

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

INDUSTRY	Sept. b/ 2012	Aug. c/ 2012	Sept. 2011	Net Change From	
				Aug. c/ 2012	Sept. 2011
TOTAL	2,462.5	2,450.7	2,431.9	11.8	30.6
Total Private Sector	1,873.6	1,879.7	1,847.7	-6.1	25.9
Total Government	588.9	571.0	584.2	17.9	4.7
Total Goods Producing	151.4	151.6	145.5	-0.2	5.9
Manufacturing	33.8	33.9	33.0	-0.1	0.8
Durable Goods	20.2	20.4	19.6	-0.2	0.6
Non-Durable Goods	13.6	13.5	13.4	0.1	0.2
Mining, Logging & Construction	117.6	117.7	112.5	-0.1	5.1
Total Service Providing	2,311.1	2,299.1	2,286.4	12.0	24.7
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	294.0	299.7	299.4	-5.7	-5.4
Wholesale Trade	45.7	48.0	49.1	-2.3	-3.4
Retail Trade	191.5	195.3	196.6	-3.8	-5.1
Building Material and Garden Equipment and Supplies Dealers	15.3	15.6	14.9	-0.3	0.4
Department Stores	26.8	27.0	26.7	-0.2	0.1
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	56.8	56.4	53.7	0.4	3.1
Utilities	7.1	7.1	6.9	0.0	0.2
Transportation & Warehousing	49.7	49.3	46.8	0.4	2.9
Information	65.3	65.6	65.7	-0.3	-0.4
Financial Activities	111.4	111.1	107.0	0.3	4.4
Finance and insurance	74.7	73.9	69.6	0.8	5.1
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	36.5	36.1	36.3	0.4	0.2
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	36.7	37.2	37.4	-0.5	-0.7
Professional and Business Services	566.9	566.6	563.3	0.3	3.6
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	398.8	399.8	394.5	-1.0	4.3
Legal Services	44.0	45.2	43.8	-1.2	0.2
Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services	48.3	47.8	45.9	0.5	2.4
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	151.6	152.6	148.9	-1.0	2.7
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	78.1	77.6	76.2	0.5	1.9
Management of Companies and Enterprises	31.7	32.1	31.4	-0.4	0.3
Administrative & Support & Waste Management & Remediation Services	136.4	134.7	137.4	1.7	-1.0
Employment Services	30.0	30.0	29.6	0.0	0.4
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	47.6	46.9	46.5	0.7	1.1
Educational and Health Services	304.3	296.3	292.8	8.0	11.5
Educational Services	92.2	84.7	87.5	7.5	4.7
Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	58.7	50.9	57.0	7.8	1.7
Health Care and Social Assistance	212.1	211.6	205.3	0.5	6.8
Ambulatory Health Care Services	81.6	80.7	76.8	0.9	4.8
Hospitals	59.9	59.9	59.6	0.0	0.3
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	31.7	31.8	31.1	-0.1	0.6
Social Assistance	38.9	39.2	37.8	-0.3	1.1

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Leisure and Hospitality	228.2	235.5	223.2	-7.3	5.0
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	31.7	35.6	30.4	-3.9	1.3
Accommodation and Food Services	196.5	199.9	192.8	-3.4	3.7
Accommodation	36.7	37.2	37.5	-0.5	-0.8
Food Services and Drinking Places	159.8	162.7	155.3	-2.9	4.5
Full-Service Restaurants	79.3	81.8	78.4	-2.5	0.9
Other Services	152.1	153.3	150.8	-1.2	1.3
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations	111.9	111.5	110.7	0.4	1.2
Business, Professional, Labor, Political, & Similar Organizations	42.3	41.6	41.6	0.7	0.7
Government	588.9	571.0	584.2	17.9	4.7
Federal Government	329.2	330.0	332.1	-0.8	-2.9
State Government	81.1	74.3	76.5	6.8	4.6
Local Government	178.6	166.7	175.6	11.9	3.0

a/ Not Seasonally Adjusted. Data may not equal totals due to independent rounding. Data reflect 2011 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.

The Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Division includes the District of Columbia; Calvert County, MD; Charles County, MD; Prince George's County, MD; Arlington County, VA; Clarke County, Fairfax County, VA; Fauquier County, VA; Loudoun County, VA; Prince William County, VA; Spotsylvania County, VA; Stafford County, VA; Warren County, VA; Alexandria city, VA; Fairfax city, VA; Falls Church city, VA; Fredericksburg city, VA; Manassas city, VA; Manassas Park city, VA; and Jefferson County, WV.

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