

March 2011 Forecast

Category Breakdown

Total	Category	SVP Range	Job Zone	Education	Job Training
1,044	A	(Below 4.0)	Little or No Preparation Needed	Some of these occupations may require a high school diploma or GED certificate.	Employees in these occupations need anywhere from a few days to a few months of training. Usually, an experienced worker could show you how to do the job.
679	B	(4.0 to < 6.0)	Some Preparation Needed	These occupations usually require a high school diploma.	Employees in these occupations need anywhere from a few months to one year of working with experienced employees. A recognized apprenticeship program may be associated with these occupations.
1,258	C	(6.0 to < 7.0)	Medium Preparation Needed	Most occupations in this zone require training in vocational schools, related on-the-job experience, or an associate's degree.	Employees in these occupations usually need one or two years of training involving both on-the-job experience and informal training with experienced workers. A recognized apprenticeship program may be associated with these occupations.
652	D1	(7.0 to < 8.0)	Considerable Preparation Needed	Most of these occupations require a four-year bachelor's degree, but some do not.	Employees in these occupations usually need several years of work-related experience, on-the-job training, and/or vocational training.
48	D2	(8.0 and above)	Extensive Preparation Needed	Most of these occupations require graduate school. For example, they may require a master's degree, and some require a Ph.D., M.D., or J.D. (law degree).	Employees may need some on-the-job training, but most of these occupations assume that the person will already have the required skills, knowledge, work-related experience, and/or training.