

Region 10 Declining Occupations 2010-2020

SOC	Occupations	Employment		Net Change	Percent Change (%)
		2010	2020		
516064	Textile Winding, Twisting, and Drawing Out Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	980	560	-420	-42.86
516031	Sewing Machine Operators	520	310	-210	-40.38
516091	Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Synthetic and Glass Fibers	***	***	***	-38.10
435052	Postal Service Mail Carriers	380	320	-60	-15.79
516063	Textile Knitting and Weaving Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders	90	40	-50	-55.56
516021	Pressers, Textile, Garment, and Related Materials	130	90	-40	-30.77
435051	Postal Service Clerks	60	30	-30	-50.00
435053	Postal Service Mail Sorters, Processors, and Processing Machine Operators	50	20	-30	-60.00
439022	Word Processors and Typists	110	90	-20	-18.18
519151	Photographic Process Workers and Processing Machine Operators	***	***	***	-28.57
119131	Postmasters and Mail Superintendents	50	30	-20	-40.00
516061	Textile Bleaching and Dyeing Machine Operators and Tenders	***	***	***	-50.00
271023	Floral Designers	90	80	-10	-11.11
172112	Industrial Engineers	80	70	-10	-12.50
492094	Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial and Industrial Equipment	80	70	-10	-12.50
513011	Bakers	80	70	-10	-12.50
514193	Plating and Coating Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	40	30	-10	-25.00
517021	Furniture Finishers	***	***	***	-33.33
519191	Cementing and Gluing Machine Operators and Tenders	***	***	***	-33.33
513092	Food Batchmakers	20	10	-10	-50.00

Note: The 20 Occupations that are projected to experience the largest decline over the projected period were selected using the unrounded data plus and based on two variables: 1) net drop in employment over the reporting period; and, 2) percentage drop in employment over the reporting period.

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Totals in some occupational groups may not add due to exclusion of sub-groups and/or individual occupations with employment of less than 10 in the base (2010) and projected (2020) years or where publication of the occupation would violate confidentiality.

*** The data for these occupations are confidential according to standards provided by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

1. Employment is rounded to the nearest 10. 2. Average Annual Growth is compounded. 3. Openings are rounded to the nearest 5.