

Labor Market Information - Resources Guide

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	OOH	CGI	CPS	OES	NCS	I-O Matrix	LTEP	OPTD	JOLTS	CES	CBP	BDS
Coverage	US	US	US	US, State	US	US	US	US	US	US, State	US, State	
N Occupations	400	75%	503	Regional	Non-Metro	0	700+	750+	Regional	MSA	ZIP	
Update Frequency	2 yrs	2 yrs	10 yr / 1 yr	1 yr	Varies	2 yrs	2 yrs	2 yrs	1 yr	12x/yr	1 yr	
Orientation												
Client	X	X										
Professional	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Cross References	O*NET	O*NET NAICS	SOC / OES	SOC/OES NAICS	SOC/OES	SOC/OES NAICS	SOC/OES NAICS	SOC/OES NAICS	NAICS	NAICS	NAICS	NAICS
Related Sites	X	X										
By Occupations												
Employment Numbers	X	X	X	X		X	X	X				
Wages	X	X	X	X	By Occ Level			Median				
Long Term Outlook	X	X				X	X	X				
By Industry												
Employment Numbers		X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Wages		X		X	X					Payroll	Payroll	
Long Term Outlook		X				X	X	X				
Long Term History												X
Education Requirements	X	X						X				
Age Distribution		X										
Full-Time / Part-Time / Self-Employment		X	X		X			X		X		
Hours Worked	X	X			X							
Gender			X									
Union Affiliation		X	X		X							
Employee Absence			X									
Benefits					X							
Job Openings								X	X			
Job Creation / Destruction												X
Business Estimates (N establishments)					X						X	X
by N employees in size ranges												X
by Firm Age (N years in business)												X

Resource	Web URL:	Comments:
OOH <i>Occupational Outlook Handbook</i>	www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm	Narrative Format - Also see OOH
CGI <i>Career Guide to Industries</i>	www.bls.gov/oco/cg	Covers 44 Major Industry Groups
CPS <i>Current Population Survey</i>	www.bls.gov/cps	Self-Reported Data by large occupational groups
OES <i>Occupational Employment Survey</i>	www.bls.gov/oes	Employer-Reported Comprehensive Data
NCS <i>National Compensation Survey</i>	www.bls.gov/NCS	Occupational Levels - Employer Cost & Trends
I-O Matrix <i>Input-Output Matrix</i>	www.bls.gov/emp/empind3.htm	Bureau of Economic Analysis
LTEP <i>Long Term Employment Projections</i>	www.bls.gov/emp/home.htm	10 Year Occupation/Industry Projections
OPTD <i>Occupational Projections and Training Data</i>	www.bls.gov/emp/optd/home.htm	Excellent info re: Education Attainment
JOLTS <i>Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey</i>	www.bls.gov/ilt	? Reliability vs. CES
CES <i>Current Employment Statistics</i>	www.bls.gov/ces	No occupational detail - workforce size
CBP <i>County Business Patterns</i>	www.census.gov/econ/cbp/index.html	2 year reporting lag - Universe not sample
BDS <i>Business Dynamics Statistics</i>	www.ces.census.gov/index.php/bds/bds_overview	Up to 5 year reporting delay - new universe data set

Statewide Occupational Projections	www.projectionscentral.com	Some reporting delays (older data)
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