

OREGON EMPLOYMENT COVERED BY WORKERS' COMPENSATION, 2017 - 2021

The 2021 figures are preliminary estimates; final data are not expected to deviate more than 1% from these numbers.

The figures in the upper table are in thousands. Total may not equal the sum of Lines 1 through 21 due to rounding.

Industry Division (Data Source)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
1 Agriculture, forestry, fishing & hunting (a)	70.1	76.5	77.8	77.5	77.7
2 Mining (3)	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
3 Utilities (1)	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
4 Construction (1)	97.9	105.4	109.6	108.3	111.1
5 Manufacturing (1)	190.0	195.2	198.1	185.5	187.3
6 Wholesale trade (1)	75.0	75.6	76.6	74.2	74.9
7 Retail trade (1)	210.9	211.4	210.1	200.9	210.1
8 Transportation & warehousing (excl. Railroad & Pacific Maritime) (b)	55.5	57.9	63.0	67.2	70.0
9 Information (1)	34.2	34.3	35.1	33.3	35.1
10 Finance & insurance (1)	57.7	57.5	57.0	57.2	56.4
11 Real estate, rental & leasing (1)	42.3	44.8	46.5	45.4	47.1
12 Professional & technical services (1)	95.7	97.7	100.3	99.4	103.5
13 Management of companies & enterprises (1)	47.3	48.6	50.5	48.9	48.1
14 Administrative & Waste Services (1)	101.7	103.4	103.9	95.1	98.6
15 Educational services (1)	36.0	36.5	36.6	31.6	31.8
16 Health care & social assistance (1)	236.8	258.8	275.4	265.3	267.1
17 Arts, entertainment & recreation (1)	26.8	27.6	28.0	19.2	20.7
18 Accommodation & food services (1)	179.6	183.8	185.9	142.9	154.8
19 Other services, excl. public administration (1)	63.5	64.4	64.8	57.8	59.0
20 State government (1)	56.4	39.6	40.9	41.3	42.4
21 Local government (c)	215.6	217.5	219.4	205.2	205.7
Total W.C. Covered	1,899.4	1,943.1	1,986.1	1,862.8	1,908.0

Industry Code/Name (Data Source)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
22 NAICS 111 - Crop production, 112 - Animal production, & 115115 (2)	57,140	62,620	64,340	64,250	64,000
23 NAICS 113 - Forestry & logging (3)	5,602	5,711	5,512	5,230	5,211
24 113310 - Logging (1)	5,200	5,300	5,100	4,800	4,800
25 NAICS 114 - Fishing, hunting & trapping (3)	289	280	258	250	258
26 11411 - Fishing (3)	268	260	--	--	232
27 NAICS 115 - Agriculture & forestry support activity (3)	13,182	14,000	14,461	14,217	14,889
28 115115 - Farm labor contractors & crew leaders (2)	5,889	5,882	6,785	6,417	6,622
29 Transportation & warehousing (1)	58,500	60,900	65,800	69,700	72,500
30 Railroad (7)	2,080	2,095	1,908	1,656	1,585
31 Pacific Maritime (4)	931	910	881	871	932
32 Local government (1)	225,300	227,200	229,000	214,300	214,000
33 Portland Fire & Police (5)	1,524	1,535	1,510	1,543	1,454
34 Tribal government employees not covered by WC (6)	8,206	8,185	8,086	7,577	6,879

Information on methodology, data sources, and notes can be found on the next page.

Methodology

- (a) Sum of lines 22, 23, 25, and 27, minus lines 26, and 28, all divided by 1,000 and rounded to the nearest decimal.
- (b) Line 29 minus lines 30 and 31, all divided by 1,000 and rounded to the nearest decimal.
- (c) Line 32, minus lines 33 and 34, all divided by 1,000 and rounded to the nearest decimal.

Sources

- (1) Data from Current Employment Statistics (CES) program, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Oregon Employment Department (Form 790). Available online at: <https://www.qualityinfo.org/ed>. Oregon Employment Department, David Cooke, (503) 947-1272.
- (2) Agricultural estimates of UI-covered & non-covered workers. Estimate is based on Census of Agriculture results, unemployment insurance employment estimates, & various other sources. Oregon Employment Department, Dallas Fridley, (541) 645-0005.
- (3) Data from Oregon Employment Department quarterly tax reports submitted by employers as required by law (Program: Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages, previously "ES-202"). Available online at: <https://www.qualityinfo.org/ed>. Oregon Employment Department, Ken Lux, (503) 947-1248.
- (4) Data from Pacific Maritime Association Annual Report (<https://www.pmanet.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/PMA-AnnualReport-2020-web.pdf>)
- (5) City of Portland Fire and Police Disability and Retirement Fund, Stacy Jones, (503) 823-2609.
- (6) Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW) - data not available online, Ken Lux (503) 947-1248.
- (7) Current Employment Statistics (CES) - data not available online, David Cooke (503) 947-1272.

Notes

- In 2019 and 2020, under Oregon Employment Department confidentiality criteria, it was not possible to get an employment count for **11411 - Fishing**. The data have been updated for 2021.
Values for **Line 21 - Local government**, and **Line 20 - State government** were both revised back to 2014 by the Employment Department, due to the reclassification of public university employees from State Education (counted in State government employment) to Local Education (counted in Local government employment). This reclassification is reflected in the increase in values for **Line 21 - Local government**, and the decrease in values for **Line 20 - State government**.
- Beginning with the 2014-2018 publication, **Line 20 - State government** has been revised back to 2014 to use CES figures, in alignment with the Oregon Employment Department.
As of 2018, the Oregon Employment Department moved reporting of home care workers from **Line 20 - State government** to **Line 16 - Health care & social assistance**. Due to this change the lines for **State government, excluding home care workers** and **Home care workers**, found on previous publications of this document, were deemed no longer necessary. This reclassification is reflected in the increase in values for **Line 16 - Health care and social assistance**, and the decrease in values for **Line 20 - State government**.
- Counts may differ from previously published data because Employment Department data may have been revised since originally published.
- **Total W.C. Covered** figure includes employment for tribal employers opting for WC coverage.
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