

**Table 12.43-- AVERAGE AND TOTAL WEEKLY HOURS AT WORK:
1998 TO 2012**

[In thousands of persons and number of hours. No reports were issued for 2005 to 2007]

Subject	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Weekly hours at work	532	536	544	550	534	569	567	602	560	558	598	585
1 to 14 hours	25	25	26	28	24	26	25	29	31	29	30	29
15 to 29 hours	75	77	74	75	70	71	68	81	78	76	80	73
30 to 34 hours	59	44	39	48	39	41	44	44	58	53	46	44
35 to 39 hours	28	25	29	31	24	26	31	28	30	32	26	27
40 hours	217	230	243	235	253	279	276	293	255	262	309	303
41 to 48 hours	42	45	43	42	38	37	38	36	32	31	34	30
49 hours & over	87	90	91	91	87	89	85	91	76	75	74	79
Average hours												
Total at work	38.3	38.4	40.3	38.4	38.6	38.6	38.6	38.2	37.4	37.6	37.6	37.9
Persons who usually work full-time	42.4	42.7	43.9	42.4	42.3	42.3	42.1	41.9	41.1	41.4	41.5	41.7

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, *Geographic Profile of Employment and Unemployment, 2004* (Bulletin 2716) table 22 <<http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/laugp.htm>> accessed January 16, 2009; and *Ibid. 2008* (Bulletin 2737, March 2010), table 22 <http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/pdf/gp08_16.pdf> accessed March 2, 2010; *Ibid. 2009*, (Bulletin 2748, July 2010) table 22 <http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/pdf/gp09_22.pdf> accessed March 16, 2011; *Ibid. 2010*, table 22 <http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/pdf/gp10_22.pdf> accessed June 1, 2012; *Ibid. 2011*, table 22 <http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/pdf/gp11_22.pdf> accessed May 15, 2013; *Ibid. 2012*, table 22 <http://www.bls.gov/opub/gp/pdf/gp12_22.pdf> accessed March 4, 2014; and earlier reports.