4,270	4,422	4,476	4,175
Food stores	2,302	2,393	2,691	2,958	3,302	3,712	3,775
Automotive dealers and service stations	3,717	3,940	4,536	5,437	5,950	5,554	6,118
Apparel and accessory stores	973	1,004	1,192	1,351	1,384	1,578	1,757
Home furniture and furnishings stores	1,038	1,188	1,350	1,568	1,944	1,956	2,491
Eating and drinking places	1,465	1,501	1,707	2,047	2,611	3,381	4,025
Miscellaneous retail	1,703	1,892	2,146	2,385	2,302	2,758	3,717
Finance, insurance, and real estate	6,265	6,708	7,414	7,892	8,317	8,568	9,877
Depository and nondepository institutions	2,289	2,418	2,523	2,783	3,082	3,476	3,920
Other finance, insurance, and real estate	3,976	4,290	4,891	5,109	5,235	5,092	5,957
Security and commodity brokers	(D)						
Insurance carriers	1,038	1,107	1,173	1,261	1,398	1,438	1,513
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	1,262	1,489	1,729	1,903	1,964	2,191	2,539
Real estate	1,457	1,300	1,642	1,630	1,587	1,210	1,571
Combined real estate, insurance, etc. 9/	47	51	53	50	31	49	71
Holding and other investment offices	(D)						
Services	21,649	25,370	27,282	30,374	33,844	38,733	42,746
Hotels and other lodging places	(D)						
Personal services	2,126	2,244	2,285	2,322	2,389	2,514	2,478
Private households	1,800	1,944	2,078	2,217	2,405	2,374	2,478
Business services	732	703	793	811	1,107	1,304	1,762
Automotive repair, services, and parking	553	742	922	839	1,074	1,269	1,378

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	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Miscellaneous repair services	2,571	4,012	4,467	4,625	5,062	5,637	6,695
Amusement and recreation services	396	372	373	413	484	515	545
Motion pictures	(D)						
Health services	8,371	9,169	9,967	12,146	13,730	16,532	16,462
Legal services	1,456	1,771	1,830	2,068	2,323	2,579	2,949
Educational services	122	122	139	362	356	275	195
Social services 10/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2,460
Museums, botanical, zoological gardens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Membership organizations	1,601	2,205	2,277	2,054	2,181	2,359	2,030
Engineering and management services 11/	(NA)						
Miscellaneous services	1,104	1,269	1,289	1,617	1,768	1,930	2,008
Government and government enterprises	19,337	22,070	24,530	28,032	29,206	30,252	33,406
Federal, civilian	3,196	3,724	4,120	4,858	5,340	5,788	6,647
Military	608	695	731	843	802	750	808
State and local	15,533	17,651	19,679	22,331	23,064	23,714	25,951
State government	(NA)						
Local government	(NA)						

Personal Income by Major Source and Earnings by Detailed Industry**Mercer County**

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	399,985	448,797	490,184	543,210	621,362	681,175	731,189
Population (persons) 2/	71,285	72,879	73,646	74,641	73,920	74,044	74,380
Per capita personal income (dollars)	5,611	6,158	6,656	7,278	8,406	9,200	9,830
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	264,696	306,196	335,459	359,677	405,637	430,238	450,958
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	27,859	32,065	35,812	40,132	46,190	52,256	56,731
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	11,518	12,982	14,356	16,255	18,733	21,492	23,579
Employer contributions for government social insurance	16,341	19,083	21,456	23,877	27,457	30,764	33,152
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	36,277	36,029	32,823	43,041	43,661	43,312	43,376
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	273,114	310,160	332,470	362,586	403,108	421,294	437,603
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	50,340	56,631	62,680	69,854	88,297	113,626	135,430
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	76,531	82,006	95,034	110,770	129,957	146,255	158,156
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Components of earnings							
Wages and salaries	206,796	236,597	257,504	277,218	317,512	335,478	352,976
Supplements to wages and salaries	30,093	35,819	40,257	44,215	51,195	56,948	62,189
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	13,752	16,736	18,801	20,338	23,738	26,184	29,037
Employer contributions for government social insurance	16,341	19,083	21,456	23,877	27,457	30,764	33,152
Proprietors' income 7/	27,807	33,780	37,698	38,244	36,930	37,812	35,793
Farm proprietors' income	-282	-356	-416	-101	-69	-858	-1,106
Nonfarm proprietors' income	28,089	34,136	38,114	38,345	36,999	38,670	36,899
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	-118	-204	-207	108	130	-677	-924
Nonfarm earnings	264,814	306,400	335,666	359,569	405,507	430,915	451,882
Private nonfarm earnings	227,748	265,704	290,734	313,018	350,763	355,934	369,855
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	455	484	870	1,065	1,260	860	739
Agricultural services	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	731
Forestry and fishing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8
Forestry	1	1	1	0	0	2	0
Fishing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8

Personal Income by Major Source and Earnings by Detailed Industry**Mercer County**

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Mining	19,160	24,302	25,928	21,296	25,493	24,821	27,014
Metal mining	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal mining	(D)						
Oil and gas extraction	989	1,106	864	1,124	1,818	2,124	1,758
Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels	(D)						
Construction	19,065	27,748	29,661	25,932	26,803	24,055	20,982
General building contractors	5,450	7,132	8,103	7,848	7,852	7,919	8,011
Heavy construction contractors	7,810	13,385	12,333	9,614	8,612	8,650	4,810
Special trade contractors	5,805	7,231	9,225	8,470	10,339	7,486	8,161
Manufacturing	31,649	33,307	35,501	41,490	43,341	43,518	45,519
Durable goods manufacturing	19,404	22,714	23,473	25,928	27,055	28,845	28,372
Lumber and wood products	2,060	2,294	2,618	3,460	4,082	3,731	3,974
Furniture and fixtures	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9
Stone, clay, and glass products	917	1,131	1,222	1,439	1,287	1,183	1,165
Primary metal industries	(D)						
Fabricated metal products	54	3,199	3,030	2,143	1,813	2,752	3,546
Industrial machinery and equipment	9,561	11,903	11,795	13,318	15,159	15,755	14,593
Electronic and other electric equipment	(D)						
Motor vehicles and equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation equipment	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Instruments and related products	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	(D)						
Ordnance 8/	(NA)						
Nondurable goods manufacturing	12,245	10,593	12,028	15,562	16,286	14,673	17,147
Food and kindred products	6,974	4,032	3,898	6,628	8,844	7,258	9,214
Tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile mill products	8	18	10	8	0	0	0
Apparel and other textile products	(D)						
Paper and allied products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and publishing	2,408	3,770	5,020	5,536	3,902	3,972	3,761
Chemicals and allied products	20	40	6	47	56	0	(D)
Petroleum and coal products	814	973	1,311	1,556	1,510	1,357	2,069
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	(D)						
Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Transportation and public utilities	38,655	44,094	49,105	57,183	64,959	69,119	73,095
Railroad transportation	16,522	18,689	21,735	26,473	30,547	33,690	34,072
Trucking and warehousing	5,464	6,262	6,179	7,829	9,412	8,148	8,450
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,645
Local and interurban passenger transit	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	296
Transportation by air	246	220	244	215	368	350	373
Pipelines, except natural gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation services	770	1,812	2,005	1,137	53	668	976
Communications	5,583	6,332	7,219	8,535	9,638	9,938	(D)
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	(D)						
Wholesale trade	23,311	26,254	26,658	29,564	32,204	37,207	36,899
Retail trade	34,336	39,039	43,108	47,686	52,721	57,032	56,291
Building materials and garden equipment	2,908	3,455	4,108	4,244	5,132	5,185	3,692
General merchandise stores	4,554	5,128	5,651	6,302	8,187	10,148	11,532
Food stores	4,955	6,406	7,135	7,825	9,240	9,569	9,643
Automotive dealers and service stations	6,934	7,687	8,593	9,829	9,574	9,754	8,790
Apparel and accessory stores	2,141	2,325	2,498	2,724	2,589	2,941	2,733
Home furniture and furnishings stores	2,940	3,241	3,299	3,647	3,785	3,850	4,508
Eating and drinking places	5,423	6,123	7,300	8,077	9,010	9,925	10,065
Miscellaneous retail	4,481	4,674	4,524	5,038	5,204	5,660	5,328
Finance, insurance, and real estate	11,765	13,750	15,893	17,126	21,413	19,405	17,126
Depository and nondepository institutions	4,484	5,076	5,851	6,480	7,098	7,711	8,046
Other finance, insurance, and real estate	7,281	8,674	10,042	10,646	14,315	11,694	9,080
Security and commodity brokers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	377
Insurance carriers	1,872	2,021	2,234	2,416	2,803	2,637	2,410
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	2,883	3,436	3,851	4,250	4,489	4,809	4,923
Real estate	2,366	3,130	3,896	4,316	7,012	3,109	1,240
Combined real estate, insurance, etc. 9/	72	106	122	109	106	58	(D)
Holding and other investment offices	(D)						
Services	49,352	56,726	64,010	71,676	82,569	79,917	92,190
Hotels and other lodging places	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,780
Personal services	2,925	3,285	3,788	3,538	4,037	4,039	4,525
Private households	2,983	3,354	3,790	3,767	3,469	3,090	2,760
Business services	1,742	2,344	3,639	5,160	5,139	4,418	4,739
Automotive repair, services, and parking	1,704	1,627	2,077	2,389	3,107	3,041	3,642

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	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Miscellaneous repair services	6,996	7,021	5,169	4,876	5,422	5,408	4,663
Amusement and recreation services	565	769	937	1,076	1,137	1,144	1,091
Motion pictures	(D)						
Health services	20,003	24,119	28,928	33,649	41,287	41,218	50,877
Legal services	3,225	3,900	4,217	4,607	4,663	4,631	4,668
Educational services	189	197	225	249	262	277	(D)
Social services 10/	2,804	2,936	2,662	2,571	3,074	999	1,095
Museums, botanical, zoological gardens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Membership organizations	2,287	2,543	2,986	3,202	3,645	3,758	3,749
Engineering and management services 11/	(NA)						
Miscellaneous services	2,323	2,764	3,381	4,029	4,215	4,216	5,958
Government and government enterprises	37,066	40,696	44,932	46,551	54,744	74,981	82,027
Federal, civilian	6,976	6,752	7,564	8,316	9,316	10,263	10,477
Military	844	913	966	1,021	1,060	1,237	1,568
State and local	29,246	33,031	36,402	37,214	44,368	63,481	69,982
State government	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	14,971	17,089	18,783	20,067
Local government	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	22,243	27,279	44,698	49,915

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	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	737,912	776,622	796,893	816,404	824,022	869,171	913,320
Population (persons) 2/	73,843	72,364	71,121	70,548	68,912	67,143	65,936
Per capita personal income (dollars)	9,993	10,732	11,205	11,572	11,958	12,945	13,852
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	441,270	472,572	479,261	491,576	513,752	542,570	551,965
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	56,179	61,678	63,565	68,371	71,826	78,730	81,159
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	23,140	24,897	26,554	28,566	30,242	33,407	35,495
Employer contributions for government social insurance	33,039	36,781	37,011	39,805	41,584	45,323	45,664
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	32,397	34,398	35,148	31,512	18,002	16,304	21,768
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	417,488	445,292	450,844	454,717	459,928	480,144	492,574
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	141,113	151,858	160,703	163,688	161,444	175,460	193,742
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	179,311	179,472	185,346	197,999	202,650	213,567	227,004
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Components of earnings							
Wages and salaries	339,014	358,866	362,731	378,566	397,618	411,850	412,686
Supplements to wages and salaries	64,707	72,333	76,771	82,731	88,139	90,809	93,868
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	31,668	35,552	39,760	42,926	46,555	45,486	48,204
Employer contributions for government social insurance	33,039	36,781	37,011	39,805	41,584	45,323	45,664
Proprietors' income 7/	37,549	41,373	39,759	30,279	27,995	39,911	45,411
Farm proprietors' income	-564	-546	-311	-303	-639	-740	-528
Nonfarm proprietors' income	38,113	41,919	40,070	30,582	28,634	40,651	45,939
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	-386	-381	-161	-169	-512	-601	-374
Nonfarm earnings	441,656	472,953	479,422	491,745	514,264	543,171	552,339
Private nonfarm earnings	354,004	380,358	379,362	387,236	406,196	430,323	435,625
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	727	799	848	967	1,071	763	824
Agricultural services	697	(D)	753	823	1,001	687	755
Forestry and fishing	30	(D)	95	144	70	76	69
Forestry	4	27	28	27	-2	9	6
Fishing	26	(D)	67	117	72	67	63

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	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Mining	15,777	16,815	9,784	478	1,776	10,514	3,708
Metal mining	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal mining	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	610	10,032	3,032
Oil and gas extraction	976	1,214	1,388	380	718	(D)	(D)
Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	448	(D)	(D)
Construction	19,773	19,654	17,403	19,907	20,206	24,256	24,082
General building contractors	6,194	7,712	6,334	7,702	7,425	7,697	5,674
Heavy construction contractors	7,023	4,656	4,322	5,363	5,001	7,383	7,771
Special trade contractors	6,556	7,286	6,747	6,842	7,780	9,176	10,637
Manufacturing	39,682	46,048	46,293	39,867	42,766	43,763	46,490
Durable goods manufacturing	24,055	29,535	30,295	27,709	30,423	32,008	33,674
Lumber and wood products	3,818	3,862	3,579	3,512	3,825	4,145	4,479
Furniture and fixtures	0	0	0	0	0	0	(D)
Stone, clay, and glass products	1,075	1,053	1,179	1,342	1,504	1,650	2,082
Primary metal industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	0
Fabricated metal products	3,524	4,150	4,227	4,407	4,169	(D)	7,103
Industrial machinery and equipment	11,568	15,925	17,469	16,136	17,962	17,097	17,563
Electronic and other electric equipment	(D)						
Motor vehicles and equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Instruments and related products	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,279	(D)
Ordnance 8/	(NA)						
Nondurable goods manufacturing	15,627	16,513	15,998	12,158	12,343	11,755	12,816
Food and kindred products	8,509	9,277	9,837	5,912	6,613	(D)	(D)
Tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile mill products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Apparel and other textile products	(D)						
Paper and allied products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and publishing	4,104	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,657	2,694
Chemicals and allied products	(D)						
Petroleum and coal products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	(D)	(D)	1	1	0	0	0
Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Transportation and public utilities	72,798	77,286	80,338	82,592	83,750	82,871	76,038
Railroad transportation	34,846	(D)	(D)	36,332	35,969	32,544	28,952
Trucking and warehousing	7,610	8,654	8,314	8,177	8,559	10,028	9,835
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation	1,361	1,122	1,012	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Local and interurban passenger transit	368	252	250	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transportation by air	363	341	237	314	210	276	325
Pipelines, except natural gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation services	630	529	525	807	517	343	349
Communications	(D)	11,607	12,824	13,522	13,852	14,931	13,763
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wholesale trade	31,886	31,441	33,158	39,985	38,559	41,346	44,460
Retail trade	56,950	58,633	61,112	65,934	68,308	70,542	71,737
Building materials and garden equipment	3,576	3,984	3,965	4,478	5,317	5,593	4,355
General merchandise stores	10,875	10,740	11,254	12,429	11,701	11,290	13,345
Food stores	10,190	10,150	10,175	10,257	10,342	10,866	11,472
Automotive dealers and service stations	9,059	9,836	11,161	11,788	12,486	13,301	13,143
Apparel and accessory stores	2,677	2,642	2,377	2,341	2,623	2,804	2,980
Home furniture and furnishings stores	4,381	4,307	4,083	3,895	3,702	3,563	3,771
Eating and drinking places	10,266	10,346	11,777	13,315	14,485	15,355	14,813
Miscellaneous retail	5,926	6,628	6,320	7,431	7,652	7,770	7,858
Finance, insurance, and real estate	18,868	22,489	20,354	20,993	21,881	20,780	26,450
Depository and nondepository institutions	8,934	8,878	9,279	9,707	10,270	(D)	(D)
Other finance, insurance, and real estate	9,934	13,611	11,075	11,286	11,611	(D)	(D)
Security and commodity brokers	482	482	399	536	777	645	823
Insurance carriers	2,419	2,743	2,715	3,072	2,474	3,041	3,282
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	5,114	5,220	5,328	6,661	7,144	9,394	7,567
Real estate	1,358	3,336	1,361	-387	-702	-3,985	3,375
Combined real estate, insurance, etc. 9/	(D)	27	18	-12	-1	(NA)	(NA)
Holding and other investment offices	(D)	1,803	1,254	1,416	1,919	(D)	(D)
Services	97,543	107,193	110,072	116,513	127,879	135,488	141,836
Hotels and other lodging places	3,436	3,315	3,355	3,359	2,855	2,546	2,916
Personal services	5,072	5,214	5,907	6,465	6,746	6,645	6,258
Private households	2,432	2,463	2,146	1,934	1,628	1,451	1,254
Business services	4,672	6,131	5,678	6,335	6,867	7,108	7,349
Automotive repair, services, and parking	3,556	3,372	3,447	3,765	3,347	3,749	3,717

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	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Miscellaneous repair services	5,024	5,978	6,855	7,732	7,309	8,059	8,639
Amusement and recreation services	1,185	1,300	1,274	1,394	1,368	1,749	1,842
Motion pictures	(D)	355	323	311	264	652	645
Health services	54,181	59,947	61,302	64,827	75,419	79,707	85,263
Legal services	5,586	6,192	6,353	6,579	6,280	7,714	7,961
Educational services	(D)	271	293	216	287	314	391
Social services 10/	1,192	1,215	1,409	1,297	1,441	1,443	1,565
Museums, botanical, zoological gardens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Membership organizations	3,723	3,869	3,626	3,760	3,557	3,714	3,891
Engineering and management services 11/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	9,700	8,677
Miscellaneous services	6,803	7,571	8,104	8,539	10,511	937	1,468
Government and government enterprises	87,652	92,595	100,060	104,509	108,068	112,848	116,714
Federal, civilian	10,063	11,259	12,113	11,772	11,446	12,200	12,257
Military	2,063	2,294	2,684	2,664	2,778	2,951	2,975
State and local	75,526	79,042	85,263	90,073	93,844	97,697	101,482
State government	21,452	22,162	24,518	24,630	24,082	26,349	26,567
Local government	54,074	56,880	60,745	65,443	69,762	71,348	74,915

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	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	976,517	1,017,404	1,077,835	1,114,645	1,154,169	1,182,590	1,228,468
Population (persons) 2/	64,850	64,687	64,823	64,934	64,637	64,379	64,170
Per capita personal income (dollars)	15,058	15,728	16,627	17,166	17,856	18,369	19,144
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	591,743	620,190	634,311	659,443	694,139	702,833	727,326
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	87,840	95,109	97,205	102,008	106,485	110,439	114,245
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	37,925	40,337	41,032	42,995	46,198	47,928	49,151
Employer contributions for government social insurance	49,915	54,772	56,173	59,013	60,287	62,511	65,094
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	23,325	17,257	22,583	20,118	16,023	12,485	9,188
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	527,228	542,338	559,689	577,553	603,677	604,879	622,269
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	204,789	199,006	202,325	201,154	208,007	227,356	242,259
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	244,500	276,060	315,821	335,938	342,485	350,355	363,940
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Components of earnings							
Wages and salaries	437,748	460,058	462,646	473,702	498,061	512,631	533,182
Supplements to wages and salaries	102,114	111,646	117,915	125,111	129,335	129,675	134,146
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	52,199	56,874	61,742	66,098	69,048	67,164	69,052
Employer contributions for government social insurance	49,915	54,772	56,173	59,013	60,287	62,511	65,094
Proprietors' income 7/	51,881	48,486	53,750	60,630	66,743	60,527	59,998
Farm proprietors' income	-359	-603	-334	-301	-269	-875	-986
Nonfarm proprietors' income	52,240	49,089	54,084	60,931	67,012	61,402	60,984
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	-180	-428	-157	-138	-128	-741	-875
Nonfarm earnings	591,923	620,618	634,468	659,581	694,267	703,574	728,201
Private nonfarm earnings	467,466	487,219	493,927	513,837	540,787	547,859	567,369
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	725	1,353	1,354	1,394	1,433	1,641	1,739
Agricultural services	697	1,231	1,249	1,348	1,388	1,605	1,707
Forestry and fishing	28	122	105	46	45	36	32
Forestry	6	35	31	0	0	0	0
Fishing	22	87	74	46	45	36	32

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	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Mining	3,752	7,017	4,565	2,792	3,392	4,862	5,800
Metal mining	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coal mining	3,029	6,257	3,598	1,795	1,745	3,280	(D)
Oil and gas extraction	(D)	156	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	0
Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels	(D)	604	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Construction	25,832	26,848	31,721	36,206	40,305	38,168	43,014
General building contractors	4,502	3,610	5,587	6,275	8,243	8,177	9,312
Heavy construction contractors	9,258	9,252	11,389	13,682	14,049	11,828	13,245
Special trade contractors	12,072	13,986	14,745	16,249	18,013	18,163	20,457
Manufacturing	49,826	52,953	52,698	57,345	56,544	56,366	61,676
Durable goods manufacturing	36,611	38,896	41,240	47,231	46,610	46,452	51,751
Lumber and wood products	3,933	3,867	4,183	5,265	5,643	5,886	6,859
Furniture and fixtures	(D)						
Stone, clay, and glass products	2,501	2,554	2,832	3,298	2,935	2,926	3,258
Primary metal industries	(D)						
Fabricated metal products	8,888	9,205	7,150	7,131	7,075	6,878	7,450
Industrial machinery and equipment	17,437	16,826	19,472	24,993	26,108	25,092	26,088
Electronic and other electric equipment	(D)						
Motor vehicles and equipment	0	0	0	0	0	1,000	992
Other transportation equipment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Instruments and related products	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	(D)						
Ordnance 8/	(NA)						
Nondurable goods manufacturing	13,215	14,057	11,458	10,114	9,934	9,914	9,925
Food and kindred products	(D)	(D)	6,286	6,247	5,910	(D)	(D)
Tobacco products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile mill products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Apparel and other textile products	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0	(D)	(D)
Paper and allied products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and publishing	(D)	2,740	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,870	(D)
Chemicals and allied products	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0
Petroleum and coal products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	0	0	0	0	0	(D)	(D)
Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Transportation and public utilities	81,250	83,629	76,210	74,243	78,506	81,467	78,553
Railroad transportation	(D)	(D)	35,590	32,591	32,794	34,503	31,426
Trucking and warehousing	11,871	11,489	12,731	12,261	10,951	8,782	8,818
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other transportation	1,816	1,632	1,850	2,166	2,497	4,111	4,148
Local and interurban passenger transit	781	820	992	943	1,352	1,814	(D)
Transportation by air	516	262	135	297	143	1,678	(D)
Pipelines, except natural gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transportation services	519	550	723	926	1,002	619	675
Communications	12,982	12,645	12,398	13,576	18,210	19,265	20,038
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	(D)	(D)	13,641	13,649	14,054	14,806	14,123
Wholesale trade	43,958	41,819	39,724	37,907	41,435	41,863	41,162
Retail trade	74,582	78,242	80,586	85,194	87,120	87,853	89,592
Building materials and garden equipment	3,262	4,022	4,397	4,314	4,570	4,784	4,954
General merchandise stores	13,779	13,765	14,138	14,625	14,466	13,618	13,235
Food stores	11,339	11,716	11,265	11,164	11,551	11,934	11,680
Automotive dealers and service stations	13,862	14,548	14,900	17,286	18,575	18,895	19,934
Apparel and accessory stores	3,306	3,249	3,081	3,250	2,679	2,465	2,392
Home furniture and furnishings stores	3,693	3,569	3,612	4,103	4,321	4,750	4,929
Eating and drinking places	17,186	19,446	19,959	20,908	21,049	20,942	21,717
Miscellaneous retail	8,155	7,927	9,234	9,544	9,909	10,465	10,751
Finance, insurance, and real estate	27,747	25,615	29,660	32,052	31,732	32,168	32,393
Depository and nondepository institutions	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	13,331	13,346	(D)
Other finance, insurance, and real estate	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	18,401	18,822	(D)
Security and commodity brokers	659	818	875	840	885	1,297	1,505
Insurance carriers	3,215	3,131	4,003	4,212	4,206	3,428	3,285
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	8,758	5,801	5,688	6,886	5,980	6,339	6,594
Real estate	3,499	4,210	6,152	6,569	6,578	6,958	6,673
Combined real estate, insurance, etc. 9/	(NA)						
Holding and other investment offices	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	752	800	(D)
Services	159,794	169,743	177,409	186,704	200,320	203,471	213,440
Hotels and other lodging places	2,780	3,125	3,056	2,941	3,018	3,326	4,096
Personal services	6,415	6,176	6,557	7,453	7,889	7,498	7,407
Private households	1,014	972	1,056	1,093	1,111	1,165	1,150
Business services	10,244	9,225	9,585	10,920	12,395	13,615	15,683
Automotive repair, services, and parking	3,864	4,014	3,984	4,680	5,378	5,818	6,339

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	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Miscellaneous repair services	10,380	10,536	12,640	13,843	16,624	17,681	20,056
Amusement and recreation services	1,860	1,905	2,224	2,471	2,794	2,682	2,780
Motion pictures	653	598	647	685	789	842	797
Health services	95,364	101,891	105,723	108,372	114,879	115,697	119,261
Legal services	9,201	11,027	13,042	13,762	13,749	12,515	11,548
Educational services	362	385	473	525	546	564	628
Social services 10/	1,736	2,922	3,410	3,952	4,660	4,820	5,351
Museums, botanical, zoological gardens	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Membership organizations	4,051	4,227	4,285	4,499	4,832	5,607	5,893
Engineering and management services 11/	10,566	11,097	9,332	9,927	9,550	9,899	10,748
Miscellaneous services	1,304	1,643	1,395	1,581	2,106	1,742	1,703
Government and government enterprises	124,457	133,399	140,541	145,744	153,480	155,715	160,832
Federal, civilian	12,129	12,858	13,695	13,580	14,393	14,523	14,664
Military	3,145	3,100	3,626	3,574	3,571	3,483	3,435
State and local	109,183	117,441	123,220	128,590	135,516	137,709	142,733
State government	29,469	32,311	34,219	35,861	38,103	39,651	41,807
Local government	79,714	85,130	89,001	92,729	97,413	98,058	100,926

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	1997	1998	1999	2000
Income by place of residence (\$000)				
Personal income	1,264,064	1,318,874	1,329,673	1,395,422
Population (persons) 2/	63,833	63,426	63,181	62,911
Per capita personal income (dollars)	19,803	20,794	21,045	22,181
Derivation of personal income (\$000)				
Earnings by place of work	759,546	793,970	824,877	864,704
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	117,724	124,501	128,154	135,670
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	51,023	52,310	54,218	55,573
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,701	72,191	73,936	80,097
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	9,438	2,202	-3,684	-5,470
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	651,260	671,671	693,039	723,564
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	242,522	259,977	247,185	260,415
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	370,282	387,226	389,449	411,443
Earnings by place of work (\$000)				
Components of earnings				
Wages and salaries	550,880	577,256	596,833	606,679
Supplements to wages and salaries	135,926	144,984	152,567	160,289
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	69,225	72,793	78,631	80,192
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,701	72,191	73,936	80,097
Proprietors' income 7/	72,740	71,730	75,477	97,736
Farm proprietors' income	-969	-918	-1,394	-547
Nonfarm proprietors' income	73,709	72,648	76,871	98,283
Earnings by industry (\$000)				
Farm earnings	-867	-739	-1,132	-228
Nonfarm earnings	760,413	794,709	826,009	864,932
Private nonfarm earnings	595,916	626,554	642,420	675,219
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	2,254	2,826	3,384	3,486
Agricultural services	2,206	(D)	(D)	(D)
Forestry and fishing	48	(D)	(D)	(D)
Forestry	0	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing	48	60	95	112

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	1997	1998	1999	2000
Mining	5,230	4,309	1,950	2,050
Metal mining	0	0	0	0
Coal mining	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Oil and gas extraction	0	0	0	0
Nonmetallic minerals, except fuels	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Construction	46,757	49,058	51,290	48,972
General building contractors	10,275	12,765	13,350	11,552
Heavy construction contractors	13,049	12,907	13,489	13,748
Special trade contractors	23,433	23,386	24,451	23,672
Manufacturing	62,738	61,372	65,017	67,020
Durable goods manufacturing	51,026	49,787	51,297	51,911
Lumber and wood products	8,508	9,068	10,981	12,586
Furniture and fixtures	(D)	0	0	0
Stone, clay, and glass products	3,417	3,556	4,041	3,948
Primary metal industries	(D)	(D)	0	0
Fabricated metal products	8,278	8,477	9,069	9,118
Industrial machinery and equipment	23,629	23,954	23,117	22,912
Electronic and other electric equipment	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motor vehicles and equipment	(D)	(D)	(D)	0
Other transportation equipment	0	0	0	0
Instruments and related products	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ordnance 8/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Nondurable goods manufacturing	11,712	11,585	13,720	15,109
Food and kindred products	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tobacco products	0	0	0	0
Textile mill products	0	0	0	0
Apparel and other textile products	(D)	(D)	151	116
Paper and allied products	0	0	0	0
Printing and publishing	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,484
Chemicals and allied products	0	0	0	(D)
Petroleum and coal products	0	0	0	0
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Leather and leather products	0	0	0	0

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	1997	1998	1999	2000
Transportation and public utilities	79,765	86,634	83,836	80,518
Railroad transportation	29,793	33,307	32,708	30,856
Trucking and warehousing	10,512	10,828	10,965	9,969
Water transportation	0	0	0	0
Other transportation	4,395	4,938	5,559	5,529
Local and interurban passenger transit	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transportation by air	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pipelines, except natural gas	0	0	0	0
Transportation services	913	842	(D)	(D)
Communications	20,285	21,710	17,933	17,285
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	14,780	15,851	16,671	16,879
Wholesale trade	44,037	45,264	45,709	43,230
Retail trade	94,931	103,432	105,145	109,946
Building materials and garden equipment	5,721	7,257	6,786	6,988
General merchandise stores	13,537	13,264	11,758	14,889
Food stores	12,413	12,125	12,036	11,392
Automotive dealers and service stations	20,910	25,088	27,857	28,296
Apparel and accessory stores	2,432	2,576	2,429	2,446
Home furniture and furnishings stores	4,401	4,789	5,239	5,121
Eating and drinking places	23,523	25,515	25,788	27,406
Miscellaneous retail	11,994	12,818	13,252	13,408
Finance, insurance, and real estate	33,055	32,138	32,851	35,086
Depository and nondepository institutions	(D)	13,640	(D)	14,525
Other finance, insurance, and real estate	(D)	18,498	(D)	20,561
Security and commodity brokers	1,647	(D)	2,945	3,276
Insurance carriers	3,455	2,696	1,869	(D)
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	6,392	5,533	6,047	5,674
Real estate	6,704	7,519	7,816	8,797
Combined real estate, insurance, etc. 9/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Holding and other investment offices	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Services	227,149	241,521	253,238	284,911
Hotels and other lodging places	3,854	4,091	4,206	4,717
Personal services	9,195	9,760	9,737	10,754
Private households	1,127	1,260	1,109	1,128
Business services	15,923	19,491	19,332	23,639
Automotive repair, services, and parking	6,225	6,719	6,973	7,919

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	1997	1998	1999	2000
Miscellaneous repair services	22,789	24,714	25,520	30,336
Amusement and recreation services	2,897	3,159	3,390	4,097
Motion pictures	796	916	2,938	3,901
Health services	123,691	126,953	128,261	137,078
Legal services	13,020	13,105	13,746	17,975
Educational services	706	(D)	(D)	(D)
Social services 10/	6,464	7,484	9,284	10,629
Museums, botanical, zoological gardens	0	0	0	0
Membership organizations	6,357	7,372	7,729	8,085
Engineering and management services 11/	12,045	13,693	17,540	19,846
Miscellaneous services	2,060	(D)	(D)	(D)
Government and government enterprises	164,497	168,155	183,589	189,713
Federal, civilian	15,094	14,855	16,081	17,284
Military	3,502	3,577	3,841	4,126
State and local	145,901	149,723	163,667	168,303
State government	41,395	43,536	47,620	50,158
Local government	104,506	106,187	116,047	118,145

CAINC5S Footnotes

1/ The estimates of earnings for 1969-74 are based on the 1967 Standard Industrial classification (SIC). The estimates for 1975-87 are based on the 1972 SIC. The estimates for 1988-2000 are based on the 1987 SIC.

2/ Census Bureau midyear population estimates.

3/ Employer contributions for government social insurance are included in earnings by industry and earnings by place of work, but they are excluded from net earnings by place of residence and personal income. Employee and self-employed contributions are subtractions in the calculation of net earnings by place of residence and all of the income measures.

4/ The adjustment for residence is the net inflow of the earnings of interarea commuters. For the United States, it consists of adjustments for border workers and US residents employed by international organizations and foreign embassies.

5/ Rental income of persons includes the capital consumption adjustment.

6/ Includes actual employer contributions and actuarially imputed employer contributions to reflect benefits accrued by defined benefit pension plan participants through service to employers in the current

7/ Proprietors' income includes the inventory valuation adjustment and capital consumption adjustment.

8/ Under the 1972 SIC, ordnance was reclassified to four 2-digit industries: Fabricated metal products, electronic and other electric equipment, transportation equipment, and instruments and related products.

9/ Under the 1987 SIC, combined real estate, insurance, etc., was reclassified to four 2-digit industries: Nondepository credit institutions; insurance agents, brokers, and services; real estate; and legal services.

10/ Social services was first recognized under the 1972 SIC; so estimates for 1969-74 do not exist.

11/ Engineering and management services was first recognized under the 1987 SIC, so estimates for 1969-87 do not exist.

Note-- All dollar estimates are in current dollars (not adjusted for inflation).

(D) Not shown to avoid disclosure of confidential information, but the estimates for this item are included in the totals.

(L) Less than \$50,000, but the estimates for this item are included in the totals.

(NA) Data not available for this year.

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	1,446,796	1,498,346	1,511,203	1,558,001	1,604,820	1,706,326	1,774,264
Population (persons) 2/	61,858	62,016	61,910	61,694	61,303	61,297	61,615
Per capita personal income (dollars)	23,389	24,161	24,410	25,254	26,178	27,837	28,796
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	876,050	911,608	926,280	938,583	951,267	1,004,310	1,011,694
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	132,196	133,249	139,354	138,185	140,154	141,626	137,319
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	56,953	57,966	60,715	62,364	64,037	68,479	71,829
Employer contributions for government social insurance	75,243	75,283	78,639	75,821	76,117	73,147	65,490
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	-380	-1,667	-394	11,516	26,378	30,881	34,284
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	743,474	776,692	786,532	811,914	837,491	893,565	908,659
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	255,904	239,760	223,487	240,269	242,073	252,788	282,871
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	447,418	481,894	501,184	505,818	525,256	559,973	582,734
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Wages and salaries	615,767	634,428	641,965	644,620	650,345	683,281	705,325
Supplements to wages and salaries	163,462	172,190	181,757	181,851	186,946	200,603	196,151
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	88,219	96,907	103,118	106,030	110,829	127,456	130,661
Employer contributions for government social insurance	75,243	75,283	78,639	75,821	76,117	73,147	65,490
Proprietors' income 7/	96,821	104,990	102,558	112,112	113,976	120,426	110,218
Farm proprietors' income	-543	-471	-608	-352	-745	-1,502	-2,551
Nonfarm proprietors' income	97,364	105,461	103,166	112,464	114,721	121,928	112,769
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	-119	56	-25	229	-256	-967	-1,929
Nonfarm earnings	876,169	911,552	926,305	938,354	951,523	1,005,277	1,013,623
Private nonfarm earnings	683,872	713,621	719,450	729,633	740,051	788,523	791,406
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	1,773	(D)	(D)	2,306	3,494	4,198	3,924
Forestry and logging	(D)	902	1,097	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	45	42	30	-2	-6	-16	-112
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)						
Mining	1,953	(D)	(D)	3,095	5,442	8,134	13,360
Oil and gas extraction	528	530	649	1,031	2,879	4,292	(D)
Mining (except oil and gas)	1,396	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,603	2,033
Support activities for mining	29	43	33	(D)	(D)	2,239	(D)

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Utilities	13,931	12,499	11,432	10,238	9,476	11,419	10,765
Construction	49,232	47,538	49,420	55,160	51,936	51,801	52,269
Construction of buildings	11,934	14,909	14,809	16,200	16,018	14,621	17,984
Heavy and civil engineering construction	14,764	9,960	10,294	12,432	10,930	9,728	9,428
Specialty trade contractors	22,534	22,669	24,317	26,528	24,988	27,452	24,857
Manufacturing	67,923	66,464	60,493	57,738	65,071	67,800	66,715
Durable goods manufacturing	54,560	54,239	50,355	47,667	51,478	54,283	53,765
Wood product manufacturing	12,656	12,980	12,998	10,699	10,150	7,647	7,957
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	3,965	4,182	4,257	4,949	5,378	5,570	5,514
Primary metal manufacturing	-5	-3	-2	6	12	23	17
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	20,491	21,319	20,654	12,388	14,345	16,019	15,292
Machinery manufacturing	(D)	11,462	8,163	13,657	(D)	(D)	(D)
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	(D)	773	750	1,383	1,449	1,848	1,789
Motor vehicles, bodies and trailers, & parts manufacturing	-8	-2	-1	2	1	(D)	(D)
Other transportation equipment manufacturing	-4	-2	-1	-2	-48	-18	14
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miscellaneous manufacturing	801	729	753	632	929	1,378	1,285
Nondurable goods manufacturing	13,363	12,225	10,138	10,071	13,593	13,517	12,950
Food manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5	10	10
Textile mills	-5	-5	-3	-1	7	12	11
Textile product mills	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Apparel manufacturing	-3	-3	-2	-1	7	14	11
Leather and allied product manufacturing	-5	-5	-3	-1	7	16	12
Paper manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	78
Printing and related support activities	500	486	445	419	(D)	(D)	(D)
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	0	0	0	0	26	85	219
Chemical manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	762	877	535
Wholesale trade	34,038	33,993	33,765	37,383	35,949	43,915	40,528
Retail trade	90,093	91,624	91,499	95,061	98,988	106,177	106,299
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	25,019	24,570	25,746	27,966	29,921	33,152	32,218
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,353	2,896	3,269	3,576	3,471	3,360	3,048
Electronics and appliance stores	(D)	1,697	1,444	2,283	2,158	2,577	(D)

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Building material and garden supply stores	6,939	7,506	7,704	8,498	8,140	8,892	8,613
Food and beverage stores	11,512	11,402	9,840	11,374	10,961	11,793	12,619
Health and personal care stores	8,811	9,353	9,228	9,464	10,128	11,164	12,596
Gasoline stations	8,086	7,851	7,721	5,395	8,086	8,538	6,939
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	3,642	3,363	3,258	3,191	3,224	3,585	3,884
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,210	1,216	1,325	1,270	1,301	1,380	1,642
General merchandise stores	17,398	18,610	19,110	18,575	18,339	18,566	18,116
Miscellaneous store retailers	2,229	2,324	2,042	2,424	2,390	2,389	2,409
Nonstore retailers	(D)	836	812	1,045	869	781	(D)
Transportation and warehousing	43,115	43,559	48,030	52,014	53,649	57,103	60,335
Air transportation	-4	-11	-13	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rail transportation	29,269	29,491	30,313	32,420	35,155	37,621	40,719
Water transportation	20	14	17	17	7	7	11
Truck transportation	9,846	10,009	13,143	13,142	13,233	14,114	13,527
Transit and ground passenger transportation	128	141	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pipeline transportation	(D)						
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	3	2	1	9	6	8	36
Support activities for transportation	1,167	1,163	1,194	1,454	1,206	1,109	1,104
Couriers and messengers	(D)						
Warehousing and storage	4	4	3	4	7	9	5
Information	21,666	22,528	21,132	18,333	18,045	16,973	16,665
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)						
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)						
Broadcasting, except Internet	3,265	3,349	3,463	4,755	4,280	4,000	3,694
Internet publishing and broadcasting 8/	0	0	0	1	3	5	(NA)
Telecommunications	10,203	10,279	10,087	8,956	9,061	7,976	7,659
Data processing, hosting, and related services	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other information services 8/	2	1	1	1	3	6	4
Finance and insurance	29,689	32,621	31,603	31,428	31,917	31,839	31,631
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	14,232	15,124	15,464	15,574	16,620	16,518	16,160
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,231	4,539	4,776	4,881
Insurance carriers and related activities	10,997	12,584	11,525	10,565	10,727	10,534	10,549
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	(D)	(D)	(D)	58	31	11	41

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Real estate and rental and leasing	8,625	9,135	10,055	11,415	11,777	11,274	9,703
Real estate	6,684	6,865	7,872	8,622	8,346	7,565	5,976
Rental and leasing services	(D)	2,222	2,114	2,669	3,326	3,641	3,668
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	(D)	48	69	124	105	68	59
Professional, scientific, and technical services	34,049	35,548	36,481	36,907	35,424	35,661	39,244
Management of companies and enterprises	5,612	6,086	5,521	6,037	7,312	8,311	10,715
Administrative and waste management services	25,318	27,892	29,916	30,138	33,503	39,674	40,893
Administrative and support services	24,371	27,049	29,081	29,355	31,895	38,162	38,731
Waste management and remediation services	947	843	835	783	1,608	1,512	2,162
Educational services	(D)	1,120	1,116	1,681	2,042	2,865	3,320
Health care and social assistance	(D)	173,192	183,218	183,258	173,435	179,257	177,353
Ambulatory health care services	79,104	86,360	89,564	89,984	87,268	93,892	98,858
Hospitals	56,851	64,665	69,831	68,262	60,501	58,823	50,239
Nursing and residential care facilities	11,562	13,936	15,536	16,920	17,278	15,911	17,088
Social assistance	(D)	8,231	8,287	8,092	8,388	10,631	11,168
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	4,034	4,128	4,746	5,553	8,331	9,010	9,494
Performing arts and spectator sports	942	1,038	1,240	1,226	887	910	975
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	29	33	31	1	3	4	4
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	3,063	3,057	3,475	4,326	7,441	8,096	8,515
Accommodation and food services	33,167	32,968	34,096	33,796	32,787	34,469	34,817
Accommodation	5,014	5,015	4,941	5,021	4,328	4,490	4,778
Food services and drinking places	28,153	27,953	29,155	28,775	28,459	29,979	30,039
Other services, except public administration	63,359	68,909	62,930	58,092	61,473	68,643	63,376
Repair and maintenance	37,043	38,133	33,398	29,407	32,299	39,888	35,101
Personal and laundry services	13,316	14,700	14,161	13,815	14,739	15,218	14,479
Membership associations and organizations	11,985	15,123	14,365	13,857	13,469	12,574	12,792
Private households	1,015	953	1,006	1,013	966	963	1,004
Government and government enterprises	192,297	197,931	206,855	208,721	211,472	216,754	222,217
Federal, civilian	16,679	16,983	17,193	17,988	19,093	19,591	19,387
Military	4,325	5,799	8,513	9,210	10,449	9,366	9,664
State and local	171,293	175,149	181,149	181,523	181,930	187,797	193,166
State government	51,747	52,916	54,500	54,962	55,636	57,324	59,212
Local government	119,546	122,233	126,649	126,561	126,294	130,473	133,954

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	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Income by place of residence (\$000)							
Personal income	1,868,732	1,943,069	1,993,426	2,049,747	2,111,258	2,060,149	2,084,600
Population (persons) 2/	61,848	62,177	62,337	62,556	62,417	61,911	61,762
Per capita personal income (dollars)	30,215	31,251	31,978	32,767	33,825	33,276	33,752
Derivation of personal income (\$000)							
Earnings by place of work	1,040,938	1,068,302	1,102,681	1,140,672	1,169,183	1,142,782	1,116,566
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	135,509	141,532	144,505	133,966	135,354	148,144	148,060
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	74,666	77,268	79,043	66,306	66,548	81,199	81,745
Employer contributions for government social insurance	60,843	64,264	65,462	67,660	68,806	66,945	66,315
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	45,788	40,563	41,964	49,492	46,388	40,582	47,554
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	951,217	967,333	1,000,140	1,056,198	1,080,217	1,035,220	1,016,060
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	285,901	297,029	282,222	279,730	292,967	276,407	279,461
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	631,614	678,707	711,064	713,819	738,074	748,522	789,079
Earnings by place of work (\$000)							
Wages and salaries	734,219	754,915	768,018	789,397	804,417	792,340	780,995
Supplements to wages and salaries	196,786	200,606	201,018	209,688	219,907	219,165	205,174
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	135,943	136,342	135,556	142,028	151,101	152,220	138,859
Employer contributions for government social insurance	60,843	64,264	65,462	67,660	68,806	66,945	66,315
Proprietors' income 7/	109,933	112,781	133,645	141,587	144,859	131,277	130,397
Farm proprietors' income	-781	-456	-199	909	2,798	2,493	1,726
Nonfarm proprietors' income	110,714	113,237	133,844	140,678	142,061	128,784	128,671
Earnings by industry (\$000)							
Farm earnings	-247	36	245	1,277	3,361	3,066	2,334
Nonfarm earnings	1,041,185	1,068,266	1,102,436	1,139,395	1,165,822	1,139,716	1,114,232
Private nonfarm earnings	805,444	817,787	848,537	884,616	903,094	878,373	849,406
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	2,971	2,927	3,302	2,528	2,589	2,357	2,502
Forestry and logging	(D)						
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	-142	-176	-56	-60	-37	-36	-36
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)						
Mining	22,272	21,354	25,047	22,781	18,999	19,179	16,509
Oil and gas extraction	(D)	11,524	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mining (except oil and gas)	6,078	5,993	8,304	11,044	10,312	9,494	8,164
Support activities for mining	(D)	3,837	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Utilities	11,359	11,421	11,068	11,500	11,234	12,102	12,434
Construction	50,892	52,669	59,296	64,111	71,821	68,174	57,998
Construction of buildings	18,057	20,453	20,069	21,859	25,359	26,017	18,352
Heavy and civil engineering construction	9,132	10,234	13,204	15,924	21,491	16,066	12,396
Specialty trade contractors	23,703	21,982	26,023	26,328	24,971	26,091	27,250
Manufacturing	67,908	66,439	66,183	70,584	71,644	58,261	56,857
Durable goods manufacturing	55,279	54,424	54,618	64,388	64,576	53,908	52,988
Wood product manufacturing	6,738	4,790	4,326	4,663	4,587	5,476	6,270
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	5,602	5,455	5,132	7,224	8,188	6,379	5,700
Primary metal manufacturing	23	-74	20	-143	-133	-60	-54
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	16,378	15,939	15,508	17,437	15,949	11,781	11,127
Machinery manufacturing	(D)	(D)	21,202	25,874	26,832	22,255	23,336
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)						
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	2,192	2,261	2,298	2,811	2,748	2,321	1,679
Motor vehicles, bodies and trailers, & parts manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	393	272	255	272
Other transportation equipment manufacturing	-13	-9	9	39	35	12	15
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing	1,237	1,400	1,323	1,232	1,249	819	428
Nondurable goods manufacturing	12,629	12,015	11,565	6,196	7,068	4,353	3,869
Food manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	24	129	143
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	3	2	2	4	14	54	98
Textile mills	4	2	2	3	6	38	41
Textile product mills	(D)						
Apparel manufacturing	4	(D)	0	-6	6	40	16
Leather and allied product manufacturing	4	2	2	3	10	48	42
Paper manufacturing	44	9	25	178	489	56	295
Printing and related support activities	(D)						
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	61	13	25	344	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chemical manufacturing	(D)						
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	1,039	963	1,145	1,313	1,340	1,270	(D)
Wholesale trade	41,385	38,981	38,778	43,547	43,291	42,156	43,722
Retail trade	101,069	102,239	107,630	113,283	117,136	118,400	121,580
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	29,641	30,523	34,644	37,449	39,941	41,384	41,575
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,817	(D)	2,629	2,585	2,593	(D)	2,412
Electronics and appliance stores	3,956	3,344	3,187	3,589	3,705	3,784	4,284

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	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Building material and garden supply stores	8,587	9,024	8,887	9,002	9,129	9,231	9,157
Food and beverage stores	12,141	13,140	13,299	13,741	13,092	13,217	13,968
Health and personal care stores	11,941	12,791	13,113	13,124	13,625	13,529	13,293
Gasoline stations	5,944	4,813	5,784	7,460	8,675	8,576	9,110
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	3,286	2,262	2,417	2,698	2,996	3,413	3,543
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,572	1,331	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,903
General merchandise stores	18,451	19,235	18,619	18,643	17,968	17,719	17,326
Miscellaneous store retailers	(D)	2,182	2,471	2,727	2,948	2,691	(D)
Nonstore retailers	(D)						
Transportation and warehousing	61,639	61,866	61,969	68,180	70,611	63,176	62,546
Air transportation	(D)	461	946	518	570	(D)	(D)
Rail transportation	42,448	44,618	42,906	48,914	50,808	46,496	45,788
Water transportation	7	2	0	-1	-29	18	-210
Truck transportation	13,338	11,507	13,006	14,270	13,136	10,028	10,000
Transit and ground passenger transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	113	246	(D)	(D)
Pipeline transportation	(D)						
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	14	2	2	1	23	70	157
Support activities for transportation	1,227	1,172	1,165	1,106	1,601	1,489	1,517
Couriers and messengers	(D)						
Warehousing and storage	1	-3	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Information	15,812	16,542	16,080	17,288	17,836	18,500	17,904
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)						
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)						
Broadcasting, except Internet	3,740	3,799	3,560	3,681	4,064	4,861	4,801
Internet publishing and broadcasting 8/	(NA)						
Telecommunications	6,742	7,899	8,378	9,129	9,230	9,139	8,730
Data processing, hosting, and related services	(D)						
Other information services 8/	2	13	1	1	9	51	44
Finance and insurance	29,171	29,998	29,483	28,829	28,649	28,196	26,296
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	16,559	16,436	15,911	15,598	14,531	15,274	15,126
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,908	2,375	2,713	2,333	2,047	1,881	1,580
Insurance carriers and related activities	10,694	11,179	10,854	10,894	12,008	10,912	9,528
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	10	8	5	4	63	129	62

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	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Real estate and rental and leasing	11,739	14,253	16,895	17,227	16,316	14,253	13,615
Real estate	7,308	10,818	13,578	14,485	13,828	11,931	11,231
Rental and leasing services	4,408	3,421	3,305	2,734	2,482	2,319	2,375
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	23	14	12	8	6	3	9
Professional, scientific, and technical services	44,829	42,886	44,845	50,069	46,236	39,592	34,794
Management of companies and enterprises	9,922	13,774	15,304	17,964	15,347	13,220	16,240
Administrative and waste management services	46,658	54,437	49,955	51,339	56,838	60,847	57,300
Administrative and support services	43,927	51,224	45,774	48,151	50,496	55,354	51,615
Waste management and remediation services	2,731	3,213	4,181	3,188	6,342	5,493	5,685
Educational services	2,337	1,856	2,153	2,947	3,053	3,070	2,876
Health care and social assistance	183,605	184,713	188,830	189,649	195,024	202,970	202,066
Ambulatory health care services	100,964	101,116	101,209	103,660	108,028	108,033	119,376
Hospitals	(D)	(D)	52,839	52,453	52,290	58,052	(D)
Nursing and residential care facilities	17,841	19,050	20,810	20,286	21,251	22,933	24,084
Social assistance	(D)	(D)	13,972	13,250	13,455	13,952	(D)
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	6,813	7,043	7,207	7,249	7,598	7,560	7,959
Performing arts and spectator sports	(D)	626	756	786	686	625	635
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	2	0	0	-1	-1	0	0
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	(D)	6,417	6,451	6,464	6,913	6,935	7,324
Accommodation and food services	35,738	36,652	36,565	37,665	39,563	38,851	39,443
Accommodation	4,929	4,407	4,401	4,614	4,930	5,025	5,486
Food services and drinking places	30,809	32,245	32,164	33,051	34,633	33,826	33,957
Other services, except public administration	59,325	57,737	67,947	67,876	69,309	67,509	56,765
Repair and maintenance	32,527	29,571	37,909	37,670	37,525	36,560	26,647
Personal and laundry services	12,408	12,874	14,224	14,708	15,737	15,109	14,650
Membership associations and organizations	13,395	14,450	15,090	14,739	15,243	15,011	14,525
Private households	995	842	724	759	804	829	943
Government and government enterprises	235,741	250,479	253,899	254,779	262,728	261,343	264,826
Federal, civilian	19,503	19,306	19,832	18,056	17,017	15,076	14,782
Military	11,314	12,790	12,140	10,989	10,221	9,655	9,018
State and local	204,924	218,383	221,927	225,734	235,490	236,612	241,026
State government	61,649	65,529	67,980	69,391	72,985	72,534	72,507
Local government	143,275	152,854	153,947	156,343	162,505	164,078	168,519

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Income by place of residence (\$000)				
Personal income	2,111,137	2,085,468	2,137,595	2,214,560
Population (persons) 2/	61,124	60,613	59,801	59,131
Per capita personal income (dollars)	34,539	34,406	35,745	37,452
Derivation of personal income (\$000)				
Earnings by place of work	1,114,183	1,079,748	1,103,295	1,131,753
less: Contributions for government social insurance 3/	148,781	148,720	152,891	155,535
Employee & self-employed contrib. for gov. social insurance	82,655	83,087	86,767	89,765
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,126	65,633	66,124	65,770
plus: Adjustment for residence 4/	48,226	42,467	48,506	63,441
equals: Net earnings by place of residence	1,013,628	973,495	998,910	1,039,659
plus: Dividends, interest, and rent 5/	284,268	279,603	285,503	305,153
plus: Personal current transfer receipts	813,241	832,370	853,182	869,748
Earnings by place of work (\$000)				
Wages and salaries	776,563	758,577	778,051	795,712
Supplements to wages and salaries	206,232	197,797	206,592	211,715
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	140,106	132,164	140,468	145,945
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,126	65,633	66,124	65,770
Proprietors' income 7/	131,388	123,374	118,652	124,326
Farm proprietors' income	2,002	1,463	1,747	1,595
Nonfarm proprietors' income	129,386	121,911	116,905	122,731
Earnings by industry (\$000)				
Farm earnings	2,505	2,043	2,261	2,102
Nonfarm earnings	1,111,678	1,077,705	1,101,034	1,129,651
Private nonfarm earnings	844,655	810,345	832,558	857,948
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	2,982	3,139	3,405	3,733
Forestry and logging	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	-25	-25	-26	-23
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mining	10,477	7,899	10,721	12,815
Oil and gas extraction	(D)	(D)	1,403	2,132
Mining (except oil and gas)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Support activities for mining	3,466	2,152	(D)	(D)

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Utilities	12,281	13,382	13,798	14,620
Construction	56,082	51,147	53,244	54,305
Construction of buildings	16,550	17,239	19,226	18,058
Heavy and civil engineering construction	11,338	7,814	7,620	7,064
Specialty trade contractors	28,194	26,094	26,398	29,183
Manufacturing	57,545	48,599	53,042	59,501
Durable goods manufacturing	52,926	44,639	49,224	55,244
Wood product manufacturing	6,455	6,446	7,703	7,168
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	7,172	5,294	(D)	(D)
Primary metal manufacturing	-1	0	2	3
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	13,067	10,630	11,903	13,582
Machinery manufacturing	22,062	18,467	19,613	23,399
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motor vehicles, bodies and trailers, & parts manufacturing	246	266	221	232
Other transportation equipment manufacturing	7	2	4	4
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miscellaneous manufacturing	395	372	(D)	(D)
Nondurable goods manufacturing	4,619	3,960	3,818	4,257
Food manufacturing	196	22	3	3
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	78	18	5	(D)
Textile mills	34	0	0	0
Textile product mills	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Apparel manufacturing	-39	-7	0	0
Leather and allied product manufacturing	32	0	0	0
Paper manufacturing	631	122	43	38
Printing and related support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chemical manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wholesale trade	43,810	39,929	45,103	46,268
Retail trade	127,048	128,465	120,382	123,364
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	42,552	43,159	39,908	39,888
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,566	2,803	2,620	2,707
Electronics and appliance stores	3,985	4,201	3,689	3,801

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Building material and garden supply stores	9,409	9,184	9,209	11,372
Food and beverage stores	14,526	14,582	14,121	14,026
Health and personal care stores	13,362	14,097	13,332	14,340
Gasoline stations	10,015	9,919	8,802	8,957
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	4,070	3,881	3,510	3,465
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	2,738	2,245	2,857	2,912
General merchandise stores	17,864	18,457	17,549	17,099
Miscellaneous store retailers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nonstore retailers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transportation and warehousing	59,063	47,435	49,150	52,027
Air transportation	231	20	10	11
Rail transportation	45,119	35,312	35,430	36,975
Water transportation	-29	-3	-1	-1
Truck transportation	7,675	6,083	7,338	8,507
Transit and ground passenger transportation	(D)	12	19	18
Pipeline transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	115	1	0	0
Support activities for transportation	913	606	735	677
Couriers and messengers	3,344	3,708	3,867	3,926
Warehousing and storage	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Information	17,262	16,320	17,547	16,095
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broadcasting, except Internet	4,833	3,829	3,852	3,931
Internet publishing and broadcasting 8/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Telecommunications	8,268	9,017	10,939	9,191
Data processing, hosting, and related services	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other information services 8/	66	16	7	7
Finance and insurance	25,403	26,407	25,973	25,616
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	14,776	15,240	16,340	15,506
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,678	2,169	2,470	2,918
Insurance carriers and related activities	8,921	8,971	7,091	7,120
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	28	27	72	72

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Real estate and rental and leasing	16,553	15,007	11,917	12,039
Real estate	13,957	11,817	9,213	8,776
Rental and leasing services	2,580	3,156	2,669	3,228
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	16	34	35	35
Professional, scientific, and technical services	34,524	35,739	39,024	38,570
Management of companies and enterprises	13,509	11,748	14,418	16,019
Administrative and waste management services	54,268	56,337	63,693	60,764
Administrative and support services	47,616	50,386	55,921	51,774
Waste management and remediation services	6,652	5,951	7,772	8,990
Educational services	3,092	3,486	3,226	3,119
Health care and social assistance	201,286	198,837	197,870	205,464
Ambulatory health care services	122,707	123,619	120,623	127,623
Hospitals	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nursing and residential care facilities	24,482	25,287	26,559	28,439
Social assistance	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	7,381	7,620	7,601	7,010
Performing arts and spectator sports	845	978	1,314	1,492
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	2	3	3	3
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	6,534	6,639	6,284	5,515
Accommodation and food services	42,060	42,768	45,290	46,749
Accommodation	5,550	5,218	5,353	5,887
Food services and drinking places	36,510	37,550	39,937	40,862
Other services, except public administration	60,029	56,081	57,154	59,870
Repair and maintenance	29,516	26,206	26,367	27,255
Personal and laundry services	14,501	13,862	14,536	15,353
Membership associations and organizations	15,064	15,136	15,448	16,335
Private households	948	877	803	927
Government and government enterprises	267,023	267,360	268,476	271,703
Federal, civilian	15,463	14,274	14,690	14,979
Military	8,397	8,572	8,324	9,165
State and local	243,163	244,514	245,462	247,559
State government	71,318	72,364	70,551	67,224
Local government	171,845	172,150	174,911	180,335

CAINC5N Footnotes

1/ The estimates of earnings for 2001-2006 are based on the 2002 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The estimates for 2007-2010 are based on the 2007 NAICS. The estimates for 2011-2016 are based on the 2012 NAICS. The estimates for 2017 forward are based on

2/ Census Bureau midyear population estimates. Estimates for 2010-2018 reflect county population estimates available as of March 2019.

3/ Employer contributions for government social insurance are included in earnings by industry and earnings by place of work, but they are excluded from net earnings by place of residence and personal income. Employee and self-employed contributions are subtractions in the calculation of net earnings by place of residence and all of the income measures.

4/ The adjustment for residence is the net inflow of the earnings of interarea commuters. For the United States, it consists of adjustments for border workers and US residents employed by international organizations and foreign embassies.

5/ Rental income of persons includes the capital consumption adjustment.

6/ Includes actual employer contributions and actuarially imputed employer contributions to reflect benefits accrued by defined benefit pension plan participants through service to employers in the current period.

7/ Proprietors' income includes the inventory valuation adjustment and capital consumption adjustment.

8/ Under the 2007 NAICS, internet publishing and broadcasting was reclassified to other information services.

Note-- All dollar estimates are in thousands of current dollars (not adjusted for inflation). Statistics presented in thousands of dollars do not

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Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment by Industry

Mercer County

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Employment by place of work								
Total full-time and part-time employment	21,771	22,317	23,444	23,864	24,061	24,358	24,553	25,397
By type								
Wage and salary employment	18,950	19,488	20,488	20,792	20,946	21,074	21,136	22,105
Proprietors employment	2,821	2,829	2,956	3,072	3,115	3,284	3,417	3,292
Farm proprietors employment	290	301	306	313	326	341	375	373
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	2,531	2,528	2,650	2,759	2,789	2,943	3,042	2,919
By industry								
Farm employment	338	347	351	346	365	384	407	420
Nonfarm employment	21,433	21,970	23,093	23,518	23,696	23,974	24,146	24,977
Private nonfarm employment	17,929	18,370	19,403	19,617	19,836	20,162	20,280	21,123
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	73	76	99	88	99	87	57	74
Mining	688	578	629	682	713	771	806	923
Construction	1,072	1,175	1,489	1,432	1,498	1,301	1,335	1,521
Manufacturing	2,517	2,474	2,467	2,414	2,381	2,465	2,402	2,574
Transportation and public utilities	2,271	2,341	2,470	2,373	2,363	2,241	2,170	2,303
Wholesale trade	1,506	1,569	1,644	1,678	1,686	1,744	1,866	1,679
Retail trade	3,707	3,811	4,067	4,269	4,336	4,349	4,394	4,709
Finance, insurance, and real estate	1,181	1,175	1,188	1,167	1,235	1,370	1,465	1,419
Services	4,914	5,171	5,350	5,514	5,525	5,834	5,785	5,921
Government and government enterprises	3,504	3,600	3,690	3,901	3,860	3,812	3,866	3,854
Federal, civilian	337	341	334	354	359	368	378	369
Military	319	346	343	333	305	301	305	282
State and local	2,848	2,913	3,013	3,214	3,196	3,143	3,183	3,203
State government	(NA)							
Local government	(NA)							

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Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment by Industry

Mercer County

	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Employment by place of work								
Total full-time and part-time employment	26,649	27,385	27,226	27,761	27,399	27,334	26,410	26,634
By type								
Wage and salary employment	23,280	23,961	23,791	24,207	23,787	23,686	22,594	22,876
Proprietors employment	3,369	3,424	3,435	3,554	3,612	3,648	3,816	3,758
Farm proprietors employment	366	358	382	430	440	462	506	486
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	3,003	3,066	3,053	3,124	3,172	3,186	3,310	3,272
By industry								
Farm employment	397	401	421	464	468	485	534	513
Nonfarm employment	26,252	26,984	26,805	27,297	26,931	26,849	25,876	26,121
Private nonfarm employment	22,406	23,062	22,948	23,336	22,155	21,913	20,757	20,945
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	72	98	116	127	86	85	83	84
Mining	1,025	1,054	742	749	706	727	424	440
Construction	1,966	2,025	1,744	1,566	1,439	1,302	1,160	1,162
Manufacturing	2,345	2,306	2,434	2,440	2,206	2,172	1,880	2,100
Transportation and public utilities	2,388	2,472	2,694	2,769	2,639	2,561	2,404	2,329
Wholesale trade	1,822	1,750	1,758	1,812	1,866	1,712	1,537	1,528
Retail trade	5,127	5,436	5,471	5,574	5,823	5,626	5,522	5,449
Finance, insurance, and real estate	1,475	1,520	1,527	1,723	1,530	1,459	1,487	1,546
Services	6,186	6,401	6,462	6,576	5,860	6,269	6,260	6,307
Government and government enterprises	3,846	3,922	3,857	3,961	4,776	4,936	5,119	5,176
Federal, civilian	330	331	350	363	348	338	322	329
Military	269	267	270	253	252	277	336	348
State and local	3,247	3,324	3,237	3,345	4,176	4,321	4,461	4,499
State government	(NA)	(NA)	1,316	1,389	1,275	1,265	1,425	1,299
Local government	(NA)	(NA)	1,921	1,956	2,901	3,056	3,036	3,200

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Mercer County

	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
Employment by place of work								
Total full-time and part-time employment	26,295	26,357	26,395	26,854	26,797	27,194	27,527	27,223
By type								
Wage and salary employment	22,558	22,662	22,756	23,033	22,883	23,080	23,362	23,000
Proprietors employment	3,737	3,695	3,639	3,821	3,914	4,114	4,165	4,223
Farm proprietors employment	466	463	461	492	527	549	567	597
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	3,271	3,232	3,178	3,329	3,387	3,565	3,598	3,626
By industry								
Farm employment	487	492	487	520	563	588	603	643
Nonfarm employment	25,808	25,865	25,908	26,334	26,234	26,606	26,924	26,580
Private nonfarm employment	20,543	20,565	20,638	20,933	20,935	21,334	21,602	21,232
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	99	104	100	85	85	81	98	89
Mining	238	191	262	268	118	130	205	156
Construction	1,016	1,059	1,056	1,146	1,283	1,232	1,291	1,339
Manufacturing	1,996	1,686	1,762	1,809	1,815	1,961	1,996	1,841
Transportation and public utilities	2,249	2,207	2,192	2,156	1,977	2,037	2,047	1,827
Wholesale trade	1,541	1,653	1,584	1,668	1,674	1,573	1,401	1,336
Retail trade	5,516	5,738	5,723	5,690	5,803	5,962	5,952	5,927
Finance, insurance, and real estate	1,516	1,574	1,596	1,571	1,482	1,458	1,390	1,440
Services	6,372	6,353	6,363	6,540	6,698	6,900	7,222	7,277
Government and government enterprises	5,265	5,300	5,270	5,401	5,299	5,272	5,322	5,348
Federal, civilian	344	334	328	327	322	304	297	298
Military	363	351	353	353	350	353	356	381
State and local	4,558	4,615	4,589	4,721	4,627	4,615	4,669	4,669
State government	1,324	1,267	1,187	1,274	1,258	1,293	1,342	1,418
Local government	3,234	3,348	3,402	3,447	3,369	3,322	3,327	3,251

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Mercer County

	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Employment by place of work								
Total full-time and part-time employment	27,480	27,979	28,388	28,838	28,867	29,543	29,622	29,338
By type								
Wage and salary employment	23,322	23,870	24,016	24,461	24,485	24,870	24,985	24,611
Proprietors employment	4,158	4,109	4,372	4,377	4,382	4,673	4,637	4,727
Farm proprietors employment	597	565	540	508	487	500	468	444
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	3,561	3,544	3,832	3,869	3,895	4,173	4,169	4,283
By industry								
Farm employment	630	586	558	518	494	510	483	463
Nonfarm employment	26,850	27,393	27,830	28,320	28,373	29,033	29,139	28,875
Private nonfarm employment	21,440	21,926	22,584	23,094	23,327	23,966	23,970	23,740
Agricultural services, forestry, and fishing	107	98	104	111	135	163	156	149
Mining	109	151	175	170	163	140	120	113
Construction	1,439	1,528	1,561	1,602	1,672	1,816	1,755	1,673
Manufacturing	1,875	1,810	1,865	1,973	1,917	1,816	1,845	1,814
Transportation and public utilities	1,846	1,963	2,026	2,064	2,053	2,045	2,133	1,937
Wholesale trade	1,217	1,309	1,294	1,219	1,201	1,203	1,225	1,180
Retail trade	6,005	6,097	6,099	6,136	6,102	6,266	6,091	6,234
Finance, insurance, and real estate	1,434	1,333	1,485	1,476	1,519	1,525	1,425	1,491
Services	7,408	7,637	7,975	8,343	8,565	8,992	9,220	9,149
Government and government enterprises	5,410	5,467	5,246	5,226	5,046	5,067	5,169	5,135
Federal, civilian	291	296	290	288	292	296	301	327
Military	369	343	337	326	325	318	325	333
State and local	4,750	4,828	4,619	4,612	4,429	4,453	4,543	4,475
State government	1,447	1,393	1,391	1,449	1,311	1,309	1,347	1,267
Local government	3,303	3,435	3,228	3,163	3,118	3,144	3,196	3,208

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1/ The estimates of employment for 1969-74 based on 1967 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC). The estimates for 1975-87 are based on the 1972 SIC. The estimates for 1988-2000 are based on the 1987 SIC.

2/ Excludes limited partners.

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(NM) Not meaningful.

Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment by Industry**Mercer County**

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Employment by place of work							
Total employment	28,624	28,851	28,554	28,115	28,190	28,527	29,174
By type							
Wage and salary employment	24,131	24,357	24,085	23,581	23,440	23,701	23,808
Proprietors employment	4,493	4,494	4,469	4,534	4,750	4,826	5,366
Farm proprietors employment	433	386	382	374	379	383	427
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	4,060	4,108	4,087	4,160	4,371	4,443	4,939
By industry							
Farm employment	459	416	417	406	403	405	447
Nonfarm employment	28,165	28,435	28,137	27,709	27,787	28,122	28,727
Private nonfarm employment	23,197	23,393	23,025	22,608	22,842	23,020	23,539
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	47	(D)	(D)	52	49	56	70
Mining	106	(D)	(D)	132	148	168	325
Utilities	186	156	145	129	123	119	121
Construction	1,658	1,578	1,526	1,563	1,529	1,554	1,585
Manufacturing	1,710	1,641	1,465	1,354	1,504	1,486	1,475
Wholesale trade	787	771	761	771	774	892	837
Retail trade	4,360	4,238	4,199	4,188	4,072	4,106	4,179
Transportation and warehousing	830	798	833	898	921	944	1,077
Information	591	561	498	423	443	411	402
Finance and insurance	836	859	833	816	827	790	806
Real estate and rental and leasing	554	570	550	589	635	638	610
Professional, scientific, & technical services	898	922	917	930	928	889	955
Management of companies & enterprises	116	122	96	95	109	128	167
Administrative & waste management services	1,500	1,630	1,738	1,717	1,692	1,788	1,853
Educational services	(D)	115	124	150	185	221	257
Health care and social assistance	(D)	4,266	4,295	4,137	3,958	3,930	4,019
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	343	345	338	389	673	668	619
Accommodation and food services	2,252	2,224	2,222	2,204	2,206	2,241	2,220
Other services, except public administration	2,357	2,452	2,315	2,071	2,066	1,991	1,962
Government and government enterprises	4,968	5,042	5,112	5,101	4,945	5,102	5,188
Federal, civilian	292	298	281	265	270	267	261
Military	330	328	326	325	313	303	307
State and local	4,346	4,416	4,505	4,511	4,362	4,532	4,620
State government	1,226	1,215	1,223	1,274	1,213	1,290	1,371
Local government	3,120	3,201	3,282	3,237	3,149	3,242	3,249

Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment by Industry**Mercer County**

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Employment by place of work							
Total employment	28,927	28,530	28,394	28,348	27,985	27,612	27,107
By type							
Wage and salary employment	23,685	23,392	23,416	23,378	23,122	22,673	22,165
Proprietors employment	5,242	5,138	4,978	4,970	4,863	4,939	4,942
Farm proprietors employment	411	412	399	389	380	380	402
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	4,831	4,726	4,579	4,581	4,483	4,559	4,540
By industry							
Farm employment	432	432	420	413	410	408	433
Nonfarm employment	28,495	28,098	27,974	27,935	27,575	27,204	26,674
Private nonfarm employment	23,194	22,730	22,465	22,447	22,070	21,864	21,387
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	56	45	37	42	39	38	46
Mining	459	397	465	439	414	439	399
Utilities	120	116	114	111	112	110	111
Construction	1,484	1,372	1,328	1,316	1,303	1,291	1,129
Manufacturing	1,443	1,378	1,330	1,319	1,276	1,150	1,143
Wholesale trade	813	750	753	818	791	781	838
Retail trade	4,027	3,892	3,783	3,849	3,908	3,895	3,873
Transportation and warehousing	1,054	1,016	980	1,047	954	852	810
Information	388	363	368	376	376	360	338
Finance and insurance	777	817	808	814	756	707	673
Real estate and rental and leasing	583	585	557	578	550	604	635
Professional, scientific, & technical services	929	917	903	930	905	901	895
Management of companies & enterprises	187	201	220	193	161	158	191
Administrative & waste management services	1,954	2,035	1,890	1,814	1,739	1,831	1,710
Educational services	218	192	202	189	180	209	192
Health care and social assistance	4,063	4,091	4,151	4,058	4,025	4,098	4,095
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	459	452	430	416	456	450	479
Accommodation and food services	2,285	2,234	2,217	2,241	2,215	2,152	2,124
Other services, except public administration	1,895	1,877	1,929	1,897	1,910	1,838	1,706
Government and government enterprises	5,301	5,368	5,509	5,488	5,505	5,340	5,287
Federal, civilian	252	245	258	208	198	184	178
Military	322	324	316	310	310	303	299
State and local	4,727	4,799	4,935	4,970	4,997	4,853	4,810
State government	1,379	1,419	1,527	1,576	1,600	1,659	1,630
Local government	3,348	3,380	3,408	3,394	3,397	3,194	3,180

Total Full-Time and Part-Time Employment by Industry**Mercer County**

	2015	2016	2017	2018
Employment by place of work				
Total employment	26,893	26,495	26,248	26,055
By type				
Wage and salary employment	21,943	21,565	21,230	20,946
Proprietors employment	4,950	4,930	5,018	5,109
Farm proprietors employment	401	406	410	406
Nonfarm proprietors employment 2/	4,549	4,524	4,608	4,703
By industry				
Farm employment	436	435	440	435
Nonfarm employment	26,457	26,060	25,808	25,620
Private nonfarm employment	21,196	20,725	20,558	20,468
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	50	44	48	50
Mining	348	335	265	269
Utilities	115	128	121	126
Construction	1,103	1,097	1,119	1,135
Manufacturing	1,088	991	1,013	1,063
Wholesale trade	842	712	729	719
Retail trade	3,897	3,841	3,696	3,676
Transportation and warehousing	767	694	749	793
Information	322	310	317	286
Finance and insurance	642	688	621	596
Real estate and rental and leasing	701	666	609	609
Professional, scientific, & technical services	883	834	890	875
Management of companies & enterprises	173	162	172	179
Administrative & waste management services	1,670	1,723	1,820	1,714
Educational services	195	205	204	197
Health care and social assistance	4,049	3,976	3,893	3,872
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	488	462	435	416
Accommodation and food services	2,139	2,197	2,243	2,253
Other services, except public administration	1,724	1,660	1,614	1,640
Government and government enterprises	5,261	5,335	5,250	5,152
Federal, civilian	166	157	158	155
Military	291	280	273	274
State and local	4,804	4,898	4,819	4,723
State government	1,566	1,646	1,583	1,487
Local government	3,238	3,252	3,236	3,236

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Bureau of Business and Economic Research
Compensation by Industry (Thousands of Dollars)

Mercer County

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Compensation of employees (\$000) 1/	779,229	806,618	823,722	826,471	837,291	883,884	901,476
Wages and salaries	615,767	634,428	641,965	644,620	650,345	683,281	705,325
Supplements to wages and salaries	163,462	172,190	181,757	181,851	186,946	200,603	196,151
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 2/	88,219	96,907	103,118	106,030	110,829	127,456	130,661
Employer contributions for government social insurance	75,243	75,283	78,639	75,821	76,117	73,147	65,490
Average compensation per job (dollars) 3/	32,292	33,116	34,201	35,048	35,721	37,293	37,864
Compensation of Employees by Industry (\$000)							
Farm compensation	424	527	583	581	489	535	622
Nonfarm compensation	778,805	806,091	823,139	825,890	836,802	883,349	900,854
Private nonfarm compensation	586,508	608,160	616,284	617,169	625,330	666,595	678,637
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	479	(D)	(D)	788	972	1,291	1,638
Forestry and logging	(D)	126	94	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)						
Mining	1,474	(D)	(D)	2,172	2,854	4,782	12,055
Oil and gas extraction	0	0	0	0	0	0	(D)
Mining (except oil and gas)	1,474	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,697	3,627
Support activities for mining	0	0	0	(D)	(D)	2,085	(D)
Utilities	14,508	13,177	11,847	10,320	10,064	11,856	11,188
Construction	34,935	32,287	31,481	35,168	32,924	33,839	37,054
Construction of buildings	7,172	9,571	7,962	8,770	9,122	8,764	12,880
Heavy and civil engineering construction	14,333	9,442	9,836	12,062	10,523	9,248	9,119
Specialty trade contractors	13,430	13,274	13,683	14,336	13,279	15,827	15,055
Manufacturing	67,858	66,327	60,492	57,662	64,352	66,572	65,618
Durable goods manufacturing	54,469	54,079	50,333	47,587	51,273	53,847	53,467
Wood product manufacturing	12,658	12,980	12,998	10,699	10,151	7,638	8,027
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	3,965	4,182	4,257	4,949	5,406	5,650	5,581
Primary metal manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	20,485	21,313	20,651	12,356	14,272	15,900	15,258
Machinery manufacturing	(D)	11,313	8,143	13,649	(D)	(D)	(D)
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)						
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	(D)	775	751	1,383	1,433	1,835	1,788
Motor vehicles, bodies & trailers, & parts manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	(D)	(D)

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Other transportation equipment manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)						
Miscellaneous manufacturing	793	720	748	610	809	1,136	1,065
Nondurable goods manufacturing	13,389	12,248	10,159	10,075	13,079	12,725	12,151
Food manufacturing	(D)						
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0	0
Textile mills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile product mills	(D)						
Apparel manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leather and allied product manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paper manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and related support activities	500	486	445	419	(D)	(D)	(D)
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chemical manufacturing	(D)						
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	789	970	963
Wholesale trade	30,105	29,747	30,060	33,636	32,698	39,326	38,106
Retail trade	86,896	88,422	90,787	91,043	91,788	96,600	99,706
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	24,782	24,307	25,641	27,045	28,837	31,825	31,447
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,278	2,820	3,244	3,297	3,184	2,936	2,750
Electronics and appliance stores	(D)	1,651	1,431	2,179	2,045	2,415	(D)
Building material and garden supply stores	6,891	7,448	7,693	8,370	8,014	8,712	8,496
Food and beverage stores	11,360	11,230	9,811	11,120	10,639	10,926	11,730
Health and personal care stores	8,547	9,065	9,148	8,921	9,489	10,178	11,834
Gasoline stations	6,325	6,184	7,457	5,135	4,959	4,716	4,676
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	3,572	3,291	3,258	3,173	3,192	3,505	3,812
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,156	1,161	1,314	1,170	1,269	1,316	1,594
General merchandise stores	17,388	18,592	19,105	18,517	18,299	18,516	18,094
Miscellaneous store retailers	1,857	1,949	1,923	1,614	1,549	1,355	1,607
Nonstore retailers	(D)	724	762	502	312	200	(D)
Transportation and warehousing	37,322	37,447	40,885	44,093	46,366	50,072	53,873
Air transportation	0	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Rail transportation	29,269	29,492	30,312	32,418	35,154	37,619	40,745
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Truck transportation	4,839	4,712	6,920	6,343	6,852	7,804	8,446
Transit and ground passenger transportation	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pipeline transportation	(D)						
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Support activities for transportation	550	522	533	559	604	684	692
Couriers and messengers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Warehousing and storage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Information	21,661	22,521	21,107	18,289	17,935	16,830	16,516
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broadcasting, except Internet	3,265	3,344	3,441	4,712	4,145	3,820	3,558
Internet publishing and broadcasting 4/	0	0	0	0	0	0	(NA)
Telecommunications	10,200	10,278	10,087	8,960	9,101	8,054	7,668
Data processing, hosting, and related services	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other information services 4/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finance and insurance	24,872	27,189	27,049	28,549	29,228	29,613	29,433
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	13,858	14,722	15,152	15,465	16,531	16,476	16,119
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,183	4,516	4,726	4,874
Insurance carriers and related activities	7,006	7,898	7,512	7,901	8,181	8,411	8,440
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0	0	0
Real estate and rental and leasing	6,077	6,528	6,879	7,350	8,072	8,352	8,133
Real estate	4,455	4,576	4,958	4,799	5,155	5,265	4,991
Rental and leasing services	(D)	1,952	1,921	2,551	2,917	3,087	3,142
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	(D)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Professional, scientific, and technical services	18,391	19,659	19,951	19,309	19,481	20,689	21,170
Management of companies and enterprises	5,631	6,105	5,536	6,036	7,293	8,318	10,792
Administrative and waste management services	20,803	22,964	25,234	25,577	30,184	36,237	36,748
Administrative and support services	20,079	22,354	24,615	24,997	28,732	34,841	34,622
Waste management and remediation services	724	610	619	580	1,452	1,396	2,126
Educational services	(D)	809	707	1,108	1,436	2,186	2,409
Health care and social assistance	(D)	146,923	158,233	155,644	145,193	148,195	143,988
Ambulatory health care services	58,313	63,509	67,990	65,992	62,196	66,541	69,072
Hospitals	56,705	64,501	69,668	67,953	60,265	58,499	49,940
Nursing and residential care facilities	10,968	13,321	14,869	16,117	16,709	15,326	16,606
Social assistance	(D)	5,592	5,706	5,582	6,023	7,829	8,370
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	3,126	3,121	3,506	4,375	7,519	8,123	8,462

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	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Performing arts and spectator sports	137	132	134	171	195	182	216
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	2,989	2,989	3,372	4,204	7,324	7,941	8,246
Accommodation and food services	30,829	30,445	32,060	32,515	31,945	33,841	34,503
Accommodation	4,907	4,907	4,894	4,961	4,285	4,484	4,778
Food services and drinking places	25,922	25,538	27,166	27,554	27,660	29,357	29,725
Other services, except public administration	49,518	52,416	48,480	43,535	45,026	49,873	47,245
Repair and maintenance	30,635	30,613	27,714	23,354	25,428	30,959	27,612
Personal and laundry services	6,465	6,418	6,079	6,029	5,987	6,217	6,551
Membership associations and organizations	11,403	14,432	13,681	13,139	12,645	11,734	12,078
Private households	1,015	953	1,006	1,013	966	963	1,004
Government and government enterprises	192,297	197,931	206,855	208,721	211,472	216,754	222,217
Federal, civilian	16,679	16,983	17,193	17,988	19,093	19,591	19,387
Military	4,325	5,799	8,513	9,210	10,449	9,366	9,664
State and local	171,293	175,149	181,149	181,523	181,930	187,797	193,166
State government	51,747	52,916	54,500	54,962	55,636	57,324	59,212
Local government	119,546	122,233	126,649	126,561	126,294	130,473	133,954

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	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Compensation of employees (\$000) 1/	931,005	955,521	969,036	999,085	1,024,324	1,011,505	986,169
Wages and salaries	734,219	754,915	768,018	789,397	804,417	792,340	780,995
Supplements to wages and salaries	196,786	200,606	201,018	209,688	219,907	219,165	205,174
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 2/	135,943	136,342	135,556	142,028	151,101	152,220	138,859
Employer contributions for government social insurance	60,843	64,264	65,462	67,660	68,806	66,945	66,315
Average compensation per job (dollars) 3/	39,308	40,848	41,383	42,736	44,301	44,613	44,492
Compensation of Employees by Industry (\$000)							
Farm compensation	534	492	444	368	563	573	608
Nonfarm compensation	930,471	955,029	968,592	998,717	1,023,761	1,010,932	985,561
Private nonfarm compensation	694,730	704,550	714,693	743,938	761,033	749,589	720,735
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	897	850	531	403	354	364	467
Forestry and logging	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mining	20,083	20,415	23,629	21,744	18,687	18,487	15,160
Oil and gas extraction	(D)	10,211	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mining (except oil and gas)	9,811	6,673	9,514	11,390	10,477	10,094	8,730
Support activities for mining	(D)	3,531	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Utilities	11,343	11,222	11,068	11,077	10,872	11,088	11,572
Construction	36,215	33,797	36,274	39,466	46,808	45,649	35,723
Construction of buildings	11,986	10,712	9,206	9,579	12,874	16,131	10,451
Heavy and civil engineering construction	8,958	10,259	13,041	16,133	22,098	16,975	12,658
Specialty trade contractors	15,271	12,826	14,027	13,754	11,836	12,543	12,614
Manufacturing	67,181	65,965	65,384	69,116	67,120	56,342	55,014
Durable goods manufacturing	54,714	53,950	53,941	62,972	63,252	53,102	52,223
Wood product manufacturing	6,750	4,786	4,317	4,515	4,538	5,168	5,521
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	5,492	5,331	5,091	6,520	7,120	5,941	5,808
Primary metal manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	16,327	15,896	15,340	17,139	15,872	11,761	11,091
Machinery manufacturing	(D)	(D)	21,186	25,915	26,801	22,234	23,308
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	2,176	2,239	2,269	2,755	2,709	2,309	1,663
Motor vehicles, bodies & trailers, & parts manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	207	224	243	257

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Other transportation equipment manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miscellaneous manufacturing	998	1,158	1,095	1,165	1,221	803	398
Nondurable goods manufacturing	12,467	12,015	11,443	6,144	3,868	3,240	2,791
Food manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0	0
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile mills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Textile product mills	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Apparel manufacturing	0	(D)	0	0	0	0	0
Leather and allied product manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paper manufacturing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Printing and related support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	0	0	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chemical manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	1,045	975	1,134	1,175	1,083	1,012	(D)
Wholesale trade	39,308	37,821	37,537	42,204	42,014	40,941	42,428
Retail trade	97,024	97,765	99,564	103,633	106,434	107,914	107,155
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	29,062	29,760	32,991	35,287	38,043	39,855	39,740
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,511	(D)	2,311	2,310	2,351	(D)	2,088
Electronics and appliance stores	3,905	3,345	3,175	3,516	3,509	3,602	4,054
Building material and garden supply stores	8,511	8,946	8,762	8,792	8,784	8,873	8,592
Food and beverage stores	12,046	12,283	12,152	12,588	11,956	12,169	12,389
Health and personal care stores	11,307	12,225	12,351	12,451	12,996	12,929	12,405
Gasoline stations	4,739	4,101	3,932	4,896	5,312	5,153	4,965
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	3,259	2,210	2,282	2,339	2,555	2,882	2,756
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,471	1,193	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,312
General merchandise stores	18,422	19,212	18,559	18,567	17,885	17,679	17,274
Miscellaneous store retailers	(D)	1,411	1,239	1,389	1,501	1,138	(D)
Nonstore retailers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transportation and warehousing	57,610	58,811	57,065	64,570	63,806	58,021	56,438
Air transportation	(D)	0	0	0	0	(D)	(D)
Rail transportation	42,463	44,618	42,908	48,915	50,812	46,502	45,797
Water transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Truck transportation	10,398	9,423	9,625	11,594	8,170	6,579	5,700
Transit and ground passenger transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	0	0	(D)	(D)
Pipeline transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Support activities for transportation	872	823	794	827	802	779	684
Couriers and messengers	(D)						
Warehousing and storage	0	0	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Information	15,779	16,332	16,072	17,267	17,553	17,173	16,459
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)						
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)						
Broadcasting, except Internet	3,712	3,658	3,556	3,670	3,852	3,860	3,702
Internet publishing and broadcasting 4/	(NA)						
Telecommunications	6,743	7,872	8,376	9,124	9,205	9,016	8,613
Data processing, hosting, and related services	(D)						
Other information services 4/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Finance and insurance	27,154	27,004	26,581	26,641	26,048	24,987	23,845
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	16,474	16,326	15,763	15,563	14,428	15,252	15,089
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,995	1,846	1,734	1,607	1,350	1,173	1,542
Insurance carriers and related activities	8,685	8,832	9,084	9,471	10,270	8,562	7,214
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Real estate and rental and leasing	8,135	8,197	7,498	6,669	7,610	7,630	7,843
Real estate	4,983	6,177	5,716	5,164	6,183	6,173	6,341
Rental and leasing services	3,152	2,020	1,782	1,505	1,427	1,457	1,502
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Professional, scientific, and technical services	22,422	22,794	23,685	26,068	26,805	25,459	24,335
Management of companies and enterprises	10,324	13,841	15,515	18,479	15,715	13,684	16,242
Administrative and waste management services	42,599	49,281	44,961	45,217	50,438	52,960	50,432
Administrative and support services	39,940	46,317	40,909	42,174	44,249	47,652	44,901
Waste management and remediation services	2,659	2,964	4,052	3,043	6,189	5,308	5,531
Educational services	1,554	1,018	984	1,818	1,815	2,001	1,851
Health care and social assistance	148,154	152,010	155,346	156,653	164,188	173,432	172,207
Ambulatory health care services	68,978	71,750	71,949	74,907	81,632	82,445	93,441
Hospitals	(D)	(D)	52,405	52,003	51,844	57,635	(D)
Nursing and residential care facilities	17,264	18,495	19,669	19,136	19,690	21,798	22,917
Social assistance	(D)	(D)	11,323	10,607	11,022	11,554	(D)
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	5,876	6,325	6,386	6,488	6,967	7,022	7,406

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Performing arts and spectator sports	(D)	205	236	295	246	296	259
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	(D)	6,120	6,150	6,193	6,721	6,726	7,147
Accommodation and food services	35,737	36,621	36,443	37,553	39,430	38,691	38,271
Accommodation	4,929	4,408	4,400	4,611	4,899	4,948	4,958
Food services and drinking places	30,808	32,213	32,043	32,942	34,531	33,743	33,313
Other services, except public administration	47,335	44,481	50,170	48,872	48,369	47,744	37,887
Repair and maintenance	26,889	23,232	28,973	27,896	26,792	26,619	17,093
Personal and laundry services	6,561	6,509	6,114	6,281	6,448	6,238	6,263
Membership associations and organizations	12,890	13,898	14,359	13,936	14,325	14,058	13,588
Private households	995	842	724	759	804	829	943
Government and government enterprises	235,741	250,479	253,899	254,779	262,728	261,343	264,826
Federal, civilian	19,503	19,306	19,832	18,056	17,017	15,076	14,782
Military	11,314	12,790	12,140	10,989	10,221	9,655	9,018
State and local	204,924	218,383	221,927	225,734	235,490	236,612	241,026
State government	61,649	65,529	67,980	69,391	72,985	72,534	72,507
Local government	143,275	152,854	153,947	156,343	162,505	164,078	168,519

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Compensation of employees (\$000) 1/	982,795	956,374	984,643	1,007,427
Wages and salaries	776,563	758,577	778,051	795,712
Supplements to wages and salaries	206,232	197,797	206,592	211,715
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 2/	140,106	132,164	140,468	145,945
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,126	65,633	66,124	65,770
Average compensation per job (dollars) 3/	44,789	44,348	46,380	48,096
Compensation of Employees by Industry (\$000)				
Farm compensation	503	580	514	507
Nonfarm compensation	982,292	955,794	984,129	1,006,920
Private nonfarm compensation	715,269	688,434	715,653	735,217
Forestry, fishing, and related activities	586	626	663	876
Forestry and logging	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Fishing, hunting, and trapping	0	0	0	0
Agriculture and forestry support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mining	10,462	8,880	9,438	10,736
Oil and gas extraction	(D)	(D)	0	0
Mining (except oil and gas)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Support activities for mining	3,462	2,117	(D)	(D)
Utilities	11,791	13,219	13,606	14,422
Construction	34,074	32,815	35,131	35,225
Construction of buildings	9,831	11,418	13,013	11,516
Heavy and civil engineering construction	10,656	6,762	6,888	6,294
Specialty trade contractors	13,587	14,635	15,230	17,415
Manufacturing	54,777	46,282	51,533	57,824
Durable goods manufacturing	52,228	43,827	48,896	54,897
Wood product manufacturing	5,684	5,827	7,507	6,961
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	7,301	5,116	(D)	(D)
Primary metal manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	13,056	10,627	11,889	13,565
Machinery manufacturing	22,064	18,468	19,616	23,402
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Electrical equipment and appliance manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motor vehicles, bodies & trailers, & parts manufacturing	239	263	215	226

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Other transportation equipment manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Furniture and related product manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Miscellaneous manufacturing	384	369	(D)	(D)
Nondurable goods manufacturing	2,549	2,455	2,637	2,927
Food manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	0	0	0	(D)
Textile mills	0	0	0	0
Textile product mills	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Apparel manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Leather and allied product manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Paper manufacturing	0	0	0	0
Printing and related support activities	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chemical manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wholesale trade	42,023	38,484	43,866	44,966
Retail trade	109,295	110,639	107,470	109,908
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	39,850	40,036	38,091	38,029
Furniture and home furnishings stores	2,189	2,217	2,144	2,210
Electronics and appliance stores	3,782	3,921	3,386	3,486
Building material and garden supply stores	8,782	8,664	8,924	11,074
Food and beverage stores	13,030	13,337	13,625	13,496
Health and personal care stores	12,108	12,429	12,191	13,151
Gasoline stations	5,077	5,196	4,946	4,935
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	3,046	2,782	2,687	2,609
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	2,079	2,167	2,397	2,416
General merchandise stores	17,771	18,281	17,440	16,986
Miscellaneous store retailers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nonstore retailers	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Transportation and warehousing	55,963	47,050	48,221	51,085
Air transportation	0	0	0	0
Rail transportation	45,120	35,312	35,430	36,975
Water transportation	0	0	0	0
Truck transportation	5,352	5,863	6,744	7,929
Transit and ground passenger transportation	(D)	0	0	0
Pipeline transportation	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	0	0	0	0

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Support activities for transportation	650	577	538	476
Couriers and messengers	3,261	3,631	3,843	3,901
Warehousing and storage	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Information	15,940	16,131	17,444	15,971
Publishing industries, except Internet	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Motion picture and sound recording industries	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Broadcasting, except Internet	3,866	3,724	3,807	3,883
Internet publishing and broadcasting 4/	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Telecommunications	8,197	9,009	10,918	9,147
Data processing, hosting, and related services	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other information services 4/	0	0	0	0
Finance and insurance	23,668	24,527	23,962	23,532
Monetary authorities - central bank	0	0	0	0
Credit intermediation and related activities	14,719	15,157	16,157	15,320
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,816	1,918	2,004	2,423
Insurance carriers and related activities	7,133	7,452	5,801	5,789
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	0	0	0	0
Real estate and rental and leasing	10,548	8,188	6,630	6,780
Real estate	8,887	6,567	5,005	4,664
Rental and leasing services	1,661	1,621	1,625	2,116
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	0	0	0	0
Professional, scientific, and technical services	23,073	23,019	26,484	25,803
Management of companies and enterprises	13,428	11,634	14,347	15,948
Administrative and waste management services	48,630	50,402	57,512	54,291
Administrative and support services	42,135	44,438	49,762	45,326
Waste management and remediation services	6,495	5,964	7,750	8,965
Educational services	2,242	2,659	2,382	2,242
Health care and social assistance	170,169	167,426	169,541	175,840
Ambulatory health care services	95,367	97,127	97,683	103,725
Hospitals	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nursing and residential care facilities	23,578	23,231	24,027	25,772
Social assistance	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	6,683	6,891	6,707	6,086

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	2015	2016	2017	2018
Performing arts and spectator sports	369	429	570	735
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	0	0	0	0
Amusement, gambling, and recreation	6,314	6,462	6,137	5,351
Accommodation and food services	40,211	41,845	43,018	44,391
Accommodation	4,916	5,125	5,392	5,922
Food services and drinking places	35,295	36,720	37,626	38,469
Other services, except public administration	41,706	37,717	37,698	39,291
Repair and maintenance	20,330	16,409	16,027	16,319
Personal and laundry services	6,319	6,200	6,349	6,693
Membership associations and organizations	14,109	14,231	14,519	15,352
Private households	948	877	803	927
Government and government enterprises	267,023	267,360	268,476	271,703
Federal, civilian	15,463	14,274	14,690	14,979
Military	8,397	8,572	8,324	9,165
State and local	243,163	244,514	245,462	247,559
State government	71,318	72,364	70,551	67,224
Local government	171,845	172,150	174,911	180,335

CAINC6N Footnotes

1/ The estimates of compensation for 2001-2006 are based on the 2002 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The estimates for 2007-2010 are based on the 2007 NAICS. The estimates for 2011-2016 are based on the 2012 NAICS. The estimates for 2017 forward are based

2/ Includes actual employer contributions and actuarially imputed employer contributions to reflect benefits accrued by defined benefit pension plan participants through service to employers in the current period.

3/ Average compensation per job is compensation of employees divided by total full-time and part-time wage and salary employment.

4/ Under the 2007 NAICS, internet publishing and broadcasting was reclassified to other information services.

Note-- All dollar estimates are in thousands of current dollars (not adjusted for inflation). Statistics presented in thousands of dollars do not

(D) Not shown to avoid disclosure of confidential information; estimates are included in higher-level totals.

(NA) Not available.

(NM) Not meaningful.

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Source: Department of Commerce / Bureau of Economic Analysis /

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	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	172,960	197,001	222,762	249,878	275,071	304,492
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	127,232	143,256	159,647	177,801	189,124	206,089
Personal current transfer receipts	24,368	29,424	36,229	42,227	51,898	58,510
Income maintenance 2/	2,390	3,805	3,853	4,285	3,921	5,394
Unemployment insurance compensation	745	779	1,729	1,853	1,439	1,241
Retirement and other	21,233	24,840	30,647	36,089	46,538	51,875
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	21,360	24,321	26,886	29,850	34,049	39,893
Population (persons) 4/	63,283	63,182	64,005	66,271	66,760	68,342
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	2,733	3,118	3,480	3,771	4,120	4,455
Per capita net earnings 5/	2,011	2,267	2,494	2,683	2,833	3,016
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	385	466	566	637	777	856
Per capita income maintenance 5/	38	60	60	65	59	79
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	12	12	27	28	22	18
Per capita retirement and other 5/	336	393	479	545	697	759
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	338	385	420	450	510	584
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	126,471	140,841	158,598	173,338	187,890	202,057
Wages and salaries	99,608	111,040	125,460	135,581	146,609	156,649
Supplements to wages and salaries	11,859	13,317	15,782	18,300	20,742	22,918
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	6,066	6,947	8,296	9,780	10,026	10,863
Employer contributions for government social insurance	5,793	6,370	7,486	8,520	10,716	12,055
Proprietors' income	15,004	16,484	17,356	19,457	20,539	22,490
Farm proprietors' income	146	111	168	234	336	136
Nonfarm proprietors' income	14,858	16,373	17,188	19,223	20,203	22,354
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	21,771	22,317	23,444	23,864	24,061	24,358
Wage and salary jobs	18,950	19,488	20,488	20,792	20,946	21,074
Number of proprietors	2,821	2,829	2,956	3,072	3,115	3,284
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	290	301	306	313	326	341
Number of farm proprietors	2,531	2,528	2,650	2,759	2,789	2,943
Average earnings per job (dollars)	5,809	6,311	6,765	7,264	7,809	8,295
Average wages and salaries	5,256	5,698	6,124	6,521	6,999	7,433
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	5,870	6,477	6,486	6,967	7,244	7,596

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	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	353,225	399,985	448,797	490,184	543,210	621,362
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	239,002	273,114	310,160	332,470	362,586	403,108
Personal current transfer receipts	68,708	76,531	82,006	95,034	110,770	129,957
Income maintenance 2/	6,636	7,269	7,752	9,423	9,580	12,048
Unemployment insurance compensation	2,087	2,448	3,003	5,840	4,009	7,156
Retirement and other	59,985	66,814	71,251	79,771	97,181	110,753
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	45,515	50,340	56,631	62,680	69,854	88,297
Population (persons) 4/	69,309	71,285	72,879	73,646	74,641	73,920
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	5,096	5,611	6,158	6,656	7,278	8,406
Per capita net earnings 5/	3,448	3,831	4,256	4,514	4,858	5,453
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	991	1,074	1,125	1,290	1,484	1,758
Per capita income maintenance 5/	96	102	106	128	128	163
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	30	34	41	79	54	97
Per capita retirement and other 5/	865	937	978	1,083	1,302	1,498
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	657	706	777	851	936	1,194
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	228,953	264,696	306,196	335,459	359,677	405,637
Wages and salaries	178,197	206,796	236,597	257,504	277,218	317,512
Supplements to wages and salaries	25,158	30,093	35,819	40,257	44,215	51,195
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	11,828	13,752	16,736	18,801	20,338	23,738
Employer contributions for government social insurance	13,330	16,341	19,083	21,456	23,877	27,457
Proprietors' income	25,598	27,807	33,780	37,698	38,244	36,930
Farm proprietors' income	-63	-282	-356	-416	-101	-69
Nonfarm proprietors' income	25,661	28,089	34,136	38,114	38,345	36,999
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	24,553	25,397	26,649	27,385	27,226	27,761
Wage and salary jobs	21,136	22,105	23,280	23,961	23,791	24,207
Number of proprietors	3,417	3,292	3,369	3,424	3,435	3,554
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	375	373	366	358	382	430
Number of farm proprietors	3,042	2,919	3,003	3,066	3,053	3,124
Average earnings per job (dollars)	9,325	10,422	11,490	12,250	13,211	14,612
Average wages and salaries	8,431	9,355	10,163	10,747	11,652	13,117
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	8,436	9,623	11,367	12,431	12,560	11,843

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	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	681,175	731,189	737,912	776,622	796,893	816,404
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	421,294	437,603	417,488	445,292	450,844	454,717
Personal current transfer receipts	146,255	158,156	179,311	179,472	185,346	197,999
Income maintenance 2/	13,796	13,322	15,490	17,204	18,447	18,872
Unemployment insurance compensation	7,225	9,939	19,782	7,627	5,195	6,240
Retirement and other	125,234	134,895	144,039	154,641	161,704	172,887
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	113,626	135,430	141,113	151,858	160,703	163,688
Population (persons) 4/	74,044	74,380	73,843	72,364	71,121	70,548
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	9,200	9,830	9,993	10,732	11,205	11,572
Per capita net earnings 5/	5,690	5,883	5,654	6,154	6,339	6,445
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	1,975	2,126	2,428	2,480	2,606	2,807
Per capita income maintenance 5/	186	179	210	238	259	268
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	98	134	268	105	73	88
Per capita retirement and other 5/	1,691	1,814	1,951	2,137	2,274	2,451
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	1,535	1,821	1,911	2,099	2,260	2,320
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	430,238	450,958	441,270	472,572	479,261	491,576
Wages and salaries	335,478	352,976	339,014	358,866	362,731	378,566
Supplements to wages and salaries	56,948	62,189	64,707	72,333	76,771	82,731
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	26,184	29,037	31,668	35,552	39,760	42,926
Employer contributions for government social insurance	30,764	33,152	33,039	36,781	37,011	39,805
Proprietors' income	37,812	35,793	37,549	41,373	39,759	30,279
Farm proprietors' income	-858	-1,106	-564	-546	-311	-303
Nonfarm proprietors' income	38,670	36,899	38,113	41,919	40,070	30,582
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	27,399	27,334	26,410	26,634	26,295	26,357
Wage and salary jobs	23,787	23,686	22,594	22,876	22,558	22,662
Number of proprietors	3,612	3,648	3,816	3,758	3,737	3,695
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	440	462	506	486	466	463
Number of farm proprietors	3,172	3,186	3,310	3,272	3,271	3,232
Average earnings per job (dollars)	15,703	16,498	16,708	17,743	18,226	18,651
Average wages and salaries	14,103	14,902	15,005	15,687	16,080	16,705
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	12,191	11,582	11,515	12,811	12,250	9,462

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	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	824,022	869,171	913,320	976,517	1,017,404	1,077,835
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	459,928	480,144	492,574	527,228	542,338	559,689
Personal current transfer receipts	202,650	213,567	227,004	244,500	276,060	315,821
Income maintenance 2/	18,734	19,971	20,836	22,523	25,381	29,132
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,425	3,419	3,163	4,437	6,415	8,643
Retirement and other	178,491	190,177	203,005	217,540	244,264	278,046
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	161,444	175,460	193,742	204,789	199,006	202,325
Population (persons) 4/	68,912	67,143	65,936	64,850	64,687	64,823
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	11,958	12,945	13,852	15,058	15,728	16,627
Per capita net earnings 5/	6,674	7,151	7,470	8,130	8,384	8,634
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	2,941	3,181	3,443	3,770	4,268	4,872
Per capita income maintenance 5/	272	297	316	347	392	449
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	79	51	48	68	99	133
Per capita retirement and other 5/	2,590	2,832	3,079	3,355	3,776	4,289
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	2,343	2,613	2,938	3,158	3,076	3,121
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	513,752	542,570	551,965	591,743	620,190	634,311
Wages and salaries	397,618	411,850	412,686	437,748	460,058	462,646
Supplements to wages and salaries	88,139	90,809	93,868	102,114	111,646	117,915
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	46,555	45,486	48,204	52,199	56,874	61,742
Employer contributions for government social insurance	41,584	45,323	45,664	49,915	54,772	56,173
Proprietors' income	27,995	39,911	45,411	51,881	48,486	53,750
Farm proprietors' income	-639	-740	-528	-359	-603	-334
Nonfarm proprietors' income	28,634	40,651	45,939	52,240	49,089	54,084
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	26,395	26,854	26,797	27,194	27,527	27,223
Wage and salary jobs	22,756	23,033	22,883	23,080	23,362	23,000
Number of proprietors	3,639	3,821	3,914	4,114	4,165	4,223
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	461	492	527	549	567	597
Number of farm proprietors	3,178	3,329	3,387	3,565	3,598	3,626
Average earnings per job (dollars)	19,464	20,204	20,598	21,760	22,530	23,301
Average wages and salaries	17,473	17,881	18,035	18,967	19,693	20,115
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	9,010	12,211	13,563	14,654	13,643	14,916

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	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	1,114,645	1,154,169	1,182,590	1,228,468	1,264,064	1,318,874
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	577,553	603,677	604,879	622,269	651,260	671,671
Personal current transfer receipts	335,938	342,485	350,355	363,940	370,282	387,226
Income maintenance 2/	31,342	33,513	34,452	36,483	34,486	34,613
Unemployment insurance compensation	7,012	4,927	4,144	4,173	4,262	4,138
Retirement and other	297,584	304,045	311,759	323,284	331,534	348,475
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	201,154	208,007	227,356	242,259	242,522	259,977
Population (persons) 4/	64,934	64,637	64,379	64,170	63,833	63,426
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	17,166	17,856	18,369	19,144	19,803	20,794
Per capita net earnings 5/	8,894	9,339	9,396	9,697	10,203	10,590
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	5,174	5,299	5,442	5,671	5,801	6,105
Per capita income maintenance 5/	483	518	535	569	540	546
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	108	76	64	65	67	65
Per capita retirement and other 5/	4,583	4,704	4,843	5,038	5,194	5,494
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	3,098	3,218	3,532	3,775	3,799	4,099
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	659,443	694,139	702,833	727,326	759,546	793,970
Wages and salaries	473,702	498,061	512,631	533,182	550,880	577,256
Supplements to wages and salaries	125,111	129,335	129,675	134,146	135,926	144,984
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	66,098	69,048	67,164	69,052	69,225	72,793
Employer contributions for government social insurance	59,013	60,287	62,511	65,094	66,701	72,191
Proprietors' income	60,630	66,743	60,527	59,998	72,740	71,730
Farm proprietors' income	-301	-269	-875	-986	-969	-918
Nonfarm proprietors' income	60,931	67,012	61,402	60,984	73,709	72,648
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	27,480	27,979	28,388	28,838	28,867	29,543
Wage and salary jobs	23,322	23,870	24,016	24,461	24,485	24,870
Number of proprietors	4,158	4,109	4,372	4,377	4,382	4,673
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	597	565	540	508	487	500
Number of farm proprietors	3,561	3,544	3,832	3,869	3,895	4,173
Average earnings per job (dollars)	23,997	24,809	24,758	25,221	26,312	26,875
Average wages and salaries	20,311	20,866	21,345	21,797	22,499	23,211
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	17,111	18,909	16,023	15,762	18,924	17,409

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	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	1,329,673	1,395,422	1,446,796	1,498,346	1,511,203	1,558,001
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	693,039	723,564	743,474	776,692	786,532	811,914
Personal current transfer receipts	389,449	411,443	447,418	481,894	501,184	505,818
Income maintenance 2/	36,050	37,430	42,680	46,642	48,200	49,858
Unemployment insurance compensation	3,605	3,602	4,650	7,009	8,469	5,908
Retirement and other	349,794	370,411	400,088	428,243	444,515	450,052
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	247,185	260,415	255,904	239,760	223,487	240,269
Population (persons) 4/	63,181	62,911	61,858	62,016	61,910	61,694
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	21,045	22,181	23,389	24,161	24,410	25,254
Per capita net earnings 5/	10,969	11,501	12,019	12,524	12,704	13,160
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	6,164	6,540	7,233	7,770	8,095	8,199
Per capita income maintenance 5/	571	595	690	752	779	808
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	57	57	75	113	137	96
Per capita retirement and other 5/	5,536	5,888	6,468	6,905	7,180	7,295
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	3,912	4,139	4,137	3,866	3,610	3,895
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	824,877	864,704	876,050	911,608	926,280	938,583
Wages and salaries	596,833	606,679	615,767	634,428	641,965	644,620
Supplements to wages and salaries	152,567	160,289	163,462	172,190	181,757	181,851
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	78,631	80,192	88,219	96,907	103,118	106,030
Employer contributions for government social insurance	73,936	80,097	75,243	75,283	78,639	75,821
Proprietors' income	75,477	97,736	96,821	104,990	102,558	112,112
Farm proprietors' income	-1,394	-547	-543	-471	-608	-352
Nonfarm proprietors' income	76,871	98,283	97,364	105,461	103,166	112,464
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	29,622	29,338	28,624	28,851	28,554	28,115
Wage and salary jobs	24,985	24,611	24,131	24,357	24,085	23,581
Number of proprietors	4,637	4,727	4,493	4,494	4,469	4,534
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	468	444	433	386	382	374
Number of farm proprietors	4,169	4,283	4,060	4,108	4,087	4,160
Average earnings per job (dollars)	27,847	29,474	30,605	31,597	32,440	33,384
Average wages and salaries	23,888	24,651	25,518	26,047	26,654	27,336
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	18,439	22,947	23,981	25,672	25,242	27,035

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	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	1,604,820	1,706,326	1,774,264	1,868,732	1,943,069	1,993,426
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	837,491	893,565	908,659	951,217	967,333	1,000,140
Personal current transfer receipts	525,256	559,973	582,734	631,614	678,707	711,064
Income maintenance 2/	49,526	53,703	55,525	59,453	72,337	80,168
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,053	4,751	4,969	6,335	10,320	14,805
Retirement and other	470,677	501,519	522,240	565,826	596,050	616,091
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	242,073	252,788	282,871	285,901	297,029	282,222
Population (persons) 4/	61,303	61,297	61,615	61,848	62,177	62,337
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	26,178	27,837	28,796	30,215	31,251	31,978
Per capita net earnings 5/	13,662	14,578	14,747	15,380	15,558	16,044
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	8,568	9,135	9,458	10,212	10,916	11,407
Per capita income maintenance 5/	808	876	901	961	1,163	1,286
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	82	78	81	102	166	237
Per capita retirement and other 5/	7,678	8,182	8,476	9,149	9,586	9,883
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	3,949	4,124	4,591	4,623	4,777	4,527
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	951,267	1,004,310	1,011,694	1,040,938	1,068,302	1,102,681
Wages and salaries	650,345	683,281	705,325	734,219	754,915	768,018
Supplements to wages and salaries	186,946	200,603	196,151	196,786	200,606	201,018
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	110,829	127,456	130,661	135,943	136,342	135,556
Employer contributions for government social insurance	76,117	73,147	65,490	60,843	64,264	65,462
Proprietors' income	113,976	120,426	110,218	109,933	112,781	133,645
Farm proprietors' income	-745	-1,502	-2,551	-781	-456	-199
Nonfarm proprietors' income	114,721	121,928	112,769	110,714	113,237	133,844
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	28,190	28,527	29,174	28,927	28,530	28,394
Wage and salary jobs	23,440	23,701	23,808	23,685	23,392	23,416
Number of proprietors	4,750	4,826	5,366	5,242	5,138	4,978
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	379	383	427	411	412	399
Number of farm proprietors	4,371	4,443	4,939	4,831	4,726	4,579
Average earnings per job (dollars)	33,745	35,206	34,678	35,985	37,445	38,835
Average wages and salaries	27,745	28,829	29,626	30,999	32,272	32,799
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	26,246	27,443	22,832	22,917	23,960	29,230

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	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Place of residence profile						
Personal income	2,049,747	2,111,258	2,060,149	2,084,600	2,111,137	2,085,468
Derivation of personal income						
Net earnings 1/	1,056,198	1,080,217	1,035,220	1,016,060	1,013,628	973,495
Personal current transfer receipts	713,819	738,074	748,522	789,079	813,241	832,370
Income maintenance 2/	77,499	78,119	78,846	78,466	78,627	80,092
Unemployment insurance compensation	12,090	11,632	11,470	7,333	7,510	8,116
Retirement and other	624,230	648,323	658,206	703,280	727,104	744,162
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	279,730	292,967	276,407	279,461	284,268	279,603
Population (persons) 4/	62,556	62,417	61,911	61,762	61,124	60,613
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/						
Per capita personal income 5/	32,767	33,825	33,276	33,752	34,539	34,406
Per capita net earnings 5/	16,884	17,306	16,721	16,451	16,583	16,061
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	11,411	11,825	12,090	12,776	13,305	13,733
Per capita income maintenance 5/	1,239	1,252	1,274	1,270	1,286	1,321
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	193	186	185	119	123	134
Per capita retirement and other 5/	9,979	10,387	10,631	11,387	11,896	12,277
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	4,472	4,694	4,465	4,525	4,651	4,613
Place of work profile						
Earnings by place of work	1,140,672	1,169,183	1,142,782	1,116,566	1,114,183	1,079,748
Wages and salaries	789,397	804,417	792,340	780,995	776,563	758,577
Supplements to wages and salaries	209,688	219,907	219,165	205,174	206,232	197,797
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	142,028	151,101	152,220	138,859	140,106	132,164
Employer contributions for government social insurance	67,660	68,806	66,945	66,315	66,126	65,633
Proprietors' income	141,587	144,859	131,277	130,397	131,388	123,374
Farm proprietors' income	909	2,798	2,493	1,726	2,002	1,463
Nonfarm proprietors' income	140,678	142,061	128,784	128,671	129,386	121,911
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	28,348	27,985	27,612	27,107	26,893	26,495
Wage and salary jobs	23,378	23,122	22,673	22,165	21,943	21,565
Number of proprietors	4,970	4,863	4,939	4,942	4,950	4,930
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	389	380	380	402	401	406
Number of farm proprietors	4,581	4,483	4,559	4,540	4,549	4,524
Average earnings per job (dollars)	40,238	41,779	41,387	41,191	41,430	40,753
Average wages and salaries	33,767	34,790	34,946	35,236	35,390	35,176
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	30,709	31,689	28,248	28,342	28,443	26,948

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	2017	2018
Place of residence profile		
Personal income	2,137,595	2,214,560
Derivation of personal income		
Net earnings 1/	998,910	1,039,659
Personal current transfer receipts	853,182	869,748
Income maintenance 2/	80,147	79,082
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,150	4,629
Retirement and other	767,885	786,037
Dividends, interest, and rent 3/	285,503	305,153
Population (persons) 4/	59,801	59,131
Per capita incomes (dollars) 5/		
Per capita personal income 5/	35,745	37,452
Per capita net earnings 5/	16,704	17,582
Per capita personal current transfer receipts 5/	14,267	14,709
Per capita income maintenance 5/	1,340	1,337
Per capita unemployment insurance compensation 5/	86	78
Per capita retirement and other 5/	12,841	13,293
Per capita dividends, interest, and rent 5/	4,774	5,161
Place of work profile		
Earnings by place of work	1,103,295	1,131,753
Wages and salaries	778,051	795,712
Supplements to wages and salaries	206,592	211,715
Employer contrib. for employee pension & insurance funds 6/	140,468	145,945
Employer contributions for government social insurance	66,124	65,770
Proprietors' income	118,652	124,326
Farm proprietors' income	1,747	1,595
Nonfarm proprietors' income	116,905	122,731
Total full-time and part-time employment (number of jobs)	26,248	26,055
Wage and salary jobs	21,230	20,946
Number of proprietors	5,018	5,109
Number of nonfarm proprietors 7/	410	406
Number of farm proprietors	4,608	4,703
Average earnings per job (dollars)	42,033	43,437
Average wages and salaries	36,649	37,989
Average nonfarm proprietors' income	25,370	26,096

CAINC30 Footnotes

1/ Consists largely of Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments; Earned Income Tax Credits (EITC); family assistance; general assistance; expenditures for food under the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC); Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP); and other assistance benefits.

2/ Rental income of persons includes the capital consumption adjustment.

3/ Census Bureau midyear population estimates. Estimates for 2010-2018 reflect county population estimates available as of March 2019.

4/ Type of income divided by population yields a per capita measure for that type of income.

5/ Includes actual employer contributions and actuarially imputed employer contributions to reflect benefits accrued by defined benefit pension plan participants through service to employers in the current period.

6/ Excludes limited partners.

Note-- All dollar estimates are in thousands of current dollars (not adjusted for inflation). Statistics presented in thousands of dollars do not indicate more

(NA) Not available.

(NM) Not meaningful.

Last updated: November 14, 2019-- new statistics for 2018; revised statistics for 1969-2017.

Source: Department of Commerce / Bureau of Economic Analysis /

Transfer Payments**Mercer County**

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	24,368	29,424	36,229	42,227	51,898	58,510
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	22,849	27,956	34,831	40,630	50,053	56,254
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	13,798	17,010	22,267	26,568	36,191	39,633
Social Security benefits	10,446	12,275	14,054	15,970	19,797	23,189
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	3,352	4,735	8,213	10,598	16,394	16,444
Medical benefits	2,594	2,696	3,040	3,639	4,007	4,928
Medicare benefits	1,466	1,417	1,632	1,992	2,293	3,154
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	1,099	1,240	1,359	1,586	1,640	1,694
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	29	39	49	61	74	80
Income maintenance benefits	2,390	3,805	3,853	4,285	3,921	5,394
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	597	776	804	1,105	1,040	1,536
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	415	1,426	1,705	1,806	1,387	2,181
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	1,378	1,603	1,344	1,374	1,494	1,677
Unemployment insurance compensation	745	779	1,729	1,853	1,439	1,241
State unemployment insurance compensation	384	395	763	929	818	938
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	361	384	966	924	621	303
Veterans benefits	3,113	3,426	3,696	4,021	4,194	4,613
Education and training assistance 5/	209	240	246	264	301	445
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	0	0	0	0	0	0
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	795	801	826	925	964	1,113
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	724	667	572	672	881	1,143

Transfer Payments**Mercer County**

	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	68,708	76,531	82,006	95,034	110,770	129,957
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	65,597	73,108	79,073	91,139	106,223	125,178
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	43,451	47,862	51,346	56,300	69,350	77,466
Social Security benefits	25,769	29,095	31,906	34,858	39,463	45,428
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	17,682	18,767	19,440	21,442	29,887	32,038
Medical benefits	6,531	8,958	9,997	12,395	15,558	20,000
Medicare benefits	3,727	5,207	6,149	7,453	9,333	11,937
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	2,711	3,655	3,744	4,832	6,085	7,904
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	93	96	104	110	140	159
Income maintenance benefits	6,636	7,269	7,752	9,423	9,580	12,048
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	1,946	2,048	2,194	2,369	2,640	3,002
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	(NA)	437	394	349	324	594
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	2,359	2,159	2,732	3,887	3,385	4,311
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	2,331	2,625	2,432	2,818	3,231	4,141
Unemployment insurance compensation	2,087	2,448	3,003	5,840	4,009	7,156
State unemployment insurance compensation	1,551	1,552	1,574	3,967	3,212	6,426
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	536	896	1,429	1,873	797	730
Veterans benefits	5,438	5,756	5,888	5,936	6,129	6,232
Education and training assistance 5/	732	815	1,086	1,244	1,596	2,275
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	722	0	1	1	1	1
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	1,282	1,700	1,830	2,432	2,560	2,724
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	1,829	1,723	1,103	1,463	1,987	2,055

Transfer Payments**Mercer County**

	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	146,255	158,156	179,311	179,472	185,346	197,999
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	140,727	152,562	173,332	171,620	176,982	189,363
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	86,437	93,115	97,588	102,156	105,011	109,539
Social Security benefits	52,858	59,257	62,663	66,798	69,059	72,350
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	33,579	33,858	34,925	35,358	35,952	37,189
Medical benefits	24,233	27,061	30,306	34,029	36,616	43,892
Medicare benefits	16,411	19,244	21,796	24,599	26,458	28,584
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	7,644	7,616	8,277	9,124	9,826	14,951
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	178	201	233	306	332	357
Income maintenance benefits	13,796	13,322	15,490	17,204	18,447	18,872
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	3,445	3,546	3,851	4,267	4,670	5,000
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	593	589	615	665	573	656
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	5,847	5,338	6,782	7,104	7,276	6,750
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	3,911	3,849	4,242	5,168	5,928	6,466
Unemployment insurance compensation	7,225	9,939	19,782	7,627	5,195	6,240
State unemployment insurance compensation	6,244	9,349	18,707	6,939	4,399	5,606
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	981	590	1,075	688	796	634
Veterans benefits	6,742	7,076	7,732	7,963	7,941	7,831
Education and training assistance 5/	2,293	2,046	2,428	2,632	3,749	2,956
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	1	3	6	9	23	33
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	2,713	2,519	2,734	2,993	2,991	3,362
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	2,815	3,075	3,245	4,859	5,373	5,274

Transfer Payments**Mercer County**

	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	202,650	213,567	227,004	244,500	276,060	315,821
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	195,037	206,060	218,878	236,849	269,487	309,493
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	115,707	119,578	124,695	132,548	140,264	151,569
Social Security benefits	74,828	77,528	82,549	88,197	94,369	99,679
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	40,879	42,050	42,146	44,351	45,895	51,890
Medical benefits	44,336	51,809	58,288	65,315	85,082	106,278
Medicare benefits	31,056	32,964	36,275	40,452	43,325	49,092
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	12,908	18,452	21,569	24,334	41,150	56,543
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	372	393	444	529	607	643
Income maintenance benefits	18,734	19,971	20,836	22,523	25,381	29,132
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	5,205	5,685	6,137	6,774	7,737	9,730
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	604	1,168	1,704	1,810	1,951	2,761
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	6,721	6,914	7,069	7,844	9,334	10,349
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	6,204	6,204	5,926	6,095	6,359	6,292
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,425	3,419	3,163	4,437	6,415	8,643
State unemployment insurance compensation	4,834	2,898	2,764	4,043	5,960	7,949
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	591	521	399	394	455	694
Veterans benefits	7,326	7,451	7,454	7,766	7,730	8,393
Education and training assistance 5/	3,458	3,806	4,406	4,218	4,513	5,388
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	51	26	36	42	102	90
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	3,231	3,151	3,194	3,076	3,251	3,582
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	4,382	4,356	4,932	4,575	3,322	2,746

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	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	335,938	342,485	350,355	363,940	370,282	387,226
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	330,009	336,767	343,319	355,943	363,257	378,690
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	158,141	155,815	157,989	165,231	168,321	170,045
Social Security benefits	105,942	109,366	113,971	117,922	120,969	125,161
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	52,199	46,449	44,018	47,309	47,352	44,884
Medical benefits	118,691	127,470	131,582	135,538	139,984	153,293
Medicare benefits	49,838	56,343	61,105	68,004	71,251	73,593
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	68,262	70,602	69,995	67,041	68,250	79,206
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	591	525	482	493	483	494
Income maintenance benefits	31,342	33,513	34,452	36,483	34,486	34,613
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	11,699	13,025	13,555	14,182	13,857	14,640
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	2,907	3,398	5,135	6,338	7,190	7,482
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	10,517	10,440	10,030	9,842	9,280	9,397
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	6,219	6,650	5,732	6,121	4,159	3,094
Unemployment insurance compensation	7,012	4,927	4,144	4,173	4,262	4,138
State unemployment insurance compensation	6,429	4,502	3,777	3,843	3,894	3,852
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	583	425	367	330	368	286
Veterans benefits	8,889	8,610	9,001	9,806	10,240	10,397
Education and training assistance 5/	5,785	6,325	6,083	4,593	5,848	6,091
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	149	107	68	119	116	113
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	3,976	4,194	4,281	4,382	4,413	4,522
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	1,953	1,524	2,755	3,615	2,612	4,014

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	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	389,449	411,443	447,418	481,894	501,184	505,818
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	379,042	399,113	434,033	471,040	491,908	498,559
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	174,977	180,532	196,395	212,991	209,110	199,402
Social Security benefits	128,402	133,790	141,486	148,950	154,254	160,393
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	46,575	46,742	54,909	64,041	54,856	39,009
Medical benefits	147,440	158,648	168,203	180,163	200,960	216,056
Medicare benefits	71,586	77,430	80,525	85,846	91,827	99,464
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	75,337	80,647	87,069	93,572	108,105	115,385
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	517	571	609	745	1,028	1,207
Income maintenance benefits	36,050	37,430	42,680	46,642	48,200	49,858
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	14,918	14,888	15,449	16,318	16,849	17,114
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	7,942	7,951	7,819	8,171	9,209	9,445
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	8,177	7,263	7,772	8,884	9,701	10,762
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	5,013	7,328	11,640	13,269	12,441	12,537
Unemployment insurance compensation	3,605	3,602	4,650	7,009	8,469	5,908
State unemployment insurance compensation	3,391	3,333	4,270	6,726	8,205	5,659
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	214	269	380	283	264	249
Veterans benefits	10,766	11,139	11,734	12,619	13,470	14,489
Education and training assistance 5/	6,112	7,593	10,098	11,440	11,510	12,633
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	92	169	273	176	189	213
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	5,105	5,192	5,635	5,656	5,945	6,156
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	5,302	7,138	7,750	5,198	3,331	1,103

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	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	525,256	559,973	582,734	631,614	678,707	711,064
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	516,198	551,988	572,748	620,401	666,571	698,041
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	202,325	211,443	216,929	223,171	239,995	243,989
Social Security benefits	168,429	179,042	187,954	194,859	209,682	212,745
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	33,896	32,401	28,975	28,312	30,313	31,244
Medical benefits	229,985	251,097	266,117	274,824	296,710	302,830
Medicare benefits	106,882	129,637	139,034	143,964	152,041	154,259
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	121,970	120,113	125,661	129,295	142,953	146,820
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	1,133	1,347	1,422	1,565	1,716	1,751
Income maintenance benefits	49,526	53,703	55,525	59,453	72,337	80,168
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	18,098	19,375	19,436	19,713	20,716	22,460
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	9,719	10,162	11,079	11,648	12,098	14,440
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	9,892	10,711	11,689	13,914	19,231	21,844
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	11,817	13,455	13,321	14,178	20,292	21,424
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,053	4,751	4,969	6,335	10,320	14,805
State unemployment insurance compensation	4,801	4,512	4,699	6,098	9,879	14,301
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	252	239	270	237	441	504
Veterans benefits	16,067	17,654	19,650	22,002	24,018	24,904
Education and training assistance 5/	13,034	13,156	9,297	12,675	16,071	18,465
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	208	184	261	21,941	7,120	12,880
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	7,122	6,733	6,572	6,419	6,822	7,581
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	1,936	1,252	3,414	4,794	5,314	5,442

Transfer Payments**Mercer County**

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	713,819	738,074	748,522	789,079	813,241	832,370
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	699,822	725,519	736,445	776,192	799,248	816,743
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	246,754	256,263	262,084	268,645	276,636	280,490
Social Security benefits	215,928	226,588	233,314	240,031	247,116	251,263
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	30,826	29,675	28,770	28,614	29,520	29,227
Medical benefits	312,879	327,669	331,990	365,453	375,273	382,899
Medicare benefits	154,985	161,045	158,995	165,703	166,973	173,643
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	156,032	164,662	171,213	197,934	206,483	207,620
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	1,862	1,962	1,782	1,816	1,817	1,636
Income maintenance benefits	77,499	78,119	78,846	78,466	78,627	80,092
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	22,466	24,073	25,130	24,990	24,701	25,051
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	14,551	14,659	15,129	15,861	16,094	16,652
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	22,255	22,781	21,874	21,244	21,798	21,766
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	18,227	16,606	16,713	16,371	16,034	16,623
Unemployment insurance compensation	12,090	11,632	11,470	7,333	7,510	8,116
State unemployment insurance compensation	11,584	11,191	10,991	6,984	7,168	7,676
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	506	441	479	349	342	440
Veterans benefits	24,782	32,819	34,738	36,121	38,810	40,164
Education and training assistance 5/	18,407	17,225	16,067	17,147	17,768	19,300
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	7,411	1,792	1,250	3,027	4,624	5,682
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	7,299	7,755	7,764	7,973	7,915	7,868
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	6,698	4,800	4,313	4,914	6,078	7,759

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Transfer Payments

Mercer County

	2017	2018
Personal current transfer receipts (\$000)	853,182	869,748
Current transfer receipts of individuals from governments	840,026	855,821
Retirement and disability insurance benefits	282,767	290,457
Social Security benefits	254,272	262,041
Excluding Social Security benefits 1/	28,495	28,416
Medical benefits	403,562	410,038
Medicare benefits	175,208	182,089
Public assistance medical care benefits 2/	226,699	226,306
Military medical insurance benefits 3/	1,655	1,643
Income maintenance benefits	80,147	79,082
Supplemental security income (SSI) benefits	24,136	24,802
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC)	16,707	16,759
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	20,808	18,908
Other income maintenance benefits 4/	18,496	18,613
Unemployment insurance compensation	5,150	4,629
State unemployment insurance compensation	4,785	4,303
Excluding state unemployment insurance compensation	365	326
Veterans benefits	43,047	46,042
Education and training assistance 5/	18,560	19,287
Other transfer receipts of individuals from governments 6/	6,793	6,286
Current transfer receipts of nonprofit institutions	7,593	7,547
Current transfer receipts of individuals from businesses 7/	5,563	6,380

CAINC35 Footnotes

1/ Consists largely of temporary disability payments, pension benefit guaranty payments, black lung payments, workers compensation, and Panama Canal construction annuity payments.

2/ Consists of Medicaid and other medical vendor payments.

3/ Consists of payments made under the TRICARE Program (formerly called CHAMPUS) for the medical care of dependents of active duty military personnel and of retired military personnel and their dependents at nonmilitary medical facilities.

4/ Consists largely of general assistance; family assistance (currently Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), previously emergency assistance and Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and emergency assistance); expenditures for food under the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC); Other Needs Assistance; refugee assistance; foster home care and adoption assistance; Additional Child Tax Credit; and energy assistance.

5/ Consists largely of federal fellowship payments (National Science Foundation fellowships and traineeships, subsistence payments to state maritime academy cadets, and other federal fellowships), interest subsidy on higher education loans, Pell Grants, Job Corps payments, education exchange payments, and state education assistance payments.

6/ Consists largely of other refundable tax credits (see footnote 8 for list of other refundable tax credits); Bureau of Indian Affairs payments; Alaska Permanent Fund dividend payments; compensation of survivors of public safety officers; compensation of victims of crime; disaster relief payments; compensation for Japanese internment; Federal Additional Compensation for unemployment; COBRA premium reduction; Economic Recovery lump sum payment; ACA cost sharing reductions; and other special payments to individuals.

7/ Consists of personal injury payments to individuals other than employees and other business transfer payments.

* Nonmetropolitan portion includes micropolitan counties.

Metropolitan Areas are defined (geographically delineated) by the Office of Management and Budget bulletin no. 18-04 issued September 14, 2018.

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Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	1,099	1,137	1,076	1,173	1,478	1,330	1,232
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	966	980	905	969	1,202	997	936
Cash receipts: Crops	133	157	171	204	276	333	296
 Other income (\$000)	195	213	271	303	365	366	362
Government payments	20	20	29	28	8	15	35
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	175	193	242	275	357	351	327
 Production expenses	1,186	1,225	1,238	1,242	1,555	1,730	1,650
Feed purchased	229	237	229	214	321	358	294
Livestock purchased	237	230	214	202	261	211	221
Seed purchased	15	23	32	37	63	92	61
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	89	88	80	86	82	122	106
Petroleum products purchased	45	47	42	43	50	74	76
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	124	126	128	114	150	137	102
All other production expenses 4/	447	474	513	546	628	736	790
 Value of inventory change	38	-14	59	4	57	172	-7
Value of inventory change: livestock	32	-13	13	6	57	120	33
Value of inventory change: crops	6	-1	46	-2	0	52	-40
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	(NA)						
 Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)							
Total cash receipts and other income	1,294	1,350	1,347	1,476	1,843	1,696	1,594
less: Production expenses	1,186	1,225	1,238	1,242	1,555	1,730	1,650
Realized net income	108	125	109	234	288	-34	-56
plus: Value of inventory change	38	-14	59	4	57	172	-7
Total net income including corporate farms	146	111	168	238	345	138	-63
less: Net income of corporate farms	0	0	0	4	9	2	0
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	146	111	168	234	336	136	-63
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	117	122	125	113	156	153	114
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	6	6	7	7	10	12	12
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	269	239	300	354	502	301	63

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	1,170	1,129	1,468	1,902	1,886	1,497	1,534
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	919	919	1,322	1,741	1,715	1,342	1,449
Cash receipts: Crops	251	210	146	161	171	155	85
Other income (\$000)	422	438	343	489	413	437	781
Government payments	38	81	44	26	54	44	35
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	384	357	299	463	359	393	746
Production expenses	1,836	1,951	2,246	2,498	2,873	3,070	3,372
Feed purchased	294	282	323	385	410	366	307
Livestock purchased	234	288	362	361	310	214	124
Seed purchased	54	35	30	27	28	26	21
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	118	138	132	123	184	210	190
Petroleum products purchased	89	94	98	109	153	160	132
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	144	128	194	210	252	233	266
All other production expenses 4/	903	986	1,107	1,283	1,536	1,861	2,332
Value of inventory change	-60	-7	-21	1	499	188	-166
Value of inventory change: livestock	-13	5	-68	66	171	238	-199
Value of inventory change: crops	-47	-12	47	-65	328	-50	33
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	(NA)						
Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)							
Total cash receipts and other income	1,592	1,567	1,811	2,391	2,299	1,934	2,315
less: Production expenses	1,836	1,951	2,246	2,498	2,873	3,070	3,372
Realized net income	-244	-384	-435	-107	-574	-1,136	-1,057
plus: Value of inventory change	-60	-7	-21	1	499	188	-166
Total net income including corporate farms	-304	-391	-456	-106	-75	-948	-1,223
less: Net income of corporate farms	-22	-35	-40	-5	-6	-90	-117
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	-282	-356	-416	-101	-69	-858	-1,106
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	149	137	192	193	186	168	170
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	15	15	17	16	13	13	12
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	-118	-204	-207	108	130	-677	-924

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	2,064	2,000	2,429	2,293	2,282	2,543	2,786
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	1,970	1,718	2,085	1,900	1,876	2,065	2,241
Cash receipts: Crops	94	282	344	393	406	478	545
Other income (\$000)	814	824	586	797	324	490	581
Government payments	45	56	34	41	47	87	127
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	769	768	552	756	277	403	454
Production expenses	3,507	3,419	3,212	3,063	3,187	3,564	4,002
Feed purchased	334	306	213	183	145	136	119
Livestock purchased	247	264	317	365	412	445	489
Seed purchased	18	22	20	21	20	29	36
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	182	193	209	177	198	201	228
Petroleum products purchased	131	140	133	117	116	118	120
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	234	224	211	171	156	158	161
All other production expenses 4/	2,361	2,270	2,109	2,029	2,140	2,477	2,849
Value of inventory change	4	41	-120	-334	-76	-235	102
Value of inventory change: livestock	53	-60	-168	-151	-97	-180	-59
Value of inventory change: crops	-49	101	48	-183	21	-55	161
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	(NA)						
Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)							
Total cash receipts and other income	2,878	2,824	3,015	3,090	2,606	3,033	3,367
less: Production expenses	3,507	3,419	3,212	3,063	3,187	3,564	4,002
Realized net income	-629	-595	-197	27	-581	-531	-635
plus: Value of inventory change	4	41	-120	-334	-76	-235	102
Total net income including corporate farms	-625	-554	-317	-307	-657	-766	-533
less: Net income of corporate farms	-61	-8	-6	-4	-18	-26	-5
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	-564	-546	-311	-303	-639	-740	-528
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	155	142	128	111	105	114	116
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	23	23	22	23	22	25	38
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	-386	-381	-161	-169	-512	-601	-374

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	3,377	3,487	3,641	4,001	3,583	3,120	3,001
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	2,631	2,667	2,713	3,199	2,841	2,318	1,950
Cash receipts: Crops	746	820	928	802	742	802	1,051
 Other income (\$000)	 572	 693	 840	 738	 610	 608	 438
Government payments	37	44	60	45	37	74	25
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	535	649	780	693	573	534	413
 Production expenses	 4,520	 4,672	 4,921	 4,927	 4,666	 4,517	 4,289
Feed purchased	105	78	65	48	63	71	79
Livestock purchased	629	557	539	606	511	309	185
Seed purchased	40	48	44	39	31	30	24
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	221	217	242	232	225	246	271
Petroleum products purchased	145	144	145	140	144	155	153
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	170	156	144	141	142	142	142
All other production expenses 4/	3,210	3,472	3,742	3,721	3,550	3,564	3,435
 Value of inventory change	 212	 -111	 66	 -133	 192	 -126	 -167
Value of inventory change: livestock	136	74	-90	-98	175	-78	-117
Value of inventory change: crops	76	-196	149	-25	15	-28	-55
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	(NA)	11	7	-10	2	-20	5
 Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)							
Total cash receipts and other income	3,949	4,180	4,481	4,739	4,193	3,728	3,439
less: Production expenses	4,520	4,672	4,921	4,927	4,666	4,517	4,289
Realized net income	-571	-492	-440	-188	-473	-789	-850
plus: Value of inventory change	212	-111	66	-133	192	-126	-167
Total net income including corporate farms	-359	-603	-374	-321	-281	-915	-1,017
less: Net income of corporate farms	0	0	-40	-20	-12	-40	-31
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	-359	-603	-334	-301	-269	-875	-986
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	130	125	117	111	100	93	81
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	49	50	60	52	41	41	30
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	-180	-428	-157	-138	-128	-741	-875

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	3,387	3,169	2,478	2,616	2,507	2,681	2,991	3,031
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	2,370	2,335	1,762	1,888	1,661	1,900	2,262	2,275
Cash receipts: Crops	1,017	834	716	728	846	781	729	756
 Other income (\$000)	319	518	737	839	803	958	1,072	1,045
Government payments	13	22	107	244	126	30	165	38
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	306	496	630	595	677	928	907	1,007
 Production expenses	4,624	4,630	4,280	4,039	3,834	4,023	4,349	4,741
Feed purchased	161	185	175	208	232	321	275	240
Livestock purchased	268	268	181	208	203	247	274	384
Seed purchased	19	19	20	19	20	31	46	53
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	301	315	290	248	236	237	240	278
Petroleum products purchased	171	168	171	214	204	232	214	267
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	153	219	276	291	359	476	548	559
All other production expenses 4/	3,551	3,456	3,167	2,851	2,580	2,479	2,752	2,960
 Value of inventory change	-51	25	-329	37	-19	-87	-322	313
Value of inventory change: livestock	-75	0	-150	-149	114	-91	-298	310
Value of inventory change: crops	21	22	-170	181	-128	-7	-4	-5
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	3	3	-9	5	-5	11	-20	8
 Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)								
Total cash receipts and other income	3,706	3,687	3,215	3,455	3,310	3,639	4,063	4,076
less: Production expenses	4,624	4,630	4,280	4,039	3,834	4,023	4,349	4,741
Realized net income	-918	-943	-1,065	-584	-524	-384	-286	-665
plus: Value of inventory change	-51	25	-329	37	-19	-87	-322	313
Total net income including corporate farms	-969	-918	-1,394	-547	-543	-471	-608	-352
less: Net income of corporate farms	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	-969	-918	-1,394	-547	-543	-471	-608	-352
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	73	130	181	203	287	394	447	444
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	29	49	81	116	137	133	136	137
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	-867	-739	-1,132	-228	-119	56	-25	229

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	3,493	3,563	3,572	4,395	4,465	4,040	4,308	4,649
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	2,704	2,602	2,646	3,099	3,105	2,684	2,838	3,056
Cash receipts: Crops	789	961	926	1,296	1,360	1,356	1,470	1,593
Other income (\$000)	1,127	1,159	1,204	1,962	2,245	2,605	3,068	5,804
Government payments	91	41	23	151	49	164	79	67
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	1,036	1,118	1,181	1,811	2,196	2,441	2,989	5,737
Production expenses	5,432	6,358	7,229	7,242	6,762	6,726	6,908	7,707
Feed purchased	294	363	453	545	465	525	560	805
Livestock purchased	402	448	396	484	437	375	451	573
Seed purchased	57	68	93	92	79	70	67	86
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	331	380	429	445	367	365	385	352
Petroleum products purchased	295	348	440	529	438	473	566	550
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	486	561	685	563	521	453	360	531
All other production expenses 4/	3,567	4,190	4,733	4,584	4,455	4,465	4,519	4,810
Value of inventory change	67	132	-103	101	-404	-118	441	52
Value of inventory change: livestock	70	142	-50	-8	-428	8	231	269
Value of inventory change: crops	10	-29	-68	105	24	-127	214	-223
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	-13	19	15	4	0	1	-4	6
Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)								
Total cash receipts and other income	4,620	4,722	4,776	6,357	6,710	6,645	7,376	10,453
less: Production expenses	5,432	6,358	7,229	7,242	6,762	6,726	6,908	7,707
Realized net income	-812	-1,636	-2,453	-885	-52	-81	468	2,746
plus: Value of inventory change	67	132	-103	101	-404	-118	441	52
Total net income including corporate farms	-745	-1,504	-2,556	-784	-456	-199	909	2,798
less: Net income of corporate farms	0	-2	-5	-3	0	0	0	0
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	-745	-1,502	-2,551	-781	-456	-199	909	2,798
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	366	416	494	431	399	363	303	460
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	123	119	128	103	93	81	65	103
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	-256	-967	-1,929	-247	36	245	1,277	3,361

Farm Income and Expenses**Mercer County**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cash receipts from marketings (\$000)	4,967	5,647	5,249	4,646	5,169	5,246
Cash receipts: Livestock and products	3,331	3,947	3,594	3,010	3,491	3,596
Cash receipts: Crops	1,636	1,700	1,655	1,636	1,678	1,650
Other income (\$000)	5,217	4,612	4,548	4,527	4,869	4,926
Government payments	137	60	62	107	169	25
Imputed and miscellaneous income received 2/	5,080	4,552	4,486	4,420	4,700	4,901
Production expenses	7,469	8,241	8,120	7,933	8,086	8,427
Feed purchased	873	905	898	818	607	655
Livestock purchased	374	517	609	476	442	563
Seed purchased	89	96	90	101	110	108
Fertilizer and lime (incl. ag. chemicals 1978-fwd.)	365	384	324	315	331	331
Petroleum products purchased	606	615	462	389	500	589
Hired farm labor expenses 3/	551	571	487	540	492	453
All other production expenses 4/	4,611	5,153	5,250	5,294	5,604	5,728
Value of inventory change	-221	-292	324	222	-205	-151
Value of inventory change: livestock	-358	-269	390	230	-142	-85
Value of inventory change: crops	139	-31	-67	16	-65	-64
Value of inventory change: materials and supplies	-2	8	1	-24	2	-2
Derivation of farm labor and proprietors' income (\$000)						
Total cash receipts and other income	10,184	10,259	9,797	9,173	10,038	10,172
less: Production expenses	7,469	8,241	8,120	7,933	8,086	8,427
Realized net income	2,715	2,018	1,677	1,240	1,952	1,745
plus: Value of inventory change	-221	-292	324	222	-205	-151
Total net income including corporate farms	2,494	1,726	2,001	1,462	1,747	1,594
less: Net income of corporate farms	1	0	-1	-1	0	-1
plus: Statistical adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total net farm proprietors' income	2,493	1,726	2,002	1,463	1,747	1,595
plus: Farm wages and perquisites	472	498	406	465	400	399
plus: Farm supplements to wages and salaries	101	110	97	115	114	108
Total farm labor and proprietors' income	3,066	2,334	2,505	2,043	2,261	2,102

CAINC45 Footnotes

1/ Consists of the value of home consumption and other farm related income components, such as machine hire and custom work income and income from forest products (1978 to present).

2/ Consists of hired workers' cash pay and perquisites, employers' contributions for social security and Medicare, and payments for contract labor, machine hire, and custom work.

3/ Consists of repair and operation of machinery; depreciation, interest, rent and taxes; and other miscellaneous expenses including agricultural chemicals (1969-77).

Note-- All dollar estimates are in thousands of current dollars (not adjusted for inflation). Statistics presented in thousands of dollars do not

(NA) Not available.

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