

| TABLE 2 | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS | | | | | | | | |
| | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 |
| Civilian Labor Force (in 1,000s) | | | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 26.8 | 26.8 | 27.4 | 29.0 | 29.5 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 30.1 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 33.0 | 32.9 | 32.8 | 32.0 | 31.9 | 32.8 | 32.7 | 33.8 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 107.2 | 106.2 | 104.4 | 103.6 | 104.7 | 104.7 | 104.2 | 105.7 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 159.1 | 158.0 | 155.6 | 155.4 | 155.5 | 156.0 | 155.5 | 158.0 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 50.2 | 49.7 | 51.5 | 69.3 | 71.2 | 74.1 | 74.4 | 77.3 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 16.9 | 17.3 | 18.0 | 21.2 | 22.2 | 22.5 | 24.2 | 24.3 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 68.3 | 67.9 | 68.2 | 69.9 | 69.9 | 70.4 | 69.6 | 70.7 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 19.0 | 18.4 | 19.3 | 22.6 | 22.9 | 24.0 | 23.7 | 24.3 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 15.1 | 15.2 | 15.0 | 13.8 | 13.9 | 14.0 | 14.1 | 14.3 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 314.4 | 312.3 | 307.8 | 304.8 | 306.0 | 307.5 | 306.5 | 311.8 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 447.5 | 444.3 | 444.4 | 471.0 | 475.9 | 481.6 | 481.5 | 490.4 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 495.6 | 492.4 | 492.2 | 516.8 | 521.7 | 528.4 | 528.3 | 538.5 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Employment (in 1,000s) | | | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 24.8 | 24.9 | 25.6 | 27.5 | 27.8 | 27.9 | 27.7 | 28.1 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 30.9 | 31.0 | 31.1 | 30.3 | 30.1 | 30.8 | 30.6 | 31.6 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 99.8 | 100.3 | 99.2 | 99.0 | 99.1 | 98.3 | 98.1 | 99.3 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 147.9 | 148.1 | 146.6 | 147.5 | 146.9 | 145.8 | 145.5 | 147.3 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 46.2 | 46.6 | 48.4 | 66.3 | 67.9 | 69.9 | 70.1 | 72.9 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 16.1 | 16.5 | 17.4 | 20.4 | 21.2 | 21.2 | 22.8 | 22.9 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 63.2 | 63.4 | 63.7 | 65.8 | 65.4 | 65.5 | 64.7 | 65.8 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 17.5 | 17.2 | 18.1 | 21.6 | 21.8 | 22.8 | 22.5 | 23.0 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 13.8 | 14.1 | 14.1 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.4 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 292.4 | 293.5 | 291.0 | 289.9 | 289.3 | 288.0 | 287.4 | 291.6 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 415.5 | 417.0 | 419.0 | 448.1 | 450.1 | 451.4 | 451.4 | 459.3 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 460.2 | 462.1 | 464.2 | 491.5 | 493.4 | 495.3 | 495.2 | 504.3 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment (in 1,000s) | | | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 2.4 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.2 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 7.5 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 4.6 | 5.7 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 6.4 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 11.2 | 9.9 | 8.9 | 8.0 | 8.6 | 10.1 | 10.0 | 10.7 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 4.0 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.4 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 5.1 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.9 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.3 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 22.4 | 18.8 | 16.7 | 15.0 | 16.8 | 19.2 | 19.1 | 20.2 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 32.1 | 27.5 | 25.3 | 22.9 | 25.9 | 30.0 | 30.1 | 31.1 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 35.8 | 30.5 | 27.8 | 25.3 | 28.4 | 32.8 | 33.1 | 34.2 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Unemployment Rate | | | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 7.1% | 7.1% | 6.6% | 5.2% | 5.7% | 6.8% | 7.3% | 6.5% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 7.3% | 5.8% | 5.2% | 5.2% | 5.7% | 6.2% | 6.6% | 6.6% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 7.0% | 5.6% | 5.1% | 4.5% | 5.4% | 6.0% | 5.8% | 6.0% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 7.0% | 6.3% | 5.7% | 5.1% | 5.5% | 6.5% | 6.4% | 6.8% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 8.0% | 6.6% | 6.0% | 4.2% | 4.7% | 5.7% | 5.8% | 5.7% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 5.3% | 4.6% | 3.3% | 3.8% | 4.7% | 5.6% | 5.6% | 5.8% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 7.5% | 6.6% | 6.6% | 5.8% | 6.4% | 6.9% | 7.1% | 7.0% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 7.9% | 6.5% | 5.7% | 4.5% | 4.9% | 5.1% | 5.1% | 5.2% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 8.6% | 7.2% | 5.3% | 4.8% | 5.1% | 6.0% | 5.9% | 6.2% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 7.1% | 6.0% | 5.4% | 4.9% | 5.5% | 6.2% | 6.2% | 6.5% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 7.2% | 6.2% | 5.7% | 4.9% | 5.4% | 6.2% | 6.3% | 6.3% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 7.2% | 6.2% | 5.6% | 4.9% | 5.4% | 6.2% | 6.3% | 6.4% |

Source: PA Dept of Labor and Industry

TABLE 2

Employment by Place of Work (Excludes most government employees, railroad employees, and self-employed persons.

| | Total Number Employed | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Total | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 14,101 | 13,669 | 14,426 | 14,384 | 13,532 | 13,287 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 23,428 | 23,129 | 24,886 | 24,541 | 24,442 | 23,663 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 88,987 | 88,100 | 93,383 | 94,447 | 90,351 | 90,855 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 120,673 | 120,560 | 127,328 | 127,970 | 124,838 | 123,599 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 36,985 | 37,302 | 40,698 | 41,183 | 42,471 | 41,895 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 5,485 | 5,317 | 5,445 | 5,556 | 6,172 | 6,530 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 42,915 | 43,238 | 43,676 | 43,440 | 42,908 | 41,379 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 12,656 | 13,020 | 13,160 | 13,470 | 13,444 | 13,812 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 8,982 | 8,784 | 8,194 | 9,400 | 8,403 | 8,455 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 242,070 | 240,573 | 253,791 | 256,358 | 248,034 | 246,572 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 321,802 | 321,206 | 338,116 | 340,450 | 333,716 | 331,357 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 354,212 | 353,119 | 371,196 | 374,391 | 366,561 | 363,475 |
| | | | | | | |
| Forestry, fishing, hunting, and agriculture support | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 18 | 18 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 10 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 7 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 6 | 2 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 8 | 27 | 13 | 13 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 2 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 34 | 38 | 54 | 29 | 43 | 36 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 12 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 25 | 27 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 77 | 37 | 166 | 153 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 90 | 90 | 103 | 62 | 195 | 180 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 86 | 88 | 93 | 83 | 98 | 87 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 156 | 158 | 180 | 132 | 282 | 258 |
| | | | | | | |
| Mining | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 60 | 63 | 11 | 0 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 18 | 18 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 60 | 60 | 88 | 93 | 89 | 73 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 224 | 144 | 183 | 283 | 181 | 1,348 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 60 | 34 | 41 | 40 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 26 | 35 | 6 | 11 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,006 | 874 | 788 | 551 | 481 | 461 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 24 | 60 | 28 | 27 | 47 | 46 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 60 | 63 | 79 | 58 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 354 | 274 | 341 | 448 | 367 | 1,497 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 1,494 | 1,318 | 1,233 | 1,086 | 856 | 1,979 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 1,564 | 1,388 | 1,303 | 1,158 | 953 | 2,055 |
| | | | | | | |
| Utilities | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 17 | 12 | 11 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 750 | 750 | 1,750 | 1,192 | 1,405 | 1,512 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 186 | 231 | 398 | 418 | 384 | 370 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,073 | 1,065 | 1,245 | 1,335 | 1,301 | 1,319 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 119 | 178 | 174 | 126 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 60 | 18 | 24 | 24 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 279 | 232 | 261 | 272 | 261 | 331 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 66 | 60 | 138 | 138 | 132 | 115 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 60 | 21 | 19 | 24 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 2,069 | 2,106 | 3,453 | 2,966 | 3,109 | 3,225 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 1,734 | 1,718 | 2,231 | 2,376 | 2,288 | 2,296 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 2,544 | 2,528 | 4,041 | 3,589 | 3,712 | 3,832 |

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Employment by Place of Work (Excludes most government employees, railroad employees, and self-employed persons.

| | Total Number Employed | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Construction | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 524 | 487 | 520 | 443 | 417 | 461 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 931 | 921 | 1,014 | 961 | 831 | 838 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 2,791 | 2,930 | 3,203 | 2,925 | 2,765 | 2,641 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 5,359 | 5,633 | 5,721 | 5,410 | 4,984 | 4,956 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,969 | 2,124 | 2,264 | 2,222 | 2,236 | 2,332 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 281 | 299 | 308 | 290 | 308 | 359 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,438 | 1,460 | 1,436 | 1,371 | 1,519 | 1,444 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 1,066 | 966 | 1,027 | 903 | 1,035 | 1,105 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 342 | 365 | 393 | 317 | 232 | 219 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 9,423 | 9,849 | 10,331 | 9,613 | 8,812 | 8,654 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 13,428 | 13,899 | 14,479 | 13,564 | 13,264 | 13,298 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 14,701 | 15,185 | 15,886 | 14,842 | 14,327 | 14,355 |
| | | | | | | |
| Manufacturing | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 3,508 | 3,175 | 3,107 | 2,959 | 2,698 | 2,281 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 8,239 | 7,915 | 8,360 | 7,460 | 7,733 | 7,607 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 16,087 | 15,753 | 15,324 | 16,649 | 13,013 | 12,674 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 23,026 | 22,159 | 21,722 | 21,032 | 20,255 | 19,856 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 5,216 | 5,173 | 5,434 | 5,369 | 5,195 | 4,922 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 308 | 304 | 292 | 284 | 359 | 325 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 14,572 | 14,907 | 13,942 | 13,146 | 12,224 | 11,264 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 1,035 | 1,010 | 978 | 986 | 830 | 877 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 3,098 | 2,970 | 2,925 | 3,007 | 2,956 | 2,864 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 50,450 | 48,797 | 48,331 | 48,148 | 43,957 | 43,001 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 63,752 | 62,481 | 60,799 | 60,425 | 54,574 | 52,199 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 75,089 | 73,366 | 72,084 | 70,892 | 65,263 | 62,670 |
| | | | | | | |
| Wholesale Trade | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 244 | 240 | 245 | 156 | 143 | 160 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 428 | 455 | 434 | 522 | 588 | 461 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 3,544 | 3,359 | 3,629 | 3,637 | 3,734 | 3,937 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 5,865 | 6,754 | 6,529 | 7,195 | 7,766 | 6,243 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 799 | 857 | 976 | 960 | 937 | 906 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 108 | 101 | 97 | 132 | 120 | 115 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,752 | 1,657 | 1,637 | 1,625 | 1,347 | 1,772 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 281 | 294 | 310 | 336 | 332 | 364 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 287 | 291 | 312 | 361 | 333 | 348 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 10,124 | 10,859 | 10,904 | 11,715 | 12,421 | 10,989 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 12,593 | 13,262 | 13,423 | 14,041 | 14,379 | 13,497 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 13,308 | 14,008 | 14,169 | 14,924 | 15,300 | 14,306 |
| | | | | | | |
| Retail Trade | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 1,968 | 1,984 | 2,012 | 2,120 | 2,159 | 2,207 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 3,346 | 3,638 | 3,614 | 3,564 | 3,438 | 3,427 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 13,420 | 12,891 | 13,391 | 13,476 | 13,716 | 13,693 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 18,011 | 17,925 | 18,914 | 18,681 | 18,663 | 18,265 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 7,575 | 7,736 | 8,773 | 8,728 | 9,197 | 9,053 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 1,162 | 1,195 | 1,151 | 1,225 | 1,186 | 1,171 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 7,075 | 7,012 | 7,410 | 7,765 | 7,396 | 6,680 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 2,386 | 2,603 | 2,659 | 2,686 | 2,793 | 2,716 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 1,236 | 1,204 | 1,183 | 1,210 | 1,217 | 1,261 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 36,013 | 35,658 | 37,102 | 36,931 | 37,034 | 36,646 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 51,597 | 51,346 | 54,310 | 54,681 | 55,110 | 53,785 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 56,179 | 56,188 | 59,107 | 59,455 | 59,765 | 58,473 |

| Employment by Place of Work (Excludes most government employees, railroad employees, and self-employed persons.) | Total Number Employed | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Transportation & Warehousing | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 217 | 292 | 234 | 226 | 308 | 290 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 285 | 295 | 320 | 301 | 298 | 576 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,904 | 2,108 | 2,128 | 2,226 | 2,228 | 3,827 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 4,598 | 4,348 | 4,356 | 3,977 | 4,331 | 6,316 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,173 | 1,069 | 1,184 | 1,367 | 1,183 | 2,760 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 106 | 56 | 59 | 110 | 143 | 115 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 902 | 1,020 | 1,012 | 1,131 | 1,094 | 2,507 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 274 | 242 | 278 | 313 | 310 | 300 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 1,005 | 929 | 570 | 1,595 | 487 | 541 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 7,792 | 7,680 | 7,374 | 8,099 | 7,344 | 11,260 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 9,174 | 9,135 | 9,251 | 9,350 | 9,597 | 16,115 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 10,464 | 10,359 | 10,141 | 11,246 | 10,382 | 17,232 |
| | | | | | | |
| Information | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 596 | 644 | 873 | 808 | 863 | 583 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 625 | 596 | 650 | 640 | 521 | 613 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 2,908 | 2,600 | 3,959 | 3,792 | 3,416 | 2,068 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 3,327 | 3,073 | 3,079 | 3,334 | 3,214 | 3,524 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 583 | 625 | 599 | 609 | 879 | 631 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 87 | 70 | 76 | 81 | 66 | 56 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 509 | 520 | 580 | 560 | 576 | 537 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 363 | 331 | 412 | 380 | 382 | 467 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 10 | 60 | 60 | 30 | 52 | 67 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 6,870 | 6,329 | 7,748 | 7,796 | 7,203 | 6,272 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 8,373 | 7,863 | 9,578 | 9,564 | 9,396 | 7,866 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 9,008 | 8,519 | 10,288 | 10,234 | 9,969 | 8,546 |
| | | | | | | |
| Finance & Insurance | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 438 | 438 | 389 | 401 | 421 | 383 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 588 | 600 | 606 | 776 | 603 | 593 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 4,426 | 4,236 | 4,668 | 4,710 | 4,797 | 5,935 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 5,607 | 5,855 | 5,622 | 5,646 | 5,699 | 5,257 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 888 | 890 | 912 | 966 | 1,060 | 1,074 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 113 | 97 | 115 | 160 | 178 | 206 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,553 | 1,432 | 1,298 | 1,332 | 1,435 | 1,413 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 543 | 512 | 580 | 548 | 565 | 604 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 219 | 208 | 214 | 215 | 222 | 185 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 10,840 | 10,899 | 11,110 | 11,347 | 11,321 | 11,970 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 13,568 | 13,460 | 13,584 | 13,763 | 14,155 | 14,872 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 14,375 | 14,268 | 14,404 | 14,754 | 14,980 | 15,650 |
| | | | | | | |
| Real Estate & Rental & Leasing | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 83 | 72 | 73 | 105 | 96 | 113 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 175 | 166 | 175 | 177 | 159 | 169 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 848 | 862 | 847 | 749 | 672 | 828 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,343 | 1,300 | 1,907 | 1,730 | 1,637 | 1,520 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 878 | 896 | 1,286 | 1,291 | 1,263 | 1,056 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 411 | 308 | 326 | 359 | 432 | 452 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 263 | 373 | 373 | 318 | 379 | 347 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 125 | 110 | 101 | 96 | 93 | 120 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 60 | 60 | 21 | 30 | 24 | 15 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 2,426 | 2,388 | 2,950 | 2,686 | 2,492 | 2,532 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 3,951 | 3,921 | 4,913 | 4,648 | 4,572 | 4,436 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 4,186 | 4,147 | 5,109 | 4,855 | 4,755 | 4,620 |

| Employment by Place of Work (Excludes most government employees, railroad employees, and self-employed persons.) | Total Number Employed | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Professional, Scientific & Technical Services | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 233 | 219 | 239 | 196 | 213 | 218 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 692 | 742 | 656 | 788 | 734 | 665 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 2,725 | 2,683 | 2,685 | 2,644 | 3,218 | 2,956 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 3,810 | 3,806 | 4,138 | 4,422 | 3,952 | 4,475 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,396 | 1,382 | 1,160 | 1,401 | 1,446 | 1,436 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 151 | 173 | 178 | 191 | 195 | 226 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 723 | 794 | 838 | 839 | 897 | 893 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 374 | 385 | 415 | 445 | 323 | 320 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 145 | 152 | 160 | 156 | 173 | 171 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 7,372 | 7,383 | 7,639 | 8,010 | 8,077 | 8,267 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 9,412 | 9,442 | 9,653 | 10,138 | 10,244 | 10,524 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 10,249 | 10,336 | 10,469 | 11,082 | 11,151 | 11,360 |
| | | | | | | |
| Management of Companies & Enterprises | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 122 | 376 | 216 | 54 | 57 | 115 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 189 | 54 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,825 | 1,914 | 1,463 | 1,506 | 2,035 | 1,752 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 2,499 | 1,963 | 2,276 | 2,374 | 2,402 | 2,314 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 175 | 60 | 12 | 19 | 6 | 43 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 375 | 175 | 175 | 137 | 119 | 125 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 300 | 296 | 183 | 219 | 256 | 326 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 21 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 10 | 10 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 4,344 | 3,897 | 3,759 | 3,902 | 4,633 | 4,127 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 5,306 | 4,794 | 4,335 | 4,313 | 4,877 | 4,696 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 5,326 | 4,814 | 4,355 | 4,335 | 5,073 | 4,757 |
| | | | | | | |
| Admin, Support, Waste Mgt, Remediation Services | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 961 | 925 | 1,046 | 1,104 | 253 | 279 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 593 | 700 | 737 | 1,019 | 1,490 | 953 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 4,159 | 4,657 | 4,546 | 5,015 | 3,944 | 4,718 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 6,365 | 6,433 | 9,631 | 10,340 | 6,279 | 6,410 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,360 | 1,366 | 1,515 | 1,946 | 1,555 | 1,250 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 59 | 58 | 60 | 84 | 83 | 72 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 838 | 780 | 830 | 853 | 1,204 | 1,035 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 342 | 427 | 400 | 435 | 497 | 538 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 305 | 329 | 175 | 373 | 495 | 400 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 11,422 | 12,119 | 15,089 | 16,747 | 12,208 | 12,481 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 14,084 | 14,646 | 18,028 | 19,777 | 13,815 | 14,302 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 14,982 | 15,675 | 18,940 | 21,169 | 15,800 | 15,655 |
| | | | | | | |
| Educational Services | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 85 | 148 | 141 | 98 | 114 | 110 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 78 | 60 | 60 | 63 | 66 | 98 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 5,255 | 5,316 | 5,410 | 5,501 | 5,716 | 5,825 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 3,353 | 3,635 | 3,630 | 3,842 | 3,932 | 3,888 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 341 | 368 | 370 | 335 | 378 | 302 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 60 | 117 | 155 | 208 | 46 | 39 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 347 | 367 | 390 | 416 | 363 | 377 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 73 | 70 | 73 | 64 | 58 | 70 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 175 | 175 | 175 | 175 | 175 | 175 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 8,861 | 9,186 | 9,275 | 9,581 | 9,889 | 9,986 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 9,514 | 10,021 | 10,169 | 10,464 | 10,607 | 10,611 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 9,767 | 10,256 | 10,404 | 10,702 | 10,848 | 10,884 |

TABLE 2

Employment by Place of Work (Excludes most government employees, railroad employees, and self-employed persons.

| | Total Number Employed | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
| Health Care and Social Assistance | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 1,778 | 1,828 | 1,939 | 2,111 | 2,305 | 2,389 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 3,144 | 3,067 | 3,202 | 3,257 | 2,864 | 2,840 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 16,202 | 16,231 | 17,419 | 17,201 | 16,927 | 17,086 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 20,701 | 20,674 | 20,248 | 19,795 | 20,420 | 20,912 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 3,958 | 3,864 | 4,334 | 4,491 | 5,202 | 5,317 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 394 | 459 | 504 | 484 | 713 | 683 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 6,278 | 6,528 | 7,117 | 7,215 | 7,336 | 6,918 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 2,061 | 2,045 | 2,200 | 2,279 | 2,208 | 2,321 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 979 | 927 | 914 | 883 | 889 | 1,009 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 41,026 | 40,899 | 41,783 | 41,136 | 41,100 | 41,847 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 51,372 | 51,629 | 53,761 | 53,576 | 55,111 | 55,626 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 55,495 | 55,623 | 57,877 | 57,716 | 58,864 | 59,475 |
| | | | | | | |
| Arts, Entertainment & Recreation | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 1,221 | 1,022 | 1,136 | 1,365 | 1,303 | 1,367 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 175 | 175 | 175 | 283 | 245 | 218 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 724 | 712 | 669 | 680 | 691 | 587 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,249 | 1,656 | 1,348 | 1,466 | 1,229 | 1,845 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 2,276 | 2,711 | 2,771 | 2,720 | 2,522 | 2,373 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 174 | 169 | 168 | 183 | 154 | 319 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 262 | 287 | 261 | 230 | 279 | 237 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 379 | 426 | 322 | 415 | 344 | 480 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 60 | 10 | 60 | 21 | 31 | 38 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 2,208 | 2,553 | 2,252 | 2,450 | 2,196 | 2,688 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 6,285 | 6,983 | 6,675 | 7,059 | 6,522 | 7,208 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 6,520 | 7,168 | 6,910 | 7,363 | 6,798 | 7,464 |
| | | | | | | |
| Accommodation & Food Services | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 1,460 | 1,176 | 1,642 | 1,603 | 1,567 | 1,687 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 2,436 | 2,097 | 2,474 | 2,336 | 1,937 | 2,048 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 7,527 | 7,240 | 7,480 | 7,692 | 7,630 | 7,719 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 9,511 | 9,337 | 9,728 | 10,217 | 11,556 | 10,669 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 6,668 | 6,388 | 6,534 | 6,029 | 6,196 | 6,301 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 1,122 | 1,135 | 1,211 | 1,048 | 1,373 | 1,495 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 2,804 | 2,848 | 2,844 | 2,624 | 2,516 | 2,746 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 2,247 | 2,385 | 2,344 | 2,427 | 2,497 | 2,406 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 645 | 670 | 682 | 633 | 581 | 657 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 20,119 | 19,344 | 20,364 | 20,878 | 21,704 | 21,093 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 31,339 | 30,509 | 31,783 | 31,640 | 33,335 | 33,023 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 34,420 | 33,276 | 34,939 | 34,609 | 35,853 | 35,728 |
| | | | | | | |
| Other Services (except Public Administration) | | | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 583 | 563 | 544 | 549 | 590 | 627 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 913 | 922 | 943 | 959 | 900 | 938 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 4,386 | 4,307 | 4,283 | 4,368 | 4,337 | 4,149 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 4,742 | 4,790 | 4,637 | 4,488 | 4,699 | 4,452 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,600 | 1,663 | 1,730 | 1,824 | 1,906 | 1,948 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 454 | 481 | 486 | 510 | 657 | 729 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,980 | 1,813 | 1,961 | 1,929 | 2,088 | 2,054 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 995 | 1,074 | 854 | 957 | 954 | 907 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 226 | 244 | 243 | 254 | 263 | 257 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 10,267 | 10,263 | 10,106 | 10,069 | 10,199 | 9,796 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 14,740 | 14,691 | 14,495 | 14,625 | 15,231 | 14,866 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 15,879 | 15,857 | 15,681 | 15,838 | 16,394 | 16,061 |

Source: County Business Patterns

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| Resident Employment Reported by Group Occupation | 1990 | 1990 | 2000 | 2000 |
|---|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| | Number | % Dist | Number | % Dist |
| Total | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 24,290 | 100.0% | 26,458 | 100.0% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 28,882 | 100.0% | 29,906 | 100.0% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 97,407 | 100.0% | 96,290 | 100.0% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 143,046 | 100.0% | 143,492 | 100.0% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 45,021 | 100.0% | 63,598 | 100.0% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 12,528 | 100.0% | 19,639 | 100.0% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 64,562 | 100.0% | 63,902 | 100.0% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 17,487 | 100.0% | 20,222 | 100.0% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 12,729 | 100.0% | 12,788 | 100.0% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 282,064 | 100.0% | 282,476 | 100.0% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 404,341 | 100.0% | 433,601 | 100.0% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 445,952 | 100.0% | 476,295 | 100.0% |
| | | | | |
| Management, professional, & related | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 3,875 | 16.0% | 6,041 | 22.8% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 5,322 | 18.4% | 7,114 | 23.8% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 21,903 | 22.5% | 28,497 | 29.6% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 30,207 | 21.1% | 39,817 | 27.7% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 9,694 | 21.5% | 18,756 | 29.5% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 2,690 | 21.5% | 5,618 | 28.6% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 10,674 | 16.5% | 15,125 | 23.7% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 3,237 | 18.5% | 5,414 | 26.8% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 2,476 | 19.5% | 3,306 | 25.9% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 59,908 | 21.2% | 78,734 | 27.9% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 82,280 | 20.3% | 119,268 | 27.5% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 90,078 | 20.2% | 129,688 | 27.2% |
| | | | | |
| Service | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 3,215 | 13.2% | 3,946 | 14.9% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 4,040 | 14.0% | 4,847 | 16.2% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 13,383 | 13.7% | 14,994 | 15.6% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 19,770 | 13.8% | 21,777 | 15.2% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 6,482 | 14.4% | 9,953 | 15.6% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 1,860 | 14.8% | 3,451 | 17.6% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 7,553 | 11.7% | 9,188 | 14.4% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 2,561 | 14.6% | 3,517 | 17.4% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 1,663 | 13.1% | 1,984 | 15.5% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 38,856 | 13.8% | 43,602 | 15.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 54,824 | 13.6% | 66,826 | 15.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 60,527 | 13.6% | 73,657 | 15.5% |
| | | | | |
| Sales & office | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 5,952 | 24.5% | 6,517 | 24.6% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 7,406 | 25.6% | 7,613 | 25.5% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 30,160 | 31.0% | 28,025 | 29.1% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 44,510 | 31.1% | 40,282 | 28.1% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 13,907 | 30.9% | 17,422 | 27.4% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 3,782 | 30.2% | 5,230 | 26.6% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 15,501 | 24.0% | 14,585 | 22.8% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 4,552 | 26.0% | 4,987 | 24.7% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 3,438 | 27.0% | 2,965 | 23.2% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 85,514 | 30.3% | 78,885 | 27.9% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 118,364 | 29.3% | 117,048 | 27.0% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 129,208 | 29.0% | 127,626 | 26.8% |

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| Resident Employment Reported by Group Occupation | 1990 | 1990 | 2000 | 2000 |
|---|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Number | % Dist | Number | % Dist |
| Farming, fishing, & forestry | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 264 | 1.1% | 45 | 0.2% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 831 | 2.9% | 258 | 0.9% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 665 | 0.7% | 176 | 0.2% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,364 | 1.0% | 283 | 0.2% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 626 | 1.4% | 102 | 0.2% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 270 | 2.2% | 69 | 0.4% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,013 | 1.6% | 312 | 0.5% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 887 | 5.1% | 221 | 1.1% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 458 | 3.6% | 144 | 1.1% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 3,318 | 1.2% | 861 | 0.3% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 5,089 | 1.3% | 1,208 | 0.3% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 6,378 | 1.4% | 1,610 | 0.3% |
| Construction, extraction, & maintenance | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 3,781 | 15.6% | 3,425 | 12.9% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 3,747 | 13.0% | 2,856 | 9.5% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 11,544 | 11.9% | 7,890 | 8.2% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 17,496 | 12.2% | 14,052 | 9.8% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 6,434 | 14.3% | 7,120 | 11.2% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 2,107 | 16.8% | 2,467 | 12.6% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 9,923 | 15.4% | 7,500 | 11.7% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 2,833 | 16.2% | 2,692 | 13.3% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 1,860 | 14.6% | 1,711 | 13.4% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 34,647 | 12.3% | 26,509 | 9.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 54,118 | 13.4% | 45,146 | 10.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 59,725 | 13.4% | 49,713 | 10.4% |
| Production, transportaion, & material moving | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 7,203 | 29.7% | 6,484 | 24.5% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 7,536 | 26.1% | 7,218 | 24.1% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 19,752 | 20.3% | 16,708 | 17.4% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 29,699 | 20.8% | 27,281 | 19.0% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 7,878 | 17.5% | 10,245 | 16.1% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 1,819 | 14.5% | 2,804 | 14.3% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 19,898 | 30.8% | 17,192 | 26.9% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 3,417 | 19.5% | 3,391 | 16.8% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 2,834 | 22.3% | 2,678 | 20.9% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 59,821 | 21.2% | 53,885 | 19.1% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 89,666 | 22.2% | 84,105 | 19.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 100,036 | 22.4% | 94,001 | 19.7% |

Source: Census of Population and Housing

| Employed Residents Working Away from Home | 1990 | 2000 |
|---|---------|---------|
| | Number | Number |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 21,699 | 25,438 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 28,405 | 28,564 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 93,895 | 92,621 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 138,074 | 138,265 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 42,896 | 60,245 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 11,900 | 18,643 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 61,848 | 61,071 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 16,289 | 19,080 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 12,064 | 12,015 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 272,438 | 271,465 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 386,601 | 415,363 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 427,070 | 455,942 |

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|---|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| Commuting Times | 1990 | 1990 | 2000 | 2000 |
| | Number | % Dist | Number | % Dist |
| Worked at Home | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 711 | 3.0% | 430 | 1.7% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 923 | 3.3% | 770 | 2.6% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 1,615 | 1.7% | 1,911 | 2.0% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 2,676 | 1.9% | 2,903 | 2.1% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 1,419 | 3.2% | 2,026 | 3.3% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 413 | 3.4% | 659 | 3.4% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 1,569 | 2.5% | 1,631 | 2.6% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 882 | 5.1% | 829 | 4.2% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 468 | 3.7% | 449 | 3.6% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 5,682 | 2.1% | 6,033 | 2.2% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 9,285 | 2.3% | 10,389 | 2.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 10,676 | 2.4% | 11,608 | 2.5% |
| Less than 15 Minutes | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 9,340 | 39.2% | 8,145 | 31.5% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 12,102 | 42.7% | 11,345 | 38.7% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 42,081 | 44.1% | 37,855 | 40.0% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 55,721 | 39.6% | 50,814 | 36.0% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 16,414 | 37.0% | 16,359 | 26.3% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 3,989 | 32.4% | 3,648 | 18.9% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 25,077 | 39.5% | 21,665 | 34.6% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 6,729 | 39.2% | 6,412 | 32.2% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 3,754 | 30.0% | 3,185 | 25.6% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 113,658 | 41.0% | 103,199 | 37.2% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 159,351 | 40.1% | 144,898 | 34.0% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 175,207 | 40.0% | 159,428 | 34.1% |
| 15 - 29 Minutes | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 6,206 | 26.0% | 6,440 | 24.9% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 9,859 | 34.8% | 10,512 | 35.8% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 37,535 | 39.3% | 38,244 | 40.5% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 56,734 | 40.3% | 57,821 | 41.0% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 13,167 | 29.7% | 17,892 | 28.7% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 3,275 | 26.6% | 3,788 | 19.6% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 21,160 | 33.4% | 20,216 | 32.2% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 5,142 | 29.9% | 6,134 | 30.8% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 4,674 | 37.3% | 4,473 | 35.9% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 108,802 | 39.3% | 111,050 | 40.0% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 143,219 | 36.0% | 150,535 | 35.4% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 157,752 | 36.0% | 165,520 | 35.4% |
| 30 Minutes or More | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 7,569 | 31.8% | 10,853 | 42.0% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 5,444 | 19.2% | 6,707 | 22.9% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 14,279 | 15.0% | 16,522 | 17.5% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 25,619 | 18.2% | 29,630 | 21.0% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 13,315 | 30.0% | 25,993 | 41.7% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 4,636 | 37.7% | 11,207 | 58.1% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 15,611 | 24.6% | 19,190 | 30.6% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 4,418 | 25.7% | 6,534 | 32.8% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 3,636 | 29.0% | 4,357 | 35.0% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 48,978 | 17.7% | 57,216 | 20.6% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 85,447 | 21.5% | 119,929 | 28.2% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 94,527 | 21.6% | 130,993 | 28.0% |
| Mean Travel Time to Work (Minutes) | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 22.4 | | 29.2 | |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 17.9 | | 21.1 | |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 16.8 | | 19.8 | |

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| | | |
|---|------|------|
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 18.2 | 21.2 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 24.0 | 26.7 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 27.5 | 46.0 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 20.4 | 24.9 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 20.0 | 26.3 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 21.4 | 26.2 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 17.8 | 20.9 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 19.5 | 24.1 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 19.4 | 23.9 |

Source: Census of Population and Housing

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| Labor Participation Rate | 1990 | 2000 |
|---|---------|---------|
| Persons 16 Years and Over | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 45,311 | 47,244 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 51,034 | 52,499 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 176,590 | 172,253 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 266,452 | 260,412 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 74,352 | 105,937 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 21,532 | 35,354 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 122,962 | 122,842 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 30,940 | 37,677 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 21,257 | 21,870 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 515,333 | 507,034 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 738,139 | 781,719 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 810,430 | 856,088 |
| Persons in the Labor Force | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 26,044 | 28,020 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 30,634 | 32,403 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 103,352 | 101,831 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 152,585 | 151,869 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 47,851 | 68,132 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 13,275 | 20,779 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 68,567 | 67,989 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 18,437 | 21,490 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 13,518 | 13,466 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 300,089 | 299,569 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 430,111 | 460,110 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 474,263 | 505,979 |
| Percent of Persons in the Labor Force | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 57.5% | 59.3% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 60.0% | 61.7% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 58.5% | 59.1% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 57.3% | 58.3% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 64.4% | 64.3% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 61.7% | 58.8% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 55.8% | 55.3% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 59.6% | 57.0% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 63.6% | 61.6% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 58.2% | 59.1% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 58.3% | 58.9% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 58.5% | 59.1% |
| Males 16 Years and Over | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 21,406 | 22,785 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 23,695 | 24,596 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 80,295 | 79,532 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 123,811 | 123,406 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 36,149 | 51,570 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 10,571 | 17,367 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 58,181 | 60,487 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 15,193 | 18,693 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 10,365 | 10,630 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 238,166 | 238,164 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 345,606 | 373,840 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 379,666 | 409,066 |

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| Males in the Labor Force | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 14,709 | 15,347 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 16,501 | 16,781 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 55,821 | 53,631 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 84,043 | 81,248 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 27,190 | 37,089 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 7,501 | 11,465 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 38,821 | 37,422 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 15,193 | 11,585 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 7,863 | 7,407 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 164,228 | 159,067 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 243,278 | 247,787 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 267,642 | 271,975 |
| Percent of Males in the Labor Force | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 68.7% | 67.4% |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 69.6% | 68.2% |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 69.5% | 67.4% |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 67.9% | 65.8% |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 75.2% | 71.9% |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 71.0% | 66.0% |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 66.7% | 61.9% |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 68.8% | 62.0% |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 78.9% | 69.7% |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 69.0% | 66.8% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 70.4% | 66.3% |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 70.5% | 66.5% |
| Females 16 Years and Over | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 23,905 | 24,459 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 27,339 | 27,903 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 96,295 | 92,721 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 142,641 | 137,006 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 38,203 | 54,367 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 10,961 | 17,987 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 64,781 | 62,355 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 15,747 | 18,984 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 10,892 | 11,240 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 277,167 | 268,870 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 392,533 | 407,879 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 430,764 | 447,022 |
| Females in the Labor Force | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 11,335 | 12,673 |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 14,133 | 15,622 |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 47,531 | 48,200 |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 68,542 | 70,621 |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 20,661 | 31,043 |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 5,774 | 9,314 |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 29,746 | 30,567 |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 7,989 | 9,905 |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 5,655 | 6,059 |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 135,861 | 140,502 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 191,578 | 212,323 |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 211,366 | 234,004 |

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| Labor Participation Rate | 1990 | 2000 | | |
| Percent of Females in the Labor Force | | | | |
| Carbon County(2) & (3) | 47.4% | 51.8% | | |
| Columbia County(1) & (3) | 51.7% | 56.0% | | |
| Lackawanna County(1), (2), & (3) | 49.4% | 52.0% | | |
| Luzerne County(1), (2), & (3) | 48.1% | 51.5% | | |
| Monroe County(2) & (3) | 54.1% | 57.1% | | |
| Pike County(2) & (3) | 52.7% | 51.8% | | |
| Schuylkill County(2) & (3) | 45.9% | 49.0% | | |
| Wayne County(2) & (3) | 50.7% | 52.2% | | |
| Wyoming County(1) & (3) | 51.9% | 53.9% | | |
| Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton MSA(1) | 49.0% | 52.3% | | |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties(2) | 48.8% | 52.1% | | |
| NEPA Alliance 7 counties plus rest of SWBH MSA(3) | 49.1% | 52.3% | | |
| Source: Census of Population and Housing | | | | |
| Education & Labor Force | Enrollment | Graduates | | |
| High School (Public/Private) | NA | NA | | |
| High School Students Enrolling in College | NA | NA | | |
| Community College (Full-Time) | NA | NA | | |
| 4-Year University (Full-Time) | NA | NA | | |
| Military Presence | Civilian Employment | Military Personnel | Annual No. of Military Personnel | No. of Military Dependents |
| Names of Installations | | | | |
| Tobyhanna Army Depot | 3,700 | NA | | |
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| | | | | |
| Total | 3,700 | NA | | |
| Updated: 3/10/2006 | | | | |