

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

INDUSTRY	Dec. b/ 2015	Nov. c/ 2015	Dec. 2014	Net Change From	
				Nov. c/ 2015	Dec. 2014
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,625.5</b>	<b>2,623.4</b>	<b>2,577.1</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>48.4</b>
<b>Total Private Sector</b>	<b>2,027.3</b>	<b>2,027.6</b>	<b>1,987.5</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>39.8</b>
<b>Total Government</b>	<b>598.2</b>	<b>595.8</b>	<b>589.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>8.6</b>
<b>Total Goods Producing</b>	<b>150.3</b>	<b>152.3</b>	<b>148.8</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>32.8</b>	<b>33.4</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-1.2</b>
Durable Goods	20.0	20.3	20.8	-0.3	-0.8
Non-Durable Goods	12.2	12.5	12.6	-0.3	-0.4
<b>Mining, Logging &amp; Construction</b>	<b>118.1</b>	<b>119.5</b>	<b>115.4</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>
<b>Total Service Providing</b>	<b>2,475.2</b>	<b>2,471.1</b>	<b>2,428.3</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>46.9</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation &amp; Utilities</b>	<b>335.3</b>	<b>332.2</b>	<b>336.8</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-1.5</b>
Wholesale Trade	51.8	51.1	50.3	0.7	1.5
Retail Trade	223.1	220.2	225.3	2.9	-2.2
Building Material and Garden Equipment and Supplies Dealers	15.6	15.7	15.7	-0.1	-0.1
Department Stores	27.5	26.8	28.3	0.7	-0.8
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	60.4	60.9	61.2	-0.5	-0.8
Utilities	7.0	7.0	7.0	0.0	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	53.4	53.9	54.2	-0.5	-0.8
<b>Information</b>	<b>62.2</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>63.2</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-1.0</b>
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>114.2</b>	<b>113.7</b>	<b>112.7</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>
Finance and insurance	75.2	75.1	74.4	0.1	0.8
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	37.5	37.4	37.5	0.1	0.0
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	39.0	38.6	38.3	0.4	0.7
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>611.9</b>	<b>613.7</b>	<b>586.2</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>25.7</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	423.6	420.2	402.4	3.4	21.2
Legal Services	42.4	42.9	41.9	-0.5	0.5
Architectural, Engineering, & Related Services	41.0	41.2	42.2	-0.2	-1.2
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	156.1	153.4	143.9	2.7	12.2
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	96.6	95.7	89.7	0.9	6.9
Management of Companies and Enterprises	34.3	33.6	31.5	0.7	2.8
Administrative & Support & Waste Management & Remediation Services	154.0	159.9	152.3	-5.9	1.7
Employment Services	35.5	36.8	34.9	-1.3	0.6
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	51.5	53.8	52.3	-2.3	-0.8
<b>Educational and Health Services</b>	<b>337.1</b>	<b>337.3</b>	<b>330.4</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>6.7</b>
Educational Services	101.3	104.2	103.5	-2.9	-2.2
Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools	55.7	57.6	59.8	-1.9	-4.1
Health Care and Social Assistance	235.8	233.1	226.9	2.7	8.9
Ambulatory Health Care Services	95.0	93.4	90.6	1.6	4.4
Hospitals	61.9	61.6	60.6	0.3	1.3
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	33.4	33.2	32.4	0.2	1.0
Social Assistance	45.5	44.9	43.3	0.6	2.2

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<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>250.2</b>	<b>250.1</b>	<b>247.4</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>2.8</b>
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	27.9	27.8	28.3	0.1	-0.4
Accommodation and Food Services	222.3	222.3	219.1	0.0	3.2
Accommodation	37.1	37.4	37.4	-0.3	-0.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	185.2	184.9	181.7	0.3	3.5
Full-Service Restaurants	90.3	90.9	91.0	-0.6	-0.7
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>166.1</b>	<b>165.5</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>
Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations	117.2	117.2	115.6	0.0	1.6
Business, Professional, Labor, Political, & Similar Organizations	44.5	44.8	43.4	-0.3	1.1
<b>Government</b>	<b>598.2</b>	<b>595.8</b>	<b>589.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>8.6</b>
Federal Government	317.0	313.2	314.2	3.8	2.8
State Government	88.3	88.2	84.9	0.1	3.4
Local Government	192.9	194.4	190.5	-1.5	2.4

a/ Not Seasonally Adjusted. Data may not equal totals due to independent rounding. Data reflect 2014 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; Clark County, VA; Fairfax County, VA; Fauquier County, VA; Loudoun County, VA; Prince William County, VA; Spotsylvania County, VA; Stafford County, VA; Warren County, VA; Rappahannock County, VA; Culpeper 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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