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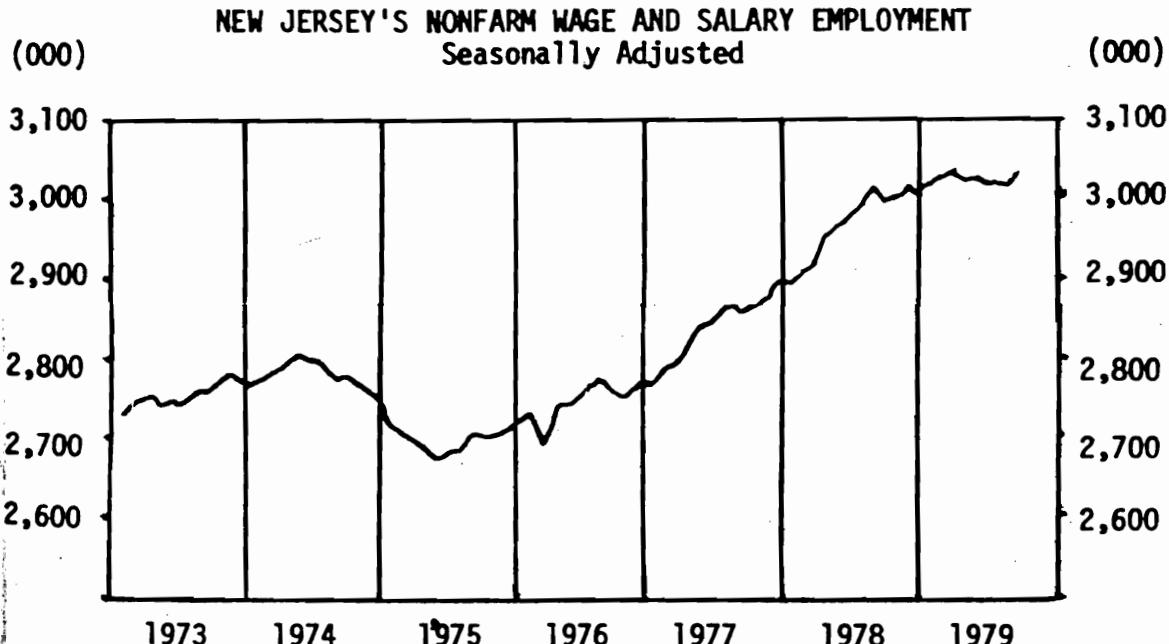
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Total nonagricultural wage and salary employment rose by 8,400 to 3,026,500 in August on a seasonally adjusted basis, reaching the second highest level on record, (the record total occurred in March 1979). Nonmanufacturing employment increased by 11,200, while manufacturing employment decreased by 2,800.

On an unadjusted basis nonagricultural wage and salary employment in August totaled 3,071,200, an increase of 3,100 from the July level, as gains in the manufacturing sector more than offset losses in the nonmanufacturing sector. Among manufacturing industries, the nondurable goods employment gain of 9,100 was partially offset by a durable goods loss of 2,700.

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Table 1
 NEW JERSEY'S NONFARM WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
 Seasonally Adjusted
 (000)

Date	TOTAL	Manufac-turing	Constr'n	Transport. Pub. Util.	Trade	Finance Insurance Real Est.	Services	Gov't
1969	2569.6	892.5	118.1	176.2	514.9	111.3	393.2	360.1
1970	2606.2	860.7	120.4	182.2	538.0	116.5	410.4	374.8
1971	2607.6	818.3	117.6	181.1	558.3	120.4	421.0	388.0
1972	2674.4	823.3	121.6	181.2	577.3	124.6	437.9	405.3
1973	2760.8	842.6	126.8	186.4	596.9	131.0	456.8	417.1
1974	2783.4	825.9	118.7	185.8	603.5	136.5	469.9	439.9
1975	2701.0	748.2	99.2	174.3	599.3	135.2	472.1	470.0
1976	2756.3	757.7	93.9	176.0	618.5	138.0	490.6	479.8
1977	2840.6	767.7	94.5	178.2	637.1	142.9	514.0	503.2
1978	2968.0	789.2	106.7	188.6	665.1	148.3	545.7	521.9
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1978	2897.7	778.2	97.0	184.3	647.0	145.9	529.1	513.5
Jan	2907.1	780.5	96.2	185.5	651.8	146.0	530.4	514.0
Feb	2919.1	783.5	95.0	186.4	655.0	146.2	533.6	516.9
Mar	2958.1	791.0	103.8	189.2	663.1	147.7	540.3	520.5
Apr	2967.5	790.0	107.1	188.2	665.3	148.2	542.2	524.0
May	2974.1	785.9	109.0	188.7	667.1	148.8	545.9	526.3
Jun	2985.2	786.7	108.7	188.5	665.3	148.7	551.8	533.0
Jul	2996.9	790.1	109.3	190.2	666.4	149.3	552.4	536.8
Aug	2998.2	791.5	109.6	190.1	669.6	149.3	552.5	523.2
Sep	2997.0	794.3	112.4	192.7	673.5	149.7	553.5	518.4
Oct	3008.0	799.3	112.5	190.7	677.0	150.1	557.0	518.9
Nov	3007.8	799.7	113.5	189.6	678.0	150.2	557.7	516.6
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1979	3021.9	804.3	117.4	190.0	682.5	150.6	558.6	515.2
Jan	3026.3	803.4	116.4	192.0	691.8	151.0	560.2	518.4
Feb	3030.1	802.0	117.8	193.6	681.2	151.1	565.1	517.3
Mar	3018.7	801.7	116.5	186.6	679.4	151.1	563.2	517.6
Apr	3022.5	797.6	114.0	189.6	678.7	151.3	569.2	519.6
May	3018.2	796.3	110.6	190.9	677.2	152.1	569.3	519.2
Jun	3018.1	790.2	112.5	191.1	674.5	152.2	571.9	523.1
Jul	3026.5	787.4	111.8	190.9	676.8	152.7	575.0	529.4
Sep								
Oct								
Nov								
Dec								

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Seasonal increases in the miscellaneous manufacturing industries accounted for the largest gain among the durable goods, increasing by 1,000. Electrical machinery and nonelectrical machinery suffered sharp declines of 2,700 and 900, respectively, as labor-management disputes were responsible for a combined loss of about 2,900 workers between these two industries.

Nondurable goods employment rebounded from seasonal declines in July. The leather industry registered the only employment loss in the sector, dropping by 100. The apparel industry dominated growth activity as it increased by 6,200, reflecting seasonal returns unpaid vacations in July.

Nonmanufacturing employment decreased by 3,300, although four out of seven industry groups increased from July. A loss of 3,900 employees in government and 1,100 in trade offset all gains in the nonmanufacturing sector.

The loss in government is attributable to the continued drop of school personnel on the local level, while seasonal declines in retail trade caused an overall drop in the trade industries. Among those industries to increase were services and construction with gains of 700 and 600, respectively.

After seasonal adjustment, a slight increase of 400 in nondurable goods employment was more than offset by a 3,200 decline in durable goods in the manufacturing sector. Transportation equipment had the largest gain among durable goods, expanding by 1,400 despite the loss of 700 workers in the motor vehicle industry due to the elimination of an assembly line. Offsetting all gains was a decline of 2,100 positions in electrical machinery, resulting from 2,000 striking workers. Additional decreases of 600 each were noted in the furniture, primary metals, fabricated metals, and miscellaneous manufacturing industries. Nondurable goods employment presented a mixed picture as gains more than offset declines. Gains in apparel, increasing by 1,300, and food, up by 700, were partially offset by decreases of 700 in rubber and 600 in textile products.

Nonmanufacturing employment expanded by 11,200, with the government sector providing more than one half of the growth. Government increased by 6,300, as local government expansion was responsible for the total increase. Services had the next largest gain, increasing by 3,100, and the largest employment decline was in construction, which dropped by 700.

Over the year, 30,300 employees (not seasonally adjusted) were added to nonfarm wage and salary payrolls; an increase of 1%. All of the increase was in the nonmanufacturing sector, as manufacturing employment dropped 2,800 from August 1978. Durable goods employment gained by 4,100, with the largest annual increase in the electrical machinery industry, which expanded by 1300 despite the effects of 2000 striking workers. Miscellaneous manufacturing employment, down by 700, had the largest annual decrease. Nondurable goods employment, had a decline of 6900 over-the-year, led by apparel and textile mill products, which decreased by 3600 and 2400, respectively, with printing and publishing, up by 1700, having the largest growth.

Nonmanufacturing employment rose by 33,100 from a year ago. Services reflect an increase of 23,300 or 70% of the annual nonfactory growth. Wholesale and retail trade, expanding by 10,700, had the next largest increase. The only decrease in employment among the nonmanufacturing industries was in government, which dropped by 7900 due to cutbacks at the local level.

Table 2
 NONFARM EMPLOYMENT IN NEW JERSEY'S MAJOR LABOR MARKET AREAS
 Not Seasonally Adjusted
 (000)

Date	Atlantic City	Camden	Hackensack	Jersey City	Long Branch-Asbury Park	Newark	Paterson-Clifton-Passaic	Perth Amboy-New Brunswick-Sayreville	Trenton	Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton
1969	63.3	250.0	317.0	264.9	117.6	852.9	183.5	209.4	132.6	NA
1970	63.4	254.8	324.0	259.5	119.9	855.1	184.4	217.2	135.4	43.8
1971	62.5	264.2	325.2	248.6	123.6	847.2	182.4	221.0	137.9	48.7
1972	64.0	276.2	335.0	247.8	128.3	857.3	185.9	228.5	142.9	51.3
1973	65.7	286.8	347.9	245.6	133.3	873.9	187.4	242.4	148.0	53.0
1974	66.0	292.6	353.1	244.0	136.2	869.4	184.1	249.6	148.7	52.1
1975	64.2	284.6	346.3	233.4	136.0	845.2	175.8	241.9	145.7	50.1
1976	65.9	294.2	358.9	231.5	139.5	860.0	178.0	245.5	149.5	51.7
1977	68.2	304.6	370.5	232.4	145.3	889.0	181.8	257.7	154.9	53.9
1978	71.7	321.9	388.4	235.0	153.3	918.5	190.6	273.9	160.7	56.2
1978										
Jan	64.1	307.9	370.1	226.7	144.0	887.7	182.5	261.1	155.4	53.9
Feb	62.2	307.2	369.5	229.1	143.3	885.3	182.9	261.1	155.9	53.9
Mar	63.3	311.0	377.2	231.4	145.9	895.0	185.1	264.7	157.7	54.3
Apr	67.7	316.8	388.1	234.6	152.1	912.6	188.9	271.3	159.7	55.1
May	71.3	320.3	390.9	235.8	155.9	914.1	191.2	273.0	160.6	55.5
Jun	78.1	328.1	397.3	237.6	160.3	925.3	194.4	275.5	162.2	56.8
Jul	81.2	327.2	390.5	239.4	161.4	927.2	192.4	277.3	160.3	57.1
Aug	81.3	328.2	387.7	240.6	160.8	928.2	191.9	280.4	159.6	57.9
Sep	75.6	326.1	393.5	235.5	156.1	925.6	192.7	278.1	163.5	57.9
Oct	73.1	327.3	398.5	236.9	154.2	937.2	193.9	280.1	163.9	57.3
Nov	72.2	331.0	400.0	235.3	154.9	942.4	198.9	282.7	164.7	57.0
Dec	70.6	333.1	402.1	233.8	153.4	941.7	199.0	284.1	165.6	57.3
1979										
Jan	70.2	324.0	391.2	229.6	149.0	921.9	195.2	279.0	161.8	56.7
Feb	69.4	322.6	386.1	230.0	148.8	923.3	194.5	278.1	162.8	56.6
Mar	70.5	325.4	390.0	231.1	150.1	930.7	194.3	280.6	164.2	57.1
Apr	73.4	328.2	392.0	229.8	152.8	934.5	196.5	283.1	164.8	57.4
May	82.3	330.0	394.1	231.4	155.7	942.3	197.0	283.9	165.1	57.9
Jun	87.0	333.5	397.9	232.9	161.9	951.2	199.6	287.3	164.9	58.1
Jul	89.9	329.3	392.3	235.8	161.9	940.1	197.6	286.2	164.0	58.0
Aug	91.5	330.1	390.0	236.2	161.8	939.2	196.7	286.8	163.3	58.7

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LABOR AREA EMPLOYMENT COMMENTS

Before seasonal adjustment, nonfarm wage and salary employment declined from July-to-August in five of the State's ten major labor areas.

The Hackensack area, down by 2,300, had the largest decrease, due to cutbacks in the government and the trade sectors. The Atlantic City area, up by 1,600, had the largest increase, due to jobholding advances in the service sector.

In the manufacturing sector eight areas had increases. The Hackensack area, up by 900, had the largest increase, due to expansion in the "other nondurable goods" sector. The Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton area, up by 800, also had a sizeable increase, due to seasonal expansion in the food industry. The Newark area, which dropped by 1,600, had the largest decrease, primarily due to a drop of 2,400 in electrical machinery, which largely reflected a strike against one major firm.

In the nonmanufacturing sector all areas but Newark, Atlantic City, and Jersey City had decreases. The Hackensack and the Paterson-Clifton-Passaic areas, down by 3,200 and 1,300, respectively, had the largest drops. Both areas had sizable declines in the state and local government sector.

Over-the-year data showed that total nonfarm employment increased in all areas but Jersey City. The Newark area, up by 11,000, had the largest increase, primarily due to expansion in the service sector. The Atlantic City area rose by 10,200, reflecting job expansion in the construction and service sectors. The Perth Amboy-New Brunswick-Sayreville area also had a substantial increase of 6,400, because of advances in all nonmanufacturing groups but construction and government.

HOURS AND EARNINGS

The weekly earnings of manufacturing production workers averaged \$273.98 in August, a decrease of 25 cents from July and an increase of \$18.13 from a year ago. The average hourly earnings of \$6.65 were up 1 cent from July and up 47 cents from a year ago. During the August survey week, production workers averaged 41.2 hours, compared with 41.3 hours a month ago.

On an unadjusted basis, 12 out of 19 primary manufacturing industrial groups had increases in weekly earnings over the month. The largest increase was in primary metals, which rose by \$14.67. Transportation had the largest decline, dropping by \$44.19 because of a sharp decrease in overtime in all sectors.

The highest average weekly earnings in August were in the petroleum industry, which averaged \$416.73 for a 47.9-hour workweek. The highest hourly earnings were in the transportation industry which averaged \$8.87. The lowest average weekly earnings were in the leather products industry with \$148.15 for a 36.4 hour workweek.

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Table 3
HOURS AND EARNINGS OF NEW JERSEY FACTORY PRODUCTION WORKERS
Not Seasonally Adjusted

Date	All Manufacturing			Durable Goods			Nondurable Goods		
	Earnings		Hours per Week	Earnings		Hours per Week	Earnings		Hours per Week
	Weekly	Hourly		Weekly	Hourly		Weekly	Hourly	
1969	132.60	3.25	40.8	136.70	3.31	41.3	127.84	3.18	40.2
1970	139.44	3.46	40.3	143.26	3.52	40.7	134.64	3.40	39.6
1971	150.29	3.72	40.4	152.69	3.77	40.5	147.13	3.66	40.2
1972	163.35	3.99	40.9	167.07	4.06	41.2	159.77	3.93	40.7
1973	176.41	4.26	41.4	182.62	4.37	41.8	170.43	4.16	41.0
1974	186.11	4.57	40.7	191.42	4.66	41.1	180.93	4.48	40.4
1975	199.68	4.99	39.9	206.55	5.12	40.4	193.43	4.88	39.6
1976	215.71	5.33	40.4	222.95	5.46	40.8	209.16	5.22	40.1
1977	239.79	5.80	41.3	248.59	5.94	41.9	231.39	5.68	40.8
1978	255.44	6.20	41.2	265.34	6.34	41.6	247.07	6.06	40.8
1978									
Jan	245.83	6.04	40.7	251.33	6.16	40.8	239.76	5.92	40.5
Feb	230.20	6.09	37.8	231.13	6.18	37.4	228.60	6.00	38.1
Mar	254.14	6.08	41.8	262.06	6.21	42.2	245.32	5.94	41.3
Apr	254.59	6.12	41.6	261.88	6.25	41.9	246.97	5.98	41.3
May	251.94	6.13	41.1	258.55	6.23	41.5	245.42	6.03	40.7
Jun	255.42	6.14	41.6	263.55	6.26	42.1	248.02	6.02	41.2
Jul	254.00	6.18	41.1	261.66	6.29	41.6	247.05	6.07	40.7
Aug	255.85	6.18	41.4	263.54	6.32	41.7	248.05	6.05	41.0
Sep	261.88	6.28	41.7	272.19	6.49	42.2	251.73	6.11	41.2
Oct	261.65	6.32	41.4	273.00	6.50	42.0	249.90	6.14	40.7
Nov	265.43	6.35	41.8	296.86	6.52	42.3	254.20	6.17	41.2
Dec	274.33	6.47	42.4	288.38	6.66	43.3	259.79	6.26	41.5
1979									
Jan	269.57	6.48	41.6	281.54	6.64	42.4	257.04	6.30	40.8
Feb	271.05	6.50	41.7	281.30	6.65	42.3	260.16	6.33	41.1
Mar	274.91	6.53	42.1	287.86	6.71	42.9	262.26	6.35	41.3
Apr	264.55	6.50	40.7	269.28	6.60	40.8	258.80	6.39	41.3
May	273.73	6.58	41.6	286.79	6.78	41.0	261.58	6.38	41.0
Jun	276.72	6.62	41.8	288.91	6.83	42.3	263.68	6.40	41.2
Jul	274.23	6.64	41.3	282.88	6.80	41.6	264.86	6.46	41.0
Aug	273.98	6.65	41.2	281.93	6.81	41.4	267.15	6.50	41.1
Sep									
Oct									
Nov									
Dec									

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT IN NEW JERSEY
(thousands)

	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED													
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	2996.9	2988.2	2997.0	3008.0	3007.8	3021.9	3026.3	3030.1	3018.7	3022.5	3018.2	3018.1	3026.5
PRIVATE SECTOR	2460.1	2465.0	2478.6	2489.1	2491.2	2506.7	2507.9	2512.8	2501.1	2502.9	2499.0	2495.0	2497.1
GOVERNMENT	536.8	523.2	518.4	518.9	516.6	515.2	518.4	517.3	517.6	519.6	519.2	523.1	529.4
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED													
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	3040.9	3006.9	3014.3	3025.0	3015.4	2951.5	2943.5	2977.0	2997.9	3029.2	3079.3	3068.1	3071.2
MANUFACTURING	796.1	804.5	804.8	805.0	795.0	789.4	790.9	796.2	795.2	797.1	807.0	786.9	793.3
Durable Goods	383.0	390.2	392.5	393.7	393.1	392.1	389.1	393.9	396.0	394.5	398.2	389.8	387.1
Lumber & Wood Products	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.9	6.7	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.5
Furniture & Fixtures	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.3	9.9	10.1
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	36.3	35.8	35.5	35.6	35.7	35.5	35.5	35.7	36.1	35.9	36.2	36.0	36.3
Glass & Glassware/pressed, blown	14.0	13.9	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.6	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.5
Pottery & related products	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Other stone, clay & glass prod	18.1	17.7	17.7	17.8	17.8	17.7	17.8	18.0	18.2	18.2	18.3	18.2	18.5
Primary Metal Industries	24.4	24.6	24.7	24.7	24.8	25.0	25.2	25.3	25.5	25.3	25.5	25.5	25.3
Blast furn. & basic steel prod	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3
Iron & steel foundries	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.7
Primary & secondary nonfer. metal	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9
Nonfer. rolling & drawing metal	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.9	9.8	9.8
Other primary metal industries	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6
Fabricated Metals, incl. Ordnance	63.8	65.0	65.3	65.6	65.7	65.6	65.6	65.6	65.9	65.5	66.2	65.1	64.7
Metal cans	6.8	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.1	7.1	6.9	6.8
Cutlery, hand tools & hardware	8.4	8.8	8.9	8.7	8.9	8.8	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.3	8.0	7.9
Fabricated struct. metal prod.	14.6	14.9	14.9	15.3	15.2	14.9	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.1	15.3	15.2	15.3
Metal stampings	7.6	7.6	8.0	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.6
Other fab. metals, incl. ord.	26.4	26.6	26.6	27.0	27.1	27.2	27.5	27.6	27.6	27.2	27.7	27.3	27.1
Machinery, Except Electrical	73.8	74.4	74.8	76.0	76.1	76.1	75.7	76.2	76.5	76.2	76.8	75.6	74.7
Construction & related machinery	5.7	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.7	4.8
Metalworking machinery	10.1	10.4	10.2	10.5	10.6	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.8	10.9	10.7	10.5
Special industry machinery	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.1	10.1	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.0	10.2	10.3	10.2
General industry machinery	17.6	17.9	17.9	18.2	18.2	18.0	17.6	17.8	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.3	17.1
Service industry machinery	7.8	7.7	7.9	7.8	7.9	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.2
Other machinery, except elec.	22.6	22.9	23.1	23.4	23.3	23.5	23.5	23.6	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.4	23.9
Electrical Equipment & Supplies	89.5	90.5	91.1	91.4	92.5	92.9	92.8	93.1	92.9	92.9	93.6	93.5	90.8
Elec. test & Distribution equip.	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	5.8	6.2	6.2	6.3	5.6
Electrical industrial apparatus	5.7	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.7	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.5
Elec. lighting & wiring equipmt.	12.5	12.7	12.9	13.2	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.8	13.7	13.3	13.5	13.4	13.0
Radio & TV receiving equipment	5.9	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.5	5.5
Communication equipment	33.2	32.9	33.0	33.4	33.4	33.7	33.6	33.7	33.8	33.9	34.3	34.6	34.5
Electronic components & access.	15.8	16.1	16.2	16.4	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.7	16.9	17.4	17.3	17.3
Other elec. equipment & supplies	10.3	10.6	10.7	9.6	10.8	10.9	10.7	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.8	10.6	9.4
Transportation Equipment	18.4	22.6	22.8	23.3	23.5	23.0	19.8	22.9	23.4	23.4	23.6	18.9	18.8
Motor vehicles	12.6	16.6	16.8	17.1	17.2	16.8	13.6	16.7	17.1	17.3	17.6	12.7	12.4
Aircraft & parts	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Ship & boat bldg. & repairing	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.1
Other transportation equipment	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Instruments & Related Products	32.5	32.5	32.5	32.4	32.3	32.5	32.6	32.9	33.2	33.2	33.5	33.3	33.2
Miscellaneous Mfg. Industries	27.4	28.0	28.8	27.8	25.6	24.6	25.3	25.8	26.0	25.4	26.1	25.7	26.7
Non-durable Goods	413.1	414.3	412.3	411.3	401.9	397.3	401.8	402.3	399.2	402.6	408.8	397.1	406.2
Food & Kindred Products	51.4	52.2	50.4	50.0	50.2	49.7	50.2	49.8	49.1	49.4	50.2	49.3	51.0
Canned, cured & frozen foods	10.0	11.0	10.1	10.3	10.1	9.8	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.5	10.2
Grain mill & bakery products	14.6	14.6	14.4	14.0	14.2	14.3	14.5	14.2	14.2	14.1	14.5	14.5	14.7
Beverages	7.0	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.8
Other food & kindred products	19.8	19.8	19.3	19.1	19.3	19.0	19.0	19.0	18.3	19.0	19.2	18.4	19.3
Tobacco Manufactures	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Textile Mill Products	22.3	22.4	21.4	22.1	20.3	20.2	20.2	20.7	21.0	20.7	20.6	19.7	19.9
Broad woven fabric mills	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Textile finishing, except wool	6.4	6.2	5.6	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.7	5.7
Other textile mill products	13.8	14.0	13.7	13.6	12.0	11.9	11.7	12.4	12.8	12.6	12.5	11.8	12.1

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT IN NEW JERSEY
(thousands)

	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Apparel & Other Textile Products	63.8	65.2	65.2	63.5	58.9	57.4	59.3	59.4	57.3	59.6	61.1	54.0	60.2
Men's & boys' suits and coats	4.3	4.4	4.4	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.1	3.4
Men's & boys' furnishings	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.3	3.6	4.0
Women's & misses' outerwear	34.9	36.3	36.5	35.1	31.6	30.7	32.6	32.1	30.2	31.6	32.9	28.4	32.4
Women's & children's undergarm.	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	3.7	4.2
Other apparel & related products	16.0	15.7	15.5	15.8	15.1	14.9	14.9	15.5	15.4	16.0	16.1	15.2	16.2
Paper & Allied Products	34.2	33.9	34.1	34.0	34.1	34.0	34.2	34.0	34.4	34.2	34.7	34.2	34.6
Paper/p'b'd mills ex bldg.pap.	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6
Paperboard containers & boxes	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.8	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.4	12.5	12.2	12.6
Other paper & allied products	17.8	17.5	17.5	17.6	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.8	18.1	18.1	18.5	18.3	18.4
Printing & Publishing	52.8	53.3	53.8	55.0	55.1	54.5	54.4	54.4	54.3	54.8	55.2	54.3	54.5
Newspapers	13.6	13.9	14.1	14.7	14.6	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.5	14.3	14.4
Commercial printing	14.7	14.7	14.7	15.2	15.0	14.7	14.7	14.9	14.9	15.0	14.9	14.6	14.4
Other printing & publishing	24.5	24.7	25.1	25.2	25.5	25.5	25.3	25.2	25.1	25.5	25.8	25.4	25.7
Chemicals & Allied Products	132.2	131.4	131.2	129.9	127.0	126.3	128.2	128.7	127.8	128.0	130.3	129.9	130.3
Industrial inorganic chemicals	11.1	10.9	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.4	11.5	11.7
Plastic materials & synthetics	9.0	8.5	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.1	8.9	8.8
Drugs	40.7	40.4	40.2	40.2	40.4	40.6	40.8	40.7	40.5	40.4	41.0	41.2	41.5
Soaps, cleaners & toilet goods	25.1	26.1	26.2	25.0	24.5	23.9	23.4	23.9	23.1	23.6	24.1	23.8	23.4
Paints & allied products	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4
Industrial organic chemicals	28.1	27.8	27.5	27.5	24.9	24.4	26.5	26.4	26.3	26.1	26.6	26.7	26.6
Other chemicals & allied prods.	12.3	12.1	12.2	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.7	12.5	12.7	12.4	12.9
Petroleum & Coal Products	12.2	11.9	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.1	11.5	11.5	11.7	11.9	12.5	12.6	12.6
Petroleum refining	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.5	7.9	7.9	8.1	8.2	8.8	8.9	8.9
Other petroleum & coal products	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7
Rubber & plastic products, NEC	36.5	36.3	36.5	37.1	36.8	36.6	36.3	36.3	36.3	36.6	37.0	36.3	36.4
Rubber & rubber products	8.2	8.3	8.1	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.2
Miscellaneous plastic products	28.3	28.0	28.4	28.5	28.2	27.6	27.8	27.8	27.8	28.0	28.4	27.7	28.2
Leather & Leather Products	7.2	7.2	7.3	7.2	6.9	6.5	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.9	6.7	6.3	6.2
Handbags, personal leather goods	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.7
Other leather & leather products	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.5
NONMANUFACTURING	2244.8	2202.4	2209.5	2220.0	2220.4	2162.0	2153.2	2180.8	2201.2	2232.1	2272.3	2281.2	2277.9
Mining	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7
Construction	119.3	118.7	120.5	117.9	113.1	101.2	94.5	103.2	114.6	116.9	118.8	121.4	122.0
Transportation, Communications, Electric, Gas & Sanitary Services	188.8	191.8	193.1	191.9	191.2	188.7	189.9	192.1	185.2	189.5	192.8	189.4	189.5
Railroad transportation	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.0	7.8	7.7	7.8	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1
Other transportation	105.2	108.8	110.7	109.4	108.7	106.5	107.7	109.8	102.5	105.8	108.6	104.7	105.3
Communications	49.3	49.0	48.9	49.0	48.9	49.0	49.2	49.4	49.7	50.3	50.5	50.9	50.6
Electric, Gas & Sanitary serv	25.7	25.4	25.0	25.0	25.1	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.2	25.3	25.6	25.7	25.5
Wholesale & Retail Trade	677.6	677.2	675.9	685.2	696.1	665.4	655.2	660.1	669.1	677.1	692.8	689.4	688.3
Wholesale trade	188.8	188.6	189.4	189.2	189.3	188.0	187.0	188.0	187.5	188.2	190.3	189.3	190.5
Retail trade	488.9	488.6	486.5	496.0	506.8	477.4	468.2	472.1	481.6	489.8	502.5	500.1	497.8
Retail General merchandise	78.9	82.0	84.1	92.0	95.9	86.4	81.4	81.0	81.1	80.6	80.7	79.6	78.8
Food stores	77.4	77.4	77.2	78.8	78.2	79.3	78.1	77.8	77.7	77.3	77.9	78.0	77.2
Auto dealers & service sta.	52.3	52.3	51.9	51.9	52.0	51.3	50.7	50.8	51.4	51.3	51.5	51.2	51.1
Apparel & accessories	37.0	39.3	40.5	43.3	46.6	40.3	38.3	38.4	39.2	38.8	39.3	38.3	37.8
Eating & drinking places	141.8	135.7	127.9	124.6	124.3	118.2	118.7	122.6	129.2	137.1	147.9	149.0	149.2
Other retail trade	101.5	102.2	104.0	105.9	108.8	102.0	101.0	101.5	103.0	103.8	105.2	104.0	103.7
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	151.7	149.3	149.3	149.4	149.5	149.1	149.0	149.6	150.2	151.0	154.1	154.9	155.2
Banking	43.2	42.5	42.6	42.8	43.0	43.3	43.4	43.5	43.6	43.7	44.9	45.3	45.3
Insurance agents & carriers	62.3	62.0	62.4	62.0	61.9	61.4	61.5	61.7	61.3	61.4	61.8	62.1	62.4
Other fin.,insur. & real estate	46.2	44.8	44.3	44.6	44.5	44.4	44.2	44.4	45.3	45.9	47.4	47.5	47.5
Services	569.6	558.5	554.4	551.0	547.6	541.8	543.4	553.2	560.4	573.3	586.3	592.2	592.9
Medical & other health services	150.7	150.8	151.9	152.4	152.3	153.8	154.4	155.5	156.6	157.1	159.4	159.4	
Hospitals	85.3	85.4	85.6	85.8	85.8	86.9	87.3	87.5	87.7	87.7	89.1	89.6	89.5
Educational services	40.7	43.7	46.9	47.5	46.8	46.3	47.7	47.7	47.7	46.9	43.3	41.1	40.3
Other services	378.2	364.0	355.6	351.1	348.4	341.7	341.2	350.0	356.2	369.3	383.6	391.7	393.2
Government	535.2	504.4	513.7	522.0	520.4	513.4	518.8	520.2	520.6	521.7	524.8	531.2	527.3
Federal	73.9	72.5	72.6	73.2	73.4	72.6	72.6	72.6	72.7	72.9	73.5	74.5	74.0
State	92.0	91.2	92.3	93.2	92.8	91.2	93.7	93.9	93.7	94.0	93.0	92.8	92.5
Local	369.3	340.6	348.8	355.6	354.1	349.6	352.5	353.7	354.2	354.8	358.3	363.9	360.8

AVERAGE WEEKLY GROSS DOLLAR EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN NEW JERSEY

	1978	1979												
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	255.85	261.88	261.65	265.43	274.33	269.80	271.05	274.91	264.55	273.73	276.72	274.23	273.98	
Durable Goods	263.54	272.19	273.00	296.86	288.38	280.87	281.30	287.86	269.28	286.79	288.91	282.88	281.93	
Lumber & Wood Products	192.73	191.26	194.95	203.43	201.96	193.80	186.85	202.80	196.22	211.91	211.07	208.48	212.22	
Furniture & Fixtures	210.59	218.59	211.60	215.39	213.03	205.26	213.82	223.00	213.11	218.27	232.05	221.97	212.48	
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	257.91	260.00	262.71	267.55	275.41	265.86	270.92	272.21	272.61	271.65	277.02	272.12	271.41	
Glass & glassware/pressed,blown	273.90	271.58	271.88	273.88	282.24	283.41	285.34	283.66	293.78	287.43	298.32	287.64	286.60	
Pottery & related products	207.20	209.96	225.63	225.22	231.38	216.14	216.54	220.44	212.39	215.67	238.55	231.74	225.92	
Primary Metal Industries	293.71	298.60	300.80	303.07	310.76	307.25	307.63	314.69	299.38	323.18	325.38	321.74	336.41	
Blast furn. & basic steel prod.	294.88	293.66	293.04	294.44	301.67	292.50	314.42	324.09	310.91	318.70	331.36	309.37	350.04	
Iron & steel foundries	266.30	268.05	256.71	262.24	271.33	256.03	247.39	258.16	242.20	263.95	269.79	263.09	267.12	
Primary & secondary nonfer. met.	424.16	419.83	431.46	428.82	437.40	430.01	426.79	440.72	445.31	481.84	484.82	521.97	515.68	
Nonfer rolling & drawing metals	277.93	291.18	298.35	299.35	307.09	303.65	299.65	303.14	277.33	304.57	304.92	289.51	316.67	
Fabricated Metals, incl. Ordnance	282.28	281.59	286.09	288.61	294.69	287.55	287.80	300.76	273.10	290.93	295.82	291.90	294.27	
Metal cans	333.69	337.64	340.51	352.34	350.95	343.53	347.76	375.41	366.37	386.88	395.52	392.09	399.67	
Cutlery, hand tools & hardware	340.61	324.24	312.43	315.29	352.80	323.95	328.40	368.06	308.74	335.60	345.82	337.55	337.68	
Fabricated struct. metal prod.	276.71	266.12	274.59	272.95	274.19	271.20	270.78	278.11	265.59	275.22	276.29	272.92	282.50	
Metal Stampings	230.10	236.52	237.58	242.72	247.70	251.94	247.23	251.74	244.21	261.87	263.11	261.87	249.88	
Machinery, Except Electrical	274.45	288.90	293.01	295.15	304.33	300.14	296.92	303.80	287.04	304.16	304.59	303.00	302.28	
Construction & related machinery	300.25	322.18	330.60	319.93	320.03	328.52	312.98	314.36	295.66	326.04	329.75	338.58	341.91	
Metalworking machinery	260.69	268.80	270.55	277.02	282.62	279.89	277.78	287.45	263.74	284.42	281.60	277.22	266.63	
Special industry machinery	292.52	317.11	316.40	324.35	335.99	315.92	320.29	338.28	305.11	344.12	352.12	344.38	318.19	
General industry machinery	318.02	333.33	343.13	345.17	353.03	354.20	340.69	347.70	329.06	354.09	358.83	352.99	365.53	
Service industry machinery	239.76	252.95	264.59	261.67	277.93	262.92	268.04	268.55	258.40	246.72	231.31	246.91	250.71	
Electrical Equipment & Supplies	247.25	260.37	257.91	256.06	262.28	265.21	265.23	270.09	254.92	265.41	268.55	262.92	261.35	
Elec. test & distribution equip.	204.35	223.15	227.07	228.28	232.41	233.36	233.73	232.23	226.51	235.34	234.30	241.54	235.28	
Electrical industrial apparatus	183.21	190.27	180.60	180.20	188.86	182.32	183.12	189.61	175.27	175.93	186.48	181.12	166.29	
Elec. lighting & wiring equip.	213.73	218.61	219.76	214.49	229.29	230.23	230.69	242.55	216.95	226.04	223.44	213.49	221.53	
Radio & TV receiving equipment	222.31	250.69	258.64	210.98	228.03	230.15	228.19	236.21	231.69	244.76	261.98	248.82	257.04	
Communication equipment	307.32	317.14	316.76	319.09	329.96	341.40	341.40	344.63	327.95	339.71	342.24	330.08	330.74	
Electronic components & access.	215.82	225.23	220.62	226.95	226.23	220.24	224.18	231.12	220.06	230.26	241.09	239.69	227.22	
Transportation Equipment	370.80	374.44	380.61	382.63	456.14	416.10	452.88	433.03	362.46	427.46	431.46	435.36	391.17	
Motor vehicles & equipment	404.49	398.28	403.04	407.25	494.62	442.91	503.03	462.88	370.39	456.39	457.45	460.30	413.03	
Aircraft & parts	358.61	391.51	399.20	411.94	437.38	400.65	411.14	412.27	401.48	420.39	420.53	435.46	397.71	
Ship & boat building & repairing	248.34	253.57	268.60	261.58	309.02	289.11	291.21	302.56	293.99	284.26	296.86	357.42	319.82	
Instruments & Related Products	261.29	260.94	264.04	258.89	269.98	270.27	267.81	271.26	263.31	276.71	274.73	271.16	280.14	
Miscellaneous Mfg. Industries	178.13	179.65	175.50	181.92	185.33	182.66	181.30	184.38	176.90	189.00	187.75	183.52	189.09	
Nondurable Goods	248.05	251.73	249.90	254.20	259.79	258.52	260.16	262.26	258.80	261.58	263.68	264.86	267.15	
Food & Kindred Products	267.68	267.80	268.86	279.65	285.90	281.47	291.38	282.88	263.36	278.25	278.26	284.69	283.45	
Canned, cured & frozen foods	270.63	255.13	274.48	262.73	295.87	288.02	283.32	287.03	267.55	267.76	277.53	272.43	263.27	
Grain mill & bakery products	231.49	237.96	242.72	248.98	238.39	241.00	243.41	255.01	245.43	253.17	244.33	256.23	241.19	
Beverages	311.95	285.26	262.88	278.72	312.93	303.10	318.80	309.05	340.64	310.98	321.20	330.91	333.98	
Textile Mill Products	214.70	212.35	199.79	213.92	220.81	213.91	221.13	221.75	206.96	221.65	226.63	211.29	222.70	
Textile finishing, except wool	277.08	275.69	242.17	274.56	279.00	259.72	271.90	269.63	253.50	268.93	276.57	244.00	255.42	
Apparel & other Textile Products	162.45	166.21	158.27	161.20	161.21	160.72	161.35	164.17	160.68	168.32	174.41	167.97	172.83	
Men's & boys' suits & coats	166.22	165.09	166.56	175.44	185.55	159.41	160.39	167.24	170.92	168.43	168.61	159.97	160.35	
Men's & boys' furnishings	150.29	159.86	156.11	164.75	162.29	153.12	162.26	161.04	166.70	167.32	171.60	173.80	171.16	
Women's & misses' outerwear	162.86	164.25	153.70	152.40	152.22	153.97	152.61	155.92	149.32	156.79	166.75	164.16	168.49	
Women's & children's undergarm.	152.33	154.88	146.72	150.68	142.19	149.63	152.55	159.14	145.90	156.56	161.23	155.98	157.45	
Paper & Allied Products	257.08	269.35	269.63	269.63	271.78	274.67	273.76	278.01	267.57	273.40	284.74	280.52	286.02	
Paper/p'b'red mills ex bldg.pap.	317.34	347.48	332.10	357.89	350.72	344.87	347.89	361.56	341.00	326.88	349.08	350.80	346.70	
Paperboard containers & boxes	244.30	254.83	252.86	254.12	259.99	251.99	253.64	251.71	247.05	258.31	270.37	263.66	273.12	
Printing & Publishing	262.71	271.35	267.94	281.66	278.42	275.80	273.84	276.41	270.52	274.80	281.59	284.04	284.57	
Newspapers	258.05	268.76	272.38	269.78	277.03	265.57	273.62	272.40	275.52	275.09	281.18	284.77	282.20	
Commercial printing	305.12	308.87	304.48	334.80	314.09	318.50	320.13	316.85	307.56	307.63	322.10	305.89	328.16	
Chemicals & Allied Products	306.87	310.74	313.05	314.07	321.78	318.72	320.76	327.22	331.76	325.87	324.25	326.69	328.32	
Industrial inorganic chemicals	356.46	360.99	374.93	370.93	365.50	368.60	395.12	385.88	403.25	384.13	385.70	394.61	397.42	
Plastic materials & synthetics	314.24	313.89	320.05	328.39	329.50	319.15	321.20	320.89	341.25	312.38	329.94	327.02	328.45	
Drugs	280.69	285.94	284.13	294.68	295.91	293.15	287.45	291.35	290.34	295.59	297.62	299.41	303.16	
Soaps, cleaners & toilet goods	278.04	283.34	272.21	266.38	289.82	284.83	274.44	286.35	283.59	260.01	260.01	249.71	247.73	
Industrial organic chemicals	341.39	342.35	349.08	353.23	367.16	366.37	371.07	385.28	399.12	393.86	387.35	389.62	398.43	
Paints & allied products	331.10	343.68	346.05	331.24	338.36	358.98	350.06	363.19	342.46	370.75	363.85	351.44	345.19	
Petroleum & Coal Products	384.75	389.13	412.96	385.89	396.25	392.44	435.67	425.50	423.59	437.78	403.47	404.50	416.73	
Petroleum refining	446.66	447.17	474.30	439.24	453.14	445.71	514.49	484.00	486.40	503.56	445.89	441.60	460.24	
Rubber & Plastic Products, NEC	203.09	208.06	207.67	214.43	219.03	214.13	209.16	217.35	210.12	215.66	218.53	219.10	220.17	
Rubber & rubber products	230.69	241.64	241.89	252.77	258.33	257.28	248.11	262.80	246.34	252.01	254.60	256.80	243.65	
Miscellaneous plastic products	192.55	195.11	195.32	198.28	203.62	200.30	196.50	202.21	198.58	203.41	207.14	206.68	212.74	
Leather & Leather Products	148.27	155.63	150.18	150.78	151.84	147.08	150.59	155.39	149.65	165.24	156.19	153.72	148.15	

AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN NEW JERSEY

	1978 Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	1979 Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	41.4	41.7	41.4	41.8	42.4	41.7	41.7	42.1	40.7	41.6	41.8	41.3	41.2
Durable Goods	41.7	42.2	42.0	42.3	43.3	42.3	42.3	42.9	40.8	42.3	42.3	41.6	41.4
Lumber & Wood Products	38.7	38.1	38.3	39.5	39.6	38.3	37.0	39.0	38.1	38.6	38.1	37.7	38.1
Furniture & Fixtures	41.7	43.2	41.9	42.4	42.1	41.3	41.6	43.3	41.3	42.3	44.2	42.2	41.5
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	41.8	41.6	41.7	42.2	43.1	42.0	42.2	42.8	42.2	41.6	42.1	41.8	41.5
Glass & Glassware/pressed,blown	41.5	40.9	40.7	41.0	42.0	42.3	41.9	42.4	42.7	41.9	42.8	42.3	41.9
Pottery & related products	40.0	40.3	41.4	41.4	42.3	40.1	39.3	40.3	38.9	39.0	41.2	40.8	40.2
Primary Metal Industries	44.3	44.5	44.3	44.7	45.3	44.4	44.2	44.7	43.2	45.2	45.7	44.5	45.4
Blast furn. & basic steel prod.	41.3	40.9	40.7	40.5	41.1	40.4	41.7	42.7	41.4	42.1	43.6	40.6	43.7
Iron & steel foundries	45.6	44.9	43.0	44.0	44.7	42.6	41.3	42.6	40.1	43.2	44.3	43.2	42.4
Primary & secondary nonfer. met.	48.2	47.6	48.1	47.7	48.6	48.1	46.9	47.8	49.7	51.7	52.3	53.1	52.3
Nonfer. rolling & drawing metals	44.9	46.0	46.4	46.7	47.1	46.5	46.1	46.0	43.4	45.8	46.0	44.2	46.5
Fabricated Metals, incl. Ordnance	42.9	42.6	42.7	43.4	43.4	42.6	42.2	43.4	40.4	41.8	42.2	41.7	41.8
Metal cans	45.9	45.2	45.1	46.3	46.3	45.5	45.4	47.4	46.2	48.3	48.0	47.7	48.8
Cutlery, hand tools & hardware	43.5	41.2	39.8	41.0	41.9	39.7	40.0	42.6	38.4	40.0	40.4	39.9	40.2
Fabricated struct. metal prod.	41.3	40.2	40.5	40.8	40.5	40.0	39.3	40.6	39.0	39.6	40.1	39.9	40.3
Metal Stampings	39.4	40.5	40.2	41.0	40.7	41.1	40.2	41.0	40.1	41.5	41.5	41.5	39.6
Machinery, Except Electrical	41.9	42.8	42.9	42.9	43.6	43.0	42.6	43.4	41.6	42.9	42.6	42.2	42.1
Construction & related machinery	41.3	42.9	43.5	42.6	42.9	43.0	41.4	41.2	39.9	41.8	41.9	41.8	42.9
Metalworking machinery	39.8	40.0	40.2	40.5	41.5	41.1	40.2	41.3	38.9	40.4	40.0	39.1	37.5
Special industry machinery	43.4	44.6	44.5	45.3	45.9	44.0	44.3	45.9	42.2	45.7	46.7	44.9	42.2
General industry machinery	41.9	42.9	43.6	43.2	43.0	44.0	42.8	43.3	41.6	43.5	43.6	43.1	44.2
Service industry machinery	40.5	41.4	42.2	41.8	43.7	40.7	41.3	41.7	40.0	39.1	36.6	38.4	37.7
Electrical Equipment & Supplies	40.8	42.2	41.8	41.5	42.1	41.7	41.9	42.4	40.4	41.6	41.7	40.7	39.9
Elec. test & distribution equip.	41.2	44.1	43.5	43.9	44.1	43.7	44.1	43.0	42.9	43.5	42.6	43.6	42.7
Electrical industrial apparatus	35.3	35.9	34.4	34.0	35.5	33.7	33.6	34.6	32.7	32.7	33.6	32.4	30.4
Electric lighting & wiring equip.	41.5	41.8	41.7	40.7	43.1	42.4	43.2	44.1	40.4	41.4	40.7	39.1	39.7
Radio & Tv receiving equipment	43.0	47.3	48.8	43.5	43.6	43.1	43.3	44.4	41.3	44.1	45.8	43.5	43.2
Communication equipment	39.4	40.4	40.3	40.7	41.1	42.2	42.2	42.6	41.2	42.2	42.2	40.5	39.8
Electronic components & access.	43.6	44.6	43.6	44.5	44.1	42.6	42.7	43.2	41.6	43.2	44.4	43.9	42.0
Transportation Equipment	45.0	44.0	43.9	44.7	51.6	47.5	51.0	48.6	42.0	48.3	47.0	48.0	44.1
Motor vehicles & equipment	46.6	44.6	44.0	45.0	53.3	48.3	53.4	49.4	41.2	49.5	47.8	48.3	43.8
Aircraft & parts	45.8	49.0	49.9	51.3	53.6	48.8	50.2	50.4	47.4	49.4	49.3	50.4	46.9
Ship & boat building & repairing	37.4	37.4	39.5	39.1	42.8	41.9	41.9	43.1	41.7	40.9	39.9	45.3	42.7
Instruments & Related Products	40.7	40.9	41.0	40.2	41.6	41.2	40.7	41.1	40.2	41.3	40.7	40.0	40.6
Miscellaneous Mfg. Industries	37.9	37.9	37.5	37.9	37.9	36.9	36.7	37.4	36.4	37.5	37.7	37.0	38.2
Nondurable Goods	41.0	41.2	40.7	41.2	41.5	41.1	41.1	41.3	40.5	41.0	41.2	41.0	41.1
Food & Kindred Products	41.5	41.2	41.3	42.5	42.8	42.2	42.6	41.6	40.2	41.1	40.8	41.5	41.5
Canned, cured & frozen foods	43.3	42.1	44.2	43.0	45.8	45.5	44.9	44.5	42.2	42.3	43.5	42.5	42.6
Grain mill & bakery products	40.9	40.4	41.0	42.2	40.2	40.1	40.1	41.6	40.3	41.3	39.6	41.8	39.8
Beverages	36.7	33.6	31.0	33.3	35.2	34.6	35.7	35.0	36.2	35.5	36.5	38.3	38.3
Textile Mill Products	42.6	42.3	40.2	41.7	42.3	40.9	42.2	42.4	40.5	42.3	42.6	40.4	42.5
Textile finishing, except wool	45.2	44.9	40.7	44.0	45.0	42.3	44.5	43.7	41.9	43.8	43.9	40.0	41.6
Apparel & Other Textile Products	34.2	34.2	32.7	33.1	32.9	32.6	32.4	32.9	32.2	33.2	33.8	33.0	33.3
Men's & boys' suits & coats	35.9	35.2	34.7	35.3	36.1	32.6	32.8	34.2	34.6	34.8	35.2	34.7	33.9
Men's & boys' furnishings	37.2	38.8	37.8	37.7	36.8	35.2	37.3	36.6	37.8	37.6	39.0	39.5	38.9
Women's & misses' outerwear	31.2	30.7	29.0	28.7	28.4	28.2	27.9	28.4	27.1	28.2	29.0	28.7	28.9
Women's & children's undergarm.	35.1	35.2	34.2	34.8	33.3	33.4	33.9	34.9	33.6	33.1	33.8	32.7	33.5
Paper & Allied Products	45.5	46.6	45.8	45.7	45.6	45.4	45.1	45.5	44.3	44.6	46.0	45.1	45.4
Paper/p'b'red mills ex bldg. pap.	49.2	51.1	49.2	51.2	51.5	50.2	50.2	51.8	50.0	48.0	50.3	49.2	49.6
Paperboard containers & boxes	46.8	47.9	47.0	46.8	47.1	45.9	45.7	45.6	45.0	45.8	47.6	46.5	48.0
Printing & Publishing	41.7	42.2	41.8	43.2	42.9	42.3	42.0	42.2	41.3	41.7	42.6	42.0	42.6
Newspapers	33.6	34.5	35.1	34.9	35.7	34.4	34.9	34.7	34.7	34.3	34.8	35.2	35.1
Commercial printing	47.6	47.3	46.7	49.6	48.1	48.7	49.1	48.3	47.1	47.4	49.1	46.7	49.2
Chemicals & Allied Products	43.1	43.4	43.6	43.5	44.2	43.6	43.7	44.1	44.0	43.8	43.7	43.5	43.2
Industrial inorganic chemicals	45.7	46.4	47.4	47.8	47.1	47.5	49.7	48.6	49.6	47.6	47.5	48.3	46.7
Plastic materials & synthetics	44.7	43.9	44.7	45.8	45.7	43.6	44.0	44.2	45.5	42.5	43.7	43.2	42.6
Drugs	41.4	41.5	41.6	42.4	42.7	41.7	41.3	41.8	41.3	41.9	41.8	41.7	41.7
Soaps, cleaners & toilet goods	42.0	42.8	41.8	40.3	41.7	41.4	40.3	41.5	41.1	40.5	40.3	39.7	39.7
Industrial organic chemicals	43.6	43.5	44.3	44.6	46.3	46.2	46.5	46.7	46.9	47.0	46.5	46.0	46.6
Paints and allied products	46.7	48.0	47.6	45.5	46.8	47.8	46.8	47.6	45.6	47.9	47.5	46.0	45.3
Petroleum & Coal Products	47.5	48.1	50.3	47.7	48.5	47.8	50.6	50.0	48.3	49.3	47.3	47.7	47.9
Petroleum refining	50.3	50.3	52.7	49.8	50.8	49.8	54.1	51.6	50.3	51.7	48.1	48.0	48.6
Rubber & Plastic Products, NEC	40.7	41.2	40.8	41.8	41.8	41.1	40.3	41.4	40.1	41.0	41.0	40.8	41.0
Rubber and rubber products	43.2	44.5	43.9	45.3	45.4	44.9	43.3	45.0	42.4	43.3	43.3	43.6	42.3
Miscellaneous plastic products	39.7	39.9	39.7	40.3	40.4	39.9	39.3	40.2	39.4	40.2	40.3	39.9	40.6
Leather & Leather Products	36.7	37.5	36.9	37.6	37.4	35.7	37.0	37.9	36.5	40.6	37.1	36.6	36.4

AVERAGE HOURLY GROSS DOLLAR EARNINGS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS IN NEW JERSEY

	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
TOTAL MANUFACTURING	6.18	6.28	6.32	6.35	6.47	6.47	6.50	6.53	6.50	6.58	6.62	6.64	6.65
Durable Goods	6.32	6.45	6.50	6.52	6.66	6.64	6.65	6.71	6.60	6.78	6.83	6.80	6.81
Lumber & Wood Products	4.98	5.02	5.09	5.15	5.10	5.06	5.05	5.20	5.15	5.49	5.54	5.53	5.57
Furniture & Fixtures	5.05	5.06	5.05	5.08	5.06	4.97	5.14	5.15	5.16	5.16	5.25	5.26	5.12
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	6.17	6.25	6.30	6.34	6.39	6.33	6.42	6.36	6.46	6.53	6.58	6.51	6.54
Glass & glassware/pressed, blown	6.60	6.64	6.68	6.68	6.72	6.70	6.81	6.69	6.88	6.86	6.97	6.80	6.84
Pottery & related products	5.18	5.21	5.45	5.44	5.47	5.39	5.51	5.47	5.46	5.53	5.79	5.68	5.62
Primary Metal Industries	6.63	6.71	6.79	6.78	6.86	6.92	6.96	7.04	6.93	7.15	7.12	7.23	7.41
Blast Furn. & basic steel prod.	7.14	7.18	7.20	7.27	7.34	7.24	7.54	7.59	7.51	7.57	7.60	7.62	8.01
Iron and Iron foundries	5.84	5.97	5.97	5.96	6.07	6.01	5.99	6.06	6.04	6.11	6.09	6.09	6.30
Primary & secondary nonfer. met.	8.80	8.82	8.97	8.99	9.00	8.94	9.10	9.22	8.96	9.32	9.27	9.83	9.86
Nonfweir. rolling & drawing metals	6.19	6.33	6.43	6.41	6.52	6.53	6.50	6.59	6.39	6.65	6.63	6.55	6.81
Fabricated Metals, incl. Ordnance	6.58	6.61	6.70	6.65	6.79	6.75	6.82	6.93	6.76	6.96	7.01	7.00	7.04
Metal cans	7.27	7.47	7.55	7.61	7.58	7.55	7.66	7.92	7.93	8.01	8.24	8.22	8.19
Cutlery, hand tools & hardware	7.83	7.87	7.85	7.69	8.42	8.16	8.21	8.64	8.04	8.39	8.56	8.46	8.40
Fabricated struct. metal prod.	6.70	6.62	6.78	6.69	6.77	6.78	6.89	6.85	6.81	6.95	6.89	6.84	7.01
Metal stampings	5.84	5.84	5.91	5.92	5.94	6.13	6.15	6.14	6.09	6.31	6.34	6.31	6.31
Machinery, Except Electrical	6.55	6.75	6.83	6.88	6.98	6.98	6.97	7.00	6.90	7.09	7.15	7.18	7.18
Construction & related machinery	7.27	7.51	7.60	7.51	7.46	7.64	7.56	7.63	7.41	7.80	7.87	8.10	7.97
Metalworking machinery	6.55	6.72	6.73	6.84	6.81	6.81	6.91	6.96	6.78	7.04	7.04	7.09	7.11
Special industry machinery	6.74	7.11	7.11	7.16	7.32	7.18	7.23	7.37	7.23	7.53	7.54	7.67	7.54
General industry machinery	7.59	7.77	7.87	7.99	8.21	8.05	7.96	8.03	7.91	8.14	8.23	8.19	8.27
Service industry machinery	5.92	6.11	6.27	6.26	6.36	6.46	6.49	6.44	6.46	6.31	6.32	6.43	6.65
Electrical Equipment & Supplies	6.06	6.17	6.17	6.17	6.23	6.36	6.33	6.37	6.31	6.38	6.44	6.46	6.55
Elec. test & distribution equip.	4.96	5.06	5.22	5.20	5.27	5.34	5.30	5.29	5.28	5.41	5.50	5.54	5.51
Electrical industrial apparatus	5.19	5.30	5.25	5.30	5.32	5.41	5.45	5.48	5.36	5.38	5.55	5.59	5.47
Elec. lighting & wiring equip.	5.15	5.23	5.27	5.27	5.32	5.43	5.34	5.50	5.37	5.46	5.49	5.46	5.58
Radio & TV receiving equipment	5.17	5.30	5.30	4.85	5.23	5.34	5.27	5.32	5.61	5.55	5.72	5.72	5.95
Communication equipment	7.80	7.85	7.86	7.84	7.97	8.09	8.09	8.09	7.96	8.05	8.11	8.15	8.31
Electric components & access.	4.95	5.05	5.06	5.10	5.13	5.17	5.25	5.35	5.29	5.33	5.43	5.46	5.41
Transportation Equipment	8.24	8.51	8.67	8.56	8.84	8.76	8.88	8.91	8.63	8.85	9.18	9.07	8.87
Motor vehicles & equipment	8.68	8.93	9.16	9.05	9.28	9.17	9.42	9.37	8.99	9.22	9.57	9.53	9.43
Aircraft & parts	7.83	7.99	8.00	8.03	8.16	8.21	8.19	8.18	8.47	8.51	8.53	8.64	8.48
Ship & boat building & repairing	6.64	6.78	6.80	6.69	7.22	6.90	6.95	7.02	7.05	6.95	7.44	7.89	7.49
Instruments & Related Products	6.42	6.38	6.44	6.44	6.49	6.56	6.58	6.60	6.55	6.70	6.75	6.79	6.90
Miscellaneous Mfg. Industries	4.70	4.74	4.68	4.80	4.89	4.95	4.94	4.93	4.86	5.04	4.98	4.96	4.95
Nondurable Goods	6.05	6.11	6.14	6.17	6.26	6.29	6.33	6.35	6.39	6.38	6.40	6.46	6.50
Food & Kindred Products	6.45	6.50	6.51	6.58	6.68	6.67	6.84	6.80	6.80	6.77	6.82	6.86	6.83
Canned, cured & frozen foods	6.25	6.06	6.21	6.11	6.46	6.33	6.31	6.45	6.34	6.33	6.38	6.41	6.18
Grain mill & bakery products	5.66	5.89	5.92	5.90	5.93	6.01	6.07	6.13	6.09	6.13	6.17	6.13	6.06
Beverages	8.50	8.49	8.48	8.37	8.89	8.76	8.93	8.83	9.41	8.76	8.80	8.64	8.72
Textile Mill Products	5.04	5.02	4.97	5.13	5.22	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.24	5.32	5.23	5.24
Textile finishing, except wool	6.13	6.14	5.95	6.24	6.20	6.14	6.11	6.17	6.05	6.14	6.30	6.10	6.14
Apparel & Other Textile Products	4.75	4.86	4.84	4.87	4.90	4.93	4.98	4.99	4.99	5.07	5.16	5.09	5.19
Men's & boys' suits & coats	4.63	4.69	4.80	4.97	5.14	4.89	4.89	4.89	4.94	4.84	4.79	4.61	4.73
Men's & boys' furnishings	4.04	4.12	4.13	4.37	4.41	4.35	4.35	4.40	4.41	4.45	4.40	4.40	4.40
Women's & misses' outerwear	5.22	5.35	5.30	5.31	5.36	5.46	5.47	5.49	5.51	5.56	5.75	5.72	5.83
Women's & children's undergarm.	4.34	4.40	4.29	4.33	4.27	4.48	4.50	4.56	4.61	4.73	4.77	4.77	4.70
Paper & Allied Products	5.65	5.78	5.84	5.90	5.96	6.05	6.07	6.11	6.04	6.13	6.19	6.22	6.30
Paper/p'b'd mills ex bldg. pap.	6.45	6.80	6.75	6.99	6.81	6.87	6.93	6.98	6.82	6.81	6.94	7.13	6.99
Paperboard containers & boxes	5.22	5.32	5.38	5.43	5.52	5.49	5.55	5.52	5.49	5.64	5.68	5.67	5.69
Printing & Publishing	6.30	6.43	6.41	6.52	6.49	6.52	6.52	6.55	6.55	6.59	6.61	6.62	6.68
Newspapers	7.68	7.79	7.76	7.73	7.76	7.72	7.84	7.85	7.94	8.02	8.08	8.09	8.04
Commercial printing	6.41	6.53	6.52	6.75	6.53	6.54	6.52	6.56	6.53	6.49	6.56	6.55	6.67
Chemicals & Allied Products	7.12	7.16	7.18	7.22	7.28	7.31	7.34	7.42	7.54	7.44	7.42	7.51	7.60
Industrial inorganic chemicals	7.80	7.78	7.91	7.76	7.76	7.76	7.95	7.94	8.13	8.07	8.12	8.17	8.51
Plastic materials & synthetics	7.03	7.15	7.16	7.17	7.21	7.32	7.30	7.26	7.50	7.35	7.55	7.57	7.71
Drugs	6.78	6.89	6.83	6.95	6.93	7.03	6.96	6.97	7.03	7.15	7.12	7.18	7.27
Soaps, cleaners & toilet goods	6.62	6.62	6.62	6.56	6.61	6.95	6.88	6.81	6.90	6.42	6.32	6.29	6.24
Industrial organic chemicals	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.92	7.93	7.93	7.98	8.25	8.51	8.38	8.33	8.47	8.55
Paints & allied products	7.09	7.16	7.27	7.28	7.23	7.51	7.48	7.63	7.51	7.74	7.66	7.64	7.62
Petroleum & Coal Products	8.10	8.09	8.21	8.09	8.17	8.21	8.61	8.51	8.77	8.88	8.53	8.48	8.70
Petroleum refining	8.88	8.89	9.00	8.82	8.92	8.95	9.51	9.38	9.67	9.74	9.27	9.20	9.47
Rubber & Plastic Products, NEC	4.99	5.05	5.09	5.13	5.24	5.21	5.19	5.25	5.24	5.26	5.33	5.37	5.37
Rubber & rubber products	5.34	5.43	5.51	5.58	5.69	5.73	5.73	5.84	5.81	5.82	5.88	5.89	5.76
Miscellaneous plastic products	4.85	4.89	4.92	4.92	5.04	5.02	5.00	5.03	5.04	5.06	5.14	5.18	5.24
Leather & Leather Products	4.04	4.15	4.07	4.01	4.06	4.12	4.07	4.10	4.10	4.07	4.21	4.20	4.07

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT IN NEW JERSEY BY AREA AND INDUSTRY
(thousands)

AREA (County)	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
ATLANTIC CITY (Atlantic County)													
Total Nonagricultural	81.3	75.6	73.1	72.2	70.6	70.2	69.4	70.5	73.4	82.3	87.0	89.9	91.5
Manufacturing	8.7	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.5	8.2	8.1	8.2	7.8	8.0	8.3	8.0	8.1
Durable Goods	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3
Nondurable Goods	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.6	4.8	5.0	4.8	4.8
Apparel	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4
Other	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4
Nonmanufacturing	72.6	67.2	64.6	63.5	62.1	62.0	61.3	62.3	65.6	74.3	78.7	81.9	83.4
Construction	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	4.2	5.0	6.7	7.2	7.4	7.3
Transportation/Public Utilities	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8
Trade	23.6	20.8	19.1	18.6	18.4	17.7	16.8	17.1	18.0	19.4	21.3	22.8	23.3
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.9
Services	20.8	19.9	17.9	17.3	16.5	17.4	17.3	17.5	18.4	24.0	25.6	26.4	27.8
Government	16.3	14.9	16.0	16.1	15.7	15.7	15.8	15.6	15.8	15.7	15.9	16.6	16.3
VINELAND-MILLVILLE-BRIDGETON (Cumberland County)													
Total Nonagricultural	57.9	57.9	57.3	57.0	57.3	56.7	56.6	57.1	57.4	57.9	58.9	58.0	58.7
Manufacturing	20.1	20.8	19.8	19.6	19.4	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.5	19.5	19.7	18.8	19.6
Durable Goods	10.5	10.6	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.6	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.4
Stone/Clay/Glass	9.0	9.1	8.8	8.8	8.8	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.0
Other	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4
Nondurable Goods	9.6	10.2	9.5	9.3	9.1	8.9	9.1	9.1	8.9	9.0	9.1	8.3	9.2
Food	3.4	3.9	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.5
Apparel	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.6
Other	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.1
Nonmanufacturing	37.8	37.1	37.5	37.4	37.9	37.4	37.2	37.7	37.9	38.4	39.2	39.2	39.1
Construction	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9
Transportation/Public Utilities	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0
Trade	9.2	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.8	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.5	9.7	9.6
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Services	8.6	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2
Government	12.7	12.0	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.7	13.0	13.0	13.0
LONG BRANCH-ASBURY PARK (Monmouth County)													
Total Nonagricultural	160.8	156.1	154.2	154.9	153.4	149.0	148.8	150.1	152.8	155.7	161.9	161.9	161.8
Manufacturing	24.1	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.2	23.1	23.3	23.3	23.2	23.9	24.2	24.1	24.2
Durable Goods	13.0	12.7	13.0	13.2	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.6	13.6	13.5
Stone/Clay/Glass	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.1
Electrical Machinery	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0
Other	7.1	6.8	7.0	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4
Nondurable Goods	11.1	11.0	11.0	10.8	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.0	9.9	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.7
Apparel	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.5	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2
Other	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.0	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.5
Nonmanufacturing	136.6	132.4	130.2	130.9	130.2	125.9	125.5	126.8	129.6	131.8	137.7	137.8	137.6
Construction	6.9	6.5	6.3	6.6	6.4	5.5	5.2	5.6	5.9	5.7	6.2	6.1	5.9
Transportation/Public Utilities	6.1	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.1
Trade	42.2	41.1	40.2	40.5	41.2	39.7	38.6	39.1	40.5	41.6	43.9	44.0	44.1
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3
Services	41.2	39.2	38.1	37.9	36.7	35.2	35.4	35.7	36.5	37.6	39.8	42.0	41.8
Government	33.0	32.3	32.4	32.7	32.7	32.2	33.0	33.2	33.3	33.4	34.1	32.3	32.4
PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC (Passaic County)													
Total Nonagricultural	191.9	192.7	193.9	198.9	199.0	195.2	194.5	194.3	196.5	197.0	199.6	197.6	196.7
Manufacturing	67.7	68.5	67.5	69.5	68.8	68.5	69.5	69.0	69.5	69.0	70.6	69.1	69.5
Durable Goods	28.4	28.9	29.1	30.5	30.8	30.6	31.3	31.3	31.3	31.1	31.7	31.1	31.1
Fabricated Metals	5.0	5.3	5.4	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.7	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9
Nonelectrical Machinery	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.8
Electrical Machinery	11.0	11.1	11.3	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.9	11.8	11.9	11.8	12.3	12.2	12.2
Other	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.3	6.9	7.2
Nondurable Goods	39.3	39.6	38.3	39.0	38.0	37.9	38.2	37.7	38.2	37.9	38.9	38.0	38.4
Food	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6
Printing/Publishing	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.0
Chemicals	10.0	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.9	9.7	9.9	9.8	10.0
Rubber	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.4
Other	17.7	17.6	16.5	17.0	16.3	16.3	16.6	16.1	16.5	16.2	16.8	16.2	16.4
Nonmanufacturing	124.2	124.1	126.4	129.4	130.1	126.7	125.0	125.3	127.0	128.0	129.0	128.5	127.2
Construction	6.7	6.8	6.8	7.6	6.5	5.4	4.9	5.9	6.9	7.1	7.5	7.3	7.6
Transportation/Public Utilities	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.8	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.1
Trade	40.8	41.6	42.5	43.9	44.9	42.8	41.6	41.6	41.9	42.3	42.1	41.5	41.4
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	9.7	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.8
Services	30.6	31.2	31.0	31.5	32.0	32.2	32.3	32.2	32.4	33.0	33.5	33.0	32.7
Government	28.6	27.5	29.1	29.3	29.8	29.5	28.9	28.3	28.7	28.7	28.8	29.6	28.6

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	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
HACKENSACK (Bergen County)													
Total Nonagricultural	387.7	393.5	398.5	400.0	402.1	391.2	386.1	390.0	392.0	394.1	397.9	392.3	390.0
Manufacturing	111.8	113.5	113.7	114.2	114.0	113.3	110.3	113.7	113.4	113.5	114.5	112.2	113.1
Durable Goods	53.4	54.1	54.3	54.8	55.0	54.8	51.7	55.0	54.8	54.7	55.0	54.5	53.9
Transportation Equipment	7.7	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6	4.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.3	6.6
Instruments	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7
Other	37.3	37.9	38.2	38.7	39.0	38.9	38.9	39.1	38.9	38.7	38.5	38.5	38.6
Non durable Goods	58.3	59.3	59.4	59.4	59.0	58.5	58.6	58.7	58.6	58.8	59.5	57.7	59.2
Food	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7
Paper	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.5	6.7
Chemicals	14.0	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.1	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.6	13.7	13.8	14.0	14.1
Other	30.3	30.9	30.9	31.4	31.4	31.2	31.1	31.2	31.1	31.2	31.5	29.5	30.7
Nonmanufacturing	276.0	280.0	284.8	287.9	288.2	277.9	275.8	276.3	278.6	280.6	283.4	280.1	276.9
Construction	14.7	14.6	14.8	14.0	12.6	11.2	11.0	11.7	12.6	13.3	13.4	14.0	14.4
Transportation/Public Utilities	20.8	21.1	20.9	21.0	21.1	20.5	20.4	20.6	19.9	19.8	20.7	20.3	19.9
Trade	113.7	115.4	116.9	119.0	120.6	112.8	111.4	111.5	111.5	112.3	112.7	111.4	110.0
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	15.5	15.1	15.4	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.4	15.7	15.8	16.1	16.2	16.2
Services	70.4	72.9	73.5	74.2	74.1	75.0	74.6	73.5	75.1	75.9	76.5	75.8	75.2
Government	40.8	40.8	43.3	44.4	44.4	43.1	43.1	43.6	43.8	43.5	44.0	42.4	41.2
NEWARK (Essex, Morris, Somerset, and Union Counties)													
Total Nonagricultural	928.2	925.6	937.2	942.4	941.7	921.9	923.3	930.7	934.5	942.3	951.2	940.1	939.2
Manufacturing	248.3	253.3	255.3	255.1	252.9	252.1	254.8	256.1	257.0	256.0	260.2	251.8	250.2
Durable Goods	127.9	133.4	135.3	135.5	136.9	136.4	136.3	137.3	138.6	137.3	139.1	133.0	130.4
Primary Metals	8.6	8.8	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.3	.9.2	9.3	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.1
Fabricated Metals	24.3	24.5	24.7	24.6	24.8	24.7	24.5	24.5	24.6	24.4	25.0	24.9	24.5
Nonelectrical Machinery	27.1	27.5	27.5	28.3	28.4	28.4	28.1	28.4	28.7	28.3	28.6	28.2	28.0
Electrical Machinery	32.3	33.2	34.0	33.5	34.4	34.5	34.6	34.9	35.0	34.6	34.8	34.6	32.2
Transportation Equipment	3.5	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.6	7.8	3.3	3.4
Instruments	11.9	12.0	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.7	12.7	12.9	12.8	12.7
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	7.9	8.2	8.6	8.2	8.3	8.2	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.4	8.6	8.1	8.8
Other	12.2	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.1	11.8	11.7	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.1	11.8	11.7
Non durable Goods	120.4	119.9	120.1	119.6	116.1	115.7	118.5	118.8	118.4	118.7	121.1	118.8	119.8
Food	12.9	13.1	12.8	12.6	12.7	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.4	12.2	12.4	12.2	12.3
Textiles	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.3
Apparel	10.3	10.4	10.6	10.3	9.4	9.7	9.8	10.4	9.8	10.2	10.6	9.1	9.8
Paper	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.4	8.3	8.4	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.1
Printing/Publishing	14.9	14.8	15.0	14.9	15.1	15.1	14.8	14.9	14.9	14.9	15.1	15.0	15.0
Chemicals	54.1	53.5	53.3	53.3	50.5	50.6	53.1	53.0	53.2	53.1	54.5	54.5	54.9
Petroleum	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0
Rubber	12.9	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.0	12.7	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.9	12.6	12.6
Leather	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8
Nonmanufacturing	679.9	672.3	681.9	687.2	688.7	669.8	668.5	674.6	677.5	686.3	691.0	688.3	689.0
Mining	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
Construction	34.2	34.3	35.9	36.2	35.1	31.0	28.5	29.7	32.5	34.4	34.7	35.2	35.2
Transportation/Public Utilities	70.2	69.7	70.4	70.3	70.7	70.3	71.4	71.9	68.5	70.0	71.1	69.7	70.2
Trade	175.3	178.5	180.7	183.6	187.5	177.4	175.2	176.3	178.2	179.8	180.9	176.7	176.9
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	62.8	62.7	62.8	62.5	62.5	61.4	61.2	61.4	61.8	62.2	62.7	63.4	63.0
Services	181.5	182.0	183.6	183.3	182.9	181.9	182.0	184.5	185.8	187.5	190.2	189.7	190.3
Government	155.0	144.2	147.6	150.4	149.2	146.9	149.3	149.9	149.9	151.6	150.6	152.7	152.5
PERTH AMBOY-NEW BRUNSWICK-SAYREVILLE (Middlesex County)													
Total Nonagricultural	280.4	278.1	280.1	282.7	284.1	279.0	278.1	280.6	283.1	283.9	287.3	286.2	286.8
Manufacturing	91.3	91.5	91.6	91.1	90.5	89.7	90.0	90.9	90.7	90.8	92.1	90.6	91.3
Durable Goods	40.6	40.3	40.4	40.3	40.2	39.7	40.0	40.4	40.5	40.4	41.0	40.4	40.7
Stone/Clay/Glass	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0
Primary Metals	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.5
Fabricated Metals	6.1	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.3
Nonelectrical Machinery	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.3	7.9	7.9
Electrical Machinery	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
Instruments	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.8	6.8
Other	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.1
Non durable Goods	50.8	51.2	51.3	50.8	50.4	50.0	50.0	50.5	50.2	50.4	51.1	50.2	50.6
Apparel	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.0	4.4
Paper	7.2	7.1	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.8	7.6	7.7	7.6	7.5
Chemicals	23.1	23.6	23.6	23.0	22.9	22.7	22.3	22.7	22.4	22.8	23.0	22.9	22.8
Rubber	4.1	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9
Other	12.1	11.9	11.9	12.0	11.9	11.7	11.9	11.7	11.9	11.9	12.2	11.8	12.0
Nonmanufacturing	189.1	186.6	188.4	191.6	193.5	189.3	188.1	189.7	192.4	193.1	195.2	195.6	195.5
Construction	12.3	12.4	12.7	12.5	12.1	10.8	9.8	10.0	10.8	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6
Transportation/Public Utilities	20.4	20.7	19.9	20.1	20.7	20.5	20.8	21.0	21.3	21.7	22.1	22.8	23.0
Trade	62.1	63.2	63.8	66.5	68.3	66.4	65.6	66.3	66.4	66.9	67.4	66.3	66.5
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.7	9.9	9.9	9.9
Services	38.6	39.0	38.5	38.5	38.4	37.2	37.2	37.6	38.7	39.1	39.6	40.8	40.7
Government	46.3	42.1	44.2	44.7	44.6	44.9	45.2	45.3	45.6	45.3	45.8	45.3	44.8

NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT IN NEW JERSEY BY AREA AND INDUSTRY
(thousands)

AREA (County)	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
JERSEY CITY (Hudson County)													
Total Nonagricultural	240.6	235.5	236.9	235.3	233.8	229.6	230.0	231.1	229.8	231.4	232.9	235.8	236.2
Manufacturing	74.2	74.3	74.3	73.1	71.5	70.3	69.5	69.7	68.5	69.7	70.3	68.3	68.7
Durable Goods	26.1	26.1	26.0	26.0	25.8	25.4	25.6	25.6	25.9	25.6	25.8	25.6	24.8
Primary Metals	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8
Fabricated Metals	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.9
Nonelectrical Machinery	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.3	2.7
Electrical Machinery	9.3	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.0	8.9	8.9
Transportation Equipment	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9
Other	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.3
Nondurable Goods	48.1	48.1	48.2	47.2	45.7	44.9	43.9	44.1	42.6	44.1	44.5	42.7	43.9
Food	7.1	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.4	7.4	7.6	7.5	6.5	7.3	7.2	6.7	7.2
Textiles	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.9
Apparel	20.1	20.6	20.5	19.9	18.6	18.0	16.8	17.2	16.9	17.4	17.5	16.8	17.2
Paper	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.8
Printing/Publishing	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6
Chemicals	7.3	7.1	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.4
Other	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8
Nonmanufacturing	166.4	161.2	162.7	162.1	162.3	159.3	160.5	161.4	161.3	161.7	162.6	167.5	167.5
Construction	4.0	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.0	4.0
Transportation/Public Utilities	28.4	28.2	28.1	27.5	27.5	26.6	27.0	27.4	26.5	27.1	27.2	26.8	26.9
Trade	43.9	45.0	45.9	45.6	46.2	45.5	45.4	45.5	45.8	46.0	46.2	45.2	45.1
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	8.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.6	9.1	9.1	9.1
Services	30.4	30.3	30.7	30.6	30.2	29.4	30.4	30.6	31.0	30.2	30.0	29.6	29.4
Government	51.1	45.1	45.5	45.9	46.2	45.7	45.7	45.7	45.6	45.7	45.8	52.8	53.0
TRENTON (Mercer County)													
Total Nonagricultural	159.6	163.5	163.9	164.7	165.6	161.8	162.8	164.2	164.8	165.1	164.9	164.0	163.3
Manufacturing	36.4	37.7	37.6	37.8	37.9	37.8	37.4	37.6	37.5	37.5	37.7	37.2	36.6
Durable Goods	21.7	22.3	22.3	22.3	22.5	22.5	22.5	22.6	22.0	22.1	22.1	21.7	21.3
Stone/Clay/Glass	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Fabricated Metals	5.7	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.7	5.5	5.5
Nonelectrical Machinery	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.0	4.1
Electrical Machinery	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.4	6.8	6.9	7.0	6.5
Other	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.8
Nondurable Goods	14.8	15.4	15.3	15.5	15.5	15.3	14.9	15.0	15.5	15.4	15.6	15.5	15.3
Food	1.0	1.0	.9	1.0	.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
Apparel	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3
Printing/Publishing	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7
Chemicals	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.2
Rubber	2.3	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4
Other	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9
Nonmanufacturing	123.2	125.8	126.2	126.8	127.6	124.0	125.4	126.6	127.3	127.6	127.2	126.8	126.7
Construction	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.8	3.1	3.3
Transportation/Public Utilities	5.8	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.9
Trade	24.6	25.1	26.1	26.4	27.2	25.6	25.3	25.7	25.9	25.9	25.8	25.9	25.4
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
Services	38.1	39.5	39.1	39.2	38.9	37.6	39.0	39.5	39.5	39.8	38.9	38.0	37.9
Government	44.6	45.1	45.1	45.3	45.8	45.7	46.2	46.2	46.3	46.3	46.6	46.9	47.2
CAMDEN (Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties)													
Total Nonagricultural	328.2	326.1	327.3	331.0	333.1	324.0	322.6	325.4	328.2	330.0	333.5	329.3	330.1
Manufacturing	70.5	70.7	71.3	71.6	71.2	70.2	69.9	70.0	69.5	69.5	70.3	69.6	70.6
Durable Goods	40.5	40.5	40.8	41.0	40.5	40.5	40.5	40.8	40.5	40.3	40.8	40.7	40.5
Primary Metals	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5
Fabricated Metals	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.3	7.4	7.2	7.3
Electrical Machinery	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.1	12.9	13.0	12.8	13.0	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.8	12.5
Other	17.4	17.4	17.6	17.6	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.5	17.6	18.0	18.0	18.2
Nondurable Goods	30.0	30.3	30.5	30.6	30.7	29.7	29.4	29.2	29.0	29.2	29.5	28.9	30.1
Food	6.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.6	6.7
Textiles	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9
Paper	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Printing/Publishing	5.4	5.6	5.8	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.7	5.9
Chemicals	5.2	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4
Petroleum	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.5	3.6	3.6
Other	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.6	3.9	4.7
Nonmanufacturing	257.7	255.3	256.0	259.4	261.9	253.8	252.7	255.4	258.7	260.5	263.2	259.7	259.5
Mining	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Construction	15.3	15.0	15.1	14.8	14.1	11.7	11.0	12.1	13.6	14.2	14.6	15.1	14.9
Transportation/Public Utilities	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.7	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.7	16.1	15.7	15.5
Trade	83.2	84.6	85.2	86.3	88.1	84.1	82.9	83.5	84.7	84.9	85.0	83.9	83.5
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	15.4	15.3	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.2	15.3	15.3	15.5	15.6	15.9	16.0	16.2
Services	66.6	64.3	64.1	64.6	64.7	63.9	65.0	65.5	66.0	66.7	67.4	66.9	67.3
Government	61.7	60.5	60.8	62.9	64.0	63.7	63.2	63.5	63.3	63.3	64.1	62.0	62.0

AVERAGE WEEKLY GROSS DOLLAR EARNINGS OF NEW JERSEY PRODUCTION WORKERS BY AREA AND INDUSTRY

AREA (County)	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
ATLANTIC CITY (Atlantic County)													
Total Manufacturing	172.59	175.50	187.02	187.77	196.58	193.42	188.84	202.93	201.37	195.94	190.85	198.51	203.84
CAMDEN (Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	247.23	253.58	255.03	253.17	264.18	255.56	253.03	259.49	254.56	263.09	270.44	269.43	267.96
Durable Goods	250.20	263.95	264.05	262.22	272.50	265.85	262.50	273.27	264.58	278.60	280.57	279.36	275.46
Primary Metals	314.35	309.85	305.09	306.22	297.47	264.80	247.38	266.26	241.23	278.30	284.62	261.19	281.80
Fabricated Metals	247.44	249.08	253.99	265.63	269.21	280.14	269.23	275.62	276.49	287.08	292.15	297.47	296.33
Nondurable Goods	243.21	241.17	243.21	241.94	254.23	242.95	241.30	242.19	242.08	243.20	257.24	256.86	259.23
Textiles	185.56	193.29	187.00	186.12	183.39	185.71	177.80	187.90	175.04	187.25	188.12	174.25	211.43
Paper	243.66	258.80	243.97	243.42	276.96	250.39	269.87	253.93	263.86	261.97	324.86	300.62	300.62
Printing/Publishing	188.72	179.35	185.46	183.98	194.88	194.54	201.60	199.63	192.67	196.04	193.73	201.19	216.84
Chemicals	316.64	325.53	332.97	334.08	335.34	333.44	340.31	331.30	360.33	349.22	364.80	371.52	378.00
HACKENSACK (Bergen County)													
Total Manufacturing	246.96	255.88	249.83	256.08	257.11	251.08	249.55	258.55	243.19	259.55	263.70	258.49	260.15
Durable Goods	237.63	240.95	239.32	246.51	251.16	249.07	242.36	254.28	235.42	257.92	261.46	253.53	252.40
Transportation Equipment	376.18	330.57	331.35	344.67	348.07	347.60	363.78	327.00	286.85	342.02	364.17	337.04	333.24
Instruments	309.89	317.90	321.57	335.15	357.46	344.01	343.55	351.50	336.81	375.77	366.04	362.94	359.66
Nondurable Goods	256.28	269.35	260.48	264.72	263.69	251.81	255.88	262.80	250.85	260.78	266.11	262.74	266.24
Food	299.82	327.02	330.00	337.80	303.73	303.88	313.23	330.62	295.94	319.50	298.34	318.99	292.25
Paper	288.11	295.95	281.82	287.22	300.68	286.20	297.24	294.19	282.04	283.62	294.60	287.74	300.24
Chemicals	287.37	296.64	283.05	285.52	289.54	277.37	273.44	284.59	276.58	278.46	288.74	278.39	278.77
JERSEY CITY (Hudson County)													
Total Manufacturing	246.80	253.49	253.43	264.68	272.66	269.78	275.81	272.90	259.6	262.60	269.37	265.98	266.26
Durable Goods	271.15	278.70	283.97	284.78	294.35	287.45	290.65	294.14	273.32	278.47	289.22	289.68	282.40
Primary Metals	256.40	273.83	282.40	291.10	305.79	278.80	269.81	282.34	255.94	285.62	287.28	277.20	300.83
Nonelectrical Machinery	356.09	386.57	398.53	399.84	400.06	383.63	391.15	396.02	357.53	387.46	406.36	410.97	408.25
Electrical Machinery	303.66	311.54	310.76	310.37	329.22	334.84	344.44	341.96	308.74	311.81	325.01	316.99	305.93
Nondurable Goods	171.54	173.66	180.92	177.10	176.79	172.43	174.96	170.21	176.20	180.00	184.68	179.82	173.72
Food	323.38	239.57	236.61	253.58	260.42	259.31	266.43	259.99	250.40	252.90	257.67	250.17	256.68
Textiles	323.86	342.84	340.58	446.80	408.09	407.34	453.31	406.77	379.05	381.15	401.46	384.98	396.20
Apparel	185.64	190.06	187.98	202.86	210.00	211.97	210.53	196.89	177.38	191.35	201.60	193.84	189.60
Paper	246.98	259.79	255.36	250.26	248.97	262.11	247.55	257.52	250.97	265.80	272.67	263.03	261.96
Chemicals	338.80	343.33	339.78	326.80	363.94	352.21	339.00	348.04	349.71	336.94	337.30	330.86	325.60
NEWARK (Essex, Morris, Somerset, and Union Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	258.49	260.41	261.88	267.34	276.92	274.75	276.25	277.33	266.09	277.02	277.86	278.70	281.05
Durable Goods	256.11	258.26	259.56	266.45	277.06	276.69	274.12	276.02	256.66	275.85	274.75	271.99	273.90
Primary Metals	297.12	299.34	301.48	299.89	307.28	305.73	307.99	318.77	301.71	323.86	328.51	314.65	352.59
Fabricated Metals	244.60	245.44	255.26	259.53	258.77	261.80	265.86	244.96	263.89	265.74	258.94	259.58	
Nonelectrical Machinery	307.71	313.77	317.15	324.63	332.34	332.64	316.92	323.51	300.40	331.93	332.64	334.65	333.06
Electrical Machinery	230.11	234.30	228.52	229.90	235.19	241.34	242.66	254.59	237.54	239.76	237.84	235.19	229.75
Transportation Equipment	339.89	279.24	287.55	326.83	419.29	410.62	405.38	326.81	270.86	328.50	280.70	329.64	304.76
Nondurable Goods	261.43	263.49	265.37	268.13	277.02	271.26	278.30	280.22	277.71	278.92	281.48	287.02	288.69
Food	303.54	285.02	284.09	296.07	321.63	321.37	340.56	328.92	345.64	327.54	334.59	349.60	339.77
Paper	253.61	270.40	274.52	277.25	287.96	291.01	282.13	290.25	276.88	272.25	277.58	286.58	274.52
Printing/Publishing	267.13	265.10	258.90	266.66	269.78	268.94	258.30	266.23	246.00	262.00	275.77	279.48	278.76
Chemicals	301.31	309.29	316.30	313.89	319.34	310.31	317.24	321.05	317.25	323.98	319.88	324.69	329.12
Rubber	201.50	208.18	208.75	218.59	219.89	215.87	212.66	217.75	211.18	218.56	219.63	218.83	221.00
PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC (Passaic County)													
Total Manufacturing	241.16	243.58	244.82	253.57	252.54	250.51	253.17	256.89	247.04	258.75	259.99	253.89	259.72
Durable Goods	249.67	251.51	259.79	265.23	258.34	263.72	268.36	274.07	267.90	276.60	275.94	275.31	277.22
Primary Metals	287.62	275.47	287.80	300.28	286.33	301.50	307.78	334.61	327.06	340.58	358.15	349.39	357.48
Fabricated Metals	272.39	287.11	295.48	291.28	280.31	293.86	311.40	313.73	305.75	315.77	315.10	315.20	313.17
Nonelectrical Machinery	249.35	249.46	256.07	261.14	255.76	253.22	250.75	254.14	248.68	254.76	245.25	248.82	250.04
Nondurable Goods	235.01	238.38	233.02	244.36	247.57	240.13	241.31	243.31	230.10	244.58	247.64	237.19	246.04
Chemicals	254.03	257.77	261.21	258.59	261.75	259.18	259.98	267.40	250.14	274.56	273.26	279.65	269.74
PERTH AMBOY-NEW BRUNSWICK-SAYREVILLE (Middlesex County)													
292.22 Manufacturing	274.80	288.81	289.54	287.87	297.79	286.53	294.17	298.57	290.50	299.43	303.05	299.06	296.00
Durable Goods	289.76	320.73	320.76	307.87	331.23	307.23	320.57	325.18	302.91	324.11	326.56	323.60	313.34
Primary Metals	343.57	346.09	349.54	353.40	366.02	361.11	356.83	361.09	358.22	359.97	360.82	389.73	385.20
Fabricated Metals	345.19	363.27	361.94	356.16	368.10	345.58	346.26	356.80	356.01	384.34	398.82	376.58	378.70
Nonelectrical Machinery	331.47	436.99	398.26	361.00	374.78	373.12	346.47	332.77	280.72	343.04	329.04	340.68	363.24
Nondurable Goods	262.76	264.22	264.54	271.21	270.41	269.05	271.04	274.57	280.14	277.50	281.50	275.10	279.89
Apparel	132.40	134.90	127.01	126.43	127.11	130.39	134.37	133.11	131.50	133.34	142.59	137.46	140.15
Paper	289.28	315.48	303.91	305.54	288.63	297.47	293.48	295.68	297.91	302.97	323.16	311.87	329.82
TRENTON (Mercer County)													
Total Manufacturing	267.08	271.34	270.68	270.68	290.96	267.15	271.32	282.57	266.13	276.49	279.86	283.56	282.98
Durable Goods	275.13	276.08	275.54	271.49	298.78	275.81	280.98	294.27	273.03	280.19	286.22	286.53	291.85
Stone/Clay/Glass	207.09	201.08	205.98	211.68	207.90	204.52	211.85	206.95	193.28	190.99	205.71	203.69	200.19
Fabricated Metals	374.98	350.43	338.24	342.35	382.81	348.27	353.07	401.72	340.84	365.82	374.40	379.14	371.33
Nonelectrical Machinery	281.71	293.85	315.08	307.70	337.09	312.57	317.86	307.76	302.99	298.45	300.70	346.02	362.06
Electrical Machinery	188.50	188.50	203.76	205.16	191.30	213.90	207.83	207.83	209.75	216.33	219.05	206.95	208.28
Nondurable Goods	250.06	261.80	261.14	268.94	272.43	250.51	251.53	258.32	252.63	268.04	268.62	277.97	266.43
Chemicals	250.91	243.81	249.17	257.75	257.80	260.74	270.58	281.76	269.74	269.69	242.64	299.17	286.47
Rubber	285.12	301.46	303.93	312.93	319.29	244.33	246.05	262.75	250.71	262.12	265.44	275.56	245.61

AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS OF NEW JERSEY PRODUCTION WORKERS BY AREA AND INDUSTRY

REA (County)	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
ATLANTIC CITY (Atlantic County)													
Total Manufacturing	38.1	37.5	38.8	39.2	40.2	38.3	37.1	39.1	38.8	38.8	38.4	39.0	39.2
MADEN (Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	40.2	40.9	41.2	40.9	41.8	40.5	40.1	40.8	39.9	40.6	41.1	40.7	40.6
Durable Goods	41.7	43.2	43.5	43.2	43.6	42.4	41.8	42.9	41.6	42.6	42.9	42.2	41.8
Primary Metals	47.2	45.7	44.8	44.9	43.3	39.7	37.2	39.8	37.4	41.6	42.8	39.1	40.2
Fabricated Metals	40.3	40.5	40.9	42.5	42.8	43.5	42.6	43.2	43.0	43.3	43.8	44.2	43.9
Nondurable Goods	38.3	38.1	38.3	38.1	39.6	38.2	38.0	38.2	37.7	38.0	38.8	38.8	39.1
Textiles	36.6	37.1	36.1	36.0	36.1	36.2	35.0	36.7	34.8	36.5	36.6	34.1	39.3
Paper	39.3	40.5	38.3	38.7	41.9	38.7	40.4	37.9	39.5	38.3	42.3	40.9	40.9
Printing/Publishing	28.9	28.2	28.1	27.5	28.4	28.4	28.8	29.1	28.8	29.0	28.7	29.2	31.2
Chemicals	44.1	44.9	46.7	46.4	46.9	46.7	47.2	46.4	47.6	46.5	48.0	48.0	48.4
ACKENSACK (Bergen County)													
Total Manufacturing	43.1	44.1	43.0	43.7	43.8	42.7	43.1	43.6	41.5	42.9	43.3	42.1	42.3
Durable Goods	40.9	41.4	40.7	41.5	42.0	41.1	41.5	42.1	39.5	41.4	41.7	40.5	40.0
Transportation Equipment	43.3	39.4	38.8	39.8	40.1	39.5	42.3	37.5	33.2	38.3	39.8	37.7	36.7
Instruments	43.1	44.4	44.6	46.1	48.7	46.3	46.3	47.5	45.7	48.3	47.6	46.0	47.7
Nondurable Goods	45.2	46.6	45.3	45.8	45.7	44.1	44.5	45.0	43.4	44.2	44.8	43.5	44.3
Food	41.7	43.2	44.0	45.1	41.1	41.4	42.5	44.8	40.1	42.6	40.1	42.9	40.2
Paper	47.7	48.2	46.2	46.4	47.5	45.0	45.8	45.4	44.0	43.5	44.3	43.4	43.2
Chemicals	46.5	48.0	46.1	46.2	46.7	45.1	44.9	46.2	44.9	44.2	45.4	44.4	43.9
CERSEY CITY (Hudson County)													
Total Manufacturing	40.0	40.3	40.1	41.1	41.5	41.0	41.6	41.6	40.0	40.4	41.0	40.3	40.9
Durable Goods	39.7	40.1	40.8	41.8	41.4	41.3	41.7	41.9	39.9	40.3	41.2	40.8	40.4
Primary Metals	45.3	46.1	46.6	47.8	49.4	46.7	46.6	46.9	43.9	46.9	47.8	46.2	47.3
Nonelectrical Machinery	44.4	46.8	47.5	46.8	47.4	46.5	46.4	46.7	45.2	47.6	48.9	49.1	48.2
Electric Machinery	38.1	38.7	38.7	38.7	40.1	40.1	41.3	41.2	38.4	38.4	39.3	38.1	37.4
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	39.8	40.2	41.4	40.9	39.2	40.1	40.5	39.4	40.6	40.0	40.5	40.5	40.4
Nondurable Goods	40.1	40.4	39.7	41.3	41.6	40.9	41.5	41.4	40.0	40.4	40.9	39.9	41.2
Food	46.2	46.9	47.5	59.1	56.6	55.8	60.2	54.6	52.5	52.5	53.6	53.1	54.2
Textiles	42.0	43.0	40.6	42.0	42.0	41.0	40.8	40.1	37.5	40.8	42.0	40.3	40.6
Apparel	35.4	35.0	33.9	34.1	33.7	33.8	33.5	35.9	35.1	35.3	35.7	34.8	36.4
Paper	44.5	45.9	44.8	43.6	43.0	44.2	42.1	43.5	42.9	44.3	44.7	42.7	44.4
Chemicals	44.0	44.3	44.3	43.0	44.6	42.9	41.8	42.6	42.7	41.7	41.9	41.1	40.7
MARK (Essex, Morris, Somerset, and Union Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	42.1	41.8	41.7	42.3	43.0	42.4	42.5	42.6	41.0	42.1	42.1	42.1	42.2
Durable Goods	42.9	42.2	42.0	42.7	43.7	43.3	43.1	43.4	41.0	42.9	42.4	42.3	42.4
Primary Metals	45.5	45.7	45.2	45.3	46.0	45.7	45.9	46.4	44.5	46.8	47.2	45.8	48.7
Fabricated Metals	42.1	42.1	42.9	43.4	43.2	42.7	42.5	43.3	41.1	42.7	43.0	41.9	41.6
Nonelectrical Machinery	43.4	43.1	42.8	43.4	43.5	43.2	41.7	42.4	40.0	42.5	42.0	42.2	42.7
Electrical Machinery	42.3	42.6	41.7	41.8	42.3	43.8	44.2	45.3	42.8	43.2	42.7	42.3	41.1
Transportation Equipment	44.9	35.8	35.5	40.3	50.7	49.0	48.9	40.8	34.2	41.9	35.0	42.7	40.1
Nondurable Goods	41.3	41.3	41.4	41.7	42.1	41.1	41.6	41.7	40.9	41.2	41.7	41.9	41.9
Food	42.1	40.2	39.9	41.7	42.6	41.9	43.0	41.9	42.1	42.1	42.3	43.7	42.9
Paper	43.5	44.4	45.3	45.6	46.0	45.9	44.5	45.0	44.3	43.7	44.2	44.5	43.3
Printing/Publishing	42.2	41.1	40.9	41.6	41.0	40.2	38.9	39.5	38.7	38.7	40.2	41.1	40.4
Chemicals	42.8	43.5	44.3	43.9	44.0	43.4	44.0	44.1	43.4	43.9	43.7	43.7	44.0
Rubber	39.9	40.9	40.3	41.4	41.1	40.5	40.2	40.7	39.4	40.7	40.9	40.6	40.7
TERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC (Passaic County)													
Total Manufacturing	40.6	40.8	40.6	41.5	41.4	41.0	41.3	41.5	40.3	41.4	41.4	40.3	40.9
Durable Goods	40.4	40.5	41.5	42.1	41.4	41.4	41.8	42.1	41.6	42.1	42.0	41.4	41.5
Fabricated Metals	42.8	41.3	42.7	43.9	42.8	44.8	44.8	45.9	46.0	46.4	47.5	46.4	47.6
Nonelectrical Machinery	42.1	43.9	44.5	44.0	42.6	43.6	45.0	45.6	44.7	45.5	46.0	44.9	43.8
Electrical Machinery	38.9	39.1	39.7	40.3	39.9	38.6	38.4	38.8	38.2	38.6	37.5	37.7	37.6
Nondurable Goods	40.8	41.1	39.9	41.0	41.4	40.7	40.9	41.1	39.2	40.9	41.0	39.4	40.4
Chemicals	38.2	37.8	38.3	37.1	37.5	37.4	37.3	38.2	36.2	38.4	37.9	38.1	36.6
ERTH AMBOY-NEW BRUNSWICK-SAYREVILLE (Middlesex County)													
Total Manufacturing	41.2	42.1	41.6	41.6	42.3	40.7	41.2	41.7	40.8	41.3	41.4	40.8	40.0
Durable Goods	42.3	44.3	43.7	42.7	44.7	41.8	42.8	43.3	41.1	43.1	42.8	42.3	40.8
Primary Metals	43.0	43.1	43.1	43.9	44.8	44.2	43.2	43.4	43.9	42.3	42.6	43.4	42.8
Fabricated Metals	45.6	46.1	45.7	44.8	45.5	43.8	43.5	44.6	43.1	45.7	46.0	44.2	44.5
Electrical Machinery	41.8	48.5	44.9	44.8	42.3	42.4	41.1	39.9	35.4	40.5	39.5	40.8	41.8
Nondurable Goods	40.3	40.4	39.9	40.6	40.3	39.8	39.8	40.2	40.6	39.7	40.1	39.3	39.2
Apparel	31.3	31.3	29.4	28.8	28.5	29.5	30.4	30.6	30.3	30.1	31.9	31.1	30.6
Paper	45.2	47.9	45.7	45.4	43.6	44.8	44.4	44.8	44.2	44.1	46.1	44.3	46.0
RENTON (Mercer County)													
Total Manufacturing	40.9	41.3	41.2	41.2	42.6	40.6	40.8	41.8	39.9	40.6	40.5	40.8	40.6
Durable Goods	40.7	40.9	40.7	40.4	42.5	40.5	40.9	41.8	39.8	40.2	40.2	40.3	40.2
Stone/Clay/Glass	39.0	38.3	38.5	39.2	38.5	38.3	38.8	38.9	36.4	35.9	36.8	36.7	36.2
Fabricated Metals	43.2	40.7	38.7	41.0	41.7	39.0	39.1	42.6	38.6	40.2	40.0	40.9	40.1
Nonelectrical Machinery	39.4	40.7	43.4	42.5	45.8	41.9	42.1	41.2	41.0	39.9	40.2	43.8	43.0
Electrical Machinery	39.6	42.1	42.3	39.2	43.3	41.6	42.5	42.5	41.7	42.5	42.7	40.9	41.0
Nondurable Goods	41.4	42.5	42.6	43.1	42.7	41.0	40.7	41.8	40.1	41.3	41.2	41.8	41.5
Chemicals	38.9	37.8	38.1	39.9	39.6	38.4	39.5	40.6	38.7	38.2	36.0	41.9	41.1
Rubber	48.0	49.5	49.5	50.8	50.6	46.1	46.6	48.3	45.5	47.4	48.0	48.6	45.4

AVERAGE HOURLY GROSS DOLLAR EARNINGS OF NEW JERSEY PRODUCTION WORKERS BY AREA AND INDUSTRY

AREA (County)	1978					1979							
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
<u>ATLANTIC CITY (Atlantic County)</u>													
Total Manufacturing	4.53	4.68	4.82	4.79	4.89	5.05	5.09	5.19	5.19	5.05	4.97	5.09	5.20
CAMDEN (Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	6.15	6.20	6.19	6.19	6.32	6.31	6.31	6.36	6.38	6.48	6.58	6.62	6.60
Durable Goods	6.00	6.11	6.07	6.07	6.25	6.27	6.28	6.37	6.36	6.54	6.54	6.62	6.59
Primary Metals	6.66	6.78	6.81	6.82	6.87	6.67	6.65	6.69	6.45	6.69	6.65	6.68	7.01
Fabricated Metals	6.14	6.15	6.21	6.25	6.29	6.44	6.32	6.38	6.42	6.63	6.67	6.73	6.75
Nondurable Goods	6.35	6.33	6.35	6.35	6.42	6.36	6.35	6.34	6.43	6.40	6.63	6.62	6.63
Textiles	5.07	5.21	5.18	5.17	5.08	5.13	5.08	5.12	5.03	5.13	5.14	5.11	5.38
Paper	6.20	6.39	6.37	6.29	6.61	6.47	6.68	6.70	6.68	6.84	7.68	7.35	7.35
Printing/Publishing	6.53	6.36	6.60	6.69	6.86	6.85	7.00	6.86	6.69	6.76	6.75	6.89	6.95
Chemicals	7.18	7.25	7.13	7.20	7.15	7.14	7.21	7.14	7.57	7.51	7.60	7.74	7.81
HACKENSACK (Bergen County)													
Total Manufacturing	5.73	5.80	5.81	5.86	5.87	5.88	5.79	5.93	5.86	6.05	6.09	6.14	6.15
Durable Goods	5.81	5.82	5.88	5.94	5.98	6.06	5.84	6.04	5.96	6.23	6.27	6.26	6.31
Transportation Equipment	8.48	8.39	8.54	8.66	8.68	8.80	8.60	8.72	8.64	8.93	9.15	8.94	9.08
Instruments	7.19	7.16	7.21	7.27	7.34	7.43	7.42	7.40	7.37	7.78	7.69	7.89	8.19
Nondurable Goods	5.67	5.78	5.75	5.78	5.77	5.71	5.75	5.84	5.78	5.90	5.94	6.04	6.01
Food	7.19	7.57	7.50	7.49	7.39	7.34	7.37	7.38	7.38	7.50	7.44	7.42	7.27
Paper	6.04	6.14	6.10	6.19	6.33	6.36	6.49	6.48	6.41	6.52	6.65	6.63	6.95
Chemicals	6.18	6.18	6.14	6.18	6.20	6.15	6.09	6.16	6.16	6.30	6.36	6.27	6.35
JERSEY CITY (Hudson County)													
Total Manufacturing	6.17	6.29	6.32	6.44	6.57	6.58	6.63	6.56	6.49	6.50	6.57	6.60	6.51
Durable Goods	6.83	6.95	6.96	6.98	7.11	6.96	6.97	7.02	6.85	6.91	7.02	7.10	6.99
Primary Metals	5.66	5.94	6.06	6.09	6.19	5.97	5.79	6.02	5.83	6.09	6.01	6.00	6.36
Nonelectrical Machinery	8.02	8.26	8.39	8.33	8.44	8.25	8.43	8.48	7.91	8.14	8.31	8.37	8.47
Electrical Machinery	7.97	8.05	8.03	8.02	8.21	8.35	8.34	8.30	8.04	8.12	8.27	8.32	8.18
Miscellaneous Manufacturing	4.31	4.32	4.37	4.33	4.51	4.30	4.32	4.32	4.34	4.50	4.56	4.44	4.30
Nondurable Goods	5.82	5.93	5.96	6.14	6.26	6.34	6.42	6.28	6.26	6.26	6.30	6.27	6.23
Food	7.01	7.31	7.17	7.56	7.21	7.30	7.53	7.45	7.22	7.26	7.49	7.25	7.31
Textiles	4.42	4.42	4.63	4.83	5.00	5.17	5.16	4.91	4.73	4.69	4.80	4.81	4.67
Apparel	4.95	5.00	5.02	5.08	5.06	5.27	5.24	5.26	5.29	5.35	5.38	5.30	5.26
Paper	5.55	5.66	5.70	5.74	5.79	5.93	5.88	5.92	5.85	6.00	6.10	6.16	5.90
Chemicals	7.70	7.75	7.67	7.60	8.16	8.21	8.11	8.17	8.19	8.08	8.05	8.05	8.00
NEWARK (Essex, Morris, Somerset, and Union Counties)													
Total Manufacturing	6.14	6.23	6.28	6.32	6.44	6.48	6.50	6.51	6.49	6.58	6.60	6.62	6.66
Durable Goods	5.97	6.12	6.18	6.24	6.34	6.39	6.36	6.36	6.26	6.43	6.48	6.43	6.46
Primary Metals	6.53	6.55	6.67	6.62	6.68	6.69	6.71	6.87	6.78	6.92	6.96	6.87	7.24
Fabricated Metals	5.81	5.83	5.95	5.98	5.99	6.06	6.16	6.14	5.96	6.18	6.18	6.24	
Nonelectrical Machinery	7.09	7.28	7.41	7.48	7.64	7.70	7.60	7.63	7.51	7.81	7.92	7.93	7.80
Electrical Machinery	5.44	5.50	5.48	5.50	5.56	5.57	5.49	5.62	5.55	5.55	5.57	5.56	5.59
Transportation Equipment	7.57	7.80	8.10	8.11	8.27	8.38	8.29	8.01	7.92	7.84	8.02	7.72	7.60
Nondurable Goods	6.33	6.33	6.41	6.43	6.58	6.60	6.69	6.72	6.79	6.77	6.75	6.85	6.89
Food	7.21	7.09	7.12	7.10	7.55	7.67	7.92	7.85	8.21	7.78	7.91	8.00	7.92
Paper	5.83	6.09	6.06	6.08	6.26	6.31	6.34	6.45	6.25	6.23	6.28	6.44	6.34
Printing/Publishing	6.33	6.45	6.33	6.41	6.58	6.69	6.64	6.74	6.77	6.77	6.86	6.80	6.90
Chemicals	7.04	7.11	7.14	7.15	7.16	7.15	7.21	7.28	7.31	7.38	7.32	7.43	7.48
Rubber	5.05	5.09	5.18	5.28	5.35	5.33	5.29	5.35	5.36	5.37	5.37	5.39	5.43
PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC (Passaic County)													
Total Manufacturing	5.94	5.97	6.03	6.11	6.10	6.11	6.13	6.19	6.13	6.25	6.26	6.30	6.35
Durable Goods	6.18	6.21	6.26	6.30	6.24	6.37	6.42	6.51	6.44	6.57	6.57	6.65	6.68
Primary Metals	6.53	6.55	6.67	6.62	6.68	6.69	6.71	6.87	6.78	6.92	6.96	6.87	7.24
Nonelectrical Machinery	6.47	6.54	6.64	6.62	6.58	6.74	6.92	6.88	6.84	6.94	6.85	7.02	7.15
Electrical Machinery	6.41	6.38	6.45	6.48	6.41	6.56	6.53	6.55	6.51	6.60	6.54	6.60	6.65
Nondurable Goods	5.76	5.80	5.84	5.96	5.98	5.90	5.90	5.92	5.87	5.98	6.04	6.02	6.09
Chemicals	6.65	6.74	6.82	6.97	6.98	6.93	6.97	7.00	6.91	7.15	7.21	7.34	7.37
PERTH AMBOY-NEW BRUNSWICK-SAYREVILLE (Middlesex County)													
Total Manufacturing	6.67	6.86	6.96	6.92	7.04	7.04	7.14	7.16	7.12	7.25	7.32	7.33	7.40
Durable Goods	6.85	7.24	7.34	7.21	7.41	7.35	7.49	7.51	7.37	7.52	7.63	7.65	7.68
Primary Metals	7.99	8.03	8.11	8.05	8.17	8.17	8.26	8.32	8.16	8.51	8.47	8.98	9.00
Fabricated Metals	7.57	7.88	7.92	7.95	8.09	7.89	7.96	8.00	8.26	8.41	8.67	8.52	8.51
Electrical Machinery	7.93	9.01	8.87	8.58	8.86	8.80	8.43	8.34	7.93	8.47	8.33	8.35	8.19
Nondurable Goods	6.52	6.54	6.63	6.68	6.71	6.76	6.81	6.83	6.90	6.99	7.02	7.00	7.14
Apparel	4.23	4.31	4.32	4.39	4.46	4.42	4.42	4.35	4.34	4.43	4.47	4.42	4.58
Paper	6.40	6.60	6.65	6.73	6.62	6.64	6.61	6.60	6.74	6.87	7.01	7.14	7.17
LENONT (Mercer County)													
Total Manufacturing	6.53	6.57	6.57	6.57	6.83	6.58	6.65	6.76	6.67	6.81	6.91	6.95	6.97
Durable Goods	6.76	6.75	6.77	6.72	7.03	6.81	6.87	7.04	6.86	6.97	7.12	7.11	7.26
Stone/Clay/Glass	5.31	5.25	5.35	5.40	5.40	5.34	5.46	5.32	5.31	5.32	5.59	5.55	5.53
Fabricated Metals	8.68	8.61	8.74	8.35	9.18	8.93	9.03	9.43	8.83	9.10	9.36	9.27	9.26
Nonelectrical Machinery	7.15	7.22	7.26	7.24	7.36	7.46	7.55	7.47	7.39	7.48	7.48	7.90	8.42
Electrical Machinery	4.76	4.84	4.85	4.88	4.94	4.89	4.89	4.89	5.03	5.09	5.13	5.06	5.08
Nondurable Goods	6.04	6.16	6.13	6.24	6.38	6.11	6.18	6.18	6.30	6.49	6.52	6.65	6.42
Chemicals	6.45	6.45	6.54	6.46	6.51	6.79	6.85	6.94	6.97	7.06	6.74	7.14	6.97
Rubber	5.94	6.09	6.14	6.16	6.31	5.30	5.28	5.44	5.51	5.53	5.53	5.67	5.41

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TECHNICAL NOTES

Nonfarm Wage and Salary Employment

Employment data refer to persons on establishment payrolls who received pay for any part of the pay period which includes the 12th of the month. The data exclude proprietors, the self-employed, unpaid family workers, farm workers, and domestic workers in households. Salaried officers of corporations are included. Government employment covers only civilian employees; federal military personnel are excluded.

Persons on an establishment payroll who are on paid sick leave (when pay is received directly from the firm), on paid holiday or paid vacation, or who work during any part of the pay period but are unemployed or on strike during the rest of the period, are counted as employed. Not counted as employed are persons who, during the pay period which includes the 12th, are laid off, on leave without pay or on strike for the entire period, or who are hired but do not work during the period.

Average Hours and Earnings

Hours and earnings data are derived from reports of payroll and man-hours for production and related workers in manufacturing. When the reported pay period exceeds one week, the payroll and man-hour figures are reduced to a weekly basis.

Average hourly earnings for manufacturing are on a "gross" basis, reflecting not only changes in basic hourly rates, but also such variable factors as premium pay for overtime and shift work, and changes in output of workers paid on an incentive plan. Excluded from average earnings are irregular bonuses, retroactive items, payments of various welfare benefits, and payroll taxes paid by employers.