

## Cooks, All Other (35-2019)

Occupation description: All cooks not listed separately.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	626	663	5.9	38	52	94
United States	17,800	19,400	9.0	1,100	1,500	2,760

#### Job outlook

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

### 2019 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	15.50	9.64	11.99	14.79	18.22	22.05
Alaska	16.41	13.06	14.93	16.69	18.30	19.36
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	17.02	13.01	15.00	17.18	19.14	21.43
Balance of State	16.02	13.21	15.01	16.47	17.88	18.72

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
1,231	369	30.0	47.2	37.5

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	339
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	119
UI claimants previously working in occupation	219

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	1,312
Number of job position postings	119
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	11.0

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

**Education:** No formal educational credential

**Work experience:** None

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

## Training Resources

	<b>Degree</b>
Culinary Arts	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>Alaska CHARR (Anchorage)</b>	
ServSafe	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>Alaska Hospitality Retailers (Anchorage)</b>	
Certified Food Protection Manager	Certificate
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>Alaska Job Corps (Palmer)</b>	
Culinary Arts	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>Alaska Technical Center (Kotzebue)</b>	
Culinary Arts	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>AVTEC (Seward)</b>	
Basic Shipboard Culinary Training	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>Partners for Progress in Delta, Inc (Delta Junction)</b>	
Certified Food Protection Manager Certification	
Cottage Foods	
	<b>Degree</b>
<b>University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)</b>	
Culinary Arts	AAS