

23. Persons at work in nonfarm occupations by sex and usual full- or part-time status

(Numbers in thousands)

| Occupation and sex  | 1998          |                      |                      |                         |                        |                         |               |                                    |
|---|---------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|
|   | Total at work | Worked 1 to 34 hours |                      |                         |                        | Worked 35 hours or more | Average hours |                                    |
|   |               | Total                | For economic reasons | For noneconomic reasons |                        |                         | Total at work | Persons who usually work full time |
|   |               |                      |                      | Usually work full time  | Usually work part time |                         |               |                                    |
| Total, 16 years and over <sup>1</sup> .....               | 122,536       | 32,110               | 3,484                | 10,671                  | 17,955                 | 90,427                  | 39.2          | 43.1                               |
| Managerial and professional specialty .....               | 36,978        | 7,751                | 497                  | 3,535                   | 3,719                  | 29,227                  | 41.8          | 44.5                               |
| Executive, administrative, and managerial .....           | 18,373        | 3,013                | 172                  | 1,626                   | 1,215                  | 15,360                  | 43.6          | 45.5                               |
| Professional specialty .....                              | 18,605        | 4,737                | 324                  | 1,908                   | 2,505                  | 13,867                  | 39.9          | 43.4                               |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support .....        | 37,029        | 11,290               | 920                  | 3,284                   | 7,086                  | 25,739                  | 37.4          | 42.1                               |
| Technicians and related support .....                     | 4,095         | 981                  | 66                   | 403                     | 512                    | 3,114                   | 39.2          | 41.9                               |
| Sales occupations .....                                   | 15,272        | 4,816                | 510                  | 926                     | 3,379                  | 10,456                  | 38.5          | 44.6                               |
| Administrative support, including clerical .....          | 17,662        | 5,493                | 343                  | 1,955                   | 3,194                  | 12,169                  | 36.1          | 40.1                               |
| Service occupations .....                                 | 17,059        | 6,881                | 945                  | 1,105                   | 4,831                  | 10,178                  | 34.7          | 42.0                               |
| Private household .....                                   | 815           | 478                  | 75                   | 40                      | 363                    | 337                     | 29.0          | 42.6                               |
| Protective service .....                                  | 2,313         | 399                  | 33                   | 166                     | 200                    | 1,914                   | 42.5          | 45.0                               |
| Service, except private household and protective .....    | 13,932        | 6,005                | 838                  | 899                     | 4,268                  | 7,926                   | 33.8          | 41.3                               |
| Precision production, craft, and repair .....             | 13,897        | 2,284                | 433                  | 1,279                   | 571                    | 11,613                  | 41.8          | 43.0                               |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers .....                | 17,574        | 3,904                | 690                  | 1,467                   | 1,748                  | 13,670                  | 40.1          | 42.8                               |
| Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....       | 7,537         | 1,298                | 228                  | 681                     | 389                    | 6,240                   | 40.6          | 41.9                               |
| Transportation and material moving occupations .....      | 5,123         | 985                  | 166                  | 372                     | 447                    | 4,138                   | 43.2          | 45.8                               |
| Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers ..... | 4,913         | 1,622                | 296                  | 414                     | 912                    | 3,292                   | 36.2          | 40.9                               |
| Men, 16 years and over <sup>1</sup> .....                 | 65,575        | 12,200               | 1,648                | 5,128                   | 5,424                  | 53,376                  | 42.2          | 44.6                               |
| Managerial and professional specialty .....               | 19,158        | 2,800                | 215                  | 1,552                   | 1,033                  | 16,359                  | 44.8          | 46.5                               |
| Executive, administrative, and managerial .....           | 10,266        | 1,224                | 93                   | 743                     | 389                    | 9,041                   | 46.2          | 47.4                               |
| Professional specialty .....                              | 8,893         | 1,575                | 122                  | 809                     | 644                    | 7,317                   | 43.2          | 45.4                               |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support .....        | 13,383        | 2,648                | 252                  | 941                     | 1,454                  | 10,736                  | 41.9          | 44.9                               |
| Technicians and related support .....                     | 1,913         | 322                  | 27                   | 168                     | 127                    | 1,591                   | 41.7          | 43.4                               |
| Sales occupations .....                                   | 7,655         | 1,477                | 144                  | 421                     | 913                    | 6,177                   | 43.2          | 46.7                               |
| Administrative support, including clerical .....          | 3,816         | 848                  | 82                   | 353                     | 414                    | 2,968                   | 39.3          | 42.1                               |
| Service occupations .....                                 | 6,972         | 2,065                | 301                  | 424                     | 1,340                  | 4,907                   | 38.0          | 43.4                               |
| Private household .....                                   | 45            | 23                   | 6                    | 1                       | 15                     | 22                      | 30.4          | 41.6                               |
| Protective service .....                                  | 1,903         | 278                  | 22                   | 135                     | 120                    | 1,625                   | 43.8          | 45.6                               |
| Service, except private household and protective .....    | 5,023         | 1,764                | 272                  | 287                     | 1,205                  | 3,259                   | 35.9          | 42.3                               |
| Precision production, craft, and repair .....             | 12,758        | 2,016                | 403                  | 1,162                   | 451                    | 10,742                  | 42.1          | 43.2                               |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers .....                | 13,304        | 2,672                | 477                  | 1,049                   | 1,146                  | 10,632                  | 41.1          | 43.5                               |
| Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....       | 4,750         | 665                  | 110                  | 396                     | 158                    | 4,086                   | 41.8          | 42.7                               |
| Transportation and material moving occupations .....      | 4,622         | 786                  | 141                  | 328                     | 317                    | 3,836                   | 44.0          | 46.1                               |
| Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers ..... | 3,932         | 1,221                | 226                  | 325                     | 671                    | 2,711                   | 36.8          | 41.2                               |
| Women, 16 years and over <sup>1</sup> .....               | 56,961        | 19,910               | 1,837                | 5,543                   | 12,531                 | 37,051                  | 35.8          | 41.0                               |
| Managerial and professional specialty .....               | 17,820        | 4,951                | 282                  | 1,983                   | 2,687                  | 12,869                  | 38.4          | 42.1                               |
| Executive, administrative, and managerial .....           | 8,108         | 1,789                | 79                   | 884                     | 826                    | 6,319                   | 40.4          | 42.8                               |
| Professional specialty .....                              | 9,712         | 3,162                | 203                  | 1,099                   | 1,860                  | 6,550                   | 36.8          | 41.3                               |
| Technical, sales, and administrative support .....        | 23,645        | 8,642                | 667                  | 2,343                   | 5,632                  | 15,003                  | 34.9          | 40.2                               |
| Technicians and related support .....                     | 2,183         | 659                  | 40                   | 235                     | 385                    | 1,524                   | 37.0          | 40.4                               |
| Sales occupations .....                                   | 7,617         | 3,338                | 366                  | 506                     | 2,466                  | 4,279                   | 33.8          | 41.7                               |
| Administrative support, including clerical .....          | 13,845        | 4,644                | 261                  | 1,603                   | 2,781                  | 9,201                   | 35.3          | 39.5                               |
| Service occupations .....                                 | 10,087        | 4,817                | 644                  | 681                     | 3,491                  | 5,271                   | 32.4          | 40.8                               |
| Private household .....                                   | 770           | 455                  | 68                   | 38                      | 348                    | 315                     | 29.0          | 42.7                               |
| Protective service .....                                  | 409           | 121                  | 11                   | 31                      | 79                     | 289                     | 36.6          | 41.6                               |
| Service, except private household and protective .....    | 8,908         | 4,241                | 566                  | 612                     | 3,064                  | 4,667                   | 32.5          | 40.6                               |
| Precision production, craft, and repair .....             | 1,139         | 268                  | 31                   | 117                     | 120                    | 871                     | 38.6          | 41.1                               |
| Operators, fabricators, and laborers .....                | 4,270         | 1,232                | 213                  | 418                     | 602                    | 3,037                   | 37.2          | 40.5                               |
| Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors .....       | 2,787         | 633                  | 118                  | 285                     | 230                    | 2,154                   | 38.5          | 40.4                               |
| Transportation and material moving occupations .....      | 502           | 199                  | 25                   | 43                      | 131                    | 302                     | 36.0          | 42.6                               |
| Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers ..... | 981           | 400                  | 70                   | 90                      | 241                    | 581                     | 34.0          | 39.6                               |

<sup>1</sup> Excludes farming, forestry, and fishing occupations.

NOTE: Beginning in January 1998, data reflect new composite estimation

procedures and revised population controls used in the household survey.