

## Physical Scientists, All Other (19-2099)

Occupation description: All physical scientists not listed separately.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	144	145	0.7	3	8	11
United States	23,500	25,100	7.2	400	1,400	1,970

#### Job outlook

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

### 2019 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	53.88	24.85	37.24	52.84	66.97	79.46
Alaska	48.22	33.75	41.75	47.01	56.00	60.52
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	51.37	39.14	43.06	50.88	57.41	60.52

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
111	13	11.7	50.5	37.1

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	17
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	11
UI claimants previously working in occupation	2

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	13
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

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

Education: Bachelor's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

## Training Resources

### Degree

#### University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)

Natural Sciences

BS

### Degree

#### University of Alaska Southeast, Juneau (Juneau)

Associate of Science

AS

Marine Technology

AAS

Marine Technology

CT2

### Degree

#### University of Alaska Southeast, Ketchikan (Ketchikan)

Associate of Science

AS

### Degree

#### University of Alaska Southeast, Sitka (Sitka)

Associate of Science

AS

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