

District of Columbia
Wage and Salary Employment by Industry and Place of Work a/
(In Thousands)

INDUSTRY	Feb. b/ 2026	Jan. c/ 2026	Feb. 2025	Net Change From	
				Jan. c/ 2026	Feb. 2025
TOTAL	714.4	712.3	757.9	2.1	-43.5
Total Private Sector	507.7	504.6	524.8	3.1	-17.1
Total Government	206.7	207.7	233.1	-1.0	-26.4
Total Goods Producing	14.8	15.0	14.6	-0.2	0.2
Manufacturing	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.0	-0.1
Mining, Logging & Construction	13.8	14.0	13.5	-0.2	0.3
Total Service Providing	699.6	697.3	743.3	2.3	-43.7
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	29.1	29.4	29.6	-0.3	-0.5
Wholesale Trade	5.6	5.6	5.6	0.0	0.0
Retail Trade	19.3	19.5	19.7	-0.2	-0.4
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	4.2	4.3	4.3	-0.1	-0.1
Information	17.2	17.4	18.8	-0.2	-1.6
Financial Activities	24.7	24.5	25.0	0.2	-0.3
Finance and insurance	13.0	12.9	13.0	0.1	0.0
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	11.7	11.6	12.0	0.1	-0.3
Professional and Business Services	160.4	159.7	168.1	0.7	-7.7
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	111.7	110.8	118.1	0.9	-6.4
Legal Services	28.6	28.5	28.3	0.1	0.3
Administrative & Support & Waste Management & Remediation Services	45.5	45.8	46.8	-0.3	-1.3
Employment Services	12.6	12.6	12.9	0.0	-0.3
Educational and Health Services	127.4	126.0	129.3	1.4	-1.9
Educational Services	51.4	50.2	53.5	1.2	-2.1
Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	32.5	31.5	34.6	1.0	-2.1
Health Care and Social Assistance	76.0	75.8	75.8	0.2	0.2
Ambulatory Health Care Services	21.2	21.2	20.7	0.0	0.5
Hospitals	26.5	26.7	27.0	-0.2	-0.5
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	8.7	8.7	8.4	0.0	0.3
Leisure and Hospitality	72.4	71.6	74.8	0.8	-2.4
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	9.2	8.9	10.0	0.3	-0.8
Accommodation and Food Services	63.2	62.7	64.8	0.5	-1.6
Accommodation	13.5	13.4	13.8	0.1	-0.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	49.7	49.3	51.0	0.4	-1.3
Restaurants and Other	40.1	40.0	41.6	0.1	-1.5
Full-Service Restaurants	27.5	27.5	28.5	0.0	-1.0
Limited-Service Eating Places	12.6	12.5	13.1	0.1	-0.5
Special Food Services	6.3	6.2	6.6	0.1	-0.3
Other Services	61.7	61.0	64.6	0.7	-2.9
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations	54.4	54.0	57.3	0.4	-2.9
Business, Professional, Labor, Political, & Similar Organizations	24.5	24.3	25.0	0.2	-0.5
Government	206.7	207.7	233.1	-1.0	-26.4
Federal Government	164.9	166.0	190.9	-1.1	-26.0
State Government & Public Transportation	41.8	41.7	42.2	0.1	-0.4
State Government	38.2	38.0	38.5	0.2	-0.3
Public Transportation	3.6	3.7	3.7	-0.1	-0.1

a/ Not Seasonally Adjusted. Data may not equal totals due to independent rounding. Data reflect 2024 benchmark revisions.

b/ Preliminary.

c/ Revised.

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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