

# State of New Jersey

## Employment Estimates and Projections by Major Occupational Group, 2004 and 2014

Occupation	2004		2014		Change: 2004-2014		Annual Average Job Openings		
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Total*	Growth*	Replacements
<b>Total, all occupations</b>	<b>4,321,650</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,732,600</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>411,000</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>149,540</b>	<b>48,150</b>	<b>101,390</b>
Management, business, and financial occupations <sup>1</sup>	430,600	10.0	480,500	10.1	49,900	11.6	12,930	5,100	7,830
Professional and related occupations <sup>2</sup>	849,450	19.7	982,850	20.7	133,400	15.7	29,980	13,710	16,270
Service occupations <sup>3</sup>	814,100	18.8	953,450	20.1	139,300	17.1	36,680	13,980	22,710
Sales and related occupations	479,700	11.1	517,550	10.9	37,900	7.9	19,280	4,000	15,280
Office and administrative support occupations	835,500	19.3	849,650	18.0	14,100	1.7	23,610	4,630	18,980
Farming, fishing and forestry occupations	4,350	0.1	5,700	0.1	1,350	30.7	250	130	120
Construction and extraction occupations	180,100	4.1	198,100	4.2	18,050	10.0	5,390	1,810	3,580
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	155,450	3.6	168,750	3.6	13,350	8.6	4,890	1,440	3,450
Production occupations	231,950	5.4	207,400	4.4	-24,550	-10.6	5,690	220	5,470
Transportation and material moving occupations	340,450	7.8	368,700	7.8	28,200	8.3	10,870	3,160	7,720

<sup>1</sup> Major occupational groups 11-0000 through 13-0000 in the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)

<sup>2</sup> Major occupational groups 15-0000 through 29-0000 in the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)

<sup>3</sup> Major occupational groups 31-0000 through 39-0000 in the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification (SOC)

Note: Occupational data include estimates of self-employed and unpaid family workers and are not directly comparable to the industry employment total. Totals may not add due to rounding. Employment data are rounded to the nearest fifty and, job openings are rounded to the nearest ten. Percentages and percent changes are based on unrounded data.

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