

**2000 Census Summary
Merced County
Occupation & Industry Characteristics**

	Number	Percentage
Employed Civilian Population 16 Years and Over	75,321	
OCCUPATION		
Management, professional, and related occupations	19,285	25.6
Service occupations	11,876	15.8
Sales and office occupations	16,560	22.0
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	6,529	8.7
Construction, extraction, and maintenance occupations	7,946	10.5
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	13,125	17.4
INDUSTRY		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	9,378	12.5
Construction	5,081	6.7
Manufacturing	9,781	13.0
Wholesale trade	3,383	4.5
Retail trade	8,071	10.7
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	3,620	4.8
Information	2,034	2.7
Finance, insurance, real estate, and rental and leasing	2,533	3.4
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, and waste management services	4,547	6.0
Educational, health and social services	15,296	20.3
Arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services	5,158	6.8
Other services (except public administration)	3,241	4.3
Public administration	3,198	4.2

Table DP-3: Profile of Selected Economic Characteristics