

**Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Division**  
**Wage and Salary Employment by Industry and Place of Work a/**  
**(In Thousands)**  
**2004**

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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,227.9</b>	<b>2,241.0</b>	<b>2,268.2</b>	<b>2,277.0</b>	<b>2,295.4</b>	<b>2,311.9</b>	<b>2,304.7</b>	<b>2,304.2</b>	<b>2,311.5</b>	<b>2,328.0</b>	<b>2,338.7</b>	<b>2,345.0</b>	<b>2,296.1</b>
<b>Total Private Sector</b>	<b>1,705.4</b>	<b>1,714.4</b>	<b>1,737.6</b>	<b>1,749.1</b>	<b>1,764.2</b>	<b>1,783.1</b>	<b>1,783.4</b>	<b>1,784.4</b>	<b>1,783.1</b>	<b>1,790.1</b>	<b>1,797.0</b>	<b>1,804.0</b>	<b>1,766.3</b>
<b>Total Government</b>	<b>522.5</b>	<b>526.6</b>	<b>530.6</b>	<b>527.9</b>	<b>531.2</b>	<b>528.8</b>	<b>521.3</b>	<b>519.8</b>	<b>528.4</b>	<b>537.9</b>	<b>541.7</b>	<b>541.0</b>	<b>529.8</b>
<b>Total Goods Producing</b>	<b>172.2</b>	<b>172.3</b>	<b>175.8</b>	<b>178.4</b>	<b>180.9</b>	<b>182.8</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>186.1</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>185.7</b>	<b>185.5</b>	<b>184.9</b>	<b>181.3</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>43.5</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>43.7</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>44.2</b>	<b>44.7</b>	<b>44.6</b>	<b>44.6</b>	<b>44.2</b>	<b>44.2</b>	<b>44.2</b>	<b>44.1</b>
Durable Goods	25.0	24.9	25.0	25.2	25.2	25.4	25.8	25.8	25.8	25.6	25.7	25.7	25.4
Non-Durable Goods	18.5	18.5	18.7	18.7	18.7	18.8	18.9	18.8	18.8	18.6	18.5	18.5	18.7
Printing and Related Support Activities	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.8
<b>Natural Resources, Mining &amp; Construction</b>	<b>128.7</b>	<b>128.9</b>	<b>132.1</b>	<b>134.5</b>	<b>137.0</b>	<b>138.6</b>	<b>140.9</b>	<b>141.5</b>	<b>141.0</b>	<b>141.5</b>	<b>141.3</b>	<b>140.7</b>	<b>137.2</b>
Construction	128.0	128.2	131.4	133.8	136.2	137.8	140.0	140.7	140.2	140.7	140.6	139.9	136.5
Construction of Buildings	29.0	29.1	29.5	30.1	30.4	31.1	31.5	31.6	31.6	32.1	32.0	32.3	30.9
Residential Building Construction	15.7	15.7	16.1	16.5	16.9	17.3	17.6	17.6	17.4	17.9	17.9	18.0	17.1
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	15.1	15.0	15.7	16.3	16.6	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.2	16.9	16.6
Specialty Trade Contractors	83.9	84.1	86.2	87.4	89.2	89.8	91.3	91.7	91.2	91.1	91.4	90.7	89.0
<b>Total Service Providing</b>	<b>2,055.7</b>	<b>2,068.7</b>	<b>2,092.4</b>	<b>2,098.6</b>	<b>2,114.5</b>	<b>2,129.1</b>	<b>2,119.1</b>	<b>2,118.1</b>	<b>2,125.9</b>	<b>2,142.3</b>	<b>2,153.2</b>	<b>2,160.1</b>	<b>2,114.8</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation &amp; Utilities</b>	<b>310.4</b>	<b>308.0</b>	<b>310.7</b>	<b>309.6</b>	<b>313.2</b>	<b>318.6</b>	<b>315.7</b>	<b>316.0</b>	<b>314.8</b>	<b>321.0</b>	<b>327.7</b>	<b>334.0</b>	<b>316.6</b>
Wholesale Trade	53.3	53.5	53.9	52.9	52.9	53.4	53.5	53.4	53.4	54.5	54.9	55.0	53.7
Merchant Wholesalers, Durable Goods	30.8	31.0	31.2	30.7	30.6	30.9	30.4	30.3	30.4	31.3	31.5	31.4	30.9
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.9	14.0	13.6
Retail Trade	198.5	195.9	197.6	198.0	200.9	204.8	202.4	202.4	200.9	205.6	211.7	217.6	203.0
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	24.7	24.7	25.1	25.1	25.3	25.6	25.8	25.8	25.7	25.8	25.7	25.8	25.4
Building Material and Garden Equipment and Supplies Dealers	14.7	14.8	15.9	16.4	17.1	17.0	16.7	16.4	16.1	16.3	16.4	16.4	16.2
Food & Beverage Stores	33.2	33.7	33.9	34.4	35.0	34.8	34.2	33.8	33.9	34.2	34.4	35.0	34.2
Health and Personal Care Stores	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.4	10.7	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.9	11.0	11.4	10.8
Clothing and Clothing Accessories Stores	22.2	21.2	21.4	21.0	21.7	22.5	22.2	22.5	22.4	23.2	24.6	26.8	22.6
General Merchandise Stores	35.3	34.4	34.5	34.4	34.7	35.9	36.1	36.3	36.0	38.0	40.4	41.3	36.4
Department Stores	23.1	22.1	22.0	21.7	22.0	23.0	22.9	23.2	22.9	24.5	26.8	27.4	23.5
Other General Merchandise Stores	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.7	12.7	12.9	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.5	13.6	13.9	13.0
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	58.6	58.6	59.2	58.7	59.4	60.4	59.8	60.2	60.5	60.9	61.1	61.4	59.9
Utilities	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.6
Electric Power Generation, Transmission and Distribution	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
Transportation & Warehousing	50.9	51.0	51.5	51.0	51.8	52.8	52.3	52.7	53.0	53.4	53.6	53.9	52.3
Air Transportation	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.7	14.1	14.3	14.8	15.3	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.7	14.6
Couriers and Messengers	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.8	9.4	10.0	8.9
Warehousing and Storage	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.5	6.3	6.6	5.7	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.0	6.0
<b>Information</b>	<b>91.6</b>	<b>91.2</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>90.2</b>	<b>89.9</b>	<b>89.7</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>89.5</b>	<b>87.8</b>	<b>85.1</b>	<b>84.8</b>	<b>84.3</b>	<b>88.9</b>
Newspaper, Periodical, Book, and Directory Publishers	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.8	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.7
Telecommunications	28.3	27.9	28.6	28.2	28.1	28.2	28.9	28.8	28.4	27.5	27.8	27.9	28.2
Wired Telecommunications Carriers	20.9	20.6	21.2	21.0	20.9	21.1	21.9	22.0	21.7	20.8	21.1	21.4	21.2
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>111.2</b>	<b>111.3</b>	<b>112.0</b>	<b>114.3</b>	<b>115.1</b>	<b>115.9</b>	<b>114.8</b>	<b>114.8</b>	<b>114.4</b>	<b>115.0</b>	<b>114.9</b>	<b>115.6</b>	<b>114.1</b>
Finance and insurance	71.2	71.2	71.8	74.0	74.3	74.6	73.3	73.3	72.9	73.5	73.4	73.8	73.1
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	38.9	38.9	39.3	39.6	40.0	40.2	40.5	40.8	40.6	41.3	41.2	41.5	40.2
Depository Credit Intermediation	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	17.9	18.0	17.8	18.0	18.0	18.0	17.9
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	18.2	18.1	18.2	18.4	18.4	18.4	18.3	18.0	17.8	17.7	17.7	17.8	18.1
Funds, Trusts, and Other Financial Vehicles	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.1
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	40.0	40.1	40.2	40.3	40.8	41.3	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.8	41.0
Real Estate	29.9	29.9	30.1	30.1	30.4	30.6	31.1	31.2	31.1	31.0	31.1	31.5	30.7
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>478.8</b>	<b>483.6</b>	<b>490.7</b>	<b>494.6</b>	<b>498.0</b>	<b>505.1</b>	<b>509.7</b>	<b>511.0</b>	<b>509.8</b>	<b>512.0</b>	<b>511.6</b>	<b>515.3</b>	<b>501.7</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	314.2	316.9	319.8	322.3	323.3	329.0	333.8	335.1	333.5	336.4	338.4	342.7	328.8
Legal Services	46.3	46.4	46.6	46.7	46.8	48.2	48.2	47.6	46.4	47.0	47.2	47.5	47.1
Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, & Payroll Services	19.4	20.1	19.9	20.1	18.7	18.8	19.3	19.6	19.8	20.1	20.1	21.0	19.7
Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services	42.8	42.9	43.6	44.3	44.8	45.6	46.0	46.2	46.2	46.5	46.7	46.9	45.2
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	105.6	106.3	107.4	107.8	108.5	109.4	111.7	112.4	112.0	112.3	112.7	113.8	110.0
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	48.9	49.6	50.1	50.9	51.3	52.3	52.9	53.4	53.3	54.0	54.5	55.3	52.2
Scientific Research and Development Services	28.6	28.7	29.1	29.5	30.1	31.2	31.9	32.5	32.7	33.0	33.6	34.3	31.3
Advertising and Related Services	11.7	11.8	12.1	11.9	11.9	12.2	12.4	12.3	12.1	12.2	12.3	12.4	12.1
Management of Companies and Enterprises	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.7	30.2	30.6	30.8	30.5	30.4	30.6	30.9	30.1
Administrative & Support & Waste Management & Remediation Services	135.2	137.3	141.5	142.9	145.0	145.9	145.3	145.1	145.8	145.2	142.6	141.7	142.8
Employment Services	30.3	30.8	31.5	31.3	32.2	32.7	32.1	32.3	32.3	33.2	32.0	31.8	31.9
Business Support Services	9.7	9.6	9.8	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.6	9.3	9.3	9.7
Investigation and Security Services	22.5	22.6	22.9	23.9	23.9	23.8	23.1	23.4	23.5	23.3	23.1	23.1	23.3
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	43.6	44.6	47.2	48.4	49.1	49.5	50.1	49.8	50.4	48.7	47.8	46.8	48.0

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<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	<b>229.3</b>	<b>234.5</b>	<b>236.7</b>	<b>236.9</b>	<b>234.8</b>	<b>231.6</b>	<b>226.5</b>	<b>225.9</b>	<b>235.0</b>	<b>239.0</b>	<b>240.3</b>	<b>239.1</b>	<b>234.1</b>
Educational Services	64.4	69.5	70.4	70.5	68.1	64.3	59.2	58.8	68.1	71.3	72.2	70.2	67.3
Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	39.4	43.9	44.1	44.2	41.6	37.7	33.3	33.3	42.0	44.4	45.2	43.4	41.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	164.9	165.0	166.3	166.4	166.7	167.3	167.3	167.1	166.9	167.7	168.1	168.9	166.9
Ambulatory Health Care Services	56.5	56.6	57.2	57.1	57.1	57.4	57.6	57.6	57.3	57.7	57.8	57.8	57.3
Offices of Physicians	24.0	24.0	24.1	24.2	24.2	24.4	24.4	24.5	24.3	24.7	24.7	24.8	24.4
Outpatient Care Centers	8.1	8.1	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.6	7.6	8.0
Hospitals	52.1	52.3	52.6	52.6	52.5	52.9	53.8	53.7	53.7	53.6	53.7	53.9	53.1
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	25.9	25.8	25.9	26.2	26.4	26.4	26.0	26.0	26.1	26.2	26.3	26.6	26.2
Social Assistance	30.4	30.3	30.6	30.5	30.7	30.6	29.9	29.8	29.8	30.2	30.3	30.6	30.3
Child Day Care Services	13.3	13.2	13.4	13.8	14.0	14.0	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.6	14.0	13.6
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>180.1</b>	<b>181.0</b>	<b>186.1</b>	<b>190.7</b>	<b>197.0</b>	<b>202.7</b>	<b>203.0</b>	<b>203.8</b>	<b>199.4</b>	<b>197.0</b>	<b>196.2</b>	<b>195.5</b>	<b>194.4</b>
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	21.2	21.3	22.7	24.9	26.9	30.5	31.0	31.6	28.7	26.3	25.4	24.8	26.3
Amusement, Gambling, and Recreation Industries	14.0	14.1	15.2	16.5	17.8	21.4	21.7	21.3	19.2	16.6	16.2	16.0	17.5
Accommodation and Food Services	158.9	159.7	163.4	165.8	170.1	172.2	172.0	172.2	170.7	170.7	170.8	170.7	168.1
Accommodation	31.7	32.4	33.3	33.4	34.3	34.6	34.4	34.2	34.0	34.6	34.4	34.1	33.8
Food Services and Drinking Places	127.2	127.3	130.1	132.4	135.8	137.6	137.6	138.0	136.7	136.1	136.4	136.6	134.3
Full-Service Restaurants	66.7	66.7	68.1	69.1	70.4	71.5	71.3	71.9	71.0	70.6	70.9	70.9	69.9
Limited-Service Eating Places	49.0	49.0	50.3	51.1	52.8	53.6	53.8	53.5	53.2	53.0	53.2	53.5	52.2
Special Food Services	9.8	9.8	9.9	10.2	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.5	10.4
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>131.8</b>	<b>132.5</b>	<b>133.7</b>	<b>134.4</b>	<b>135.3</b>	<b>136.7</b>	<b>137.7</b>	<b>137.3</b>	<b>136.3</b>	<b>135.3</b>	<b>136.0</b>	<b>135.3</b>	<b>135.2</b>
Repair and Maintenance	15.6	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.2	15.9
Personal and Laundry Services	25.2	25.1	25.6	25.8	26.2	26.2	26.3	26.3	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.2	25.9
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations	91.0	91.7	92.3	92.8	93.2	94.4	95.3	94.9	94.3	93.3	94.0	92.9	93.3
Business, Professional, Labor, Political, & Similar Organizations	41.7	41.9	42.3	42.1	42.3	43.0	43.0	43.2	43.0	42.7	43.3	42.1	42.6
<b>Government</b>	<b>522.5</b>	<b>526.6</b>	<b>530.6</b>	<b>527.9</b>	<b>531.2</b>	<b>528.8</b>	<b>521.3</b>	<b>519.8</b>	<b>528.4</b>	<b>537.9</b>	<b>541.7</b>	<b>541.0</b>	<b>529.8</b>
Federal Government	293.7	293.2	292.9	293.9	293.3	296.6	299.9	298.4	297.7	297.6	297.7	298.4	296.1
State & Local Government	228.8	233.4	237.7	234.0	237.9	232.2	221.4	221.4	230.7	240.3	244.0	242.6	233.7
State Government	66.9	70.1	73.7	71.6	72.9	68.0	71.3	74.6	70.5	74.9	76.7	75.8	72.3
Local Government	161.9	163.3	164.0	162.4	165.0	164.2	150.1	146.8	160.2	165.4	167.3	166.8	161.5

a/ Data may not equal totals due to independent rounding. Data reflect 2005 benchmark revisions.

Data includes all full and part-time employees who worked or received pay for any part of pay period which includes the 12th of the month. Proprietors, self-employed, unpaid family workers, and private household workers are excluded.

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