

Top 75 Largest Occupations 2006
Tucson Metropolitan Area

Occupation	Employment 1996 (#)	Employment 2006 (#)	10-Yr Job Change (#)	Employment Change (%)	Annual Job Openings (#)	Annual Job Replacement (#)
Salespersons, Retail	10712	13413	2701	25	610	340
General Office Clerks	8815	10834	2019	23	403	201
General Managers & Top Executives	7135	9151	2016	28	354	152
Registered Nurses	6022	7933	1911	32	274	83
Managers & Administrators, NEC	5552	7441	1889	34	307	118
Waiters & Waitresses	6476	7362	886	14	419	330
Cashiers	5858	7293	1435	25	399	255
Marketing/Sales Supervisors	5493	6814	1321	24	220	88
Secretaries, Except Legal or Medical	5871	6382	511	9	153	102
Bookkeeping, Accounting, Auditing Clerks	5649	6118	469	8	142	95
Janitors & Cleaners	5262	5974	712	14	178	107
Clerical Supervisors	3504	4733	1229	35	204	81
Receptionists/Information Clerks	3392	4728	1336	39	197	63
Truck Drivers, Light	3586	4699	1113	31	161	50
Maintenance Repairers, General Utility	3336	4412	1076	32	176	68
Health Professional/Paraprofs./Techs., NEC	2807	3969	1162	41	170	54
Nursing Aides & Orderlies	3034	3920	886	29	130	41
Sales Representatives, NEC	2715	3825	1110	41	175	64
Teachers, Secondary School	2746	3759	1013	37	183	82
Child Care Workers	2614	3681	1067	41	136	29
Truck Drivers, Heavy	2966	3653	687	23	111	42
Food Preparation Workers	2764	3560	796	29	221	141
Teacher Aides, Paraprofessional	2204	3491	1287	58	158	29
Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	3047	3431	384	13	93	55
Food Service & Lodging Managers	2599	3414	815	31	137	55
Cooks, Fast Food	2690	3399	709	26	135	64

Guards	2513	3240	727	29	126	53
Helpers & Laborers, NEC	2572	3204	632	25	150	87
Cooks, Restaurant	2720	3132	412	15	106	65
Post-secondary Teachers, NEC	2322	3035	713	31	138	67
Professional, Paraprofes., Techs., NEC	2349	2915	566	24	115	58
Carpenters	2550	2898	348	14	80	45
Automotive Mechanics	2315	2881	566	24	117	60
Stock Clerks: Stockroom/Warehouse	2035	2767	732	36	103	30
Accountants & Auditors	2145	2736	591	28	103	44
Home Health Aides	1700	2722	1022	60	125	23
Combination Food Prep/Service Workers	2255	2691	436	19	159	115
Human Services Workers	1428	2641	1213	85	147	26
Teachers, Elementary	2118	2606	488	23	89	40
Hairdressers & Hairstylists	2151	2542	391	18	96	57
Social Workers, Except Medical & Psych	1773	2519	746	42	102	27
Financial Managers	1839	2453	614	33	96	35
Teacher Aides/Education Assistants	1633	2440	807	49	103	22
Physicians	1928	2434	506	26	78	27
Dining Room/Cafe Helpers	1824	2287	463	25	105	59
Traffic/Shipping/Receiving Clerks	1865	2278	413	22	69	28
Graduate Assistants, Teaching	1726	2255	529	31	103	50
First Line Superv: Construction, Extraction	1978	2194	216	11	65	43
Service Supervisors, NEC	1702	2111	409	24	82	41
Electrical & Electronic Engineers	1521	2084	563	37	94	38
Licensed Practical Nurses	1597	2069	472	30	81	34
Stock Clerks, Sales Floor	1877	2045	168	9	45	28
Gardeners & Groundskeepers, Excl. Farm	1637	2038	401	25	77	37
Teachers, Preschool/Kindergarten	1318	1948	630	48	87	24
Clerical/Administrative Workers, NEC	1580	1945	365	23	56	19
Hand Packers & Packagers	1549	1938	389	25	80	41

Painters & Paperhangers	1514	1934	420	28	75	33
Correction Officers	1232	1898	666	54	86	19
Systems Analysts	895	1891	996	111	106	6
Lawyers	1730	1887	157	9	41	25
Life Scientists, NEC	1432	1875	443	31	54	10
Electrical/Electronic Technicians/Technolo	1509	1874	365	24	77	40
Food Service Workers, NEC	1311	1800	489	37	102	53
Marketing/Adver/Public Relations Mgrs	1205	1741	536	45	76	22
Telemarketers, Door-To-Door Sales	1262	1710	448	36	79	34
Management Support Workers, NEC	1372	1667	295	22	57	27
Instructors & Coaches, Sports	1111	1592	481	43	58	10
Residential Counselors	1040	1567	527	51	77	24
Vehicle Washers/Equipment Cleaners	1057	1468	411	39	72	31
Reservation & Transportation Ticket Agents	1204	1467	263	22	53	27
Carpet Installers	1111	1454	343	31	69	35
Engineering, Math, Natural Science Mgrs	886	1439	553	62	74	19
Sales Agents, Real Estate	1291	1428	137	11	35	21
Police Patrol Officers	1018	1416	398	39	75	35
Assemblers & Fabricators, NEC	1188	1414	226	19	48	25

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