TABLE B–29. Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by major industry, 1980–2025

[Thousands of jobs; monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Year or month	Total non-agricultural employment	Private industries									
		Total private	Goods-producing industries						Private service-providing industries		
			Total	Mining and logging	Construction	Manufacturing			Total	Trade, transportation, and utilities [1]	
						Total	Durable goods	Non-durable goods		Total	Retail trade
1980	90,533	74,158	24,263	1,077	4,454	18,733	11,679	7,054	49,895	18,387	10,249
1981	91,297	75,117	24,118	1,180	4,304	18,634	11,611	7,023	50,999	18,577	10,369
1982	89,689	73,706	22,550	1,163	4,024	17,363	10,610	6,753	51,156	18,430	10,377
1983	90,295	74,284	22,110	997	4,065	17,048	10,326	6,722	52,174	18,642	10,640
1984	94,548	78,389	23,435	1,014	4,501	17,920	11,050	6,870	54,954	19,624	11,227
1985	97,532	81,000	23,585	974	4,793	17,819	11,034	6,784	57,415	20,350	11,738
1986	99,500	82,661	23,318	829	4,937	17,552	10,795	6,757	59,343	20,765	12,082
1987	102,116	84,960	23,470	771	5,090	17,609	10,767	6,842	61,490	21,271	12,422
1988	105,378	87,838	23,909	770	5,233	17,906	10,969	6,938	63,929	21,942	12,812
1989	108,051	90,124	24,045	750	5,309	17,985	11,004	6,981	66,079	22,477	13,112
1990	109,527	91,112	23,723	765	5,263	17,695	10,737	6,958	67,389	22,632	13,185
1991	108,425	89,879	22,588	739	4,780	17,068	10,220	6,848	67,292	22,243	12,896
1992	108,799	90,012	22,095	689	4,608	16,799	9,946	6,853	67,917	22,086	12,826
1993	110,931	91,942	22,219	666	4,779	16,773	9,901	6,872	69,723	22,335	13,016
1994	114,393	95,118	22,774	659	5,095	17,020	10,132	6,889	72,344	23,081	13,485
1995	117,401	97,968	23,156	641	5,274	17,241	10,373	6,868	74,813	23,782	13,889
1996	119,828	100,289	23,409	637	5,536	17,237	10,486	6,751	76,880	24,183	14,133
1997	122,941	103,278	23,886	654	5,813	17,419	10,705	6,714	79,392	24,640	14,377
1998	126,146	106,237	24,354	645	6,149	17,560	10,911	6,649	81,883	25,122	14,596
1999	129,228	108,921	24,465	598	6,545	17,322	10,831	6,490	84,456	25,703	14,955
2000	132,011	111,222	24,649	599	6,787	17,263	10,877	6,386	86,572	26,153	15,262
2001	132,073	110,954	23,873	606	6,826	16,441	10,336	6,105	87,081	25,907	15,219
2002	130,634	109,121	22,557	583	6,716	15,259	9,485	5,774	86,564	25,417	15,003
2003	130,331	108,748	21,816	572	6,735	14,510	8,964	5,546	86,931	25,200	14,894
2004	131,769	110,148	21,882	591	6,976	14,315	8,925	5,390	88,266	25,440	15,033
2005	134,033	112,229	22,189	628	7,336	14,225	8,954	5,271	90,040	25,860	15,253
2006	136,436	114,462	22,527	684	7,691	14,152	8,978	5,174	91,935	26,172	15,325
2007	137,981	115,763	22,226	724	7,630	13,872	8,802	5,071	93,537	26,520	15,490
2008	137,223	114,714	21,325	766	7,162	13,397	8,454	4,943	93,389	26,181	15,251
2009	131,296	108,741	18,546	694	6,016	11,836	7,272	4,563	90,195	24,794	14,488
2010	130,345	107,854	17,737	705	5,518	11,514	7,050	4,464	90,118	24,523	14,404
2011	131,914	109,828	18,031	788	5,533	11,710	7,256	4,453	91,797	24,946	14,630
2012	134,157	112,237	18,401	848	5,646	11,907	7,450	4,457	93,836	25,353	14,801
2013	136,363	114,511	18,716	863	5,856	11,998	7,526	4,472	95,795	25,735	15,037
2014	138,940	117,058	19,202	891	6,151	12,161	7,649	4,512	97,856	26,253	15,313
2015	141,825	119,796	19,583	813	6,461	12,309	7,738	4,571	100,213	26,754	15,559
2016	144,335	122,111	19,719	668	6,728	12,324	7,684	4,640	102,392	27,124	15,777
2017	146,606	124,257	20,051	676	6,969	12,407	7,708	4,699	104,206	27,336	15,789
2018	148,909	126,454	20,669	727	7,288	12,653	7,911	4,742	105,785	27,549	15,728
2019	150,905	128,292	21,000	727	7,493	12,780	8,002	4,778	107,292	27,662	15,560
2020	142,186	120,200	19,983	600	7,257	12,127	7,533	4,594	100,217	26,624	14,809
2021	146,285	124,312	20,307	560	7,436	12,311	7,638	4,673	104,004	27,653	15,253
2022	152,520	130,330	21,134	605	7,763	12,767	7,923	4,844	109,196	28,633	15,489
2023	155,868	133,074	21,518	637	8,009	12,873	8,023	4,849	111,556	28,820	15,551
2024	157,693	134,324	21,619	625	8,205	12,789	7,951	4,838	112,704	28,828	15,493
2025	158,457	134,948	21,514	614	8,267	12,633	7,832	4,802	113,434	28,742	15,441
2024: Jan	157,032	133,892	21,631	633	8,123	12,875	8,023	4,852	112,261	28,799	15,524
Feb	157,238	134,027	21,617	633	8,132	12,852	8,004	4,848	112,410	28,839	15,529
Mar	157,466	134,170	21,636	636	8,164	12,836	7,993	4,843	112,534	28,855	15,529
Apr	157,530	134,233	21,631	628	8,170	12,833	7,988	4,845	112,602	28,880	15,531
May	157,608	134,278	21,625	624	8,176	12,825	7,981	4,844	112,653	28,880	15,536
June	157,695	134,356	21,630	620	8,196	12,814	7,968	4,846	112,726	28,851	15,500
July	157,748	134,348	21,636	622	8,208	12,806	7,960	4,846	112,712	28,830	15,481
Aug	157,757	134,321	21,628	620	8,236	12,772	7,930	4,842	112,693	28,802	15,458
Sept	157,912	134,463	21,634	622	8,254	12,758	7,921	4,837	112,829	28,813	15,457
Oct	157,945	134,459	21,581	622	8,262	12,697	7,870	4,827	112,878	28,794	15,452
Nov	158,079	134,575	21,602	624	8,267	12,711	7,895	4,816	112,973	28,755	15,410
Dec	158,316	134,787	21,591	622	8,276	12,693	7,875	4,818	113,196	28,811	15,460
2025: Jan	158,268	134,711	21,559	622	8,264	12,673	7,858	4,815	113,152	28,795	15,459
Feb	158,310	134,751	21,560	622	8,267	12,671	7,859	4,812	113,191	28,806	15,442
Mar	158,377	134,818	21,559	620	8,273	12,666	7,854	4,812	113,259	28,792	15,458
Apr	158,485	134,917	21,555	622	8,271	12,662	7,853	4,809	113,362	28,783	15,462
May	158,498	134,937	21,538	618	8,269	12,651	7,845	4,806	113,399	28,765	15,440
June	158,478	134,892	21,519	616	8,267	12,636	7,833	4,803	113,373	28,741	15,426
July	158,542	134,957	21,496	610	8,261	12,625	7,834	4,791	113,461	28,744	15,430
Aug	158,472	134,937	21,461	607	8,239	12,615	7,819	4,796	113,476	28,743	15,440
Sept	158,548	135,005	21,472	605	8,255	12,612	7,814	4,798	113,533	28,725	15,453
Oct	158,408	135,018	21,452	606	8,243	12,603	7,805	4,798	113,566	28,714	15,438
Nov	158,449	135,090	21,477	605	8,279	12,593	7,802	4,791	113,613	28,649	15,437
Dec	158,432	135,083	21,456	604	8,272	12,580	7,797	4,783	113,627	28,616	15,414

[1] Includes wholesale trade, transportation and warehousing, and utilities, not shown separately.

Note: Data in Tables B–29 and B–30 are based on reports from employing establishments and relate to full- and part-time wage and salary workers in nonagricultural establishments who received pay for any part of the pay period that includes the 12th of the month. Not comparable with labor force data (Tables B–22 through B–28), which include proprietors, self-employed persons, unpaid family workers, and private household workers; which count persons as

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TABLE B–29. Employees on nonagricultural payrolls, by major industry, 1980–2025—*Continued*

[Thousands of jobs; monthly data seasonally adjusted]

Year or month	Private industries—Continued						Government			
	Private service-providing industries—Continued									
	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services	Total	Federal	State	Local
1980	2,361	5,025	7,571	7,077	6,721	2,755	16,375	3,000	3,610	9,765
1981	2,382	5,163	7,809	7,364	6,840	2,865	16,180	2,922	3,640	9,619
1982	2,317	5,209	7,875	7,526	6,874	2,924	15,982	2,884	3,640	9,458
1983	2,253	5,334	8,065	7,781	7,078	3,021	16,011	2,915	3,662	9,434
1984	2,398	5,553	8,493	8,211	7,489	3,186	16,159	2,943	3,734	9,482
1985	2,437	5,815	8,900	8,679	7,869	3,366	16,533	3,014	3,832	9,687
1986	2,445	6,128	9,241	9,086	8,156	3,523	16,838	3,044	3,893	9,901
1987	2,507	6,385	9,639	9,543	8,446	3,699	17,156	3,089	3,967	10,100
1988	2,585	6,500	10,121	10,096	8,778	3,907	17,540	3,124	4,076	10,339
1989	2,622	6,562	10,588	10,652	9,062	4,116	17,927	3,136	4,182	10,609
1990	2,688	6,614	10,882	11,024	9,288	4,261	18,415	3,196	4,305	10,914
1991	2,678	6,561	10,750	11,556	9,256	4,249	18,545	3,110	4,355	11,081
1992	2,641	6,559	11,007	11,948	9,437	4,240	18,787	3,111	4,408	11,267
1993	2,668	6,742	11,534	12,362	9,732	4,350	18,989	3,063	4,488	11,438
1994	2,738	6,910	12,216	12,872	10,100	4,428	19,275	3,018	4,576	11,682
1995	2,844	6,866	12,889	13,360	10,501	4,572	19,432	2,949	4,635	11,849
1996	2,940	7,018	13,510	13,761	10,777	4,690	19,539	2,877	4,606	12,056
1997	3,084	7,255	14,386	14,185	11,018	4,825	19,664	2,806	4,582	12,276
1998	3,218	7,566	15,200	14,570	11,232	4,976	19,909	2,772	4,612	12,525
1999	3,419	7,753	16,013	14,939	11,543	5,087	20,307	2,769	4,709	12,829
2000	3,630	7,783	16,725	15,252	11,862	5,168	20,790	2,865	4,786	13,139
2001	3,629	7,900	16,537	15,814	12,036	5,258	21,118	2,764	4,905	13,449
2002	3,395	7,956	16,041	16,398	11,986	5,372	21,513	2,766	5,029	13,718
2003	3,188	8,078	16,057	16,835	12,173	5,401	21,583	2,761	5,002	13,820
2004	3,118	8,105	16,470	17,231	12,493	5,409	21,621	2,730	4,982	13,909
2005	3,061	8,196	17,036	17,676	12,816	5,395	21,804	2,732	5,032	14,041
2006	3,038	8,367	17,656	18,154	13,110	5,438	21,974	2,732	5,075	14,167
2007	3,032	8,348	18,040	18,676	13,427	5,494	22,218	2,734	5,122	14,362
2008	2,984	8,206	17,839	19,228	13,436	5,515	22,509	2,762	5,177	14,571
2009	2,804	7,838	16,685	19,630	13,077	5,367	22,555	2,832	5,169	14,554
2010	2,707	7,695	16,839	19,975	13,049	5,330	22,490	2,977	5,137	14,376
2011	2,674	7,697	17,450	20,318	13,353	5,360	22,086	2,859	5,078	14,150
2012	2,676	7,783	18,057	20,769	13,768	5,430	21,920	2,820	5,055	14,045
2013	2,706	7,886	18,645	21,086	14,254	5,483	21,853	2,769	5,046	14,037
2014	2,726	7,977	19,198	21,439	14,696	5,567	21,882	2,733	5,050	14,098
2015	2,750	8,123	19,774	22,029	15,160	5,622	22,029	2,757	5,077	14,195
2016	2,794	8,287	20,197	22,639	15,660	5,691	22,224	2,795	5,110	14,319
2017	2,814	8,451	20,596	23,188	16,051	5,770	22,350	2,805	5,165	14,379
2018	2,839	8,591	21,043	23,638	16,295	5,831	22,455	2,800	5,173	14,481
2019	2,864	8,754	21,372	24,163	16,586	5,891	22,613	2,831	5,206	14,576
2020	2,721	8,704	20,416	23,275	13,148	5,329	21,986	2,930	5,135	13,921
2021	2,856	8,806	21,429	23,652	14,151	5,457	21,973	2,886	5,156	13,931
2022	3,063	9,062	22,582	24,336	15,827	5,694	22,191	2,867	5,111	14,213
2023	3,007	9,174	22,769	25,387	16,557	5,842	22,794	2,927	5,296	14,571
2024	2,923	9,158	22,580	26,493	16,771	5,952	23,370	3,000	5,449	14,921
2025	2,862	9,196	22,416	27,338	16,884	5,997	23,509	2,904	5,505	15,100
2024: Jan	2,963	9,165	22,668	26,033	16,716	5,917	23,140	2,971	5,388	14,781
Feb	2,958	9,151	22,658	26,130	16,744	5,930	23,211	2,980	5,405	14,826
Mar	2,951	9,149	22,631	26,225	16,780	5,943	23,296	2,989	5,413	14,894
Apr	2,940	9,144	22,616	26,313	16,762	5,947	23,297	2,992	5,421	14,884
May	2,930	9,147	22,633	26,383	16,731	5,949	23,330	3,001	5,420	14,909
June	2,930	9,159	22,606	26,474	16,744	5,962	23,339	3,005	5,423	14,911
July	2,917	9,154	22,584	26,515	16,751	5,961	23,400	3,007	5,443	14,950
Aug	2,909	9,162	22,544	26,573	16,746	5,957	23,436	3,011	5,468	14,957
Sept	2,903	9,162	22,525	26,691	16,776	5,959	23,449	3,012	5,479	14,958
Oct	2,887	9,164	22,486	26,786	16,799	5,962	23,486	3,013	5,492	14,981
Nov	2,885	9,173	22,499	26,870	16,823	5,968	23,504	3,009	5,502	14,993
Dec	2,895	9,179	22,532	26,945	16,862	5,972	23,529	3,009	5,515	15,005
2025: Jan	2,877	9,187	22,480	27,006	16,832	5,975	23,557	3,010	5,525	15,022
Feb	2,876	9,199	22,473	27,064	16,796	5,977	23,559	2,997	5,525	15,037
Mar	2,867	9,201	22,457	27,132	16,823	5,987	23,559	2,988	5,523	15,048
Apr	2,865	9,205	22,470	27,216	16,836	5,987	23,568	2,976	5,522	15,070
May	2,864	9,211	22,450	27,276	16,839	5,994	23,561	2,952	5,515	15,094
June	2,863	9,204	22,419	27,325	16,837	5,984	23,586	2,944	5,516	15,126
July	2,861	9,204	22,403	27,412	16,848	5,989	23,585	2,935	5,504	15,146
Aug	2,860	9,185	22,375	27,435	16,870	6,008	23,535	2,916	5,487	15,132
Sept	2,859	9,189	22,359	27,489	16,907	6,005	23,543	2,914	5,497	15,132
Oct	2,853	9,184	22,335	27,533	16,948	5,999	23,390	2,748	5,493	15,149
Nov	2,848	9,185	22,391	27,589	16,936	6,015	23,359	2,733	5,481	15,145
Dec	2,842	9,186	22,372	27,627	16,961	6,023	23,349	2,722	5,476	15,151

Note (cont'd): employed when they are not at work because of industrial disputes, bad weather, etc., even if they are not paid for the time off; which are based on a sample of the working-age population; and which count persons only once—as employed, unemployed, or not in the labor force. In the data shown here, persons who work at more than one job are counted each time they appear on a payroll.

Establishment data for employment, hours, and earnings are classified based on the 2022 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). For further description and details see *Employment and Earnings*.

Source: Department of Labor (Bureau of Labor Statistics).