

Buyers and Purchasing Agents, Farm Products (13-1021)

Occupation description: Purchase farm products either for further processing or resale. Includes tree farm contractors, grain brokers and market operators, grain buyers, and tobacco buyers.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2014 estimate	2024 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	12,900	13,500	4.6	60	270	330

Job outlook

Alaska: The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

2016 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	30.73	15.54	20.83	28.09	37.14	49.23

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
15	1	6.7	40.0	26.7

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	9
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	7
UI claimants previously working in occupation	4

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	39
Number of job position postings	7
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	5.6

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Bachelor's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Moderate-term on-the-job training

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