

Broadcast Technicians (27-4012)

Occupation description: Set up, operate, and maintain the electronic equipment used to transmit radio and television programs. Control audio equipment to regulate volume level and quality of sound during radio and television broadcasts. Operate transmitter to broadcast radio or television programs.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2014 estimate	2024 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	105	93	-11.4	0	2	2
United States	30,100	28,200	-6.5	0	570	570

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2015 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	21.18	9.15	11.99	18.02	28.13	38.11
Alaska	18.25	9.87	13.20	17.90	22.39	27.47
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	17.98	9.78	11.86	17.02	23.38	28.26

Labor Force Indicators

2015 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
98	13	13.3	37.1	30.3

2015 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	54
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	12
UI claimants previously working in occupation	4

2015 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	46
Number of job position postings	2
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	23.0

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

Education: Associate's degree

Work experience: None

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

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