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| NORTHEAST REGION                                 | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                 |  |                          |
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|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL           | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 10 289 741                       | 2 134 201                       | 1 433 819                                    | 66 782                             | 672 688                         | 4 024 522                                    | 384 700                           | 77 628                          | 742 783                                      | 752 618                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 5 011 279                        | 1 339 164                       | 716 919                                      | 20 986                             | 424 890                         | 1 959 331                                    | 105 183                           | 31 982                          | 249 735                                      | 163 089                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 3 033 290                        | 788 133                         | 406 621                                      | 13 404                             | 268 195                         | 1 193 761                                    | 68 840                            | 20 371                          | 158 488                                      | 115 477                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 753 617                        | 726 886                         | 378 378                                      | 12 034                             | 244 553                         | 1 080 821                                    | 60 717                            | 17 256                          | 135 906                                      | 97 066                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 2 195 629                        | 571 178                         | 301 732                                      | 9 093                              | 197 692                         | 870 154                                      | 46 155                            | 13 935                          | 110 087                                      | 75 603                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 1 660 839                        | 406 675                         | 242 326                                      | 6 376                              | 145 584                         | 682 988                                      | 33 183                            | 9 931                           | 82 445                                       | 51 331                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 557 988                          | 155 708                         | 76 646                                       | 2 941                              | 46 861                          | 210 667                                      | 14 562                            | 3 321                           | 28 819                                       | 21 463                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 279 673                          | 61 247                          | 28 243                                       | 1 770                              | 23 640                          | 117 040                                      | 8 258                             | 3 155                           | 22 582                                       | 18 411                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 185 524                          | 51 540                          | 19 630                                       | 804                                | 17 031                          | 76 526                                       | 4 912                             | 2 155                           | 15 558                                       | 11 368                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 144 856                          | 27 262                          | 16 134                                       | 616                                | 13 270                          | 62 017                                       | 3 707                             | 1 718                           | 12 353                                       | 7 779                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 94 149                           | 23 707                          | 8 613  | 566                                | 6 611                           | 36 414                                       | 3 211                             | 960                             | 7 024  | 7 043                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 1 709 745                        | 474 784                         | 275 723                                      | 6 090                              | 137 119                         | 676 516                                      | 28 461                            | 8 448                           | 69 746                                       | 32 858                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 596 756                        | 453 448                         | 262 421                                      | 5 695                              | 128 115                         | 626 036                                      | 25 318                            | 7 264                           | 60 858                                       | 27 601                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 428 942                        | 406 828                         | 241 562                                      | 5 120                              | 114 551                         | 557 778                                      | 22 076                            | 6 133                           | 51 851                                       | 23 043                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 112 989                          | 21 336                          | 13 302                                       | 395                                | 9 004                           | 50 480                                       | 3 143                             | 1 184                           | 8 888  | 5 257                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 148 924                          | 41 640                          | 19 119                                       | 801                                | 11 827                          | 49 786                                       | 4 086                             | 1 839                           | 12 147                                       | 7 679                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 117 415                          | 32 984                          | 15 160                                       | 610                                | 9 413                           | 39 421                                       | 3 047                             | 1 447                           | 9 634  | 5 699                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 93 927                           | 24 467                          | 12 868                                       | 454                                | 7 479                           | 32 962                                       | 2 385                             | 1 173                           | 7 964  | 4 175                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31 509                           | 8 656                           | 3 959  | 191                                | 2 414                           | 10 365                                       | 1 039                             | 392                             | 2 513  | 1 980                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 119 320                          | 34 607                          | 15 456                                       | 691                                | 7 749                           | 39 268                                       | 3 796                             | 1 324                           | 9 354  | 7 075                    |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 52 674                           | 15 949                          | 7 084  | 307                                | 3 510                           | 16 741                                       | 1 668                             | 564                             | 3 751  | 3 100                    |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 20 379                           | 5 520                           | 2 221  | 124                                | 1 280                           | 6 953  | 762                               | 239                             | 1 892  | 1 388                    |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 46 267                           | 13 138                          | 6 151  | 260                                | 2 959                           | 15 574                                       | 1 366                             | 521                             | 3 711  | 2 887                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 3 526 452                        | 657 270                         | 587 796                                      | 25 478                             | 167 472                         | 1 495 942                                    | 147 599                           | 17 354                          | 227 557                                      | 199 984                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 3 145 596                        | 617 519                         | 547 985                                      | 21 694                             | 150 492                         | 1 351 730                                    | 122 901                           | 15 876                          | 184 071                                      | 155 328                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 2 773 024                        | 534 707                         | 498 323                                      | 18 815                             | 132 760                         | 1 170 002                                    | 105 214                           | 11 710                          | 133 928                                      | 127 565                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 380 856                          | 39 751                          | 39 811                                       | 3 784                              | 16 980                          | 164 212                                      | 24 698                            | 3 478                           | 43 486                                       | 44 656                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 425 713                          | 43 543                          | 33 474                                       | 2 960                              | 30 009                          | 169 577                                      | 21 360                            | 7 801                           | 67 192                                       | 49 797                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 315 293                          | 31 828                          | 24 996                                       | 2 049                              | 22 783                          | 128 383                                      | 14 948                            | 5 901                           | 50 218                                       | 34 187                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 248 618                          | 23 438                          | 20 573                                       | 1 519                              | 17 946                          | 104 609                                      | 10 982                            | 4 512                           | 39 791                                       | 25 248                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 110 420                          | 11 715                          | 8 478  | 911                                | 7 226                           | 41 194                                       | 6 412                             | 1 900                           | 16 974                                       | 15 610                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 326 297                        | 94 224                          | 95 630                                       | 17 358                             | 50 317                          | 399 672                                      | 110 558                           | 20 491                          | 198 299                                      | 339 748                  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | \$22 448                         | \$32 803                        | \$26 786                                     | \$17 487                           | \$23 174                        | \$20 302                                     | \$13 374                          | \$15 588                        | \$13 987                                     | \$9 779                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$27 998                         | \$34 350                        | \$29 438                                     | \$26 351                           | \$27 054                        | \$24 994                                     | \$22 077                          | \$24 791                        | \$22 576                                     | \$21 017                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$29 117                         | \$35 583                        | \$30 573                                     | \$27 148                           | \$28 491                        | \$26 248                                     | \$23 185                          | \$26 663                        | \$24 055                                     | \$22 105                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$30 192                         | \$36 749                        | \$31 470                                     | \$28 368                           | \$29 327                        | \$27 180                                     | \$24 198                          | \$28 003                        | \$25 220                                     | \$23 150                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$31 552                         | \$38 272                        | \$32 827                                     | \$29 879                           | \$30 519                        | \$28 603                                     | \$25 560                          | \$29 251                        | \$26 427                                     | \$24 090                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$32 245                         | \$39 233                        | \$33 660                                     | \$31 029                           | \$31 087                        | \$29 375                                     | \$26 245                          | \$30 119                        | \$27 044                                     | \$24 470                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$24 839                         | \$31 160                        | \$26 131                                     | \$23 694                           | \$24 301                        | \$21 303                                     | \$19 880                          | \$22 765                        | \$20 076                                     | \$19 837                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$18 529                         | \$21 751                        | \$18 543                                     | \$16 436                           | \$19 835                        | \$17 333                                     | \$15 613                          | \$19 242                        | \$17 042                                     | \$16 599                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 452                         | \$23 100                        | \$20 532                                     | \$18 702                           | \$21 615                        | \$19 542                                     | \$17 932                          | \$21 668                        | \$19 116                                     | \$18 762                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$20 909                         | \$23 580                        | \$21 107                                     | \$19 385                           | \$22 236                        | \$20 104                                     | \$18 431                          | \$21 917                        | \$19 414                                     | \$18 745                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$14 741                         | \$19 615                        | \$14 011                                     | \$13 216                           | \$15 250                        | \$12 690                                     | \$12 065                          | \$13 797                        | \$12 448                                     | \$13 109                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$27 242                         | \$33 791                        | \$28 815                                     | \$26 560                           | \$25 093                        | \$23 681                                     | \$21 342                          | \$23 108                        | \$21 477                                     | \$20 216                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$28 083                         | \$34 519                        | \$29 453                                     | \$27 309                           | \$25 732                        | \$24 429                                     | \$22 317                          | \$24 537                        | \$22 617                                     | \$21 837                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$28 520                         | \$34 998                        | \$29 800                                     | \$27 660                           | \$26 055                        | \$24 812                                     | \$22 757                          | \$25 094                        | \$22 975                                     | \$21 521                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 355                         | \$18 320                        | \$16 210                                     | \$15 770                           | \$15 994                        | \$14 405                                     | \$13 491                          | \$14 341                        | \$13 677                                     | \$13 332                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$21 324                         | \$25 334                        | \$21 755                                     | \$19 316                           | \$22 372                        | \$19 870                                     | \$16 887                          | \$19 185                        | \$17 181                                     | \$15 959                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$22 795                         | \$26 665                        | \$23 097                                     | \$20 990                           | \$23 820                        | \$21 451                                     | \$18 253                          | \$20 608                        | \$18 619                                     | \$17 442                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$23 039                         | \$27 099                        | \$23 177                                     | \$21 007                           | \$23 796                        | \$21 923                                     | \$18 346                          | \$20 332                        | \$19 076                                     | \$17 495                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 843                         | \$20 264                        | \$16 619                                     | \$13 968                           | \$16 722                        | \$13 857                                     | \$12 881                          | \$13 931                        | \$11 671                                     | \$11 691                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$18 727                         | \$24 798                        | \$20 233                                     | \$17 197                           | \$19 196                        | \$15 971                                     | \$13 096                          | \$14 509                        | \$12 702                                     | \$12 457                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$23 089                         | \$30 101                        | \$24 319                                     | \$20 201                           | \$24 362                        | \$19 788                                     | \$15 917                          | \$16 703                        | \$15 526                                     | \$15 038                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$10 752                         | \$14 889                        | \$10 763                                     | \$7 861                            | \$9 851                         | \$9 065                                      | \$8 058                           | \$11 000                        | \$8 581                                      | \$8 217                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 274                         | \$22 522                        | \$18 946                                     | \$18 101                           | \$17 109                        | \$14 950                                     | \$12 462                          | \$13 743                        | \$11 949                                     | \$11 639                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$23 744                         | \$35 366                        | \$28 485                                     | \$21 987                           | \$21 651                        | \$20 183                                     | \$16 535                          | \$16 877                        | \$16 435                                     | \$14 455                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 380                         | \$36 771                        | \$29 622                                     | \$24 251                           | \$22 941                        | \$21 422                                     | \$18 215                          | \$18 951                        | \$18 214                                     | \$16 316                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$26 024                         | \$37 332                        | \$30 160                                     | \$25 163                           | \$23 489                        | \$21 910                                     | \$18 734                          | \$19 459                        | \$18 692                                     | \$16 658                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$10 230                         | \$13 540                        | \$12 836                                     | \$9 010                            | \$10 221                        | \$10 133                                     | \$8 178                           | \$8 603                         | \$8 904                                      | \$7 981                  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$10 631                         | \$13 612                        | \$11 315                                     | \$9 209                            | \$13 185                        | \$10 450                                     | \$8 744                           | \$12 255                        | \$9 645                                      | \$8 609                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$12 319                         | \$16 069                        | \$13 350                                     | \$10 744                           | \$15 023                        | \$12 001                                     | \$10 165                          | \$14 017                        | \$11 089                                     | \$10 016                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$12 846                         | \$16 726                        | \$14 052                                     | \$11 666                           | \$15 213                        | \$12 550                                     | \$10 784                          | \$14 216                        | \$11 597                                     | \$10 495                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 809                          | \$6 938                         | \$5 317                                      | \$5 758                            | \$7 390                         | \$5 617                                      | \$5 431                           | \$6 784                         | \$5 365                                      | \$5 527                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 823                          | \$1 799                         | \$1 870                                      | \$1 575                            | \$1 431                         | \$1 927                                      | \$1 769                           | \$1 401                         | \$1 833                                      | \$1 803                  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | 18.1                             | 19.1                            | 13.5   | 13.6                               | 26.4                            | 17.6   | 14.8                              | 29.9                            | 20.6   | 17.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 27.2                             | 27.8                            | 23.2   | 25.0                               | 32.9                            | 26.6   | 27.0                              | 35.7                            | 29.4   | 29.4                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 33.1                             | 34.5                            | 29.7   | 29.1                               | 38.1                            | 32.1   | 30.7                              | 39.2                            | 33.3   | 31.5                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 32.3                             | 35.7                            | 29.0   | 28.3                               | 37.2                            | 31.4   | 29.7                              | 37.7                            | 32.2   | 30.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.0                             | 36.6                            | 31.9   | 31.4                               | 39.5                            | 34.0   | 32.8                              | 39.9                            | 34.7   | 32.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.1                             | 36.7                            | 32.2   | 31.6                               | 39.3                            | 34.3   | 33.2                              | 39.7                            | 34.9   | 33.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.7                             | 20.6                            | 14.8   | 16.4                               | 25.0                            | 16.9   | 17.3                              | 25.6                            | 18.2   | 19.9                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 46.2                             | 51.0                            | 44.2   | 40.8                               | 51.6                            | 43.8   | 41.1                              | 51.3                            | 43.6   | 39.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.0                             | 57.1                            | 49.4   | 46.6                               | 55.7                            | 48.5   | 46.4                              | 55.6                            | 48.0   | 44.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.7                             | 58.1                            | 50.2   | 47.4                               | 55.9                            | 49.4   | 46.9                              | 55.8                            | 49.1   | 44.1                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.9                             | 39.8                            | 26.8   | 29.2                               | 36.5                            | 28.6   | 29.2                              | 36.1                            | 28.4   | 28.8                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.7                             | 14.5                            | 12.0   | 14.1                               | 20.0                            | 14.8   | 15.6                              | 22.6                            | 16.7   | 18.5                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.4                             | 14.2                            | 11.8   | 13.8                               | 19.5                            | 14.4   | 14.9                              | 21.6                            | 16.1   | 17.7                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 14.1                             | 13.9                            | 11.6   | 13.4                               | 19.2                            | 14.2   | 14.8                              | 21.3                            | 15.9   | 17.3                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 24.6                             | 27.2                            | 20.7   | 21.9                               | 31.6                            | 22.8   | 24.0                              | 32.5                            | 23.8   | 25.7                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 47.6                             | 50.5                            | 43.4   | 43.5                               | 52.8                            | 45.3   | 43.7                              | 54.1                            | 49.1   | 43.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 50.9                             | 54.1                            | 46.9   | 47.2                               | 55.3                            | 48.5   | 47.6                              | 56.6                            | 52.3   | 46.0                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.6                             | 54.6                            | 47.9   | 49.9                               | 55.6                            | 49.4   | 49.5                              | 56.5                            | 53.0   | 47.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.0                             | 32.6                            | 25.2   | 25.8                               | 38.8                            | 26.2   | 27.4                              | 40.6                            | 29.8   | 31.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 27.3                             | 28.6                            | 21.6   | 23.9                               | 32.2                            | 25.9   | 27.8                              | 35.2                            | 30.5   | 31.4                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 30.4                             | 32.9                            | 24.6   | 27.0                               | 33.5                            | 28.3   | 30.2                              | 37.6                            | 31.4   | 33.3                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.2                             |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |



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|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| <b>BLACK</b>   |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 591 191                 | 77 609                           | 58 601                                       | 4 146                               | 55 049                             | 249 431                                      | 24 666                              | 9 220                             | 63 061                                       | 49 408                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 324 471                 | 58 330                           | 36 263                                       | 1 764                               | 38 884                             | 138 418                                      | 8 435                               | 5 010                             | 24 748                                       | 12 619                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 242 878                 | 43 787                           | 27 124                                       | 1 317                               | 29 186                             | 105 938                                      | 6 112                               | 3 513                             | 17 140                                       | 8 761                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 216 655                 | 39 993                           | 24 811                                       | 1 164                               | 26 248                             | 93 893                                       | 5 313                               | 2 977                             | 14 758                                       | 7 498                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 179 995                 | 32 733                           | 20 312                                       | 932                                 | 22 012                             | 78 320                                       | 4 384                               | 2 523                             | 12 459                                       | 6 320                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 132 301                 | 23 396                           | 15 459                                       | 617                                 | 15 776                             | 58 770                                       | 3 235                               | 1 753                             | 8 755  | 4 540                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 32 640                  | 7 240                            | 4 729  | 232                                 | 8 137                              | 15 592                                       | 1 573                               | 4 554                             | 2 299  | 1 178                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26 223                  | 3 794                            | 2 313  | 153                                 | 2 938                              | 12 045                                       | 799                                 | 536                               | 2 382  | 1 263                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 18 879                  | 2 586                            | 1 622  | 102                                 | 2 178                              | 8 518  | 601                                 | 403                               | 1 947  | 922                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 14 665                  | 1 968                            | 1 286  | 83                                  | 1 636                              | 6 697  | 515                                 | 331                               | 1 508  | 641                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 7 344                   | 1 208                            | 691  | 51                                  | 760                                | 3 527  | 198                                 | 133                               | 435  | 341                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 56 924                  | 10 018                           | 6 287  | 304                                 | 6 995                              | 23 313                                       | 1 655                               | 956                               | 4 926  | 2 470                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 50 997                  | 9 286                            | 5 824  | 229                                 | 6 225                              | 20 889                                       | 1 423                               | 818                               | 4 180  | 2 070                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 43 005                  | 8 065                            | 5 030  | 282                                 | 5 155                              | 17 622                                       | 1 210                               | 715                               | 3 312  | 1 667                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 5 927                   | 732                              | 463  | 22                                  | 770                                | 2 424  | 232                                 | 138                               | 746  | 400                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 14 933                  | 2 722                            | 1 736  | 109                                 | 1 683                              | 5 640  | 351                                 | 324                               | 1 583  | 785                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 11 862                  | 2 173                            | 1 349  | 72                                  | 1 325                              | 4 398  | 288                                 | 271                               | 1 354  | 632                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 9 293                   | 1 580                            | 1 096  | 45                                  | 1 070                              | 3 477  | 208                                 | 223                               | 1 107  | 487                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 3 071                   | 549                              | 387  | 37                                  | 358                                | 1 242  | 63                                  | 53                                | 229  | 153                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 9 736                   | 1 803                            | 1 116  | 34                                  | 1 020                              | 3 527  | 317                                 | 217                               | 1 099  | 603                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 4 639                   | 1 013                            | 525  | 24                                  | 557                                | 1 600  | 121                                 | 115                               | 432  | 252                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 1 408                   | 186                              | 188  | 10                                  | 83                                 | 632  | 32                                  | 17                                | 199  | 71                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 3 689                   | 604                              | 403  | -                                   | 380                                | 1 295  | 164                                 | 85                                | 468  | 280                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | 152 388                 | 13 221                           | 16 346                                       | 1 261                               | 9 546                              | 72 886                                       | 8 652                               | 1 425                             | 16 272                                       | 12 779                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 129 986                 | 11 746                           | 14 729                                       | 1 008                               | 8 137                              | 62 592                                       | 7 327                               | 1 075                             | 13 252                                       | 10 076                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 108 092                 | 10 027                           | 12 623                                       | 836                                 | 6 923                              | 51 865                                       | 6 069                               | 848                               | 19 728                                       | 8 173                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 22 402                  | 1 455                            | 1 617  | 253                                 | 1 359                              | 10 294                                       | 1 325                               | 350                               | 3 040  | 2 709                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | 41 385                  | 3 573                            | 2 790  | 302                                 | 3 810                              | 15 195                                       | 1 855                               | 1 373                             | 7 535  | 4 952                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 32 651                  | 2 917                            | 2 255  | 235                                 | 3 005                              | 12 100                                       | 1 449                               | 1 070                             | 5 821  | 3 799                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 25 628                  | 2 161                            | 1 811  | 171                                 | 2 369                              | 9 907  | 1 055                               | 752                               | 4 408  | 2 994                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 8 734                   | 656                              | 535  | 67                                  | 805                                | 3 095  | 406                                 | 303                               | 1 714  | 1 153                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | 72 947                  | 2 485                            | 3 202  | 819                                 | 2 809                              | 22 932                                       | 5 724                               | 1 412                             | 14 506                                       | 19 058                              |
| <b>MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS</b>                          |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$19 074                | \$28 014                         | \$21 851                                     | \$15 625                            | \$22 586                           | \$18 450                                     | \$13 357                            | \$18 277                          | \$14 365                                     | \$10 280                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | \$25 630                | \$31 380                         | \$26 063                                     | \$23 180                            | \$26 710                           | \$23 965                                     | \$21 468                            | \$25 693                          | \$23 008                                     | \$20 973                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | \$26 856                | \$32 330                         | \$27 451                                     | \$24 453                            | \$27 758                           | \$25 169                                     | \$22 936                            | \$27 224                          | \$24 542                                     | \$22 527                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 928                | \$33 347                         | \$28 487                                     | \$25 646                            | \$28 699                           | \$26 216                                     | \$23 917                            | \$28 761                          | \$25 476                                     | \$23 611                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$29 150                | \$34 962                         | \$29 790                                     | \$27 089                            | \$30 064                           | \$27 360                                     | \$24 655                            | \$29 898                          | \$26 375                                     | \$24 590                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | \$29 544                | \$35 368                         | \$30 313                                     | \$26 748                            | \$30 568                           | \$27 770                                     | \$25 097                            | \$30 644                          | \$26 921                                     | \$24 494                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$21 929                | \$26 064                         | \$22 606                                     | \$19 846                            | \$21 607                           | \$20 464                                     | \$20 433                            | \$22 440                          | \$20 603                                     | \$18 362                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$17 998                | \$21 612                         | \$16 336                                     | \$15 378                            | \$19 348                           | \$17 008                                     | \$16 415                            | \$18 688                          | \$18 756                                     | \$16 094                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$19 666                | \$23 056                         | \$17 904                                     | \$19 091                            | \$21 737                           | \$18 639                                     | \$17 810                            | \$20 240                          | \$20 245                                     | \$17 662                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$13 711                | \$18 322                         | \$12 657                                     | \$7 954                             | \$12 503                           | \$13 068                                     | \$12 181                            | \$13 987                          | \$12 092                                     | \$11 853                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | \$22 839                | \$29 646                         | \$23 307                                     | \$20 620                            | \$23 942                           | \$20 665                                     | \$18 643                            | \$23 642                          | \$20 677                                     | \$18 511                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$23 807                | \$30 542                         | \$23 854                                     | \$20 309                            | \$25 049                           | \$21 528                                     | \$19 974                            | \$24 582                          | \$21 662                                     | \$19 869                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$24 011                | \$30 632                         | \$24 243                                     | \$20 372                            | \$25 044                           | \$21 640                                     | \$20 512                            | \$25 142                          | \$21 570                                     | \$20 554                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 504                | \$18 276                         | \$16 424                                     | \$24 603                            | \$14 994                           | \$13 229                                     | \$10 479                            | \$18 065                          | \$15 159                                     | \$11 481                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | \$20 994                | \$24 964                         | \$20 337                                     | \$16 318                            | \$23 573                           | \$19 704                                     | \$15 290                            | \$21 906                          | \$19 846                                     | \$17 561                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$22 486                | \$26 224                         | \$21 925                                     | \$19 654                            | \$25 823                           | \$21 428                                     | \$15 900                            | \$23 313                          | \$20 741                                     | \$17 913                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$22 633                | \$26 897                         | \$22 187                                     | \$20 960                            | \$25 707                           | \$21 426                                     | \$15 360                            | \$22 949                          | \$21 155                                     | \$18 137                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$15 231                | \$19 978                         | \$14 802                                     | \$9 826                             | \$15 246                           | \$13 601                                     | \$12 503                            | \$14 712                          | \$14 557                                     | \$16 107                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | \$18 461                | \$27 637                         | \$16 762                                     | \$12 752                            | \$20 890                           | \$16 421                                     | \$14 756                            | \$15 595                          | \$14 099                                     | \$12 910                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$23 567                | \$33 564                         | \$21 816                                     | \$22 457                            | \$25 872                           | \$20 616                                     | \$17 855                            | \$19 083                          | \$17 668                                     | \$15 676                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$9 889                 | \$20 448                         | \$7 913                                      | -                                   | \$8 489                            | \$7 912                                      | \$14 619                            | \$6 315                           | \$9 149                                      | \$7 501                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | \$15 313                | \$19 911                         | \$14 306                                     | \$9 860                             | \$16 295                           | \$15 391                                     | \$12 497                            | \$12 732                          | \$12 910                                     | \$11 791                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | \$15 702                | \$21 802                         | \$18 202                                     | \$15 021                            | \$15 556                           | \$14 978                                     | \$14 334                            | \$14 387                          | \$14 515                                     | \$13 083                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 955                | \$23 103                         | \$19 174                                     | \$16 071                            | \$16 597                           | \$16 149                                     | \$15 473                            | \$15 672                          | \$15 867                                     | \$14 502                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 302                | \$23 608                         | \$19 583                                     | \$16 494                            | \$16 712                           | \$16 489                                     | \$15 843                            | \$15 118                          | \$16 116                                     | \$14 646                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 431                 | \$11 283                         | \$9 351                                      | \$8 447                             | \$9 281                            | \$7 858                                      | \$8 032                             | \$10 442                          | \$8 633                                      | \$7 810                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | \$10 735                | \$14 669                         | \$11 778                                     | \$8 840                             | \$13 780                           | \$10 247                                     | \$8 874                             | \$12 432                          | \$9 738                                      | \$8 325                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$11 983                | \$16 003                         | \$13 356                                     | \$9 935                             | \$15 066                           | \$11 503                                     | \$9 626                             | \$13 894                          | \$11 031                                     | \$9 116                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$12 239                | \$15 987                         | \$13 727                                     | \$10 190                            | \$15 046                           | \$11 856                                     | \$10 195                            | \$14 261                          | \$11 287                                     | \$9 412                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$6 072                 | \$8 734                          | \$5 123                                      | \$4 999                             | \$8 978                            | \$5 338                                      | \$6 191                             | \$7 272                           | \$5 349                                      | \$5 721                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | \$1 689                 | \$1 238                          | \$1 554                                      | \$2 787                             | \$1 322                            | \$1 629                                      | \$1 381                             | \$1 570                           | \$1 853                                      | \$1 827                             |
| <b>WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS</b> |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 29.8                    | 34.3                             | 26.3   | 24.3                                | 37.4                               | 28.0   | 21.4                                | 39.3                              | 27.8   | 23.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 36.1                    | 38.3                             | 32.9   | 33.4                                | 40.5                               | 35.0   | 32.0                                | 40.5                              | 34.2   | 33.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 37.9                    | 39.8                             | 34.9   | 35.2                                | 41.7                               | 37.1   | 34.4                                | 41.5                              | 36.7   | 35.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.0                    | 38.9                             | 34.0   | 33.9                                | 40.6                               | 36.1   | 33.3                                | 40.1                              | 35.4   | 34.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 39.0                    | 41.2                             | 36.2   | 36.7                                | 42.4                               | 38.1   | 35.6                                | 42.0                              | 37.6   | 36.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 39.2                    | 41.2                             | 36.4   | 39.6                                | 42.4                               | 38.5   | 36.0                                | 41.6                              | 37.9   | 36.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 23.6                    | 25.4                             | 21.0   | 18.5                                | 28.1                               | 22.8   | 20.8                                | 26.2                              | 20.0   | 25.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 50.0                    | 53.0                             | 51.2   | 52.3                                | 55.5                               | 48.4   | 44.3                                | 53.5                              | 47.8   | 43.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 53.7                    | 57.3                             | 56.7   | 54.4                                | 58.4                               | 52.6   | 46.3                                | 57.5                              | 49.2   | 46.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 34.3                    | 38.6                             | 37.6   | 39.3                                | 37.1                               | 33.8   | 35.1                                | 36.4                              | 38.7   | 36.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 36.4                    | 41.5                             | 32.7   | 42.6                                | 41.6                               | 33.9   | 35.6                                | 35.6                              | 36.8   | 31.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 24.3                    | 28.5                             | 19.7   | 20.5                                | 32.0                               | 21.3   | 19.2                                | 32.7                              | 21.1   | 21.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 23.6                    | 27.8                             | 19.3   | 19.5                                | 31.6                               | 20.4   | 18.2                                | 31.1                              | 20.6   | 20.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 23.3                    | 27.0                             | 19.1   | 19.0                                | 31.4                               | 20.4   | 18.4                                | 31.1                              | 19.8   | 19.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 34.4                    | 43.3                             | 27.3   | 31.1                                | 38.1                               | 34.3   | 30.3                                | 45.6                              | 25.1   | 31.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 46.6                    | 49.3                             | 46.9   | 46.9                                | 50.1                               | 44.3   | 48.1                                | 49.5                              | 44.1   | 44.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 49.2                    | 51.8                             | 49.4   | 52.1                                | 51.8                               | 47.0   | 50.0                                | 53.1                              | 46.6   | 48.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 49.8                    | 51.6                             | 49.9   | 52.2                                | 52.1                               | 48.4   | 55.4                                | 54.0                              | 46.8   | 48.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 31.9                    | 36.1                             | 34.4   | 26.6                                | 39.0                               | 29.6   | 37.0                                | 20.7                              | 22.4   | 24.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 36.3                    | 39.7                             | 31.4   | 30.5                                | 42.5                               | 33.6   | 28.8                                | 45.6                              | 33.9   | 33.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 38.0                    | 40.9                             | 33.5   | 33.6                                | 41.6                               | 35.5   | 34.5                                | 44.8                              | 35.5   | 39.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 34.6                    | 39.8                             | 41.5   | -                                   | 28.4                               | 29.0   | 5.8                                 | 59.7                              | 41.3   | 35.6                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 33.2                    | 36.5                             | 24.7   | 13.5                                | 46.2                               | 31.8   | 28.1                                | 45.8                              | 29.6   | 26.2                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979    | 78.9                    | 83.3                             | 77.0   | 76.9                                | 84.1                               | 79.3   | 74.5                                | 81.6                              | 76.0   | 72.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 80.6                    | 85.1                             | 77.0   | 79.7                                | 86.2                               | 80.5   | 79.2                                | 83.4                              | 77.5   | 75.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 81.0                    | 84.2                             | 79.0   | 77.7                                | 86.6</                             |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.

| NORTHEAST REGION                                  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 13 669                  | 1 849                            | 1 476  | 177                                 | 977                                | 5 617  | 636                                 | 201                               | 1 588  | 1 148                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 6 872                   | 1 285                            | 752  | 54                                  | 656                                | 2 950  | 163                                 | 110                               | 577  | 325                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 4 589                   | 856                              | 485  | 29                                  | 381                                | 1 966  | 136                                 | 92                                | 402  | 242                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 799                   | 746                              | 407  | 29                                  | 329                                | 1 629  | 111                                 | 53                                | 316  | 179                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 813                   | 606                              | 308  | 23                                  | 232                                | 1 216  | 59                                  | 37                                | 213  | 119                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 2 036                   | 423                              | 213  | -                                   | 158                                | 940  | 33                                  | 18                                | 156  | 95                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 986                     | 140                              | 99   | 6                                   | 97                                 | 413  | 52                                  | 16                                | 103  | 60                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 790                     | 110                              | 78   | -                                   | 52                                 | 337  | 25                                  | 39                                | 86   | 63                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 464                     | 74                               | 29   | -                                   | 39                                 | 207  | 12                                  | 13                                | 38   | 52                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 325                     | 50                               | 22   | -                                   | 28                                 | 141  | 5                                   | 13                                | 30   | 36                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 326                     | 36                               | 49   | -                                   | 13                                 | 130  | 13                                  | 26                                | 48   | 11                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 1 845                   | 295                              | 245  | 13                                  | 215                                | 849  | 19                                  | 12                                | 160  | 37                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 563                   | 259                              | 218  | 13                                  | 210                                | 700  | 9                                   | 12                                | 121  | 21                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 311                   | 242                              | 188  | 13                                  | 164                                | 554  | 9                                   | 12                                | 108  | 21                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 282                     | 36                               | 27   | -                                   | 5                                  | 149  | 10                                  | -                                 | 39   | 16                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 297                     | 80                               | 14   | 12                                  | 41                                 | 88   | 8                                   | -                                 | 15   | 39                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 217                     | 52                               | 14   | -                                   | 32                                 | 74   | -                                   | -                                 | 13   | 32                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 140                     | 25                               | 14   | -                                   | 19                                 | 50   | -                                   | -                                 | 13   | 19                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 80                      | 28                               | -  | 12                                  | 9                                  | 14   | 8                                   | -                                 | 2  | 7                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 141                     | 54                               | 8  | -                                   | 19                                 | 47   | -                                   | 6                                 | -  | 7                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 54                      | 14                               | 6  | -                                   | 13                                 | 21   | -                                   | 6                                 | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 51                      | 25                               | 2  | -                                   | 6                                  | 21   | -                                   | 6                                 | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 36                      | 15                               | -  | -                                   | -                                  | -  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 4 606                   | 459                              | 554  | 87                                  | 220                                | 1 935  | 324                                 | 34                                | 620  | 373                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 748                   | 439                              | 477  | 61                                  | 189                                | 1 606  | 263                                 | 13                                | 441  | 259                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 3 142                   | 396                              | 422  | 35                                  | 150                                | 1 308  | 221                                 | 13                                | 365  | 232                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 859                     | 32                               | 74   | 26                                  | 31                                 | 329  | 61                                  | 21                                | 179  | 114                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 624                     | 13                               | 61   | 7                                   | 52                                 | 249  | 18                                  | 38                                | 122  | 64                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 464                     | 13                               | 43   | -                                   | 29                                 | 173  | 18                                  | 38                                | 92   | 58                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 235                     | 19                               | 13   | 2                                   | 6                                  | 98   | 14                                  | -                                 | 52   | 31                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 332                   | 73                               | 96   | 27                                  | 43                                 | 385  | 117                                 | 19                                | 217  | 355                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$17 803                | \$27 651                         | \$19 940                                     | \$11 621                            | \$19 205                           | \$17 184                                     | \$13 230                            | \$18 136                          | \$13 791                                     | \$10 040                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$22 071                | \$28 757                         | \$23 160                                     | \$15 011                            | \$22 067                           | \$20 779                                     | \$19 781                            | \$19 860                          | \$18 024                                     | \$15 110                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$23 266                | \$30 246                         | \$23 699                                     | \$15 021                            | \$23 374                           | \$22 402                                     | \$20 500                            | \$21 462                          | \$18 148                                     | \$16 283                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$25 147                | \$32 720                         | \$25 753                                     | \$15 021                            | \$25 182                           | \$24 268                                     | \$22 267                            | \$21 678                          | \$19 336                                     | \$16 732                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 347                | \$33 622                         | \$27 585                                     | \$15 963                            | \$25 288                           | \$26 732                                     | \$29 721                            | \$24 748                          | \$20 456                                     | \$19 246                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$28 528                | \$35 360                         | \$27 581                                     | -                                   | \$27 840                           | \$28 073                                     | \$26 824                            | \$25 121                          | \$21 318                                     | \$18 950                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$18 945                | \$26 950                         | \$20 054                                     | \$11 410                            | \$24 929                           | \$17 011                                     | \$13 810                            | \$14 579                          | \$17 019                                     | \$11 746                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$14 126                | \$15 845                         | \$12 979                                     | -                                   | \$11 935                           | \$13 384                                     | \$12 654                            | \$21 169                          | \$13 785                                     | \$15 007                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 962                | \$18 514                         | \$19 878                                     | -                                   | \$14 344                           | \$16 278                                     | \$16 149                            | \$23 015                          | \$18 477                                     | \$15 381                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 621                | \$17 571                         | \$19 359                                     | -                                   | \$15 071                           | \$17 308                                     | \$20 600                            | \$23 015                          | \$18 579                                     | \$16 679                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 088                | \$10 358                         | \$8 895                                      | -                                   | \$4 705                            | \$8 776                                      | \$9 428                             | \$20 246                          | \$10 071                                     | \$15 242                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$20 455                | \$29 978                         | \$21 541                                     | \$18 683                            | \$19 190                           | \$18 137                                     | \$16 422                            | \$14 002                          | \$17 802                                     | \$14 144                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 962                | \$31 341                         | \$22 172                                     | \$18 683                            | \$19 238                           | \$19 869                                     | \$16 852                            | \$14 002                          | \$20 184                                     | \$20 092                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$22 220                | \$31 552                         | \$21 577                                     | \$18 683                            | \$19 272                           | \$19 727                                     | \$16 852                            | \$14 002                          | \$21 898                                     | \$20 092                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$12 105                | \$20 170                         | \$16 443                                     | -                                   | \$17 160                           | \$10 000                                     | \$16 035                            | -                                 | \$10 412                                     | \$6 337                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$17 370                | \$15 348                         | \$39 513                                     | \$11 008                            | \$26 012                           | \$15 882                                     | \$15 540                            | -                                 | \$17 045                                     | \$10 297                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 591                | \$17 164                         | \$39 513                                     | -                                   | \$26 294                           | \$16 284                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$18 454                                     | \$9 447                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 566                | \$12 820                         | \$39 513                                     | -                                   | \$31 552                           | \$18 655                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$18 454                                     | \$12 284                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 057                | \$11 977                         | -  | \$11 008                            | \$25 010                           | \$13 760                                     | \$15 540                            | -                                 | \$7 885                                      | \$14 186                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$14 232                | \$18 338                         | \$11 479                                     | -                                   | \$19 905                           | \$9 761                                      | -                                   | \$7 005                           | -  | \$6 510                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 812                | \$11 344                         | \$13 309                                     | -                                   | \$24 933                           | \$13 860                                     | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 909                | \$18 159                         | \$5 990                                      | -                                   | \$9 010                            | \$7 600                                      | -                                   | \$7 005                           | -  | \$6 510                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 038                | \$25 165                         | -  | -                                   | -                                  | \$7 805                                      | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$17 543                | \$30 347                         | \$20 098                                     | \$13 256                            | \$15 736                           | \$15 990                                     | \$14 750                            | \$9 105                           | \$15 784                                     | \$14 237                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$19 540                | \$31 284                         | \$21 791                                     | \$16 688                            | \$17 336                           | \$17 566                                     | \$16 304                            | \$5 234                           | \$17 961                                     | \$16 703                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$20 278                | \$32 099                         | \$22 313                                     | \$20 376                            | \$18 274                           | \$18 176                                     | \$18 011                            | \$5 234                           | \$17 569                                     | \$16 791                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 822                 | \$9 772                          | \$9 611                                      | \$5 204                             | \$5 982                            | \$8 300                                      | \$8 049                             | \$11 501                          | \$10 419                                     | \$8 635                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$10 919                | \$5 934                          | \$12 035                                     | \$9 783                             | \$14 222                           | \$11 784                                     | \$4 451                             | \$25 516                          | \$7 689                                      | \$8 911                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$12 723                | \$8 505                          | \$13 250                                     | \$12 005                            | \$15 424                           | \$13 557                                     | \$6 019                             | \$25 516                          | \$8 781                                      | \$9 519                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$13 455                | \$8 505                          | \$14 649                                     | -                                   | \$18 178                           | \$13 904                                     | \$6 019                             | \$25 516                          | \$9 726                                      | \$10 297                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$6 128                 | \$4 176                          | \$6 330                                      | \$2 005                             | \$3 805                            | \$7 280                                      | \$2 434                             | -                                 | \$5 129                                      | \$7 656                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 122                 | \$248                            | \$-107                                       | \$186                               | -                                  | \$512  | \$2 293                             | \$9 556                           | \$1 737                                      | \$1 290                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 22.5                    | 23.8                             | 19.7   | 12.8                                | 31.0                               | 22.6   | 11.5                                | 39.2                              | 18.6   | 20.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.0                    | 32.5                             | 28.8   | 21.6                                | 34.4                               | 30.2   | 25.7                                | 39.7                              | 28.8   | 34.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.8                    | 36.1                             | 33.6   | 22.8                                | 36.3                               | 34.6   | 28.8                                | 41.8                              | 33.0   | 34.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 33.8                    | 35.3                             | 33.1   | 22.8                                | 35.1                               | 33.5   | 26.4                                | 44.7                              | 31.9   | 31.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.3                    | 37.8                             | 36.7   | 25.5                                | 43.4                               | 36.6   | 24.9                                | 50.9                              | 36.5   | 36.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.0                    | 36.2                             | 38.3   | -                                   | 42.4                               | 36.7   | 23.2                                | 46.5                              | 36.9   | 33.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 19.5                    | 21.8                             | 17.9   | 7.9                                 | 14.7                               | 19.4   | 29.9                                | 20.2                              | 20.5   | 18.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 43.5                    | 47.3                             | 38.8   | -                                   | 33.5                               | 44.2   | 47.8                                | 37.7                              | 38.7   | 40.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.5                    | 52.2                             | 43.3   | -                                   | 55.4                               | 48.7   | 32.5                                | 52.2                              | 48.5   | 42.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 49.3                    | 53.0                             | 49.5   | -                                   | 55.4                               | 49.7   | 27.9                                | 52.2                              | 49.5   | 39.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.5                    | 29.5                             | 32.8   | -                                   | 35.0                               | 30.7   | 71.9                                | 29.5                              | 24.4   | 33.7                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 18.1                    | 18.8                             | 18.1   | 27.1                                | 24.9                               | 16.3   | 7.4                                 | 20.7                              | 16.6   | 15.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 17.1                    | 17.5                             | 16.8   | 27.1                                | 24.5                               | 15.4   | 2.5                                 | 20.7                              | 14.3   | 9.1                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 16.7                    | 18.0                             | 11.4   | 27.1                                | 26.2                               | 15.7   | 2.5                                 | 20.7                              | 14.5   | 9.1                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 28.5                    | 33.5                             | 31.4   | -                                   | 40.8                               | 24.6   | 12.0                                | -                                 | 30.9   | 42.6                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 45.1                    | 52.1                             | 27.9   | 7.6                                 | 51.7                               | 43.2   | 3.4                                 | -                                 | 42.4   | 63.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 30.4                    | 53.5                             | 27.9   | -                                   | 58.0                               | 46.8   | -                                   | -                                 | 44.4   | 80.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 47.2                    | 62.8                             | 27.9   | -                                   | 52.9                               | 42.9   | -                                   | -                                 | 44.4   | 77.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.1                    | 48.4                             | -  | 7.6                                 | 28.0                               | 20.2   | 3.4                                 | -                                 | 12.6   | 12.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 37.0                    | 34.1                             | 42.3   | -                                   | 42.9                               | 38.4   | -                                   | 17.2                              | -  | 46.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 39.7                    | 27.2                             | 41.1   | -                                   | 42.6                               | 42.9   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 42.3                    | 44.1                             | 50.0   | -                                   | 44.5                               | 4.6  | -                                   | 17.2                              | -  | 46.2                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 26.9                    | 25.0                             | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 31.1   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 80.3                    | 100.0                            | 89.6   | 100.0                               | 101.1                              | 79.1   | 99.0                                | 58.1                              | 78.9   | 73.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 85.8                    | 100.0                            | 94.9   | 100.0                               | 101.1                              | 85.0   | 98.7                                | 58.1                              | 87.3   | 91.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 88.0                    | 100.0                            | 100.0  | -                                   | 101.7                              | 92.2   | 98.7                                | 58.1                              | 87.4   | 91.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 50.1                    | 100.0                            | 38.0   | 100.0                               | 100.0                              | 51.2   | 100.0                               | -                                 | 45.1   | 27.1                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

(DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.)

| NORTHEAST REGION   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                                   |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 119 067                 | 59 606                           | 15 983                                       | 2 346                               | 3 568                              | 16 118                                       | 5 194                               | 717                               | 2 541  | 12 994                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                              | 67 159                  | 35 897                           | 7 666  | 1 083                               | 2 309                              | 9 264  | 2 675                               | 416                               | 1 278  | 6 571                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME                    | 51 536                  | 27 677                           | 5 796  | 875                                 | 1 767                              | 7 223  | 2 003                               | 304                               | 962  | 4 929                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | 45 457                  | 25 296                           | 5 091  | 795                                 | 1 538                              | 6 173  | 1 712                               | 244                               | 739  | 3 869                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 35 618                  | 20 127                           | 3 605  | 551                                 | 1 248                              | 4 848  | 1 291                               | 180                               | 633  | 3 135                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 25 336                  | 15 141                           | 2 511  | 333                                 | 890                                | 3 338  | 792                                 | 99                                | 430  | 1 802                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 9 839                   | 5 169                            | 1 486  | 244                                 | 290                                | 1 325  | 421                                 | 64                                | 106  | 734                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | 6 079                   | 2 381                            | 705  | 80                                  | 229                                | 1 050  | 291                                 | 60                                | 223  | 1 060                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 3 513                   | 1 484                            | 427  | 35                                  | 156                                | 519  | 186                                 | 45                                | 117  | 544                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 2 341                   | 1 123                            | 272  | 29                                  | 122                                | 326  | 101                                 | 21                                | 58   | 285                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 2 566                   | 897                              | 278  | 45                                  | 73                                 | 531  | 105                                 | 15                                | 106  | 516                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME             | 11 804                  | 6 285                            | 1 463  | 167                                 | 348                                | 1 616  | 481                                 | 87                                | 246  | 1 111                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | 10 876                  | 6 017                            | 1 340  | 149                                 | 306                                | 1 434  | 449                                 | 48                                | 206  | 927                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                | 9 305                   | 5 307                            | 1 158  | 124                                 | 249                                | 1 182  | 348                                 | 48                                | 170  | 719                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | 928                     | 268                              | 123  | 18                                  | 42                                 | 182  | 32                                  | 39                                | 40   | 184                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME             | 2 485                   | 1 265                            | 244  | 20                                  | 158                                | 308  | 115                                 | 25                                | 29   | 321                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 1 918                   | 1 028                            | 183  | 9                                   | 137                                | 201  | 93                                  | 25                                | 12   | 230                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 1 403                   | 729                              | 139  | 5                                   | 103                                | 175  | 65                                  | 23                                | 12   | 152                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 567                     | 237                              | 61   | 11                                  | 21                                 | 107  | 22                                  | -                                 | 17   | 91                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS | 1 334                   | 670                              | 163  | 21                                  | 36                                 | 117  | 76                                  | -                                 | 41   | 210                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 588                     | 286                              | 79   | 16                                  | 22                                 | 42   | 31                                  | -                                 | 6  | 106                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS   | 227                     | 107                              | 41   | -                                   | -                                  | 43   | 11                                  | -                                 | -  | 25                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                            | 519                     | 277                              | 43   | 5                                   | 14                                 | 32   | 34                                  | -                                 | 35   | 79                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | 40 079                  | 21 211                           | 7 184  | 933                                 | 888                                | 4 944  | 1 364                               | 148                               | 669  | 2 738                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                | 35 830                  | 19 630                           | 6 592  | 868                                 | 779                                | 4 165  | 1 009                               | 96                                | 561  | 2 130                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | 30 324                  | 16 800                           | 5 707  | 721                                 | 622                                | 3 492  | 852                                 | 89                                | 454  | 1 587                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                            | 4 249                   | 1 581                            | 592  | 65                                  | 109                                | 779  | 355                                 | 52                                | 108  | 608                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 4 449                   | 1 260                            | 436  | 141                                 | 204                                | 625  | 353                                 | 92                                | 218  | 1 120                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 3 186                   | 861                              | 320  | 107                                 | 170                                | 473  | 230                                 | 81                                | 160  | 784                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 2 072                   | 581                              | 187  | 71                                  | 132                                | 316  | 147                                 | 48                                | 127  | 463                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                        | 1 263                   | 399                              | 116  | 34                                  | 34                                 | 152  | 123                                 | 11                                | 58   | 336                                 |
|  | 7 380                   | 1 238                            | 697  | 189                                 | 167                                | 1 285  | 802                                 | 61                                | 376  | 2 565                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS   |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$26 011                | \$33 754                         | \$25 839                                     | \$21 107                            | \$19 874                           | \$16 922                                     | \$14 526                            | \$17 033                          | \$13 625                                     | \$12 056                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                              | \$29 059                | \$36 103                         | \$25 845                                     | \$23 883                            | \$23 200                           | \$20 459                                     | \$19 484                            | \$21 958                          | \$17 534                                     | \$15 946                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME                    | \$29 737                | \$36 806                         | \$25 736                                     | \$23 804                            | \$24 383                           | \$21 103                                     | \$20 064                            | \$23 761                          | \$19 155                                     | \$16 737                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | \$31 410                | \$38 227                         | \$27 122                                     | \$24 824                            | \$25 640                           | \$22 302                                     | \$20 724                            | \$22 739                          | \$20 734                                     | \$17 967                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | \$33 132                | \$40 034                         | \$28 996                                     | \$25 598                            | \$27 375                           | \$24 083                                     | \$21 284                            | \$25 138                          | \$21 644                                     | \$18 841                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$34 542                | \$40 617                         | \$30 418                                     | \$27 027                            | \$28 920                           | \$25 234                                     | \$22 835                            | \$22 107                          | \$23 048                                     | \$19 219                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | \$25 176                | \$31 188                         | \$22 577                                     | \$23 076                            | \$18 282                           | \$15 789                                     | \$19 005                            | \$15 994                          | \$15 298                                     | \$14 236                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | \$17 225                | \$21 712                         | \$15 723                                     | \$13 669                            | \$15 800                           | \$14 049                                     | \$16 181                            | \$27 917                          | \$13 924                                     | \$12 246                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | \$20 650                | \$25 707                         | \$19 213                                     | \$15 723                            | \$17 832                           | \$16 186                                     | \$20 198                            | \$34 326                          | \$15 682                                     | \$13 461                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | \$22 264                | \$26 713                         | \$20 247                                     | \$15 709                            | \$18 626                           | \$17 220                                     | \$20 742                            | \$43 742                          | \$19 487                                     | \$14 230                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | \$12 536                | \$15 102                         | \$10 361                                     | \$12 071                            | \$11 458                           | \$11 961                                     | \$9 065                             | \$8 690                           | \$11 984                                     | \$10 964                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME             | \$28 526                | \$36 227                         | \$27 027                                     | \$26 322                            | \$19 017                           | \$18 788                                     | \$17 123                            | \$17 175                          | \$13 046                                     | \$13 668                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | \$29 961                | \$37 165                         | \$28 600                                     | \$28 345                            | \$20 764                           | \$19 734                                     | \$17 491                            | \$23 212                          | \$13 419                                     | \$14 405                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                | \$30 220                | \$36 975                         | \$28 445                                     | \$29 199                            | \$21 914                           | \$19 024                                     | \$18 792                            | \$23 212                          | \$14 035                                     | \$14 511                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | \$11 710                | \$15 363                         | \$9 888                                      | \$9 591                             | \$6 138                            | \$11 339                                     | \$11 963                            | \$9 745                           | \$11 123                                     | \$9 955                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME             | \$23 388                | \$28 499                         | \$22 823                                     | \$15 297                            | \$20 638                           | \$17 139                                     | \$18 615                            | \$16 674                          | \$11 265                                     | \$14 861                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | \$25 840                | \$30 255                         | \$25 224                                     | \$17 012                            | \$22 237                           | \$20 216                                     | \$20 933                            | \$16 674                          | \$11 793                                     | \$17 716                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | \$25 388                | \$30 108                         | \$21 760                                     | \$20 850                            | \$23 085                           | \$21 012                                     | \$18 540                            | \$15 984                          | \$11 793                                     | \$18 246                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | \$15 095                | \$20 880                         | \$15 619                                     | \$13 894                            | \$10 210                           | \$11 357                                     | \$8 815                             | -                                 | \$10 892                                     | \$7 646                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS | \$18 135                | \$20 289                         | \$23 669                                     | \$15 929                            | \$16 846                           | \$12 564                                     | \$20 453                            | -                                 | \$10 850                                     | \$11 093                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | \$23 328                | \$30 522                         | \$25 773                                     | \$12 666                            | \$20 923                           | \$10 143                                     | \$20 147                            | -                                 | \$9 010                                      | \$12 660                            |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS   | \$15 384                | \$11 200                         | \$10 129                                     | -                                   | -                                  | \$15 026                                     | \$3 751                             | -                                 | -  | \$7 579                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                            | \$28 899                | \$32 775                         | \$28 986                                     | \$26 370                            | \$10 440                           | \$12 432                                     | \$26 135                            | -                                 | \$11 166                                     | \$10 103                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | \$28 876                | \$34 747                         | \$30 654                                     | \$24 437                            | \$15 734                           | \$14 716                                     | \$13 132                            | \$10 997                          | \$14 113                                     | \$13 492                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                | \$28 905                | \$33 873                         | \$31 386                                     | \$24 185                            | \$16 892                           | \$15 913                                     | \$15 189                            | \$13 559                          | \$15 509                                     | \$15 185                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | \$10 233                | \$13 264                         | \$10 411                                     | \$12 458                            | \$7 459                            | \$8 313                                      | \$7 284                             | \$6 267                           | \$6 861                                      | \$7 559                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                            | \$11 772                | \$14 772                         | \$11 324                                     | \$9 004                             | \$15 257                           | \$11 575                                     | \$10 416                            | \$15 042                          | \$11 567                                     | \$8 594                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | \$13 587                | \$18 907                         | \$13 396                                     | \$8 603                             | \$16 399                           | \$12 790                                     | \$9 875                             | \$16 553                          | \$13 803                                     | \$9 195                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | \$13 901                | \$19 132                         | \$14 110                                     | \$9 250                             | \$16 674                           | \$13 775                                     | \$10 098                            | \$15 283                          | \$13 593                                     | \$8 408                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | \$7 193                 | \$5 848                          | \$6 159                                      | \$10 264                            | \$9 545                            | \$7 792                                      | \$11 427                            | \$3 914                           | \$5 397                                      | \$7 194                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                        | \$2 032                 | \$1 699                          | \$2 425                                      | \$1 914                             | \$1 539                            | \$2 502                                      | \$2 171                             | \$1 093                           | \$664  | \$2 071                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS                |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 22.9                    | 23.7                             | 14.5   | 16.0                                | 36.3                               | 25.5   | 22.3                                | 32.5                              | 29.8   | 25.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                              | 34.4                    | 35.4                             | 28.2   | 27.7                                | 43.9                               | 34.1   | 29.1                                | 33.1                              | 38.1   | 32.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME                    | 37.4                    | 38.8                             | 31.6   | 29.8                                | 45.7                               | 36.4   | 31.1                                | 34.8                              | 40.6   | 32.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | 36.4                    | 37.8                             | 30.5   | 29.4                                | 44.2                               | 35.4   | 30.5                                | 34.2                              | 40.5   | 31.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 39.8                    | 41.4                             | 34.3   | 34.0                                | 46.5                               | 37.6   | 30.8                                | 37.3                              | 41.7   | 32.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 40.1                    | 41.7                             | 34.0   | 34.2                                | 47.4                               | 37.8   | 30.1                                | 38.2                              | 40.8   | 32.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 20.5                    | 19.6                             | 18.7   | 17.8                                | 29.2                               | 22.9   | 29.2                                | 20.3                              | 30.3   | 23.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | 51.0                    | 57.6                             | 46.1   | 38.0                                | 62.4                               | 45.8   | 35.9                                | 36.9                              | 41.1   | 42.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 57.3                    | 64.1                             | 51.8   | 53.6                                | 70.0                               | 53.4   | 35.6                                | 36.3                              | 47.2   | 46.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 58.9                    | 64.4                             | 55.3   | 54.1                                | 69.3                               | 53.9   | 36.2                                | 20.8                              | 45.1   | 48.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 36.7                    | 39.1                             | 29.8   | 22.2                                | 37.2                               | 35.8   | 36.9                                | 43.8                              | 32.3   | 37.6                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME             | 17.8                    | 17.3                             | 13.7   | 17.7                                | 24.8                               | 19.9   | 20.8                                | 20.0                              | 24.9   | 25.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                              | 17.4                    | 17.0                             | 13.4   | 16.9                                | 24.6                               | 18.9   | 20.9                                | 21.8                              | 24.6   | 24.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                | 17.2                    | 16.9                             | 13.5   | 18.2                                | 23.9                               | 18.4   | 20.4                                | 21.8                              | 22.5   | 24.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                            | 31.8                    | 36.1                             | 23.3   | 37.9                                | 28.7                               | 33.9   | 17.4                                | 14.5                              | 26.5   | 33.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME             | 49.8                    | 52.6                             | 42.3   | 36.9                                | 58.1                               | 47.5   | 32.5                                | 51.2                              | 44.0   | 43.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 52.2                    | 55.0                             | 45.6   | 47.3                                | 57.5                               | 52.5   | 31.8                                | 51.2                              | 37.5   | 44.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 54.2                    | 55.8                             | 55.2   | 42.4                                | 60.5                               | 53.3   | 39.2                                | 54.7                              | 37.5   | 43.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 36.0                    | 37.0                             | 26.7   | 26.4                                | 65.6                               | 31.0   | 40.1                                | -                                 | 48.9   | 39.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS | 33.8                    | 38.8                             | 21.9   | 17.2                                | 52.1                               | 34.2   | 18.3                                | -                                 | 26.2   | 33.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 38.4                    | 40.8                             | 28.1   | 17.6                                | 56.0                               | 45.3   | 29.0                                | -                                 | 44.5   | 36.3                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS   | 34.0                    | 40.1                             | 21.8   | -                                   | -                                  | 29.8   | 72.7                                | -                                 | -  | 28.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                            | 25.7                    | 33.7                             | 14.5   | 16.6                                | 39.7                               | 29.4   | 8.2                                 | -                                 | 23.7   | 29.0                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979            | 73.8                    | 92.8                             | 78.6   | 56.2                                | 70.5                               | 66.6   | 43.3                                | 68.3                              | 69.4   | 57.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                                 | 77.1                    | 93.9                             | 80.2   | 62.0                                | 73.9                               | 69.6   | 54.5                                | 67.3                              | 66.6   | 59.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                                   | 78.9                    | 94.9                             | 72.7   | 62.5                                | 77.1                               | 68.5   | 52.6                                | 70.2                              | 70.0   | 68.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                               | 58.0                    | 84.9                             | 68.9   | 41.1                                | 41.7                               | 51.4   | 25.3                                | 100.0                             | 89.6   | 50.8                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

(DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1)

| NORTHEAST REGION                                  | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 389 126                          | 36 582                          | 34 612                                       | 6 760                               | 21 165                          | 123 033                                      | 37 158                              | 6 323                           | 40 871                                       | 82 622                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 180 510                          | 24 006                          | 18 308                                       | 2 909                               | 13 724                          | 59 946                                       | 13 416                              | 3 214                           | 16 781                                       | 28 206                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 137 988                          | 16 787                          | 13 156                                       | 2 324                               | 10 154                          | 45 956                                       | 11 002                              | 2 382                           | 13 100                                       | 23 127                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 121 100                          | 15 103                          | 11 908                                       | 2 053                               | 8 794                           | 40 579                                       | 9 640                               | 2 053                           | 11 293                                       | 19 677                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 89 838                           | 11 842                          | 8 860  | 1 488                               | 6 757                           | 29 781                                       | 6 835                               | 1 548                           | 8 311  | 14 416                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 63 544                           | 8 784                           | 6 969  | 903                                 | 4 799                           | 21 485                                       | 4 480                               | 1 039                           | 5 643  | 9 442                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31 262                           | 3 261                           | 3 048  | 565                                 | 2 037                           | 10 798                                       | 2 805                               | 505                             | 2 982  | 5 261                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 16 888                           | 1 684                           | 1 248  | 271                                 | 1 360                           | 5 377  | 1 362                               | 329                             | 1 807  | 3 450                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 9 980                            | 1 057                           | 796  | 167                                 | 907                             | 3 003  | 786                                 | 222                             | 1 095  | 1 945                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 7 028                            | 786                             | 557  | 109                                 | 664                             | 2 109  | 569                                 | 162                             | 1 291  | 1 945                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 6 908                            | 627                             | 450  | 104                                 | 453                             | 2 374  | 576                                 | 107                             | 712  | 1 505                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 31 523                           | 5 291                           | 4 068  | 404                                 | 2 742                           | 10 900                                       | 1 630                               | 591                             | 2 585  | 3 312                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 28 334                           | 4 922                           | 3 771  | 396                                 | 2 441                           | 9 740  | 1 390                               | 519                             | 2 266  | 2 889                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 24 029                           | 4 269                           | 3 358  | 332                                 | 2 072                           | 8 287  | 1 122                               | 400                             | 1 884  | 2 305                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 189                            | 369                             | 297  | 8                                   | 301                             | 1 160  | 240                                 | 72                              | 319  | 423                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 6 804                            | 1 188                           | 652  | 148                                 | 575                             | 1 939  | 476                                 | 150                             | 663  | 1 013                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 846                            | 936                             | 456  | 99                                  | 359                             | 1 297  | 356                                 | 119                             | 484  | 740                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 3 736                            | 744                             | 378  | 61                                  | 253                             | 1 007  | 260                                 | 83                              | 377  | 573                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 958                            | 252                             | 196  | 49                                  | 216                             | 642  | 120                                 | 31                              | 179  | 273                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 4 195                            | 740                             | 432  | 33                                  | 253                             | 1 151  | 308                                 | 91                              | 433  | 754                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 857                            | 349                             | 154  | 13                                  | 101                             | 457  | 161                                 | 26                              | 203  | 393                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 674                              | 102                             | 69   | -                                   | 53                              | 172  | 75                                  | 12                              | 77   | 114                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 1 664                            | 289                             | 209  | 20                                  | 99                              | 522  | 72                                  | 53                              | 153  | 247                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 146 024                          | 10 318                          | 13 947                                       | 2 763                               | 5 868                           | 48 976                                       | 16 931                              | 1 925                           | 15 509                                       | 29 787                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 126 120                          | 9 377                           | 12 707                                       | 2 335                               | 5 160                           | 42 539                                       | 14 762                              | 1 659                           | 12 999                                       | 24 582                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 105 235                          | 8 037                           | 10 921                                       | 1 928                               | 4 141                           | 35 622                                       | 12 327                              | 1 333                           | 10 629                                       | 20 297                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 19 904                           | 941                             | 1 240  | 428                                 | 708                             | 6 437  | 2 169                               | 266                             | 2 510  | 5 205                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 16 371                           | 1 024                           | 941  | 305                                 | 925                             | 4 395  | 1 549                               | 451                             | 2 533  | 4 248                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 11 303                           | 675                             | 609  | 189                                 | 737                             | 3 074  | 1 151                               | 359                             | 1 734  | 2 775                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 8 355                            | 424                             | 493  | 145                                 | 454                             | 2 406  | 830                                 | 256                             | 1 259  | 1 948                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 5 068                            | 349                             | 332  | 116                                 | 188                             | 1 321  | 398                                 | 92                              | 799  | 1 473                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 46 221                           | 1 234                           | 1 416  | 783                                 | 648                             | 9 716  | 5 262                               | 733                             | 6 048  | 20 381                              |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$16 776                         | \$27 556                        | \$22 462                                     | \$16 734                            | \$19 870                        | \$16 416                                     | \$14 026                            | \$15 921                        | \$13 405                                     | \$12 337                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$22 378                         | \$29 774                        | \$25 195                                     | \$21 252                            | \$23 284                        | \$20 925                                     | \$20 141                            | \$20 852                        | \$19 465                                     | \$19 992                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$22 866                         | \$30 670                        | \$25 749                                     | \$21 694                            | \$23 955                        | \$21 570                                     | \$20 606                            | \$21 579                        | \$20 198                                     | \$20 496                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 929                         | \$32 130                        | \$26 816                                     | \$22 867                            | \$25 173                        | \$22 614                                     | \$21 483                            | \$22 677                        | \$21 031                                     | \$21 143                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 642                         | \$33 911                        | \$28 519                                     | \$23 521                            | \$27 141                        | \$24 452                                     | \$22 965                            | \$24 267                        | \$22 781                                     | \$22 123                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$26 453                         | \$34 910                        | \$29 325                                     | \$24 365                            | \$28 189                        | \$25 069                                     | \$23 613                            | \$25 166                        | \$23 245                                     | \$22 335                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$19 004                         | \$25 660                        | \$21 865                                     | \$12 143                            | \$18 645                        | \$17 545                                     | \$17 872                            | \$17 802                        | \$16 156                                     | \$18 458                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$15 248                         | \$17 577                        | \$15 571                                     | \$12 810                            | \$16 080                        | \$13 687                                     | \$14 401                            | \$14 730                        | \$14 992                                     | \$16 808                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$17 640                         | \$20 587                        | \$18 287                                     | \$13 780                            | \$17 903                        | \$16 481                                     | \$15 920                            | \$15 990                        | \$16 673                                     | \$19 197                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 817                         | \$20 868                        | \$19 038                                     | \$12 443                            | \$18 835                        | \$17 790                                     | \$16 198                            | \$16 660                        | \$16 394                                     | \$17 115                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 793                         | \$12 502                        | \$10 754                                     | \$11 253                            | \$12 430                        | \$10 153                                     | \$12 330                            | \$12 117                        | \$12 408                                     | \$13 720                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$21 878                         | \$29 614                        | \$25 146                                     | \$21 650                            | \$22 147                        | \$19 572                                     | \$19 341                            | \$19 344                        | \$17 192                                     | \$18 254                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$22 996                         | \$30 709                        | \$26 196                                     | \$21 862                            | \$22 353                        | \$20 641                                     | \$20 115                            | \$20 115                        | \$18 100                                     | \$19 070                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$23 468                         | \$31 202                        | \$26 715                                     | \$21 328                            | \$24 013                        | \$20 922                                     | \$20 503                            | \$19 342                        | \$18 396                                     | \$19 438                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$11 942                         | \$15 005                        | \$11 812                                     | \$11 150                            | \$12 362                        | \$10 597                                     | \$13 139                            | \$13 787                        | \$10 746                                     | \$12 678                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$18 257                         | \$22 006                        | \$18 551                                     | \$15 026                            | \$20 503                        | \$16 964                                     | \$16 332                            | \$18 907                        | \$15 551                                     | \$17 921                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 887                         | \$23 770                        | \$20 823                                     | \$17 462                            | \$23 318                        | \$18 501                                     | \$17 425                            | \$20 424                        | \$16 170                                     | \$19 007                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 157                         | \$24 238                        | \$21 261                                     | \$14 299                            | \$21 200                        | \$18 946                                     | \$18 029                            | \$20 972                        | \$17 301                                     | \$19 153                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 221                         | \$15 452                        | \$13 263                                     | \$10 103                            | \$15 824                        | \$13 858                                     | \$13 023                            | \$13 085                        | \$13 877                                     | \$14 978                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$16 785                         | \$23 054                        | \$18 829                                     | \$13 224                            | \$14 985                        | \$14 670                                     | \$13 628                            | \$14 824                        | \$16 856                                     | \$14 933                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$21 406                         | \$31 485                        | \$25 507                                     | \$16 090                            | \$19 707                        | \$19 047                                     | \$17 592                            | \$14 698                        | \$18 744                                     | \$17 585                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 402                         | \$11 969                        | \$11 833                                     | \$11 362                            | \$10 587                        | \$7 833                                      | \$7 838                             | \$10 260                        | \$16 208                                     | \$9 705                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$14 213                         | \$16 786                        | \$16 218                                     | \$11 362                            | \$12 523                        | \$13 091                                     | \$10 794                            | \$15 919                        | \$14 676                                     | \$13 126                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$15 454                         | \$26 870                        | \$21 804                                     | \$16 529                            | \$15 334                        | \$14 618                                     | \$13 461                            | \$14 243                        | \$12 226                                     | \$12 713                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$16 687                         | \$28 647                        | \$22 977                                     | \$17 857                            | \$16 331                        | \$15 718                                     | \$14 410                            | \$15 449                        | \$13 375                                     | \$13 717                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$17 170                         | \$29 591                        | \$23 459                                     | \$18 153                            | \$16 947                        | \$16 168                                     | \$14 698                            | \$16 209                        | \$13 711                                     | \$13 952                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$7 642                          | \$9 170                         | \$9 778                                      | \$9 649                             | \$8 073                         | \$7 348                                      | \$7 007                             | \$6 726                         | \$6 274                                      | \$7 968                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 351                          | \$12 477                        | \$9 666                                      | \$9 395                             | \$11 155                        | \$9 096                                      | \$8 469                             | \$11 716                        | \$8 605                                      | \$8 913                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$11 137                         | \$15 209                        | \$12 508                                     | \$11 549                            | \$12 489                        | \$10 856                                     | \$10 229                            | \$12 837                        | \$10 313                                     | \$10 444                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$11 390                         | \$17 209                        | \$12 286                                     | \$11 665                            | \$12 707                        | \$10 960                                     | \$10 776                            | \$13 263                        | \$10 405                                     | \$10 658                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 368                          | \$7 192                         | \$4 454                                      | \$5 886                             | \$5 926                         | \$5 000                                      | \$3 778                             | \$7 343                         | \$4 899                                      | \$6 029                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 700                          | \$2 649                         | \$2 103                                      | \$3 328                             | \$1 098                         | \$968  | \$1 890                             | \$1 291                         | \$1 622                                      | \$1 908                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 21.9                             | 25.4                            | 17.9   | 17.6                                | 31.1                            | 21.5   | 17.6                                | 29.9                            | 23.1   | 20.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 32.4                             | 34.1                            | 28.4   | 28.6                                | 38.0                            | 32.0   | 30.3                                | 38.5                            | 33.5   | 31.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.6                             | 37.4                            | 31.6   | 29.9                                | 40.1                            | 34.5   | 31.4                                | 40.1                            | 35.2   | 32.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 33.5                             | 36.4                            | 30.7   | 28.9                                | 38.9                            | 33.6   | 30.4                                | 38.8                            | 34.0   | 30.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.9                             | 39.5                            | 34.2   | 32.9                                | 42.1                            | 37.2   | 34.0                                | 42.2                            | 37.2   | 33.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.2                             | 39.1                            | 34.4   | 34.5                                | 41.9                            | 37.8   | 33.8                                | 42.8                            | 37.4   | 34.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.3                             | 21.7                            | 17.2   | 17.0                                | 23.6                            | 19.7   | 19.1                                | 24.9                            | 21.4   | 21.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 46.8                             | 54.0                            | 46.7   | 43.5                                | 52.6                            | 45.2   | 41.4                                | 52.7                            | 45.8   | 45.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 53.6                             | 60.6                            | 51.9   | 53.0                                | 58.9                            | 50.9   | 46.6                                | 61.4                            | 53.2   | 53.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.5                             | 60.6                            | 52.8   | 59.5                                | 58.3                            | 51.0   | 46.6                                | 62.1                            | 56.5   | 44.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32.2                             | 35.6                            | 31.0   | 24.8                                | 34.7                            | 33.4   | 32.2                                | 28.8                            | 30.4   | 30.5                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 20.4                             | 20.2                            | 16.2   | 19.3                                | 27.3                            | 19.2   | 19.7                                | 30.2                            | 21.3   | 22.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 19.7                             | 19.8                            | 15.9   | 19.0                                | 26.3                            | 18.5   | 18.6                                | 31.0                            | 20.7   | 22.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 19.6                             | 19.7                            | 15.9   | 18.5                                | 26.6                            | 18.3   | 18.5                                | 30.7                            | 20.6   | 22.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 30.7                             | 32.5                            | 24.0   | 42.0                                | 41.6                            | 30.9   | 29.6                                | 21.6                            | 28.4   | 28.5                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 44.7                             | 52.9                            | 43.9   | 36.4                                | 49.8                            | 42.7   | 40.3                                | 46.6                            | 44.9   | 35.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.8                             | 54.8                            | 46.8   | 39.6                                | 56.2                            | 48.9   | 43.2                                | 47.2                            | 49.1   | 39.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 48.6                             | 55.0                            | 44.6   | 46.5                                | 54.2                            | 48.5   | 41.9                                | 43.2                            | 49.9   | 41.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.3                             | 42.0                            | 33.3   | 25.3                                | 34.2                            | 26.0   | 28.5                                | 43.1                            | 31.6   | 22.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 31.5                             | 34.8                            | 24.6   | 31.0                                | 39.7                            | 29.6   | 30.5                                | 27.3                            | 29.5   | 33.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.9                             | 40.3                            | 26.3   | 31.6                                | 52.2                            | 33.2   | 34.1                                | 37.0                            | 31.4   | 36.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 29.4                             | 22.0                            | 31.0   | -                                   | 14.8                            | 37.4   | 28.4                                | 36.6                            | 36.8   | 25.2                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 24.6                             | 25.4                            | 21.1   | 30.4                                | 31.0                            | 23.6   | 18.8                                | 21.6                            | 22.4   | 30.2                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 76.8                             | 85.2                            | 81.9   | 76.5                                | 89.7                            | 79.8   | 73.4                                | 80.7                            | 77.1   | 66.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 78.9                             | 86.1                            | 83.9   | 81.8                                | 90.6                            | 82.2   | 73.2                                | 82.4                            | 76.2   | 70.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 79.9                             | 85.2                            |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION                             | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 13 012 617              | 2 478 309                        | 1 709 939                                    | 67 716                              | 916 254                            | 5 374 127                                    | 456 565                             | 128 260                           | 1 043 888                                    | 837 559                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 6 770 333               | 1 642 753                        | 953 737                                      | 21 503                              | 602 419                            | 2 854 950                                    | 131 798                             | 48 459                            | 361 589                                      | 153 125                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 4 210 034               | 983 937                          | 572 207                                      | 13 233                              | 391 977                            | 1 808 736                                    | 83 367                              | 30 585                            | 230 280                                      | 95 712                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 3 810 117               | 895 799                          | 529 498                                      | 11 775                              | 358 274                            | 1 638 377                                    | 72 535                              | 26 173                            | 196 509                                      | 81 177                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 2 885 826               | 652 780                          | 408 598                                      | 8 684                               | 266 852                            | 1 258 337                                    | 52 347                              | 19 292                            | 155 603                                      | 63 333                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 2 139 034               | 460 481                          | 316 752                                      | 6 449                               | 192 266                            | 947 792                                      | 37 978                              | 14 016                            | 116 347                                      | 46 953                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 924 291                 | 243 019                          | 120 900                                      | 3 091                               | 91 422                             | 380 040                                      | 20 188                              | 6 881                             | 44 906                                       | 17 844                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 399 917                 | 88 138                           | 42 709                                       | 1 458                               | 33 703                             | 170 359                                      | 10 832                              | 4 412                             | 33 771                                       | 14 535                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 242 614                 | 47 275                           | 28 170                                       | 816                                 | 22 030                             | 104 800                                      | 5 837                               | 2 825                             | 22 079                                       | 8 782                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 185 381                 | 33 525                           | 22 178                                       | 588                                 | 16 803                             | 81 648                                       | 4 382                               | 2 200                             | 17 304                                       | 6 753                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 157 303                 | 40 863                           | 14 539                                       | 642                                 | 11 673                             | 65 559                                       | 4 995                               | 1 587                             | 11 692                                       | 5 753                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 2 206 657               | 569 993                          | 340 665                                      | 6 525                               | 184 111                            | 920 504                                      | 37 613                              | 12 367                            | 97 091                                       | 37 788                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 052 306               | 540 178                          | 323 839                                      | 5 915                               | 172 646                            | 851 929                                      | 32 929                              | 10 748                            | 83 445                                       | 30 677                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 802 254               | 481 779                          | 293 323                                      | 5 262                               | 151 239                            | 737 516                                      | 27 774                              | 9 238                             | 70 387                                       | 25 736                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 154 351                 | 29 815                           | 16 826                                       | 610                                 | 11 465                             | 68 575                                       | 4 684                               | 1 619                             | 13 646                                       | 7 111                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 199 778                 | 52 678                           | 24 512                                       | 830                                 | 16 120                             | 70 195                                       | 5 145                               | 3 162                             | 18 549                                       | 8 587                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 149 631                 | 39 229                           | 19 575                                       | 558                                 | 11 417                             | 52 587                                       | 3 655                               | 2 221                             | 14 092                                       | 6 297                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 119 099                 | 29 312                           | 16 110                                       | 451                                 | 9 030                              | 42 969                                       | 2 888                               | 1 738                             | 11 560                                       | 5 041                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 50 147                  | 13 449                           | 4 937  | 272                                 | 4 703                              | 17 608                                       | 1 490                               | 941                               | 4 457  | 2 290                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 153 864                 | 36 145                           | 16 353                                       | 915                                 | 10 211                             | 55 515                                       | 5 673                               | 2 345                             | 15 669                                       | 11 038                              |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 60 449                  | 14 970                           | 6 996  | 326                                 | 3 920                              | 21 226                                       | 2 065                               | 900                               | 5 717  | 4 329                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31 059                  | 6 618                            | 2 673  | 236                                 | 2 069                              | 11 232                                       | 1 317                               | 642                               | 3 677  | 2 595                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 62 356                  | 14 557                           | 6 684  | 353                                 | 4 222                              | 23 057                                       | 2 291                               | 803                               | 6 275  | 4 114                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 4 305 790               | 705 112                          | 636 131                                      | 26 827                              | 218 850                            | 1 914 980                                    | 185 831                             | 31 594                            | 334 468                                      | 251 997                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 3 777 648               | 659 264                          | 589 530                                      | 21 965                              | 194 099                            | 1 690 728                                    | 150 278                             | 23 432                            | 262 468                                      | 185 884                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 3 268 115               | 593 715                          | 532 122                                      | 18 749                              | 168 972                            | 1 443 247                                    | 124 762                             | 19 529                            | 215 560                                      | 151 459                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 528 142                 | 45 848                           | 46 601                                       | 4 862                               | 24 751                             | 224 252                                      | 35 553                              | 8 162                             | 72 000                                       | 66 113                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 454 177                 | 39 939                           | 32 012                                       | 2 635                               | 32 559                             | 171 243                                      | 22 470                              | 12 315                            | 86 066                                       | 54 938                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 319 523                 | 26 661                           | 23 198                                       | 1 774                               | 21 865                             | 123 991                                      | 15 541                              | 7 704                             | 61 654                                       | 37 135                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 255 532                 | 20 111                           | 18 682                                       | 1 392                               | 17 642                             | 101 074                                      | 12 071                              | 5 948                             | 49 607                                       | 29 005                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 134 654                 | 13 278                           | 8 814  | 861                                 | 10 694                             | 47 252                                       | 6 929                               | 4 611                             | 24 412                                       | 17 803                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 482 317               | 90 505                           | 88 059                                       | 16 751                              | 62 426                             | 432 954                                      | 116 466                             | 35 892                            | 261 765                                      | 377 499                             |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$22 229                | \$30 765                         | \$26 401                                     | \$17 078                            | \$23 324                           | \$21 149                                     | \$14 455                            | \$14 555                          | \$14 633                                     | \$9 485                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$26 944                | \$31 320                         | \$28 306                                     | \$25 630                            | \$26 838                           | \$25 034                                     | \$14 819                            | \$24 402                          | \$23 134                                     | \$21 091                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$28 157                | \$32 600                         | \$29 272                                     | \$27 331                            | \$28 279                           | \$26 206                                     | \$24 409                            | \$26 567                          | \$25 051                                     | \$23 527                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$29 152                | \$33 627                         | \$30 136                                     | \$28 645                            | \$29 077                           | \$27 123                                     | \$25 676                            | \$27 862                          | \$26 397                                     | \$24 883                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$30 556                | \$34 924                         | \$31 601                                     | \$30 470                            | \$30 239                           | \$28 757                                     | \$27 452                            | \$28 929                          | \$27 688                                     | \$26 008                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$31 228                | \$35 657                         | \$32 517                                     | \$31 298                            | \$30 822                           | \$29 545                                     | \$27 999                            | \$29 012                          | \$28 035                                     | \$25 915                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$24 766                | \$30 143                         | \$25 187                                     | \$23 519                            | \$25 686                           | \$21 711                                     | \$21 071                            | \$24 870                          | \$21 487                                     | \$20 890                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$18 676                | \$22 165                         | \$18 560                                     | \$16 713                            | \$19 803                           | \$17 385                                     | \$15 928                            | \$18 888                          | \$17 218                                     | \$15 952                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 613                | \$22 746                         | \$20 475                                     | \$20 038                            | \$21 580                           | \$19 992                                     | \$18 956                            | \$21 002                          | \$19 520                                     | \$18 323                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$21 073                | \$23 119                         | \$21 172                                     | \$20 655                            | \$21 836                           | \$20 579                                     | \$19 436                            | \$21 295                          | \$19 952                                     | \$18 561                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 689                | \$21 493                         | \$14 848                                     | \$12 487                            | \$16 449                           | \$13 218                                     | \$12 389                            | \$15 124                          | \$12 871                                     | \$12 332                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$26 121                | \$30 834                         | \$27 810                                     | \$25 053                            | \$24 792                           | \$23 804                                     | \$21 937                            | \$22 791                          | \$21 637                                     | \$19 680                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$26 956                | \$31 544                         | \$28 401                                     | \$25 930                            | \$25 885                           | \$23 578                                     | \$23 108                            | \$24 210                          | \$22 996                                     | \$21 506                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$27 426                | \$31 960                         | \$28 813                                     | \$26 332                            | \$25 749                           | \$25 047                                     | \$23 573                            | \$24 430                          | \$23 217                                     | \$21 715                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 020                | \$17 619                         | \$16 447                                     | \$16 548                            | \$15 857                           | \$14 185                                     | \$13 704                            | \$13 367                          | \$13 327                                     | \$11 802                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$19 158                | \$20 801                         | \$19 465                                     | \$16 262                            | \$21 345                           | \$18 865                                     | \$15 727                            | \$18 698                          | \$16 473                                     | \$14 793                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 582                | \$21 849                         | \$20 636                                     | \$18 841                            | \$22 660                           | \$20 638                                     | \$17 268                            | \$19 902                          | \$18 002                                     | \$16 372                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$20 808                | \$21 894                         | \$21 086                                     | \$19 805                            | \$22 517                           | \$21 096                                     | \$17 434                            | \$20 101                          | \$18 248                                     | \$16 230                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$14 910                | \$17 747                         | \$14 823                                     | \$10 972                            | \$18 153                           | \$13 569                                     | \$11 947                            | \$15 858                          | \$11 640                                     | \$10 450                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$15 694                | \$19 442                         | \$18 069                                     | \$13 653                            | \$17 082                           | \$15 080                                     | \$11 738                            | \$12 356                          | \$12 114                                     | \$9 698                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 234                | \$22 918                         | \$21 899                                     | \$16 992                            | \$21 429                           | \$18 847                                     | \$13 672                            | \$15 159                          | \$14 687                                     | \$11 780                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$9 839                 | \$13 688                         | \$9 701                                      | \$13 130                            | \$9 830                            | \$9 340                                      | \$8 151                             | \$7 827                           | \$7 581                                      | \$6 637                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$15 178                | \$18 492                         | \$17 607                                     | \$10 918                            | \$16 601                           | \$14 408                                     | \$12 058                            | \$12 835                          | \$12 427                                     | \$9 439                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$23 216                | \$34 232                         | \$27 777                                     | \$20 971                            | \$21 881                           | \$20 752                                     | \$17 395                            | \$15 816                          | \$17 054                                     | \$14 745                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 031                | \$35 624                         | \$28 999                                     | \$23 669                            | \$22 886                           | \$22 109                                     | \$19 460                            | \$18 670                          | \$19 302                                     | \$17 244                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 685                | \$36 044                         | \$29 549                                     | \$24 231                            | \$23 333                           | \$22 632                                     | \$19 936                            | \$19 004                          | \$19 689                                     | \$17 525                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$10 232                | \$14 190                         | \$12 326                                     | \$8 785                             | \$10 463                           | \$10 518                                     | \$8 669                             | \$7 625                           | \$8 858                                      | \$7 722                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$9 792                 | \$12 464                         | \$10 048                                     | \$7 921                             | \$12 075                           | \$9 877                                      | \$8 127                             | \$10 380                          | \$9 067                                      | \$7 857                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$11 571                | \$14 907                         | \$11 953                                     | \$9 841                             | \$13 854                           | \$11 694                                     | \$9 700                             | \$12 255                          | \$10 644                                     | \$9 443                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 997                | \$15 424                         | \$12 579                                     | \$10 187                            | \$13 965                           | \$12 202                                     | \$10 090                            | \$12 310                          | \$11 043                                     | \$9 781                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 571                 | \$7 558                          | \$5 033                                      | \$3 965                             | \$8 436                            | \$5 111                                      | \$4 598                             | \$7 248                           | \$5 083                                      | \$4 549                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 639                 | \$1 773                          | \$1 781                                      | \$1 304                             | \$1 737                            | \$1 745                                      | \$1 520                             | \$1 583                           | \$1 626                                      | \$1 502                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 18.2                    | 19.3                             | 14.7   | 13.3                                | 25.2                               | 17.5   | 13.9                                | 27.4                              | 19.6   | 15.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.7                    | 27.7                             | 23.5   | 24.7                                | 31.2                               | 25.9   | 25.5                                | 33.8                              | 28.4   | 28.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.3                    | 34.4                             | 29.5   | 29.5                                | 36.1                               | 31.0   | 29.5                                | 37.3                              | 32.1   | 30.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.5                    | 33.5                             | 28.9   | 28.8                                | 35.3                               | 30.3   | 28.7                                | 36.0                              | 31.0   | 29.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.5                    | 36.5                             | 32.2   | 31.9                                | 37.7                               | 33.5   | 32.2                                | 37.9                              | 33.8   | 32.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 34.6                    | 36.6                             | 32.6   | 32.2                                | 37.6                               | 33.8   | 32.5                                | 37.5                              | 33.9   | 32.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.9                    | 24.1                             | 14.7   | 17.4                                | 27.0                               | 16.3   | 17.0                                | 30.0                              | 17.3   | 17.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.0                    | 48.3                             | 42.5   | 39.7                                | 46.7                               | 41.4   | 38.2                                | 49.1                              | 42.5   | 29.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.6                    | 54.6                             | 48.4   | 45.4                                | 53.0                               | 47.6   | 45.6                                | 51.5                              | 47.6   | 44.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.4                    | 55.3                             | 49.5   | 45.2                                | 54.0                               | 48.6   | 46.5                                | 52.1                              | 48.3   | 46.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.8                    | 40.7                             | 26.9   | 28.1                                | 38.2                               | 26.6   | 25.1                                | 43.0                              | 28.0   | 27.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.0                    | 13.8                             | 11.9   | 12.8                                | 17.8                               | 13.9   | 13.8                                | 19.2                              | 15.4   | 16.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 13.6                    | 13.5                             | 11.7   | 12.2                                | 17.5                               | 13.5   | 13.4                                | 18.1                              | 14.8   | 15.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.4                    | 13.2                             | 11.6   | 12.1                                | 17.3                               | 13.4   | 13.2                                | 17.9                              | 14.7   | 15.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 21.9                    | 24.4                             | 18.7   | 22.8                                | 26.0                               | 20.6   | 19.3                                | 31.8                              | 21.8   | 23.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 47.9                    | 53.4                             | 46.3   | 40.8                                | 49.8                               | 44.1   | 42.7                                | 54.9                              | 47.0   | 45.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.5                    | 57.0                             | 50.2   | 45.1                                | 52.6                               | 48.1   | 47.6                                | 56.4                              | 50.5   | 48.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52.3                    | 58.3                             | 51.5   | 45.7                                | 52.6                               | 48.8   | 47.3                                | 56.4                              | 51.3   | 49.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 33.1                    | 40.5                             | 25.1   | 25.7                                | 41.4                               | 25.9   | 25.4                                | 50.5                              | 29.9   | 29.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 25.9                    | 27.7                             | 20.2   | 23.5                                | 30.1                               | 24.0   | 27.9                                | 33.8                              | 28.4   | 30.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 28.4                    | 29.8                             | 22.2   | 26.2                                | 32.7                               | 27.3   | 33.1                                | 34.2                              | 30.7   |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| NORTH CENTRAL REGION                                 | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| <b>WHITE</b>   |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 12 132 324              | 2 324 839                        | 1 623 699                                    | 60 452                              | 838 576                            | 5 058 409                                    | 419 369                             | 113 075                           | 947 757                                      | 746 148                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 6 291 516               | 1 530 320                        | 900 292                                      | 18 945                              | 546 039                            | 2 678 356                                    | 119 143                             | 41 252                            | 325 457                                      | 131 712                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 3 852 114               | 899 581                          | 532 035                                      | 11 330                              | 348 923                            | 1 675 642                                    | 74 021                              | 25 535                            | 204 780                                      | 80 267                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 3 498 947               | 819 748                          | 494 407                                      | 10 132                              | 321 163                            | 1 523 812                                    | 64 705                              | 21 960                            | 175 105                                      | 67 915                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 2 645 851               | 593 999                          | 381 879                                      | 7 441                               | 237 736                            | 1 169 908                                    | 46 672                              | 15 995                            | 138 849                                      | 53 372                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 1 977 343               | 421 076                          | 297 848                                      | 5 591                               | 172 942                            | 888 133                                      | 34 244                              | 11 879                            | 105 320                                      | 40 310                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 853 096                 | 225 749                          | 112 528                                      | 2 691                               | 85 427                             | 353 904                                      | 18 053                              | 5 965                             | 36 256                                       | 14 543                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 353 167                 | 79 835                           | 37 628                                       | 1 198                               | 27 760                             | 151 830                                      | 9 316                               | 3 575                             | 29 675                                       | 12 352                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 213 613                 | 42 292                           | 24 967                                       | 655                                 | 18 115                             | 93 260                                       | 5 029                               | 2 006                             | 19 447                                       | 7 642                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 164 452                 | 30 076                           | 19 871                                       | 495                                 | 13 997                             | 73 208                                       | 3 797                               | 1 714                             | 15 363                                       | 5 931                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 139 554                 | 37 541                           | 12 661                                       | 543                                 | 9 645                              | 58 570                                       | 4 281                               | 1 369                             | 10 228                                       | 4 710                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 2 119 228               | 550 147                          | 330 628                                      | 6 150                               | 174 374                            | 888 213                                      | 35 128                              | 10 974                            | 89 851                                       | 33 733                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 976 071               | 522 138                          | 314 741                                      | 5 589                               | 164 249                            | 824 157                                      | 30 862                              | 9 544                             | 77 308                                       | 27 483                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 741 873               | 466 867                          | 285 868                                      | 4 987                               | 144 780                            | 715 842                                      | 26 213                              | 8 262                             | 65 719                                       | 23 335                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 143 157                 | 28 009                           | 15 887                                       | 561                                 | 10 125                             | 64 056                                       | 4 266                               | 1 430                             | 12 543                                       | 6 280                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 179 373                 | 47 762                           | 22 242                                       | 669                                 | 13 789                             | 63 282                                       | 4 716                               | 2 729                             | 16 551                                       | 7 633                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 134 493                 | 35 615                           | 17 925                                       | 486                                 | 9 716                              | 47 463                                       | 3 341                               | 1 859                             | 12 504                                       | 5 584                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 108 042                 | 26 816                           | 14 877                                       | 389                                 | 7 848                              | 39 108                                       | 2 661                               | 1 480                             | 10 399                                       | 4 464                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 44 880                  | 12 147                           | 4 317  | 183                                 | 4 073                              | 15 819                                       | 1 375                               | 870                               | 4 047  | 2 049                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 140 801                 | 32 830                           | 15 387                                       | 796                                 | 8 953                              | 51 219                                       | 5 278                               | 2 014                             | 14 275                                       | 10 049                              |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 55 523                  | 13 711                           | 6 637  | 282                                 | 3 491                              | 19 618                                       | 1 933                               | 753                               | 5 133  | 3 965                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 28 283                  | 5 735                            | 2 498  | 214                                 | 1 813                              | 10 316                                       | 1 253                               | 572                               | 3 489  | 2 393                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 56 995                  | 13 384                           | 6 252  | 300                                 | 3 649                              | 21 285                                       | 2 092                               | 689                               | 5 653  | 3 691                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | 4 063 043               | 672 583                          | 610 886                                      | 23 790                              | 206 216                            | 1 819 238                                    | 171 531                             | 28 479                            | 307 387                                      | 222 933                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 3 574 943               | 630 359                          | 567 539                                      | 19 509                              | 183 547                            | 1 610 875                                    | 138 550                             | 20 904                            | 240 739                                      | 162 924                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 3 109 257               | 569 843                          | 514 138                                      | 16 886                              | 160 888                            | 1 381 348                                    | 115 818                             | 17 515                            | 199 033                                      | 133 788                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 488 100                 | 42 224                           | 43 347                                       | 4 281                               | 22 669                             | 208 363                                      | 32 981                              | 7 575                             | 66 648                                       | 60 012                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | 401 004                 | 35 593                           | 28 724                                       | 2 277                               | 27 473                             | 153 986                                      | 20 004                              | 10 009                            | 73 620                                       | 25 439                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 281 743                 | 23 715                           | 20 899                                       | 1 557                               | 18 148                             | 111 510                                      | 13 831                              | 6 108                             | 43 763                                       | 32 335                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 227 277                 | 18 042                           | 17 009                                       | 1 249                               | 14 721                             | 91 561                                       | 10 761                              | 4 771                             | 33 463                                       | 25 439                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 119 261                 | 11 878                           | 7 825  | 720                                 | 9 325                              | 42 476                                       | 6 173                               | 3 901                             | 21 372                                       | 15 591                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | 1 376 761               | 86 343                           | 83 797                                       | 15 440                              | 58 848                             | 406 829                                      | 108 691                             | 33 335                            | 239 921                                      | 343 557                             |
| <b>MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS</b>                          |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$22 330                | \$30 768                         | \$26 571                                     | \$17 050                            | \$23 275                           | \$21 232                                     | \$14 394                            | \$14 047                          | \$14 542                                     | \$9 231                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | \$26 938                | \$31 204                         | \$28 408                                     | \$25 863                            | \$26 763                           | \$25 051                                     | \$22 791                            | \$24 054                          | \$22 981                                     | \$20 981                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | \$28 148                | \$32 485                         | \$29 396                                     | \$27 593                            | \$28 235                           | \$26 220                                     | \$24 444                            | \$26 366                          | \$24 898                                     | \$23 525                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$29 111                | \$33 493                         | \$30 212                                     | \$28 899                            | \$28 967                           | \$27 110                                     | \$25 704                            | \$27 650                          | \$26 942                                     | \$24 927                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$30 490                | \$34 744                         | \$31 667                                     | \$30 779                            | \$30 075                           | \$28 732                                     | \$27 460                            | \$28 686                          | \$27 515                                     | \$26 007                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | \$31 179                | \$35 508                         | \$32 565                                     | \$31 630                            | \$30 699                           | \$29 540                                     | \$28 001                            | \$28 775                          | \$27 873                                     | \$25 891                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$24 833                | \$30 202                         | \$25 276                                     | \$23 699                            | \$25 810                           | \$21 746                                     | \$21 160                            | \$24 874                          | \$21 370                                     | \$20 962                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$18 614                | \$22 131                         | \$18 668                                     | \$16 553                            | \$19 762                           | \$17 290                                     | \$15 691                            | \$18 478                          | \$16 966                                     | \$15 817                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$20 516                | \$22 647                         | \$20 537                                     | \$19 527                            | \$21 521                           | \$19 921                                     | \$18 596                            | \$20 575                          | \$19 260                                     | \$18 070                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$20 997                | \$23 017                         | \$21 207                                     | \$19 583                            | \$21 886                           | \$20 530                                     | \$19 106                            | \$21 037                          | \$19 735                                     | \$18 304                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$15 702                | \$21 550                         | \$17 984                                     | \$12 965                            | \$16 457                           | \$13 099                                     | \$12 284                            | \$15 098                          | \$12 604                                     | \$12 161                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | \$26 188                | \$30 789                         | \$27 915                                     | \$25 238                            | \$24 781                           | \$23 890                                     | \$21 981                            | \$22 586                          | \$21 661                                     | \$19 798                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 002                | \$31 498                         | \$28 502                                     | \$26 080                            | \$25 337                           | \$23 477                                     | \$21 577                            | \$24 029                          | \$23 049                                     | \$21 657                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$27 471                | \$31 918                         | \$28 901                                     | \$26 506                            | \$25 689                           | \$23 111                                     | \$21 573                            | \$24 367                          | \$23 296                                     | \$21 861                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 951                | \$17 564                         | \$16 298                                     | \$16 848                            | \$15 774                           | \$14 144                                     | \$13 622                            | \$12 974                          | \$13 106                                     | \$11 666                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | \$18 860                | \$20 327                         | \$19 271                                     | \$16 352                            | \$21 158                           | \$18 626                                     | \$15 590                            | \$18 075                          | \$16 146                                     | \$14 680                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$20 219                | \$21 243                         | \$20 377                                     | \$19 270                            | \$22 313                           | \$20 353                                     | \$17 082                            | \$19 349                          | \$17 709                                     | \$16 282                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$20 505                | \$21 432                         | \$20 863                                     | \$20 263                            | \$22 199                           | \$20 815                                     | \$17 419                            | \$19 513                          | \$18 005                                     | \$16 065                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$14 787                | \$17 643                         | \$14 878                                     | \$8 604                             | \$18 405                           | \$13 447                                     | \$11 966                            | \$15 351                          | \$11 315                                     | \$10 311                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | \$15 384                | \$18 901                         | \$18 056                                     | \$14 063                            | \$16 643                           | \$14 904                                     | \$11 431                            | \$10 838                          | \$11 724                                     | \$9 423                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$18 797                | \$22 258                         | \$21 854                                     | \$17 571                            | \$20 819                           | \$18 496                                     | \$13 307                            | \$12 755                          | \$14 074                                     | \$11 439                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$9 457                 | \$12 293                         | \$9 731                                      | \$13 868                            | \$9 599                            | \$9 327                                      | \$7 958                             | \$7 388                           | \$7 567                                      | \$6 472                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | \$15 001                | \$18 293                         | \$17 349                                     | \$10 905                            | \$16 148                           | \$14 296                                     | \$11 777                            | \$11 608                          | \$12 156                                     | \$9 170                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | \$23 468                | \$34 667                         | \$28 039                                     | \$21 133                            | \$21 707                           | \$20 946                                     | \$17 482                            | \$15 673                          | \$17 093                                     | \$14 614                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 271                | \$35 813                         | \$29 223                                     | \$23 849                            | \$23 087                           | \$22 286                                     | \$19 591                            | \$18 635                          | \$19 400                                     | \$17 219                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$25 910                | \$36 222                         | \$29 758                                     | \$24 322                            | \$23 528                           | \$22 797                                     | \$20 056                            | \$18 967                          | \$19 779                                     | \$17 514                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 266                | \$14 370                         | \$12 540                                     | \$8 754                             | \$10 537                           | \$10 589                                     | \$8 622                             | \$7 499                           | \$8 762                                      | \$7 541                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | \$9 697                 | \$12 396                         | \$10 109                                     | \$9 950                             | \$11 863                           | \$9 813                                      | \$8 061                             | \$9 882                           | \$8 950                                      | \$7 733                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$11 489                | \$14 848                         | \$12 036                                     | \$9 624                             | \$13 655                           | \$11 644                                     | \$9 666                             | \$11 701                          | \$10 549                                     | \$9 311                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$11 951                | \$15 356                         | \$12 693                                     | \$9 817                             | \$13 872                           | \$12 174                                     | \$10 087                            | \$11 936                          | \$10 967                                     | \$9 708                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$5 465                 | \$7 501                          | \$4 965                                      | \$4 330                             | \$8 375                            | \$5 005                                      | \$4 466                             | \$7 034                           | \$4 938                                      | \$4 458                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | \$1 597                 | \$1 793                          | \$1 779                                      | \$1 287                             | \$1 733                            | \$1 691                                      | \$1 481                             | \$1 526                           | \$1 574                                      | \$1 442                             |
| <b>WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS</b> |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 17.6                    | 18.7                             | 14.3   | 13.0                                | 24.3                               | 17.1   | 13.5                                | 26.3                              | 19.1   | 15.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 26.2                    | 27.1                             | 23.2   | 24.1                                | 30.5                               | 25.5   | 25.1                                | 33.2                              | 28.1   | 27.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 31.9                    | 34.0                             | 29.3   | 29.1                                | 35.7                               | 30.7   | 29.1                                | 37.1                              | 31.9   | 30.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 31.2                    | 33.1                             | 28.7   | 28.4                                | 34.9                               | 30.1   | 28.3                                | 35.8                              | 30.8   | 29.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 34.2                    | 36.2                             | 32.0   | 31.7                                | 37.3                               | 33.3   | 31.7                                | 37.6                              | 33.6   | 32.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 34.4                    | 36.3                             | 32.4   | 32.0                                | 37.2                               | 33.6   | 32.0                                | 37.3                              | 33.7   | 32.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 19.6                    | 23.9                             | 14.4   | 16.5                                | 27.0                               | 15.9   | 16.8                                | 30.1                              | 16.8   | 17.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 43.8                    | 48.2                             | 42.1   | 39.8                                | 48.4                               | 41.1   | 38.5                                | 49.1                              | 42.5   | 40.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 49.5                    | 54.5                             | 48.0   | 46.3                                | 52.6                               | 47.3   | 46.0                                | 52.0                              | 47.8   | 45.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 50.3                    | 55.3                             | 49.2   | 46.0                                | 53.4                               | 48.4   | 46.9                                | 52.5                              | 48.6   | 47.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 32.6                    | 40.7                             | 26.2   | 28.0                                | 38.2                               | 26.1   | 25.1                                | 42.7                              | 27.0   | 27.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 13.7                    | 13.5                             | 11.8   | 12.8                                | 17.3                               | 13.7   | 13.7                                | 18.2                              | 15.2   | 16.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 13.4                    | 13.2                             | 11.6   | 12.2                                | 17.0                               | 13.4   | 13.3                                | 17.2                              | 14.6   | 15.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 13.3                    | 13.0                             | 11.5   | 12.0                                | 16.9                               | 13.3   | 13.1                                | 17.2                              | 14.6   | 15.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 21.5                    | 23.8                             | 18.7   | 21.9                                | 25.1                               | 20.2   | 18.9                                | 31.0                              | 21.9   | 23.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 48.3                    | 54.1                             | 46.9   | 42.6                                | 50.4                               | 44.3   | 42.5                                | 55.2                              | 47.5   | 45.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 52.1                    | 57.8                             | 50.8   | 44.1                                | 53.4                               | 48.5   | 47.3                                | 57.0                              | 51.1   | 49.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 52.8                    | 58.9                             | 52.0   | 45.0                                | 53.1                               | 49.3   | 46.9                                | 57.0                              | 52.2   | 50.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 33.0                    | 40.8                             | 24.3   | 35.6                                | 41.6                               | 25.3   | 25.9                                | 49.4                              | 29.9   | 28.2                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 25.1                    | 26.3                             | 19.8   | 22.2                                | 29.0                               | 23.5   | 27.8                                | 32.1                              | 28.3   | 30.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 27.8                    | 28.7                             | 21.7   | 26.0                                | 31.7                               | 26.9   | 33.7                                |                                   |  |                                     |

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NORTH CENTRAL REGION

|  | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |   |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |   |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |   |  |                                     |
|--|----------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| <b>BLACK</b>   |                                  |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 671 641                          | 96 564                                      | 63 943                                       | 3 914                               | 68 983                                      | 263 378                                      | 25 202                              | 12 616                                      | 79 083                                       | 57 958                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 366 127                          | 75 620                                      | 40 867                                       | 1 399                               | 50 040                                      | 146 509                                      | 7 624                               | 5 838                                       | 27 984                                       | 10 246                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 273 985                          | 57 489                                      | 31 019                                       | 975                                 | 38 364                                      | 111 155                                      | 5 332                               | 4 057                                       | 19 320                                       | 6 274                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 238 492                          | 51 824                                      | 27 217                                       | 842                                 | 33 119                                      | 96 086                                       | 4 472                               | 3 335                                       | 16 224                                       | 5 373                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 187 096                          | 39 837                                      | 21 080                                       | 632                                 | 26 249                                      | 75 755                                       | 3 438                               | 2 620                                       | 13 174                                       | 4 311                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 125 065                          | 25 956                                      | 14 925                                       | 457                                 | 17 318                                      | 51 018                                       | 2 291                               | 1 701                                       | 8 652  | 2 747                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 51 396                           | 11 987                                      | 6 137  | 210                                 | 6 870                                       | 20 331                                       | 1 034                               | 715   | 3 050  | 1 062                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 35 493                           | 5 665                                       | 3 802  | 133                                 | 5 245                                       | 15 069                                       | 860                                 | 722   | 3 096  | 901                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 23 142                           | 3 494                                       | 2 530  | 71                                  | 3 556                                       | 9 697  | 519                                 | 554   | 2 111  | 610                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 16 864                           | 2 455                                       | 1 820  | 54                                  | 2 518                                       | 7 169  | 394                                 | 423   | 1 569  | 462                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 12 351                           | 2 171                                       | 1 272  | 62                                  | 1 689                                       | 5 372  | 341                                 | 168   | 985  | 291                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 65 163                           | 12 528                                      | 7 291  | 237                                 | 8 462                                       | 25 488                                       | 1 675                               | 1 095                                       | 5 795  | 2 592                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 56 525                           | 11 272                                      | 6 578  | 191                                 | 7 323                                       | 21 948                                       | 1 379                               | 948   | 4 915  | 1 971                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 44 441                           | 9 136                                       | 5 330  | 176                                 | 5 620                                       | 17 095                                       | 1 031                               | 767   | 3 777  | 1 509                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 8 638                            | 1 256                                       | 713  | 46                                  | 1 139                                       | 3 540  | 296                                 | 147   | 880  | 621                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 16 282                           | 3 227                                       | 1 820  | 98                                  | 2 064                                       | 6 052  | 327                                 | 383   | 1 678  | 633                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 12 405                           | 2 383                                       | 1 387  | 33                                  | 1 506                                       | 4 615  | 271                                 | 332   | 1 376  | 502                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 9 074                            | 1 618                                       | 1 019  | 33                                  | 1 036                                       | 3 536  | 192                                 | 242   | 1 002  | 396                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 3 877                            | 844   | 433  | 65                                  | 558   | 1 437  | 56                                  | 51  | 302  | 131                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 10 697                           | 2 376                                       | 737  | 89                                  | 1 150                                       | 3 814  | 290                                 | 303   | 1 191  | 747                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 4 194                            | 944   | 297  | 27                                  | 395   | 1 475  | 112                                 | 140   | 524  | 280                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 2 141                            | 648   | 200  | 22                                  | 249   | 1 762  | 24                                  | 70  | 128  | 138                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 4 362                            | 784   | 340  | 40                                  | 506   | 1 577  | 154                                 | 93  | 539  | 329                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | 169 267                          | 15 102                                      | 17 004                                       | 1 362                               | 10 986                                      | 77 463                                       | 9 262                               | 2 401                                       | 20 982                                       | 14 805                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 141 023                          | 13 163                                      | 14 807                                       | 1 124                               | 9 118                                       | 64 942                                       | 7 700                               | 1 960                                       | 16 750                                       | 11 459                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 109 660                          | 10 733                                      | 12 076                                       | 851                                 | 6 958                                       | 50 068                                       | 5 954                               | 1 565                                       | 12 626                                       | 8 827                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28 244                           | 1 939                                       | 2 197  | 238                                 | 1 868                                       | 12 521                                       | 1 562                               | 441   | 4 132  | 3 346                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | 46 608                           | 3 164                                       | 2 706  | 247                                 | 4 759                                       | 15 925                                       | 2 059                               | 2 097                                       | 10 108                                       | 5 543                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 33 513                           | 2 195                                       | 1 910  | 138                                 | 3 469                                       | 11 603                                       | 1 471                               | 1 444                                       | 7 470  | 3 813                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 25 035                           | 1 502                                       | 1 379  | 88                                  | 2 702                                       | 8 830  | 1 114                               | 1 070                                       | 5 430  | 2 920                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 13 095                           | 969   | 796  | 109                                 | 1 290                                       | 4 322  | 588                                 | 653   | 2 638  | 1 730                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | 89 639                           | 2 678                                       | 3 366  | 906                                 | 3 198                                       | 23 481                                       | 6 257                               | 2 280                                       | 20 109                                       | 27 364                              |
| <b>MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS</b>                          |                                  |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$20 327                         | \$28 879                                    | \$22 967                                     | \$14 977                            | \$24 174                                    | \$20 140                                     | \$14 625                            | \$18 552                                    | \$15 286                                     | \$9 546                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | \$27 171                         | \$31 776                                    | \$27 010                                     | \$23 166                            | \$28 004                                    | \$25 471                                     | \$23 934                            | \$27 401                                    | \$25 356                                     | \$21 866                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | \$28 481                         | \$32 705                                    | \$28 119                                     | \$25 873                            | \$29 050                                    | \$26 729                                     | \$25 304                            | \$28 627                                    | \$27 506                                     | \$25 156                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$29 728                         | \$33 730                                    | \$29 428                                     | \$27 283                            | \$30 583                                    | \$27 944                                     | \$26 436                            | \$30 106                                    | \$28 855                                     | \$26 052                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$31 176                         | \$35 046                                    | \$31 031                                     | \$28 180                            | \$31 793                                    | \$29 562                                     | \$28 288                            | \$31 102                                    | \$29 977                                     | \$27 174                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | \$31 633                         | \$35 302                                    | \$32 133                                     | \$28 970                            | \$32 059                                    | \$30 046                                     | \$29 143                            | \$31 178                                    | \$30 396                                     | \$27 729                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$24 459                         | \$29 357                                    | \$23 920                                     | \$24 583                            | \$24 997                                    | \$21 916                                     | \$20 279                            | \$26 456                                    | \$24 007                                     | \$21 494                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$20 103                         | \$23 325                                    | \$18 754                                     | \$16 947                            | \$20 630                                    | \$18 982                                     | \$19 417                            | \$21 797                                    | \$20 438                                     | \$19 812                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$21 811                         | \$23 521                                    | \$20 718                                     | \$24 195                            | \$22 182                                    | \$21 137                                     | \$22 605                            | \$23 399                                    | \$22 191                                     | \$21 392                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$22 110                         | \$23 819                                    | \$21 723                                     | \$25 928                            | \$21 915                                    | \$21 513                                     | \$23 263                            | \$23 345                                    | \$22 208                                     | \$21 972                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$16 901                         | \$23 011                                    | \$14 846                                     | \$8 648                             | \$17 361                                    | \$15 092                                     | \$14 564                            | \$16 512                                    | \$16 680                                     | \$16 499                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | \$24 094                         | \$29 741                                    | \$24 211                                     | \$20 411                            | \$25 567                                    | \$22 044                                     | \$21 917                            | \$25 901                                    | \$21 619                                     | \$18 318                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 257                         | \$31 057                                    | \$24 553                                     | \$22 067                            | \$26 876                                    | \$23 065                                     | \$23 369                            | \$27 150                                    | \$22 611                                     | \$20 154                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$25 581                         | \$31 000                                    | \$25 106                                     | \$22 332                            | \$27 750                                    | \$23 414                                     | \$24 411                            | \$26 318                                    | \$22 321                                     | \$19 884                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$16 480                         | \$17 929                                    | \$21 051                                     | \$13 533                            | \$17 153                                    | \$15 719                                     | \$15 151                            | \$17 848                                    | \$16 084                                     | \$12 491                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | \$22 350                         | \$26 327                                    | \$22 236                                     | \$15 196                            | \$22 781                                    | \$21 793                                     | \$19 113                            | \$22 900                                    | \$19 740                                     | \$15 691                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$23 964                         | \$27 820                                    | \$23 717                                     | \$14 533                            | \$25 004                                    | \$23 841                                     | \$20 157                            | \$23 168                                    | \$20 543                                     | \$16 935                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$23 814                         | \$26 285                                    | \$23 749                                     | \$14 533                            | \$25 141                                    | \$24 310                                     | \$18 252                            | \$23 781                                    | \$20 664                                     | \$17 455                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$17 185                         | \$22 112                                    | \$17 491                                     | \$15 532                            | \$16 782                                    | \$15 215                                     | \$14 060                            | \$21 156                                    | \$16 077                                     | \$10 926                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | \$19 708                         | \$27 426                                    | \$19 810                                     | \$9 619                             | \$20 419                                    | \$17 536                                     | \$15 831                            | \$22 092                                    | \$16 585                                     | \$11 776                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$24 351                         | \$31 150                                    | \$24 192                                     | \$10 587                            | \$25 773                                    | \$23 269                                     | \$19 820                            | \$27 979                                    | \$20 334                                     | \$14 136                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$14 689                         | \$26 173                                    | \$10 005                                     | \$5 951                             | \$11 782                                    | \$9 398                                      | \$9 234                             | \$11 418                                    | \$8 753                                      | \$8 127                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | \$17 708                         | \$23 978                                    | \$18 866                                     | \$10 983                            | \$20 490                                    | \$16 107                                     | \$13 959                            | \$21 265                                    | \$14 801                                     | \$11 298                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | \$17 826                         | \$22 506                                    | \$19 493                                     | \$16 855                            | \$17 994                                    | \$17 330                                     | \$16 748                            | \$17 517                                    | \$16 955                                     | \$15 298                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 380                         | \$24 064                                    | \$21 009                                     | \$18 706                            | \$19 646                                    | \$18 735                                     | \$18 169                            | \$19 332                                    | \$18 532                                     | \$17 469                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 778                         | \$24 652                                    | \$21 452                                     | \$19 952                            | \$19 623                                    | \$19 107                                     | \$18 442                            | \$19 596                                    | \$18 901                                     | \$17 665                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 065                         | \$11 927                                    | \$9 271                                      | \$8 113                             | \$9 931                                     | \$10 043                                     | \$9 746                             | \$9 453                                     | \$10 564                                     | \$9 415                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | \$10 507                         | \$13 333                                    | \$9 858                                      | \$6 302                             | \$13 183                                    | \$10 470                                     | \$8 696                             | \$12 673                                    | \$9 892                                      | \$8 181                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$12 064                         | \$15 234                                    | \$11 394                                     | \$9 978                             | \$14 706                                    | \$12 119                                     | \$9 793                             | \$14 679                                    | \$11 129                                     | \$9 794                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$12 215                         | \$15 816                                    | \$11 712                                     | \$10 295                            | \$14 282                                    | \$12 432                                     | \$9 861                             | \$14 105                                    | \$11 621                                     | \$9 754                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$6 522                          | \$9 027                                     | \$6 170                                      | \$1 648                             | \$9 088                                     | \$6 041                                      | \$5 949                             | \$8 237                                     | \$6 389                                      | \$4 627                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | \$2 203                          | \$1 382                                     | \$1 968                                      | \$1 875                             | \$1 840                                     | \$2 708                                      | \$2 091                             | \$2 390                                     | \$2 249                                      | \$1 909                             |
| <b>WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS</b> |                                  |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 27.7                             | 33.0  | 25.0   | 19.9                                | 35.0  | 25.5   | 19.1                                | 34.4  | 24.6   | 17.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 34.1                             | 36.8  | 31.3   | 31.6                                | 37.7  | 32.7   | 31.6                                | 37.1  | 31.4   | 29.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 36.2                             | 38.2  | 33.9   | 34.3                                | 39.4  | 35.0   | 35.5                                | 38.4  | 33.9   | 31.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.3                             | 37.4  | 32.8   | 33.4                                | 38.3  | 34.1   | 35.0                                | 36.8  | 32.7   | 31.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 37.5                             | 39.5  | 35.6   | 35.7                                | 40.4  | 36.4   | 38.4                                | 38.3  | 34.8   | 33.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 37.7                             | 39.8  | 36.1   | 36.5                                | 40.7  | 36.4   | 40.0                                | 38.5  | 35.3   | 33.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 24.7                             | 29.0  | 20.5   | 25.4                                | 27.7  | 22.5   | 18.9                                | 30.4  | 21.2   | 19.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 45.5                             | 48.5  | 45.6   | 44.2                                | 49.8  | 44.0   | 39.1                                | 48.2  | 42.9   | 36.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 50.0                             | 53.4  | 50.2   | 44.9                                | 54.2  | 49.2   | 44.7                                | 49.1  | 45.4   | 39.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 50.9                             | 53.8  | 50.9   | 49.1                                | 56.5  | 50.0   | 44.9                                | 49.4  | 46.2   | 39.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 34.7                             | 40.4  | 32.9   | 42.2                                | 37.9  | 30.8   | 26.0                                | 44.4  | 35.9   | 28.9                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 21.4                             | 27.1  | 16.5   | 16.0                                | 27.7  | 18.1   | 14.9                                | 26.5  | 17.6   | 17.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 20.8                             | 26.4  | 16.3   | 13.1                                | 27.2  | 17.3   | 13.8                                | 25.4  | 17.4   | 15.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 20.3                             | 25.4  | 15.8   | 13.2                                | 26.8  | 17.1   | 12.8                                | 24.5  | 17.5   | 14.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.1                             | 37.0  | 18.0   | 35.7                                | 32.8  | 25.7   | 22.6                                | 37.9  | 19.1   | 24.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 44.2                             | 46.3  | 41.4   | 31.6                                | 45.9  | 42.4   | 46.1                                | 52.7  | 44.1   | 48.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 46.4                             | 48.3  | 44.4   | 65.0                                | 47.6  | 44.5   | 50.4                                | 53.0  | 46.9   | 47.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 47.4                             | 51.6  | 46.4   | 65.0                                | 48.8  | 44.7   | 52.9                                | 54.5  | 45.1   | 48.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 34.6                             | 39.1  | 28.4   | 15.8                                | 39.0  | 32.0   | 16.1                                | 51.2  | 27.8   | 52.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 33.4                             | 40.2  | 25.1   | 37.8                                | 36.0  | 29.2   | 30.8                                | 38.2  | 29.6   | 28.6                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 35.2                             | 42.0  | 29.4   | 29.4                                | 38.0  | 32.2   | 23.4                                | 33.5  | 31.0   | 32.9                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 39.1                             | 46.3  | 35.0   | 71.6                                | 40.2  | 28.0   | 47.7                                | 39.4  | 33.1   | 19.1                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 28.9                             | 35.6  | 18.8   | 33.2                                | 32.8  | 25.5   | 36.7                                | 38.9  | 27.3   | 27.0                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK                                 |                                  |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |   |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.]

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION                              | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                               |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                 |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                         |                                  |                               |                                     |                                    |                                 |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 39 585                  | 4 532                            | 4 623                         | 370                                 | 2 871                              | 17 286                          | 2 067                               | 596                               | 4 326                             | 2 914                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 21 646                  | 3 251                            | 2 738                         | 140                                 | 2 144                              | 9 993                           | 684                                 | 320                               | 1 784                             | 592                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 15 576                  | 2 364                            | 2 021                         | 111                                 | 1 605                              | 7 011                           | 501                                 | 201                               | 1 338                             | 424                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 12 402                  | 1 945                            | 1 684                         | 84                                  | 1 287                              | 5 517                           | 408                                 | 159                               | 982                               | 336                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 8 380                   | 1 351                            | 1 223                         | 54                                  | 883                                | 3 579                           | 221                                 | 118                               | 698                               | 253                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 6 041                   | 967                              | 958                           | 30                                  | 659                                | 2 479                           | 176                                 | 81                                | 500                               | 191                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 022                   | 594                              | 461                           | 30                                  | 404                                | 1 938                           | 187                                 | 41                                | 284                               | 83                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 174                   | 419                              | 337                           | 27                                  | 318                                | 1 494                           | 93                                  | 42                                | 356                               | 88                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 648                   | 231                              | 151                           | 17                                  | 151                                | 799                             | 28                                  | 35                                | 169                               | 67                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 275                   | 193                              | 118                           | 5                                   | 130                                | 587                             | 19                                  | 33                                | 134                               | 56                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 526                   | 188                              | 186                           | 10                                  | 167                                | 695                             | 65                                  | 7                                 | 187                               | 21                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 4 980                   | 703                              | 621                           | 16                                  | 449                                | 2 505                           | 158                                 | 81                                | 332                               | 115                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 969                   | 599                              | 516                           | 13                                  | 348                                | 1 927                           | 116                                 | 79                                | 270                               | 101                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 3 136                   | 520                              | 443                           | -                                   | 260                                | 1 481                           | 91                                  | 71                                | 206                               | 64                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 011                   | 104                              | 105                           | 3                                   | 101                                | 578                             | 42                                  | 2                                 | 62                                | 14                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 722                     | 122                              | 64                            | 6                                   | 69                                 | 315                             | 20                                  | 28                                | 69                                | 29                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 444                     | 72                               | 22                            | -                                   | 54                                 | 200                             | 10                                  | 13                                | 50                                | 23                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 288                     | 48                               | 15                            | -                                   | 46                                 | 113                             | 8                                   | 5                                 | 43                                | 10                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 278                     | 50                               | 42                            | 6                                   | 15                                 | 115                             | 10                                  | 15                                | 19                                | 6                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 368                     | 62                               | 32                            | 7                                   | 21                                 | 162                             | 5                                   | 10                                | 45                                | 24                                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 159                     | 12                               | 20                            | -                                   | -                                  | 45                              | -                                   | 7                                 | -                                 | 8                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 137                     | 19                               | 12                            | 7                                   | 21                                 | 54                              | 5                                   | 3                                 | 13                                | 8                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 12 267                  | 1 008                            | 1 460                         | 152                                 | 538                                | 5 730                           | 825                                 | 126                               | 1 455                             | 973                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 9 465                   | 839                              | 1 242                         | 114                                 | 477                                | 4 413                           | 562                                 | 115                               | 1 054                             | 649                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 7 689                   | 744                              | 1 038                         | 84                                  | 365                                | 3 531                           | 409                                 | 101                               | 858                               | 559                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 2 802                   | 169                              | 218                           | 38                                  | 61                                 | 1 317                           | 263                                 | 11                                | 401                               | 324                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 1 859                   | 143                              | 241                           | 19                                  | 99                                 | 585                             | 155                                 | 54                                | 372                               | 191                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 224                   | 83                               | 151                           | 15                                  | 66                                 | 408                             | 99                                  | 44                                | 224                               | 134                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 029                   | 50                               | 123                           | 12                                  | 62                                 | 343                             | 91                                  | 42                                | 190                               | 116                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 635                     | 60                               | 90                            | 4                                   | 33                                 | 177                             | 56                                  | 10                                | 148                               | 57                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 3 813                   | 130                              | 184                           | 59                                  | 90                                 | 978                             | 403                                 | 96                                | 715                               | 1 158                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |                               |                                     |                                    |                                 |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$16 996                | \$23 210                         | \$19 757                      | \$15 873                            | \$20 488                           | \$16 690                        | \$12 813                            | \$16 059                          | \$13 982                          | \$9 099                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$21 241                | \$25 534                         | \$22 672                      | \$23 724                            | \$22 872                           | \$19 431                        | \$19 759                            | \$21 555                          | \$20 290                          | \$19 508                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$22 492                | \$27 136                         | \$23 692                      | \$25 048                            | \$24 140                           | \$20 475                        | \$20 988                            | \$24 022                          | \$21 555                          | \$21 335                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$24 696                | \$29 214                         | \$25 568                      | \$29 867                            | \$26 610                           | \$22 433                        | \$23 434                            | \$26 653                          | \$24 542                          | \$23 750                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$26 992                | \$30 464                         | \$27 709                      | \$34 191                            | \$29 624                           | \$25 032                        | \$26 531                            | \$28 591                          | \$26 257                          | \$23 683                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$28 368                | \$31 761                         | \$28 550                      | \$37 858                            | \$32 150                           | \$26 270                        | \$26 670                            | \$29 400                          | \$28 013                          | \$25 043                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$19 911                | \$26 371                         | \$19 889                      | \$22 084                            | \$20 044                           | \$17 633                        | \$19 774                            | \$21 077                          | \$20 325                          | \$23 955                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 823                | \$17 490                         | \$14 319                      | \$10 057                            | \$14 043                           | \$13 246                        | \$10 259                            | \$14 062                          | \$13 117                          | \$12 114                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$17 372                | \$21 223                         | \$18 733                      | \$10 731                            | \$19 188                           | \$16 007                        | \$21 837                            | \$15 277                          | \$17 843                          | \$12 930                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 906                | \$21 285                         | \$18 997                      | \$11 738                            | \$18 947                           | \$16 698                        | \$24 469                            | \$14 361                          | \$18 254                          | \$13 777                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 114                | \$12 903                         | \$10 735                      | \$8 911                             | \$9 582                            | \$10 071                        | \$5 272                             | \$7 987                           | \$9 227                           | \$9 513                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$19 121                | \$22 043                         | \$21 186                      | \$22 521                            | \$20 322                           | \$17 764                        | \$17 172                            | \$18 590                          | \$19 123                          | \$17 541                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 005                | \$23 863                         | \$22 245                      | \$26 192                            | \$23 114                           | \$19 876                        | \$17 289                            | \$18 853                          | \$20 813                          | \$17 785                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 568                | \$24 607                         | \$23 131                      | -                                   | \$21 621                           | \$20 592                        | \$18 842                            | \$20 385                          | \$19 866                          | \$19 086                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$11 724                | \$11 558                         | \$15 982                      | \$6 615                             | \$10 703                           | \$16 723                        | \$16 850                            | \$8 210                           | \$11 764                          | \$15 787                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$13 183                | \$15 002                         | \$10 488                      | \$20 245                            | \$12 280                           | \$13 418                        | \$9 784                             | \$15 462                          | \$12 291                          | \$11 885                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 962                | \$20 405                         | \$17 975                      | -                                   | \$13 477                           | \$14 894                        | \$14 838                            | \$24 550                          | \$14 690                          | \$13 648                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$18 336                | \$25 262                         | \$25 397                      | -                                   | \$13 174                           | \$17 117                        | \$15 198                            | \$28 615                          | \$14 773                          | \$24 704                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 745                 | \$7 222                          | \$6 567                       | \$20 245                            | \$7 973                            | \$10 851                        | \$4 730                             | \$7 586                           | \$5 977                           | \$5 128                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$12 754                | \$24 768                         | \$11 421                      | \$8 455                             | \$15 240                           | \$11 672                        | \$18 265                            | \$13 032                          | \$3 562                           | \$5 852                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 909                | \$90 461                         | -                             | -                                   | -                                  | \$18 336                        | -                                   | \$17 396                          | -                                 | \$6 126                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$6 038                 | \$5 227                          | \$10 041                      | -                                   | -                                  | \$6 077                         | -                                   | -                                 | \$2 762                           | \$4 336                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$12 059                | \$15 160                         | \$13 722                      | \$8 455                             | \$15 240                           | \$12 645                        | -                                   | \$2 850                           | \$5 532                           | \$7 095                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$15 654                | \$20 687                         | \$18 556                      | \$15 945                            | \$15 890                           | \$15 349                        | \$13 848                            | \$17 004                          | \$15 832                          | \$11 788                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$17 864                | \$23 228                         | \$20 413                      | \$17 576                            | \$17 063                           | \$17 484                        | \$15 835                            | \$17 684                          | \$16 113                          | \$13 915                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$18 431                | \$23 725                         | \$21 224                      | \$17 184                            | \$18 429                           | \$17 989                        | \$17 048                            | \$15 517                          | \$16 258                          | \$14 052                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 187                 | \$8 071                          | \$7 974                       | \$11 054                            | \$6 716                            | \$8 195                         | \$9 602                             | \$9 889                           | \$7 838                           | \$7 537                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 863                 | \$8 048                          | \$7 294                       | \$6 090                             | \$10 762                           | \$8 422                         | \$6 040                             | \$7 699                           | \$7 830                           | \$6 996                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 759                 | \$10 740                         | \$9 542                       | \$5 079                             | \$13 680                           | \$10 314                        | \$7 773                             | \$8 664                           | \$9 887                           | \$7 906                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$9 939                 | \$9 846                          | \$9 847                       | \$5 110                             | \$13 746                           | \$10 917                        | \$8 205                             | \$8 720                           | \$9 892                           | \$7 530                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 209                 | \$4 323                          | \$3 523                       | \$9 880                             | \$4 925                            | \$4 059                         | \$2 976                             | \$3 453                           | \$4 717                           | \$4 856                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 668                 | \$1 330                          | \$2 247                       | \$207                               | \$1 883                            | \$1 491                         | \$1 508                             | \$1 201                           | \$1 747                           | \$1 867                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |                               |                                     |                                    |                                 |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 22.5                    | 27.3                             | 20.8                          | 16.6                                | 29.8                               | 20.9                            | 15.4                                | 31.0                              | 20.8                              | 18.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 30.2                    | 33.1                             | 28.1                          | 26.0                                | 34.2                               | 29.1                            | 24.4                                | 37.1                              | 28.6                              | 32.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 33.7                    | 36.4                             | 31.7                          | 28.8                                | 37.5                               | 32.7                            | 27.8                                | 40.4                              | 31.6                              | 35.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 32.0                    | 34.7                             | 30.3                          | 26.6                                | 35.7                               | 31.0                            | 26.7                                | 36.8                              | 29.8                              | 33.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.1                    | 38.3                             | 33.4                          | 26.2                                | 39.8                               | 35.9                            | 33.9                                | 37.4                              | 33.8                              | 36.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 36.0                    | 36.5                             | 34.1                          | 23.4                                | 39.3                               | 36.3                            | 36.0                                | 36.4                              | 32.4                              | 38.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.2                    | 25.2                             | 18.8                          | 27.5                                | 22.7                               | 18.3                            | 15.2                                | 34.3                              | 17.0                              | 21.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 45.4                    | 49.2                             | 44.5                          | 49.3                                | 50.7                               | 43.5                            | 39.1                                | 66.4                              | 41.1                              | 49.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 52.7                    | 53.8                             | 54.5                          | 60.3                                | 55.8                               | 51.8                            | 41.2                                | 68.3                              | 49.1                              | 54.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 53.6                    | 53.1                             | 58.0                          | 50.2                                | 55.9                               | 52.3                            | 43.2                                | 71.2                              | 51.2                              | 55.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.9                    | 39.9                             | 30.3                          | 27.0                                | 41.4                               | 28.3                            | 35.5                                | 47.9                              | 27.2                              | 30.7                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.2                    | 18.0                             | 14.7                          | 7.9                                 | 18.6                               | 16.0                            | 10.1                                | 25.4                              | 11.6                              | 21.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.6                    | 17.9                             | 12.8                          | 7.7                                 | 17.5                               | 15.5                            | 10.3                                | 25.2                              | 11.1                              | 23.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.7                    | 17.8                             | 12.2                          | -                                   | 14.1                               | 16.2                            | 10.2                                | 25.8                              | 11.9                              | 26.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 19.7                    | 19.2                             | 27.2                          | 11.9                                | 26.7                               | 18.6                            | 9.6                                 | 48.8                              | 15.6                              | 9.4                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 49.4                    | 59.0                             | 42.6                          | 16.0                                | 58.6                               | 46.1                            | 50.0                                | 46.3                              | 54.2                              | 33.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 56.0                    | 66.5                             | 36.9                          | -                                   | 63.2                               | 55.6                            | 50.1                                | 39.2                              | 57.2                              | 34.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 56.7                    | 66.3                             | 34.6                          | -                                   | 66.7                               | 56.6                            | 47.7                                | 31.5                              | 61.3                              | 27.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.4                    | 28.6                             | 50.7                          | 16.0                                | 31.2                               | 23.5                            | 49.6                                | 66.3                              | 34.7                              | 24.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 21.1                    | 18.2                             | 17.1                          | 23.7                                | 17.4                               | 24.8                            | 2.8                                 | 22.3                              | 29.0                              | 24.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 18.4                    | 13.4                             | -                             | -                                   | -                                  | 22.7                            | -                                   | 21.6                              | -                                 | 49.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.7                    | 58.8                             | 23.3                          | -                                   | -                                  | 35.2                            | -                                   | -                                 | 21.7                              | 16.1                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 18.4                    | 13.3                             | 9.5                           | 23.7                                | 17.4                               | 21.5                            | -                                   | 31.8                              | 38.0                              | 7.5                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 80.0                    | 94.6                             | 87.7                          | 97.7                                | 70.9                               | 76.2                            | 81.6                                | 93.8                              | 75.3                              | 81.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 82.8                    | 93.8                             | 90.3                          | 96.5                                | 67.9                               | 80.9                            | 84.7                                | 93.7                              | 78.3                              | 86.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 82.3                    | 96.6                             | 90.1                          | 95.6                                | 65.9                               | 80.7                            | 84.4                                | 93.5                              | 79.9                              | 84.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 67.5                    | 97.5                             | 76.0                          | 100.0                               | 88.1                               | 49.1                            | 67.4                                | 94.4                              | 65.6                              | 62.4                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.]

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION                              | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                        |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                        |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                        |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                        |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 77 856                  | 45 654                           | 10 873                 | 1 688                               | 2 313                              | 8 731                  | 2 670                               | 426                               | 1 228                  | 4 273                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 44 777                  | 28 883                           | 5 724                  | 610                                 | 1 522                              | 4 990                  | 1 129                               | 151                               | 554                    | 1 214                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 33 305                  | 21 399                           | 4 191                  | 448                                 | 1 146                              | 3 837                  | 873                                 | 94                                | 346                    | 971                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 29 947                  | 19 509                           | 3 685                  | 407                                 | 1 048                              | 3 445                  | 655                                 | 84                                | 310                    | 804                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 23 528                  | 15 520                           | 2 664                  | 308                                 | 848                                | 2 662                  | 534                                 | 65                                | 245                    | 682                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 16 571                  | 11 094                           | 1 862                  | 201                                 | 553                                | 1 838                  | 333                                 | 35                                | 185                    | 470                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 6 419                   | 3 989                            | 1 021                  | 99                                  | 200                                | 783                    | 121                                 | 19                                | 65                     | 122                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 358                   | 1 890                            | 506                    | 41                                  | 98                                 | 392                    | 218                                 | 10                                | 36                     | 167                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 808                   | 1 080                            | 273                    | 35                                  | 73                                 | 186                    | 101                                 | 5                                 | 22                     | 33                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 129                   | 677                              | 179                    | 14                                  | 49                                 | 108                    | 51                                  | 5                                 | 22                     | 24                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 550                   | 810                              | 233                    | 6                                   | 25                                 | 206                    | 117                                 | 5                                 | 14                     | 134                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 8 506                   | 5 507                            | 1 135                  | 82                                  | 268                                | 931                    | 187                                 | 34                                | 165                    | 197                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 7 878                   | 5 156                            | 1 078                  | 82                                  | 237                                | 842                    | 155                                 | 29                                | 143                    | 158                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 6 649                   | 4 384                            | 934                    | 68                                  | 189                                | 695                    | 126                                 | 29                                | 96                     | 128                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 628                     | 351                              | 57                     | 6                                   | 31                                 | 89                     | 34                                  | 5                                 | 22                     | 39                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 1 882                   | 1 257                            | 263                    | 57                                  | 75                                 | 141                    | 32                                  | 5                                 | 25                     | 27                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 349                   | 938                              | 170                    | 39                                  | 69                                 | 88                     | 8                                   | -                                 | 10                     | 27                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 982                     | 689                              | 135                    | 29                                  | 49                                 | 56                     | 2                                   | -                                 | -                      | 22                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 533                     | 319                              | 93                     | 18                                  | 6                                  | 53                     | 24                                  | 5                                 | 15                     | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 084                   | 720                              | 135                    | 23                                  | 33                                 | 81                     | 37                                  | 18                                | 18                     | 19                                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 397                     | 248                              | 47                     | 17                                  | 20                                 | 22                     | 20                                  | -                                 | 18                     | 5                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 228                     | 182                              | 31                     | 6                                   | -                                  | 8                      | 5                                   | -                                 | -                      | 2                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 27 659                  | 290                              | 57                     | 6                                   | 13                                 | 51                     | 12                                  | 18                                | -                      | 12                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 25 902                  | 14 801                           | 4 444                  | 827                                 | 433                                | 2 712                  | 848                                 | 158                               | 335                    | 1 344                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 22 490                  | 13 499                           | 3 901                  | 632                                 | 326                                | 2 324                  | 641                                 | 96                                | 241                    | 830                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 18 454                  | 11 273                           | 3 222                  | 481                                 | 299                                | 1 910                  | 470                                 | 68                                | 151                    | 580                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 412                   | 1 302                            | 543                    | 195                                 | 107                                | 388                    | 207                                 | 62                                | 94                     | 514                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 1 855                   | 874                              | 178                    | 42                                  | 171                                | 220                    | 64                                  | 51                                | 82                     | 173                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 277                   | 574                              | 137                    | 28                                  | 147                                | 144                    | 34                                  | 32                                | 61                     | 120                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 945                     | 447                              | 94                     | 18                                  | 122                                | 94                     | 22                                  | 25                                | 55                     | 58                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 578                     | 300                              | 41                     | 24                                  | 25                                 | 76                     | 30                                  | 19                                | 21                     | 53                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 5 322                   | 1 096                            | 527                    | 209                                 | 187                                | 809                    | 629                                 | 66                                | 257                    | 1 542                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$29 798                | \$36 278                         | \$27 264               | \$22 154                            | \$22 410                           | \$19 660               | \$13 626                            | \$15 524                          | \$13 765               | \$10 869                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$33 222                | \$37 747                         | \$27 418               | \$26 562                            | \$27 401                           | \$24 008               | \$19 708                            | \$23 979                          | \$21 254               | \$20 618                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$33 949                | \$38 405                         | \$27 933               | \$28 940                            | \$28 714                           | \$24 989               | \$21 022                            | \$22 959                          | \$22 732               | \$22 297                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$35 659                | \$40 009                         | \$29 799               | \$29 762                            | \$29 386                           | \$25 897               | \$23 577                            | \$24 819                          | \$23 952               | \$25 445                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$37 773                | \$42 371                         | \$30 749               | \$32 515                            | \$30 771                           | \$27 692               | \$25 035                            | \$27 162                          | \$26 304               | \$26 105                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$38 425                | \$42 835                         | \$32 217               | \$34 006                            | \$31 196                           | \$28 093               | \$23 919                            | \$27 957                          | \$25 574               | \$25 851                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$27 911                | \$30 819                         | \$27 321               | \$24 200                            | \$23 515                           | \$19 794               | \$17 740                            | \$16 803                          | \$15 086               | \$21 755                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$18 702                | \$21 851                         | \$14 338               | \$20 777                            | \$21 528                           | \$17 013               | \$13 347                            | \$7 332                           | \$12 231               | \$7 145                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 206                | \$25 097                         | \$16 441               | \$22 290                            | \$21 846                           | \$18 771               | \$19 240                            | \$11 733                          | \$15 248               | \$10 633                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$23 472                | \$26 377                         | \$17 711               | \$36 225                            | \$24 070                           | \$21 576               | \$16 747                            | \$11 733                          | \$15 248               | \$8 616                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 614                | \$17 522                         | \$11 875               | \$11 952                            | \$20 600                           | \$15 426               | \$8 261                             | \$2 930                           | \$7 490                | \$6 286                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$34 506                | \$40 364                         | \$28 712               | \$23 263                            | \$22 967                           | \$22 152               | \$16 942                            | \$22 507                          | \$20 714               | \$13 182                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$35 827                | \$41 546                         | \$29 752               | \$23 263                            | \$24 156                           | \$23 047               | \$18 487                            | \$23 523                          | \$22 129               | \$14 194                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$35 502                | \$40 760                         | \$29 668               | \$23 688                            | \$25 248                           | \$23 545               | \$19 724                            | \$23 523                          | \$19 524               | \$14 561                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$17 939                | \$22 992                         | \$9 060                | -                                   | \$13 883                           | \$13 688               | \$9 994                             | \$16 610                          | \$11 519               | \$9 080                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$23 227                | \$25 636                         | \$19 850               | \$16 621                            | \$23 945                           | \$14 074               | \$9 605                             | \$74 965                          | \$13 368               | \$19 408                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 269                | \$29 762                         | \$23 494               | \$17 144                            | \$25 478                           | \$18 524               | \$13 168                            | -                                 | \$18 959               | \$19 408                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$27 382                | \$29 095                         | \$25 809               | \$19 664                            | \$25 311                           | \$20 638               | \$22 010                            | -                                 | -                      | \$15 862                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 997                | \$13 505                         | \$13 189               | \$15 488                            | \$6 310                            | \$6 685                | \$8 418                             | \$74 965                          | \$9 641                | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$18 139                | \$19 297                         | \$15 307               | \$16 645                            | \$25 678                           | \$16 180               | \$11 411                            | \$17 923                          | \$8 738                | \$13 636                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$23 763                | \$26 978                         | \$13 843               | \$17 575                            | \$35 942                           | \$25 860               | \$14 533                            | -                                 | \$8 738                | \$11 710                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 426                | \$14 941                         | \$7 823                | -                                   | -                                  | \$3 960                | \$7 260                             | -                                 | -                      | \$15 650                            |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 615                | \$15 462                         | \$20 586               | \$14 010                            | \$9 887                            | \$13 921               | \$7 938                             | \$17 923                          | -                      | \$14 102                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$30 928                | \$37 372                         | \$30 916               | \$24 562                            | \$16 016                           | \$17 496               | \$14 664                            | \$14 728                          | \$11 638               | \$12 811                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$34 089                | \$39 721                         | \$33 544               | \$29 134                            | \$19 376                           | \$19 185               | \$17 075                            | \$20 299                          | \$14 296               | \$16 809                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$34 405                | \$39 542                         | \$33 338               | \$30 553                            | \$18 549                           | \$19 967               | \$19 154                            | \$24 555                          | \$16 085               | \$17 683                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 097                | \$13 017                         | \$12 034               | \$9 746                             | \$5 777                            | \$7 375                | \$7 198                             | \$6 102                           | \$4 822                | \$6 357                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$12 386                | \$13 178                         | \$9 229                | \$16 325                            | \$17 149                           | \$11 530               | \$8 352                             | \$10 635                          | \$9 490                | \$10 436                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 317                | \$17 348                         | \$10 629               | \$22 658                            | \$18 556                           | \$14 396               | \$11 345                            | \$14 913                          | \$12 071               | \$9 263                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$16 446                | \$18 090                         | \$11 282               | \$22 658                            | \$18 551                           | \$16 565               | \$15 853                            | \$13 652                          | \$12 692               | \$9 506                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 909                 | \$5 198                          | \$4 552                | \$3 659                             | \$8 528                            | \$6 099                | \$4 959                             | \$3 431                           | \$1 993                | \$3 092                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 553                 | \$1 231                          | \$893                  | \$928                               | \$1 403                            | \$2 303                | \$1 846                             | \$1 867                           | \$1 760                | \$1 549                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 21.7                    | 22.7                             | 14.3                   | 11.9                                | 37.3                               | 22.7                   | 20.1                                | 33.3                              | 26.8                   | 17.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 32.5                    | 33.4                             | 26.1                   | 26.1                                | 40.9                               | 31.2                   | 30.7                                | 45.8                              | 33.6                   | 28.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 36.0                    | 37.4                             | 29.3                   | 27.2                                | 42.4                               | 33.8                   | 31.2                                | 45.5                              | 36.1                   | 29.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 35.2                    | 36.5                             | 28.1                   | 26.8                                | 41.5                               | 33.1                   | 30.3                                | 44.6                              | 34.6                   | 28.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 38.1                    | 39.4                             | 32.1                   | 28.6                                | 44.5                               | 35.7                   | 31.1                                | 47.6                              | 35.8                   | 30.7                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 38.8                    | 40.2                             | 32.1                   | 27.0                                | 44.1                               | 35.8                   | 31.3                                | 43.9                              | 38.7                   | 29.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.4                    | 21.0                             | 16.4                   | 18.2                                | 24.9                               | 20.7                   | 25.7                                | 28.0                              | 26.9                   | 18.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 51.0                    | 54.1                             | 47.4                   | 31.8                                | 56.0                               | 43.5                   | 35.7                                | 59.1                              | 61.4                   | 45.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 57.4                    | 60.0                             | 57.7                   | 32.7                                | 63.0                               | 49.8                   | 37.9                                | 69.0                              | 71.5                   | 52.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 58.2                    | 60.7                             | 60.0                   | 22.4                                | 61.3                               | 47.2                   | 43.5                                | 69.0                              | 71.5                   | 41.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 39.5                    | 42.8                             | 30.7                   | 22.2                                | 34.4                               | 36.1                   | 31.1                                | 69.1                              | 29.1                   | 42.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.1                    | 16.1                             | 11.7                   | 11.4                                | 24.6                               | 17.9                   | 25.1                                | 20.6                              | 24.7                   | 21.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.8                    | 15.7                             | 11.6                   | 11.4                                | 25.0                               | 17.8                   | 23.8                                | 16.0                              | 24.0                   | 20.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.7                    | 16.1                             | 10.1                   | 10.9                                | 26.5                               | 16.1                   | 24.7                                | 16.0                              | 23.7                   | 21.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 25.7                    | 26.2                             | 22.7                   | -                                   | 19.8                               | 19.3                   | 35.4                                | 57.8                              | 32.7                   | 24.8                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 52.3                    | 53.6                             | 42.3                   | 38.2                                | 65.6                               | 52.5                   | 39.0                                | 83.4                              | 60.6                   | 32.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 55.0                    | 56.5                             | 43.9                   | 45.2                                | 66.3                               | 57.6                   | 60.8                                | -                                 | 47.5                   | 32.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 51.8                    | 53.5                             | 41.9                   | 39.6                                | 54.6                               | 58.9                   | 50.0                                | -                                 | -                      | 39.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 37.7                    | 34.8                             | 37.0                   | 21.5                                | 36.5                               | 28.9                   | 27.6                                | 83.4                              | 77.8                   | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 31.2                    | 30.9                             | 26.2                   | 32.1                                | 48.7                               | 20.8                   | 45.4                                | 64.4                              | 41.4                   | 11.6                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 30.6                    | 28.7                             | 27.1                   | 25.1                                | 48.1                               | 22.4                   | 54.7                                | -                                 | 41.4                   | 31.6                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 29.1                    | 28.3                             | 40.1                   | -                                   | -                                  | 53.2                   | 8.3                                 | -                                 | -                      | 12.9                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 32.9                    | 35.7                             | 22.9                   | 57.1                                | 51.7                               | 18.0                   | 30.9                                | 64.4                              | -                      | 4.4                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 79.4                    | 91.7                             | 82.7                   | 30.8                                | 75.8                               | 57.8                   | 87.3                                | 99.8                              | 66.5                   | 49.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 81.9                    | 91.9                             | 81.5                   | 25.2                                | 78.3                               | 62.3                   | 88.2                                | 99.7                              | 64.6                   | 72.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 79.6                    | 91.2                             | 79.2                   | 25.2                                | 75.1                               | 51.7                   | 88.5                                | 99.6                              | 62.7                   | 75.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 65.3                    | 90.7                             | 100.0                  | 100.0                               | 41.3                               | 37.6                   | 85.1                                | 100.0                             | 100.0                  | 12.5                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

(DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1)

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION                              | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                   |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                   |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                         |                                  |                                   |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 213 206                 | 20 987                           | 18 934                            | 3 017                               | 9 386                              | 64 675                            | 16 075                              | 3 309                             | 25 053                            | 51 770                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 109 059                 | 14 026                           | 11 055                            | 1 156                               | 6 846                              | 36 692                            | 6 903                               | 1 906                             | 12 411                            | 18 064                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 80 935                  | 9 413                            | 7 850                             | 953                                 | 4 978                              | 26 401                            | 5 481                               | 1 416                             | 9 477                             | 14 966                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 71 053                  | 8 373                            | 7 003                             | 843                                 | 4 484                              | 23 250                            | 4 799                               | 1 253                             | 8 097                             | 12 951                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 50 250                  | 6 249                            | 4 951                             | 636                                 | 3 317                              | 16 246                            | 3 185                               | 892                               | 5 785                             | 8 989                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 34 349                  | 4 292                            | 3 523                             | 356                                 | 2 280                              | 11 289                            | 2 057                               | 598                               | 3 869                             | 6 085                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20 803                  | 2 124                            | 2 052                             | 207                                 | 1 167                              | 7 004                             | 1 614                               | 361                               | 2 312                             | 3 962                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 9 882                   | 1 040                            | 847                               | 110                                 | 494                                | 3 151                             | 682                                 | 163                               | 1 380                             | 2 015                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 5 293                   | 607                              | 495                               | 75                                  | 291                                | 1 772                             | 331                                 | 67                                | 785                               | 866                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 3 672                   | 387                              | 382                               | 75                                  | 208                                | 1 238                             | 246                                 | 63                                | 509                               | 573                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 589                   | 433                              | 352                               | 35                                  | 199                                | 1 379                             | 351                                 | 96                                | 595                               | 1 149                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 22 694                  | 3 617                            | 2 725                             | 146                                 | 1 508                              | 8 653                             | 1 078                               | 401                               | 2 300                             | 2 266                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 20 290                  | 3 371                            | 2 540                             | 146                                 | 1 304                              | 7 783                             | 924                                 | 349                               | 1 925                             | 1 948                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 16 534                  | 2 990                            | 2 165                             | 112                                 | 1 033                              | 6 180                             | 741                                 | 283                               | 1 537                             | 1 493                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 2 404                   | 246                              | 185                               | -                                   | 204                                | 870                               | 154                                 | 52                                | 375                               | 318                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 3 207                   | 597                              | 302                               | 22                                  | 193                                | 948                               | 190                                 | 60                                | 414                               | 481                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 155                   | 449                              | 177                               | 22                                  | 131                                | 629                               | 120                                 | 28                                | 280                               | 319                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 378                   | 291                              | 152                               | 22                                  | 83                                 | 441                               | 113                                 | 12                                | 213                               | 251                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 052                   | 148                              | 125                               | -                                   | 62                                 | 319                               | 70                                  | 32                                | 134                               | 162                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 2 223                   | 399                              | 178                               | 35                                  | 167                                | 690                               | 154                                 | 29                                | 220                               | 351                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 780                     | 157                              | 72                                | 35                                  | 61                                 | 233                               | 13                                  | 13                                | 80                                | 116                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 475                     | 59                               | 40                                | -                                   | 9                                  | 189                               | 51                                  | -                                 | 38                                | 89                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 968                     | 183                              | 66                                | -                                   | 97                                 | 268                               | 90                                  | 16                                | 102                               | 146                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 81 109                  | 5 971                            | 6 994                             | 1 570                               | 2 080                              | 23 941                            | 7 355                               | 922                               | 9 199                             | 23 077                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 69 687                  | 5 477                            | 6 370                             | 1 387                               | 1 869                              | 20 611                            | 6 296                               | 787                               | 7 562                             | 19 328                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 54 926                  | 4 582                            | 5 284                             | 1 102                               | 1 481                              | 16 387                            | 4 950                               | 595                               | 5 723                             | 14 822                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 11 422                  | 1 494                            | 1 610                             | 193                                 | 211                                | 3 350                             | 1 059                               | 135                               | 1 636                             | 3 749                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 6 856                   | 387                              | 382                               | 75                                  | 207                                | 1 481                             | 464                                 | 245                               | 1 559                             | 2 259                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 588                   | 248                              | 244                               | 52                                  | 162                                | 970                               | 309                                 | 201                               | 857                               | 1 545                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 3 378                   | 218                              | 177                               | 29                                  | 162                                | 738                               | 223                                 | 106                               | 620                               | 1 055                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 268                   | 159                              | 138                               | 23                                  | 45                                 | 511                               | 155                                 | 44                                | 499                               | 714                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 16 182                  | 603                              | 503                               | 216                                 | 253                                | 2 561                             | 1 353                               | 236                               | 2 087                             | 8 370                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |                                   |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$20 386                | \$30 946                         | \$24 074                          | \$21 415                            | \$22 717                           | \$19 905                          | \$18 824                            | \$18 888                          | \$18 234                          | \$16 497                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$24 422                | \$31 075                         | \$25 669                          | \$24 972                            | \$24 996                           | \$23 050                          | \$23 455                            | \$23 023                          | \$23 077                          | \$22 467                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$25 235                | \$32 615                         | \$26 428                          | \$24 881                            | \$25 859                           | \$24 150                          | \$24 550                            | \$23 649                          | \$23 985                          | \$22 889                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$26 450                | \$34 169                         | \$27 759                          | \$25 576                            | \$26 945                           | \$25 284                          | \$25 678                            | \$24 860                          | \$25 125                          | \$23 999                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 479                | \$36 402                         | \$29 635                          | \$26 787                            | \$28 803                           | \$27 428                          | \$26 970                            | \$26 818                          | \$27 245                          | \$25 728                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$29 067                | \$37 388                         | \$30 500                          | \$26 974                            | \$29 732                           | \$28 307                          | \$27 895                            | \$26 552                          | \$27 535                          | \$25 266                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$21 549                | \$27 600                         | \$23 232                          | \$21 855                            | \$21 665                           | \$20 310                          | \$23 127                            | \$20 022                          | \$19 822                          | \$20 078                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$16 498                | \$20 104                         | \$15 427                          | \$19 550                            | \$15 995                           | \$15 783                          | \$16 615                            | \$14 342                          | \$17 293                          | \$15 753                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 547                | \$21 784                         | \$17 491                          | \$23 519                            | \$18 446                           | \$19 004                          | \$18 247                            | \$16 959                          | \$21 463                          | \$19 256                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 238                | \$22 278                         | \$17 288                          | \$24 021                            | \$20 946                           | \$19 321                          | \$18 921                            | \$17 082                          | \$23 999                          | \$19 548                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 982                | \$17 749                         | \$12 525                          | \$11 044                            | \$12 363                           | \$11 644                          | \$15 076                            | \$12 516                          | \$11 792                          | \$13 114                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$23 124                | \$30 510                         | \$24 910                          | \$26 232                            | \$22 681                           | \$20 882                          | \$20 512                            | \$21 237                          | \$20 898                          | \$21 673                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$24 279                | \$31 595                         | \$25 804                          | \$26 232                            | \$24 191                           | \$21 891                          | \$22 121                            | \$22 410                          | \$21 945                          | \$22 748                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$24 746                | \$31 338                         | \$26 128                          | \$26 210                            | \$24 642                           | \$22 589                          | \$22 324                            | \$21 724                          | \$22 311                          | \$22 717                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 373                | \$15 643                         | \$12 648                          | -                                   | \$13 031                           | \$11 857                          | \$10 857                            | \$13 367                          | \$15 521                          | \$15 089                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$18 627                | \$20 961                         | \$18 182                          | \$21 565                            | \$24 284                           | \$17 643                          | \$14 231                            | \$23 127                          | \$18 043                          | \$17 220                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 988                | \$23 623                         | \$23 053                          | \$21 565                            | \$25 773                           | \$19 600                          | \$16 057                            | \$26 088                          | \$19 421                          | \$19 648                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 627                | \$22 178                         | \$23 482                          | \$21 565                            | \$25 931                           | \$20 199                          | \$15 599                            | \$30 148                          | \$19 787                          | \$18 536                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 791                | \$12 887                         | \$11 286                          | -                                   | \$21 138                           | \$13 786                          | \$11 100                            | \$20 536                          | \$15 165                          | \$12 439                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$16 421                | \$14 987                         | \$16 506                          | \$24 336                            | \$20 993                           | \$15 575                          | \$16 481                            | \$16 895                          | \$16 202                          | \$16 780                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 828                | \$16 062                         | \$26 986                          | \$24 336                            | \$27 719                           | \$21 055                          | \$8 796                             | \$17 470                          | \$18 581                          | \$21 635                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 215                | \$14 973                         | \$6 753                           | -                                   | \$629                              | \$10 402                          | \$21 426                            | -                                 | \$8 439                           | \$8 860                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 425                | \$14 070                         | \$10 985                          | -                                   | \$18 652                           | \$14 478                          | \$14 789                            | \$10 428                          | \$17 228                          | \$17 751                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$19 320                | \$34 961                         | \$23 943                          | \$22 262                            | \$18 833                           | \$17 675                          | \$17 966                            | \$16 475                          | \$16 506                          | \$17 092                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 903                | \$36 812                         | \$25 346                          | \$23 582                            | \$19 999                           | \$19 211                          | \$19 610                            | \$17 501                          | \$18 024                          | \$18 315                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 495                | \$37 472                         | \$25 801                          | \$24 781                            | \$20 029                           | \$19 736                          | \$20 096                            | \$17 080                          | \$18 748                          | \$18 573                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 667                 | \$14 437                         | \$9 619                           | \$12 261                            | \$8 504                            | \$8 166                           | \$8 188                             | \$10 495                          | \$9 489                           | \$10 784                            |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$10 595                | \$10 375                         | \$9 584                           | \$8 148                             | \$12 722                           | \$9 855                           | \$10 348                            | \$12 678                          | \$11 154                          | \$10 665                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$12 869                | \$12 471                         | \$10 399                          | \$11 131                            | \$15 174                           | \$11 895                          | \$12 730                            | \$12 146                          | \$15 210                          | \$12 573                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$13 475                | \$12 832                         | \$10 475                          | \$17 358                            | \$15 174                           | \$12 636                          | \$11 498                            | \$12 222                          | \$16 403                          | \$13 168                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 996                 | \$6 635                          | \$8 145                           | \$1 404                             | \$5 895                            | \$5 981                           | \$5 601                             | \$15 110                          | \$4 188                           | \$6 536                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 674                 | \$1 385                          | \$1 833                           | \$834                               | \$1 186                            | \$1 500                           | \$2 761                             | \$1 375                           | \$1 658                           | \$3 545                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |                                   |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 19.2                    | 20.9                             | 17.4                              | 13.3                                | 28.1                               | 19.8                              | 16.6                                | 27.4                              | 21.3                              | 15.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 29.3                    | 30.3                             | 26.9                              | 27.8                                | 33.5                               | 28.6                              | 29.0                                | 33.4                              | 30.1                              | 28.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.4                    | 34.5                             | 31.0                              | 29.9                                | 36.3                               | 32.3                              | 31.0                                | 36.6                              | 32.6                              | 30.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.6                    | 33.6                             | 30.2                              | 29.4                                | 34.9                               | 31.3                              | 30.8                                | 35.5                              | 31.7                              | 29.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.2                    | 36.8                             | 34.7                              | 31.8                                | 37.6                               | 35.3                              | 32.4                                | 40.1                              | 35.4                              | 33.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 35.5                    | 36.9                             | 34.6                              | 33.1                                | 37.5                               | 35.6                              | 32.3                                | 39.3                              | 36.1                              | 34.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.1                    | 21.2                             | 16.4                              | 20.6                                | 24.6                               | 18.8                              | 27.2                                | 20.2                              | 19.1                              | 19.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 41.3                    | 46.8                             | 42.0                              | 35.1                                | 57.0                               | 44.2                              | 33.3                                | 52.0                              | 40.8                              | 32.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.9                    | 52.2                             | 51.0                              | 41.2                                | 65.5                               | 51.3                              | 44.6                                | 66.7                              | 45.0                              | 40.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 49.9                    | 53.9                             | 53.2                              | 41.0                                | 65.5                               | 52.5                              | 46.6                                | 66.7                              | 42.8                              | 41.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.2                    | 37.4                             | 24.3                              | 7.4                                 | 38.1                               | 29.3                              | 20.4                                | 38.1                              | 30.7                              | 23.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.0                    | 16.1                             | 13.7                              | 14.4                                | 22.0                               | 14.6                              | 17.3                                | 22.2                              | 16.9                              | 17.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.5                    | 15.6                             | 13.2                              | 14.4                                | 21.4                               | 14.2                              | 16.8                                | 21.4                              | 16.1                              | 17.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.4                    | 15.6                             | 13.0                              | 15.2                                | 20.7                               | 13.8                              | 18.0                                | 20.6                              | 16.5                              | 18.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 24.0                    | 29.3                             | 26.1                              | -                                   | 29.0                               | 21.8                              | 25.8                                | 31.5                              | 22.7                              | 21.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 40.9                    | 46.9                             | 39.8                              | 35.1                                | 40.1                               | 39.9                              | 38.5                                | 30.1                              | 40.3                              | 38.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 45.6                    | 50.0                             | 44.4                              | 35.1                                | 43.5                               | 45.6                              | 46.2                                | 32.9                              | 45.3                              | 42.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 47.9                    | 55.1                             | 45.7                              | 35.1                                | 47.1                               | 47.8                              | 48.6                                | 27.3                              | 45.1                              | 45.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.3                    | 29.6                             | 26.4                              | -                                   | 31.3                               | 23.7                              | 19.5                                | 26.9                              | 26.9                              | 27.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 26.6                    | 38.2                             | 26.1                              | 24.2                                | 37.0                               | 22.7                              | 15.7                                | 15.4                              | 26.0                              | 22.3                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 29.6                    | 39.9                             | 23.7                              | 24.2                                | 35.2                               | 26.3                              | 62.0                                | 19.4                              | 30.4                              | 27.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 24.6                    | 33.6                             | 25.0                              | -                                   | 62.1                               | 20.8                              | 11.2                                | -                                 | 47.1                              | 10.5                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 24.0                    | 31.3                             | 32.9                              | -                                   | 38.7                               | 19.0                              | 15.4                                | 11.9                              | 18.4                              | 21.2                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 71.1                    | 89.3                             | 73.3                              | 92.7                                | 88.9                               | 80.8                              | 64.5                                | 77.8                              | 70.8                              | 60.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 73.3                    | 94.6                             | 83.9                              | 92.3                                | 88.9                               | 81.6                              | 66.2                                | 83.7                              | 71.2                              | 62.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 74.8                    | 95.7                             | 93.6                              | 99.9                                | 88.9                               | 79.8                              | 74.1                                | 85.7                              | 72.6                              | 62.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 61.8                    | 71.5                             | 49.4                              | 100.0                               | 82.3                               | 77.7                              | 57.0                                | 55.8                              | 68.1                              | 5                                   |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.

SOUTH REGION

|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                  |                                     |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 OR HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 16 541 431              | 3 209 266                        | 2 134 254                        | 119 110                             | 1 050 466                          | 5 836 494                        | 708 914                             | 170 012                           | 1 593 529                        | 1 719 386                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 8 393 006               | 2 065 770                        | 1 179 375                        | 40 599                              | 685 434                            | 3 147 397                        | 231 485                             | 70 444                            | 617 910                          | 354 592                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 6 022 216               | 1 448 245                        | 836 684                          | 27 324                              | 524 130                            | 2 310 902                        | 159 980                             | 50 835                            | 434 890                          | 229 226                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 5 494 940               | 1 341 294                        | 781 945                          | 24 455                              | 482 203                            | 2 115 375                        | 140 334                             | 43 873                            | 375 606                          | 189 857                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 4 137 920               | 998 289                          | 601 469                          | 16 939                              | 367 738                            | 1 595 916                        | 94 634                              | 33 582                            | 289 167                          | 140 186                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 3 063 891               | 698 289                          | 475 107                          | 12 404                              | 263 312                            | 1 215 225                        | 67 834                              | 23 121                            | 210 349                          | 98 250                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 1 357 020               | 343 005                          | 180 476                          | 7 516                               | 114 465                            | 519 457                          | 45 700                              | 10 291                            | 86 439                           | 49 671                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 527 276                 | 106 951                          | 54 739                           | 2 869                               | 41 927                             | 195 529                          | 19 646                              | 6 962                             | 59 284                           | 39 369                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 313 731                 | 59 237                           | 35 296                           | 1 525                               | 27 096                             | 116 975                          | 10 072                              | 4 655                             | 37 274                           | 21 601                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 233 794                 | 41 425                           | 27 139                           | 1 030                               | 19 667                             | 89 460                           | 7 415                               | 3 547                             | 28 212                           | 15 899                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 213 545                 | 47 714                           | 19 443                           | 1 344                               | 14 831                             | 78 554                           | 9 574                               | 2 307                             | 22 010                           | 17 768                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 1 860 991               | 500 526                          | 286 206                          | 10 023                              | 125 781                            | 675 445                          | 53 341                              | 11 285                            | 121 497                          | 76 887                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 721 208               | 476 329                          | 272 039                          | 9 051                               | 117 140                            | 622 804                          | 46 683                              | 9 734                             | 104 842                          | 62 606                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 522 646               | 436 260                          | 249 474                          | 8 025                               | 102 340                            | 541 439                          | 39 206                              | 8 265                             | 87 035                           | 50 602                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 139 783                 | 24 197                           | 14 167                           | 992                                 | 8 641                              | 52 641                           | 6 658                               | 1 551                             | 16 655                           | 14 281                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 317 941                 | 75 879                           | 36 296                           | 1 915                               | 24 476                             | 100 679                          | 10 343                              | 5 277                             | 38 005                           | 25 071                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 231 593                 | 55 744                           | 28 026                           | 1 374                               | 18 066                             | 72 851                           | 6 632                               | 3 713                             | 28 068                           | 17 119                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 179 833                 | 40 883                           | 22 848                           | 1 076                               | 13 693                             | 58 296                           | 5 118                               | 2 729                             | 22 175                           | 13 015                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 86 348                  | 20 135                           | 8 270                            | 541                                 | 6 410                              | 27 828                           | 3 711                               | 1 564                             | 9 937                            | 7 952                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 191 858                 | 41 120                           | 20 189                           | 1 337                               | 11 047                             | 60 371                           | 7 821                               | 3 047                             | 23 518                           | 23 408                              |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 73 544                  | 17 116                           | 8 526                            | 474                                 | 4 415                              | 25 126                           | 2 617                               | 999                               | 8 274                            | 7 997                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 41 322                  | 7 578                            | 3 677                            | 913                                 | 2 079                              | 12 079                           | 2 082                               | 770                               | 9 988                            | 6 756                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 76 992                  | 16 426                           | 7 986                            | 550                                 | 4 553                              | 25 166                           | 3 122                               | 1 278                             | 9 256                            | 8 658                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 5 188 056               | 879 886                          | 733 791                          | 47 175                              | 220 687                            | 1 927 918                        | 299 789                             | 35 799                            | 491 329                          | 551 622                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 4 489 186               | 817 548                          | 671 184                          | 40 069                              | 193 896                            | 1 694 874                        | 247 986                             | 27 803                            | 390 555                          | 405 271                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 3 901 919               | 750 141                          | 610 346                          | 34 734                              | 169 966                            | 1 462 289                        | 207 935                             | 23 025                            | 317 919                          | 325 564                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 698 870                 | 62 338                           | 62 607                           | 7 106                               | 26 791                             | 233 044                          | 51 803                              | 7 996                             | 100 774                          | 146 411                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 729 285                 | 72 688                           | 54 876                           | 5 231                               | 48 961                             | 223 986                          | 34 205                              | 18 614                            | 144 569                          | 126 155                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 503 045                 | 48 368                           | 38 269                           | 3 326                               | 33 426                             | 159 478                          | 22 408                              | 12 046                            | 103 055                          | 82 669                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 399 528                 | 36 369                           | 31 761                           | 2 634                               | 25 399                             | 130 204                          | 17 305                              | 9 190                             | 82 422                           | 63 704                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 226 240                 | 24 320                           | 16 607                           | 1 905                               | 15 535                             | 64 508                           | 11 797                              | 6 588                             | 41 514                           | 43 486                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 2 231 084               | 190 922                          | 166 212                          | 26 105                              | 95 384                             | 537 193                          | 143 435                             | 45 135                            | 339 721                          | 686 957                             |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                         |                                  |                                  |                                     |                                    |                                  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$19 676                | \$29 612                         | \$23 992                         | \$15 681                            | \$21 227                           | \$18 479                         | \$13 004                            | \$13 922                          | \$13 272                         | \$8 419                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$24 850                | \$31 145                         | \$26 865                         | \$23 023                            | \$25 017                           | \$22 300                         | \$18 794                            | \$22 734                          | \$19 845                         | \$17 092                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$25 709                | \$31 842                         | \$27 532                         | \$24 378                            | \$25 995                           | \$23 150                         | \$19 790                            | \$24 327                          | \$21 091                         | \$18 814                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$26 612                | \$32 771                         | \$28 254                         | \$25 535                            | \$26 673                           | \$23 901                         | \$20 776                            | \$25 392                          | \$22 122                         | \$20 010                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 032                | \$33 993                         | \$29 677                         | \$27 822                            | \$27 870                           | \$25 507                         | \$22 634                            | \$26 211                          | \$23 424                         | \$21 311                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$28 839                | \$34 955                         | \$30 596                         | \$28 167                            | \$28 590                           | \$26 423                         | \$23 246                            | \$26 841                          | \$24 181                         | \$21 807                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$22 282                | \$29 214                         | \$23 510                         | \$20 382                            | \$22 830                           | \$18 967                         | \$16 929                            | \$22 719                          | \$17 768                         | \$16 340                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$16 300                | \$20 188                         | \$17 228                         | \$14 515                            | \$18 193                           | \$15 027                         | \$12 744                            | \$17 612                          | \$14 559                         | \$13 043                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 110                | \$21 321                         | \$19 037                         | \$17 143                            | \$19 635                           | \$17 161                         | \$15 419                            | \$19 165                          | \$16 463                         | \$14 948                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 632                | \$21 865                         | \$19 846                         | \$18 690                            | \$20 142                           | \$17 760                         | \$15 977                            | \$19 214                          | \$16 988                         | \$15 206                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 640                | \$18 782                         | \$13 943                         | \$11 532                            | \$15 559                           | \$11 848                         | \$9 930                             | \$14 479                          | \$11 335                         | \$10 726                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$24 261                | \$31 575                         | \$26 532                         | \$22 961                            | \$22 675                           | \$20 845                         | \$17 802                            | \$20 561                          | \$18 347                         | \$15 478                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 185                | \$32 371                         | \$27 180                         | \$22 771                            | \$23 319                           | \$21 556                         | \$18 839                            | \$21 377                          | \$19 463                         | \$16 689                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 892                | \$32 837                         | \$27 697                         | \$23 180                            | \$23 840                           | \$22 197                         | \$19 494                            | \$21 881                          | \$19 988                         | \$17 019                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$12 888                | \$15 897                         | \$14 087                         | \$14 584                            | \$13 941                           | \$12 436                         | \$10 526                            | \$15 435                          | \$11 322                         | \$10 167                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$17 928                | \$21 005                         | \$18 838                         | \$16 739                            | \$20 008                           | \$17 347                         | \$14 390                            | \$17 686                          | \$15 391                         | \$13 047                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 490                | \$22 239                         | \$20 147                         | \$18 648                            | \$21 542                           | \$19 101                         | \$16 370                            | \$18 959                          | \$16 983                         | \$14 458                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 920                | \$22 633                         | \$20 708                         | \$19 887                            | \$21 714                           | \$19 656                         | \$16 561                            | \$19 669                          | \$17 511                         | \$14 786                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 738                | \$17 589                         | \$14 400                         | \$11 890                            | \$15 687                           | \$12 756                         | \$10 851                            | \$14 666                          | \$10 894                         | \$10 008                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$15 059                | \$20 061                         | \$18 376                         | \$12 299                            | \$16 405                           | \$14 294                         | \$11 023                            | \$12 963                          | \$11 733                         | \$9 867                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 288                | \$24 728                         | \$23 180                         | \$14 742                            | \$20 551                           | \$18 206                         | \$14 729                            | \$15 098                          | \$15 456                         | \$12 181                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 783                 | \$11 645                         | \$10 617                         | \$7 195                             | \$10 408                           | \$8 303                          | \$6 661                             | \$8 432                           | \$7 651                          | \$6 707                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$14 386                | \$19 081                         | \$16 821                         | \$13 099                            | \$15 124                           | \$13 574                         | \$10 826                            | \$14 024                          | \$11 046                         | \$10 195                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$20 669                | \$33 515                         | \$25 555                         | \$18 199                            | \$20 208                           | \$18 121                         | \$14 781                            | \$14 499                          | \$14 638                         | \$11 954                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$22 448                | \$35 021                         | \$26 837                         | \$19 872                            | \$21 591                           | \$19 291                         | \$16 158                            | \$16 632                          | \$16 259                         | \$13 895                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 253                | \$35 540                         | \$27 426                         | \$20 494                            | \$22 306                           | \$19 853                         | \$16 623                            | \$17 086                          | \$16 706                         | \$14 244                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 243                 | \$13 771                         | \$11 812                         | \$8 768                             | \$10 194                           | \$9 608                          | \$8 191                             | \$7 080                           | \$8 354                          | \$6 587                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 974                 | \$11 957                         | \$9 433                          | \$7 935                             | \$11 431                           | \$9 018                          | \$7 467                             | \$10 185                          | \$8 361                          | \$6 998                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$10 681                | \$14 591                         | \$11 426                         | \$9 746                             | \$13 394                           | \$10 772                         | \$9 068                             | \$11 832                          | \$9 775                          | \$8 328                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 129                | \$15 057                         | \$11 951                         | \$10 304                            | \$13 718                           | \$11 302                         | \$9 414                             | \$12 166                          | \$10 211                         | \$8 609                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 178                 | \$7 115                          | \$4 841                          | \$4 774                             | \$7 209                            | \$4 682                          | \$4 425                             | \$7 164                           | \$4 851                          | \$4 469                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 400                 | \$1 759                          | \$1 507                          | \$1 264                             | \$1 370                            | \$1 326                          | \$1 266                             | \$1 258                           | \$1 432                          | \$1 364                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                         |                                  |                                  |                                     |                                    |                                  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 20.4                    | 20.7                             | 16.9                             | 14.2                                | 28.7                               | 20.5                             | 14.9                                | 32.4                              | 22.5                             | 17.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 29.2                    | 29.2                             | 25.9                             | 24.8                                | 34.4                               | 29.0                             | 27.0                                | 37.7                              | 31.1                             | 29.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.7                    | 33.9                             | 29.7                             | 27.5                                | 37.0                               | 32.0                             | 29.7                                | 39.2                              | 33.4                             | 32.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 32.0                    | 33.1                             | 29.2                             | 26.8                                | 36.3                               | 31.4                             | 28.9                                | 37.9                              | 32.3                             | 31.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.3                    | 36.2                             | 32.6                             | 30.6                                | 38.9                               | 34.8                             | 33.2                                | 39.9                              | 35.5                             | 34.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.4                    | 36.3                             | 32.9                             | 31.5                                | 38.9                               | 35.1                             | 33.6                                | 39.2                              | 35.8                             | 34.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.6                    | 22.6                             | 14.9                             | 15.1                                | 26.0                               | 17.1                             | 16.7                                | 30.5                              | 18.5                             | 18.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.6                    | 49.2                             | 42.1                             | 37.4                                | 49.0                               | 42.7                             | 39.0                                | 50.8                              | 43.3                             | 38.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 31.0                    | 35.5                             | 48.5                             | 45.4                                | 54.2                               | 49.7                             | 46.1                                | 54.3                              | 49.5                             | 46.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 32.1                    | 37.0                             | 49.5                             | 45.7                                | 54.9                               | 50.8                             | 46.8                                | 54.8                              | 50.6                             | 48.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.2                    | 40.2                             | 26.4                             | 23.9                                | 37.1                               | 27.7                             | 27.4                                | 41.4                              | 28.0                             | 25.9                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 15.0                    | 13.6                             | 12.8                             | 14.1                                | 19.2                               | 16.0                             | 15.8                                | 23.1                              | 18.2                             | 18.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.6                    | 13.3                             | 12.6                             | 13.8                                | 18.8                               | 15.6                             | 15.2                                | 21.8                              | 17.4                             | 17.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 14.4                    | 13.1                             | 12.4                             | 13.8                                | 18.5                               | 15.5                             | 14.9                                | 21.2                              | 17.2                             | 17.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 24.7                    | 25.7                             | 21.7                             | 17.7                                | 29.4                               | 23.2                             | 24.2                                | 34.3                              | 26.8                             | 25.7                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 46.1                    | 50.6                             | 43.6                             | 41.9                                | 49.7                               | 42.7                             | 40.5                                | 54.5                              | 46.2                             | 43.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 50.1                    | 54.3                             | 47.6                             | 45.2                                | 52.6                               | 47.2                             | 46.0                                | 57.4                              | 50.0                             | 47.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.8                    | 55.2                             | 48.6                             | 44.0                                | 53.2                               | 47.9                             | 47.4                                | 57.3                              | 51.0                             | 47.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31.2                    | 37.7                             | 24.8                             | 28.6                                | 38.7                               | 25.1                             | 25.7                                | 45.4                              | 29.3                             | 31.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 27.8                    | 28.0                             | 23.4                             | 26.9                                | 32.1                               | 27.5                             | 26.5                                | 36.5                              | 30.0                             | 28.4                                |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| SOUTH REGION                                     | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                        |                          | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                          | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                          |
|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
|  |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| WHITE  |                         |                                  |                        |                          |                                    |  |                          |                                   |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | 14 232 850              | 2 905 153                        | 1 955 164              | 101 047                  | 879 126                            | 5 083 977                                    | 592 000                  | 128 551                           | 1 292 623                                    | 1 295 209                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 7 112 671               | 1 829 455                        | 1 060 261              | 33 401                   | 553 678                            | 2 672 053                                    | 183 951                  | 49 724                            | 481 549                                      | 248 599                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 5 081 480               | 1 260 224                        | 745 288                | 22 681                   | 419 650                            | 1 953 785                                    | 128 956                  | 36 161                            | 345 617                                      | 169 118                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 4 658 211               | 1 171 894                        | 699 009                | 20 350                   | 388 376                            | 1 796 597                                    | 113 033                  | 31 162                            | 298 007                                      | 139 783                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 3 498 784               | 867 916                          | 537 085                | 14 021                   | 296 070                            | 1 353 042                                    | 75 266                   | 23 828                            | 228 402                                      | 103 154                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 2 622 617               | 611 645                          | 428 513                | 10 300                   | 215 355                            | 1 044 094                                    | 54 589                   | 17 127                            | 168 067                                      | 72 927                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 1 159 427               | 303 978                          | 161 924                | 6 329                    | 92 306                             | 443 555                                      | 37 767                   | 7 334                             | 69 605                                       | 36 629                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 423 269                 | 88 330                           | 46 279                 | 2 351                    | 31 274                             | 157 188                                      | 15 923                   | 4 999                             | 47 610                                       | 29 335                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 251 476                 | 49 291                           | 30 004                 | 1 202                    | 23 543                             | 93 447                                       | 44 059                   | 4 407                             | 29 656                                       | 16 177                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 188 810                 | 34 547                           | 23 835                 | 829                      | 15 006                             | 71 994                                       | 5 877                    | 2 650                             | 22 614                                       | 11 926                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 171 793                 | 39 039                           | 16 275                 | 1 129                    | 11 011                             | 63 741                                       | 7 894                    | 1 592                             | 17 954                                       | 13 158                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 1 633 722               | 469 528                          | 266 521                | 8 296                    | 108 132                            | 592 901                                      | 41 503                   | 8 015                             | 91 350                                       | 47 476                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 522 352               | 448 309                          | 254 297                | 7 537                    | 101 249                            | 549 860                                      | 36 507                   | 6 971                             | 79 014                                       | 38 600                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 360 289               | 412 523                          | 234 697                | 6 767                    | 89 434                             | 481 975                                      | 30 904                   | 6 008                             | 66 444                                       | 31 537                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 111 370                 | 21 219                           | 12 224                 | 759                      | 6 883                              | 43 041                                       | 4 996                    | 1 044                             | 12 336                                       | 8 868                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 251 138                 | 64 699                           | 30 869                 | 1 400                    | 17 656                             | 78 355                                       | 7 958                    | 3 556                             | 28 601                                       | 18 044                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 183 575                 | 47 700                           | 23 956                 | 992                      | 13 143                             | 56 881                                       | 5 024                    | 2 546                             | 21 020                                       | 12 313                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 144 455                 | 35 348                           | 19 772                 | 753                      | 10 210                             | 46 199                                       | 3 895                    | 1 991                             | 16 843                                       | 9 444                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 67 563                  | 16 999                           | 6 913                  | 408                      | 4 513                              | 21 474                                       | 2 934                    | 1 010                             | 7 581  | 5 731                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 146 331                 | 35 004                           | 17 583                 | 1 024                    | 8 240                              | 47 012                                       | 5 534                    | 1 992                             | 15 981                                       | 13 961                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 56 633                  | 14 546                           | 7 571                  | 399                      | 3 302                              | 18 019                                       | 1 853                    | 683                               | 5 493  | 4 767                    |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31 323                  | 6 294                            | 3 206                  | 221                      | 1 561                              | 9 402  | 1 560                    | 519                               | 4 279  | 4 281                    |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 58 375                  | 14 164                           | 6 806                  | 404                      | 3 377                              | 19 591                                       | 2 121                    | 790                               | 6 209  | 4 913                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 4 597 787               | 831 920                          | 688 377                | 40 438                   | 196 688                            | 1 729 016                                    | 255 171                  | 28 192                            | 409 029                                      | 418 956                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 3 999 859               | 774 950                          | 631 081                | 34 310                   | 173 146                            | 1 523 761                                    | 210 608                  | 21 776                            | 324 740                                      | 305 487                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 3 505 280               | 714 085                          | 576 033                | 29 941                   | 153 015                            | 1 323 115                                    | 177 705                  | 18 157                            | 265 932                                      | 247 297                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 597 928                 | 56 970                           | 57 296                 | 6 128                    | 42 673                             | 205 255                                      | 44 569                   | 6 416                             | 84 289                                       | 113 469                  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 584 050                 | 62 548                           | 48 230                 | 4 182                    | 39 805                             | 188 113                                      | 27 297                   | 13 139                            | 111 990                                      | 83 728                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 403 061                 | 41 522                           | 33 544                 | 2 603                    | 27 228                             | 134 179                                      | 17 778                   | 8 533                             | 79 809                                       | 57 865                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 323 253                 | 31 635                           | 28 061                 | 2 047                    | 21 516                             | 110 322                                      | 13 699                   | 6 685                             | 64 594                                       | 44 494                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 180 969                 | 21 026                           | 14 686                 | 1 579                    | 12 575                             | 53 934                                       | 9 519                    | 4 606                             | 32 181                                       | 30 863                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 938 362               | 181 230                          | 158 296                | 23 026                   | 88 957                             | 494 795                                      | 125 581                  | 37 496                            | 290 055                                      | 538 926                  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                         |                                  |                        |                          |                                    |  |                          |                                   |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | \$20 260                | \$29 986                         | \$24 388               | \$15 891                 | \$21 426                           | \$18 824                                     | \$13 059                 | \$13 566                          | \$13 308                                     | \$8 297                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$25 035                | \$31 511                         | \$27 382               | \$23 653                 | \$25 551                           | \$22 841                                     | \$19 118                 | \$23 012                          | \$20 215                                     | \$17 493                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$26 285                | \$32 228                         | \$28 054               | \$24 942                 | \$26 574                           | \$23 678                                     | \$19 988                 | \$24 623                          | \$21 352                                     | \$19 029                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$27 176                | \$33 143                         | \$28 749               | \$26 118                 | \$27 221                           | \$24 410                                     | \$21 016                 | \$25 699                          | \$22 436                                     | \$20 579                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 616                | \$34 385                         | \$30 184               | \$26 540                 | \$28 397                           | \$26 049                                     | \$22 934                 | \$26 444                          | \$23 791                                     | \$21 254                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$29 415                | \$35 350                         | \$31 073               | \$28 891                 | \$29 122                           | \$26 952                                     | \$23 567                 | \$27 236                          | \$24 583                                     | \$22 119                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$22 831                | \$29 600                         | \$23 989               | \$20 752                 | \$23 448                           | \$19 409                                     | \$17 196                 | \$23 278                          | \$19 988                                     | \$16 689                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$16 483                | \$20 082                         | \$17 564               | \$14 676                 | \$18 544                           | \$15 316                                     | \$12 690                 | \$17 918                          | \$14 568                                     | \$13 069                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 405                | \$21 387                         | \$19 469               | \$17 137                 | \$20 102                           | \$17 574                                     | \$15 415                 | \$19 395                          | \$16 499                                     | \$14 885                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 983                | \$22 034                         | \$20 291               | \$18 615                 | \$20 660                           | \$18 222                                     | \$16 064                 | \$19 369                          | \$17 081                                     | \$15 057                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 670                | \$18 434                         | \$14 053               | \$12 056                 | \$15 676                           | \$12 005                                     | \$9 918                  | \$14 758                          | \$11 378                                     | \$10 837                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$25 116                | \$31 931                         | \$27 050               | \$22 714                 | \$23 145                           | \$21 442                                     | \$18 427                 | \$20 891                          | \$18 963                                     | \$16 097                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 984                | \$32 691                         | \$27 657               | \$23 511                 | \$23 759                           | \$22 112                                     | \$19 474                 | \$21 729                          | \$20 141                                     | \$17 458                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$26 661                | \$33 143                         | \$28 132               | \$23 834                 | \$24 296                           | \$22 744                                     | \$20 141                 | \$22 362                          | \$20 732                                     | \$17 825                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$13 246                | \$15 879                         | \$14 422               | \$14 808                 | \$14 113                           | \$12 885                                     | \$10 777                 | \$15 298                          | \$11 270                                     | \$10 173                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$18 070                | \$20 852                         | \$18 936               | \$16 204                 | \$20 245                           | \$17 577                                     | \$14 385                 | \$17 538                          | \$15 220                                     | \$13 021                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 658                | \$22 086                         | \$20 124               | \$18 448                 | \$21 846                           | \$19 346                                     | \$16 500                 | \$19 177                          | \$16 902                                     | \$14 646                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$20 174                | \$22 498                         | \$20 718               | \$20 010                 | \$22 161                           | \$19 979                                     | \$16 871                 | \$19 918                          | \$17 608                                     | \$15 149                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 756                | \$17 388                         | \$14 821               | \$10 747                 | \$15 583                           | \$12 894                                     | \$10 763                 | \$13 407                          | \$10 558                                     | \$9 531                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$15 393                | \$19 743                         | \$18 730               | \$12 897                 | \$16 389                           | \$14 465                                     | \$10 841                 | \$12 081                          | \$11 788                                     | \$9 408                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 764                | \$24 512                         | \$23 498               | \$14 726                 | \$20 604                           | \$18 338                                     | \$14 524                 | \$14 246                          | \$13 925                                     | \$11 823                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 661                 | \$10 566                         | \$10 799               | \$7 808                  | \$10 191                           | \$8 476                                      | \$6 707                  | \$7 542                           | \$7 623                                      | \$6 039                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$14 766                | \$18 924                         | \$17 162               | \$13 874                 | \$15 134                           | \$13 778                                     | \$10 664                 | \$13 192                          | \$10 998                                     | \$10 002                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$21 550                | \$34 141                         | \$26 083               | \$18 661                 | \$20 915                           | \$18 693                                     | \$15 136                 | \$15 085                          | \$15 019                                     | \$12 182                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 347                | \$35 614                         | \$27 359               | \$20 394                 | \$22 329                           | \$19 879                                     | \$16 573                 | \$17 528                          | \$16 730                                     | \$14 267                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$24 134                | \$36 091                         | \$27 932               | \$21 058                 | \$23 015                           | \$20 434                                     | \$17 033                 | \$18 054                          | \$17 165                                     | \$14 667                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 525                 | \$14 106                         | \$12 026               | \$8 963                  | \$10 514                           | \$9 885                                      | \$8 347                  | \$6 794                           | \$8 427                                      | \$6 569                  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$9 092                 | \$11 907                         | \$9 526                | \$7 864                  | \$11 434                           | \$9 119                                      | \$7 392                  | \$9 876                           | \$8 441                                      | \$7 052                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$10 897                | \$14 451                         | \$11 602               | \$9 727                  | \$13 510                           | \$10 919                                     | \$8 987                  | \$11 751                          | \$9 936                                      | \$8 496                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 388                | \$15 144                         | \$12 119               | \$10 451                 | \$13 863                           | \$11 482                                     | \$9 349                  | \$12 092                          | \$10 413                                     | \$8 817                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 073                 | \$6 883                          | \$4 784                | \$4 792                  | \$6 958                            | \$4 642                                      | \$4 411                  | \$6 403                           | \$4 734                                      | \$4 344                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 332                 | \$1 759                          | \$1 493                | \$1 223                  | \$1 356                            | \$1 285                                      | \$1 195                  | \$1 191                           | \$1 309                                      | \$1 240                  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                         |                                  |                        |                          |                                    |  |                          |                                   |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | 19.5                    | 19.6                             | 16.3                   | 13.7                     | 27.2                               | 19.6   | 14.2                     | 30.7                              | 22.1   | 16.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 28.4                    | 28.3                             | 25.4                   | 24.2                     | 33.3                               | 28.4   | 26.6                     | 36.6                              | 31.1   | 30.4                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.2                    | 33.2                             | 29.3                   | 27.0                     | 36.2                               | 31.5   | 29.4                     | 38.4                              | 33.4   | 32.3                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.5                    | 32.4                             | 28.8                   | 26.3                     | 35.6                               | 30.9   | 28.5                     | 37.0                              | 32.3   | 31.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.8                    | 35.6                             | 32.2                   | 30.1                     | 38.3                               | 34.5   | 33.1                     | 39.0                              | 35.5   | 35.0                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.0                    | 35.7                             | 32.6                   | 31.2                     | 38.3                               | 34.8   | 33.5                     | 38.6                              | 35.8   | 34.9                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.9                    | 21.9                             | 14.5                   | 14.9                     | 25.0                               | 16.4   | 16.3                     | 29.7                              | 18.0   | 18.2                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.4                    | 49.0                             | 41.8                   | 37.0                     | 48.5                               | 42.1   | 38.9                     | 50.9                              | 44.0   | 39.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.0                    | 55.5                             | 48.0                   | 46.5                     | 53.9                               | 49.3   | 46.7                     | 54.6                              | 50.7   | 47.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52.1                    | 56.8                             | 49.1                   | 46.8                     | 54.6                               | 50.5   | 47.5                     | 55.2                              | 52.0   | 49.7                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31.3                    | 39.3                             | 25.8                   | 22.6                     | 35.8                               | 26.8   | 26.7                     | 40.2                              | 28.0   | 25.4                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.4                    | 13.1                             | 12.5                   | 13.8                     | 18.1                               | 15.5   | 15.2                     | 20.4                              | 17.1   | 18.1                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.0                    | 12.8                             | 12.3                   | 13.7                     | 17.7                               | 15.2   | 14.6                     | 19.3                              | 16.3   | 17.1                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.8                    | 12.6                             | 12.2                   | 13.6                     | 17.4                               | 15.0   | 14.4                     | 19.1                              | 16.2   | 17.2                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 23.7                    | 24.3                             | 20.9                   | 15.6                     | 28.3                               | 22.3   | 24.2                     | 30.8                              | 26.0   | 25.8                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 46.7                    | 50.8                             | 44.0                   | 41.7                     | 50.2                               | 43.0   | 40.7                     | 56.6                              | 47.9   | 44.0                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 50.8                    | 54.7                             | 48.3                   | 44.5                     | 53.4                               | 47.7   | 46.5                     | 59.9                              | 51.9   | 47.7                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.4                    | 55.6                             | 49.3                   | 42.2                     | 53.6                               | 48.3   | 47.8                     | 59.2                              | 52.8   | 47.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.6                    | 37.3                             | 23.9                   | 29.9                     | 36.9                               | 24.2   | 25.7                     | 44.8                              | 29.8   | 31.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 26.6                    | 25.8                             | 22.8                   | 25.3                     | 29.5                               | 26.6   | 26.5                     | 33.9                              | 30.1   | 31.2                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 29.7                    | 29.1                             | 25.8                   | 29.7                     | 31.7                               | 30.3   | 30.                      |                                   |  |                          |

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| SOUTH REGION                                     | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                 |  |                          |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL           | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| BLACK  |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | 1 910 981                        | 232 136                         | 135 262                                      | 11 476                             | 154 283                         | 652 021                                      | 87 882                            | 36 641                          | 267 468                                      | 333 812                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 1 075 217                        | 188 389                         | 93 037                                       | 4 439                              | 119 315                         | 416 908                                      | 35 731                            | 18 145                          | 119 885                                      | 79 368                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 786 192                          | 151 868                         | 71 691                                       | 2 742                              | 94 464                          | 312 242                                      | 22 315                            | 12 780                          | 76 873                                       | 41 217                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 700 275                          | 136 814                         | 65 069                                       | 2 432                              | 84 864                          | 278 950                                      | 19 704                            | 11 090                          | 66 923                                       | 34 429                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 543 856                          | 106 248                         | 51 451                                       | 1 822                              | 65 207                          | 215 809                                      | 14 553                            | 8 466                           | 53 766                                       | 26 534                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 374 865                          | 69 454                          | 37 076                                       | 1 347                              | 43 481                          | 152 286                                      | 10 081                            | 5 154                           | 37 629                                       | 18 357                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 156 419                          | 30 566                          | 13 618                                       | 610                                | 19 657                          | 63 141                                       | 5 151                             | 2 624                           | 13 157                                       | 7 895                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 85 917                           | 15 054                          | 6 622  | 310                                | 9 600                           | 33 292                                       | 2 611                             | 1 690                           | 9 950  | 6 788                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 53 333                           | 8 000                           | 4 333  | 195                                | 6 216                           | 20 988                                       | 1 545                             | 1 098                           | 6 744  | 4 214                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 38 861                           | 5 809                           | 3 137  | 114                                | 4 262                           | 15 664                                       | 1 244                             | 787                             | 5 009  | 3 065                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32 584                           | 7 054                           | 2 289  | 115                                | 3 384                           | 12 304                                       | 1 066                             | 592                             | 3 206  | 2 574                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 190 537                          | 22 733                          | 14 948                                       | 1 124                              | 15 767                          | 72 062                                       | 9 530                             | 2 868                           | 27 406                                       | 23 990                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 166 197                          | 20 421                          | 13 384                                       | 955                                | 14 255                          | 63 584                                       | 8 149                             | 2 443                           | 23 530                                       | 19 476                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 135 766                          | 17 165                          | 11 019                                       | 784                                | 11 611                          | 51 989                                       | 6 657                             | 1 997                           | 18 846                                       | 15 698                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 24 340                           | 2 312                           | 1 564  | 169                                | 1 621                           | 8 478  | 1 381                             | 425                             | 3 876  | 4 514                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 58 208                           | 8 982                           | 4 227  | 328                                | 6 395                           | 20 438                                       | 1 956                             | 1 548                           | 8 508  | 5 826                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 42 545                           | 6 607                           | 3 239  | 258                                | 4 609                           | 14 891                                       | 1 388                             | 1 063                           | 6 417  | 4 073                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 31 573                           | 4 514                           | 2 479  | 223                                | 3 252                           | 11 366                                       | 1 060                             | 667                             | 4 919  | 3 093                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 15 663                           | 2 375                           | 988  | 70                                 | 1 786                           | 5 547  | 568                               | 485                             | 2 091  | 1 733                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 40 280                           | 4 806                           | 2 171  | 245                                | 2 580                           | 12 166                                       | 1 930                             | 949                             | 7 098  | 8 335                    |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 15 195                           | 2 035                           | 854  | 42                                 | 1 025                           | 4 669  | 677                               | 304                             | 2 672  | 2 917                    |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 8 713                            | 1 066                           | 357  | 77                                 | 469                             | 2 428  | 444                               | 201                             | 1 603  | 2 068                    |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 16 372                           | 1 705                           | 960  | 126                                | 1 086                           | 5 069  | 809                               | 444                             | 2 823  | 3 350                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 443 941                          | 27 820                          | 30 569                                       | 3 715                              | 20 440                          | 163 954                                      | 30 817                            | 6 188                           | 69 990                                       | 90 448                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 364 916                          | 24 290                          | 26 808                                       | 3 116                              | 17 587                          | 141 032                                      | 25 510                            | 4 858                           | 55 665                                       | 66 050                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 296 248                          | 20 387                          | 22 897                                       | 2 592                              | 14 356                          | 114 972                                      | 20 827                            | 3 954                           | 44 059                                       | 52 224                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 79 025                           | 3 530                           | 3 761  | 599                                | 2 853                           | 22 922                                       | 5 307                             | 1 330                           | 14 325                                       | 24 398                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 132 593                          | 8 481                           | 5 610  | 900                                | 8 713                           | 33 275                                       | 6 116                             | 5 126                           | 30 749                                       | 33 623                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 91 821                           | 5 780                           | 4 133  | 646                                | 5 883                           | 23 610                                       | 4 190                             | 3 265                           | 21 995                                       | 22 369                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 70 256                           | 3 901                           | 3 219  | 523                                | 4 204                           | 18 593                                       | 3 291                             | 2 310                           | 16 926                                       | 17 889                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 40 772                           | 2 751                           | 1 477  | 254                                | 2 830                           | 9 665  | 1 926                             | 1 861                           | 8 754  | 11 254                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 259 230                          | 7 446                           | 6 046  | 2 422                              | 5 815                           | 37 884                                       | 15 218                            | 7 182                           | 46 844                                       | 130 373                  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | \$15 725                         | \$25 348                        | \$19 293                                     | \$13 095                           | \$20 291                        | \$16 121                                     | \$12 190                          | \$14 940                        | \$12 971                                     | \$8 018                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$21 089                         | \$27 829                        | \$22 089                                     | \$19 632                           | \$22 906                        | \$19 274                                     | \$17 360                          | \$22 300                        | \$18 666                                     | \$15 871                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$22 554                         | \$28 772                        | \$23 213                                     | \$21 517                           | \$23 792                        | \$20 308                                     | \$18 982                          | \$23 824                        | \$20 373                                     | \$18 347                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 369                         | \$29 584                        | \$23 961                                     | \$22 412                           | \$24 522                        | \$21 062                                     | \$19 677                          | \$24 845                        | \$21 182                                     | \$19 352                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$24 611                         | \$30 643                        | \$25 290                                     | \$24 479                           | \$25 751                        | \$22 428                                     | \$21 167                          | \$25 786                        | \$22 142                                     | \$20 633                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$25 105                         | \$31 254                        | \$26 014                                     | \$25 037                           | \$26 236                        | \$23 114                                     | \$21 553                          | \$25 809                        | \$22 570                                     | \$20 795                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$19 047                         | \$25 904                        | \$18 939                                     | \$16 240                           | \$20 446                        | \$16 394                                     | \$15 468                          | \$21 809                        | \$17 257                                     | \$15 045                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 912                         | \$21 389                        | \$15 863                                     | \$14 491                           | \$17 334                        | \$13 993                                     | \$13 739                          | \$17 126                        | \$14 931                                     | \$13 249                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$16 991                         | \$21 183                        | \$16 740                                     | \$17 396                           | \$18 343                        | \$15 606                                     | \$15 909                          | \$18 600                        | \$16 488                                     | \$14 962                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$17 200                         | \$21 016                        | \$17 224                                     | \$18 816                           | \$18 478                        | \$15 935                                     | \$15 930                          | \$18 895                        | \$16 816                                     | \$15 511                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$14 145                         | \$21 624                        | \$14 203                                     | \$9 566                            | \$15 481                        | \$11 241                                     | \$10 595                          | \$14 393                        | \$11 656                                     | \$10 444                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$17 631                         | \$24 677                        | \$18 635                                     | \$17 620                           | \$19 970                        | \$16 439                                     | \$15 427                          | \$20 180                        | \$16 512                                     | \$14 210                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$18 530                         | \$25 624                        | \$19 509                                     | \$18 173                           | \$20 730                        | \$17 231                                     | \$16 221                          | \$20 725                        | \$17 345                                     | \$15 123                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$18 876                         | \$26 112                        | \$19 905                                     | \$18 940                           | \$20 786                        | \$17 558                                     | \$16 987                          | \$20 646                        | \$17 543                                     | \$15 370                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 488                         | \$16 316                        | \$11 158                                     | \$14 496                           | \$13 291                        | \$10 498                                     | \$9 740                           | \$17 058                        | \$11 454                                     | \$10 268                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$17 561                         | \$22 398                        | \$18 680                                     | \$18 525                           | \$19 567                        | \$16 769                                     | \$14 160                          | \$18 216                        | \$16 014                                     | \$13 038                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 904                         | \$23 283                        | \$20 448                                     | \$18 251                           | \$20 923                        | \$18 365                                     | \$15 410                          | \$18 642                        | \$17 401                                     | \$13 924                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 823                         | \$23 552                        | \$20 518                                     | \$18 244                           | \$20 513                        | \$18 476                                     | \$15 179                          | \$19 090                        | \$17 292                                     | \$13 732                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 913                         | \$19 933                        | \$12 885                                     | \$19 531                           | \$16 069                        | \$12 485                                     | \$11 105                          | \$17 284                        | \$11 757                                     | \$10 981                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$13 967                         | \$23 108                        | \$15 387                                     | \$9 243                            | \$16 816                        | \$13 721                                     | \$11 395                          | \$14 838                        | \$11 673                                     | \$10 393                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$17 644                         | \$27 107                        | \$19 950                                     | \$14 629                           | \$20 714                        | \$17 740                                     | \$15 490                          | \$16 711                        | \$14 302                                     | \$12 651                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$9 070                          | \$18 439                        | \$8 100                                      | \$4 886                            | \$11 607                        | \$7 578                                      | \$5 953                           | \$10 683                        | \$7 648                                      | \$7 353                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$13 161                         | \$21 253                        | \$14 037                                     | \$10 111                           | \$15 386                        | \$12 941                                     | \$10 955                          | \$15 436                        | \$11 281                                     | \$10 302                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$13 019                         | \$18 888                        | \$12 706                                     | \$13 894                           | \$14 140                        | \$12 958                                     | \$12 279                          | \$12 308                        | \$12 595                                     | \$10 619                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$14 245                         | \$20 188                        | \$17 070                                     | \$15 419                           | \$15 186                        | \$13 848                                     | \$13 349                          | \$13 455                        | \$13 805                                     | \$12 231                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$14 577                         | \$20 801                        | \$17 415                                     | \$15 258                           | \$15 755                        | \$14 060                                     | \$13 600                          | \$13 539                        | \$14 223                                     | \$12 448                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$7 356                          | \$9 956                         | \$9 233                                      | \$5 960                            | \$7 693                         | \$7 487                                      | \$7 137                           | \$8 116                         | \$7 894                                      | \$6 255                  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 485                          | \$12 249                        | \$8 972                                      | \$8 422                            | \$11 400                        | \$8 977                                      | \$7 596                           | \$10 879                        | \$8 100                                      | \$6 835                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$9 733                          | \$13 694                        | \$10 203                                     | \$9 885                            | \$12 822                        | \$9 971                                      | \$9 096                           | \$11 901                        | \$9 214                                      | \$7 876                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$9 916                          | \$13 898                        | \$10 752                                     | \$9 701                            | \$12 926                        | \$10 261                                     | \$9 299                           | \$12 258                        | \$9 446                                      | \$8 030                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 673                          | \$9 240                         | \$5 525                                      | \$4 700                            | \$8 443                         | \$4 898                                      | \$4 334                           | \$9 087                         | \$5 302                                      | \$4 765                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 814                          | \$1 622                         | \$1 969                                      | \$1 624                            | \$1 585                         | \$1 808                                      | \$1 717                           | \$1 512                         | \$2 154                                      | \$1 739                  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL  | 29.2                             | 36.1                            | 27.2   | 20.5                               | 37.3                            | 27.9   | 19.8                              | 37.8                            | 25.3   | 18.8                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 35.0                             | 38.7                            | 32.7   | 29.5                               | 39.6                            | 33.7   | 28.9                              | 40.4                            | 31.7   | 28.6                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 36.9                             | 39.8                            | 34.6   | 32.3                               | 40.8                            | 35.6   | 31.8                              | 41.4                            | 33.7   | 31.8                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 36.1                             | 38.9                            | 33.9   | 31.7                               | 40.0                            | 34.8   | 31.0                              | 40.4                            | 33.0   | 30.8                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 38.4                             | 40.9                            | 36.6   | 34.5                               | 42.1                            | 37.4   | 33.9                              | 42.2                            | 35.2   | 33.0                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 38.4                             | 40.9                            | 36.9   | 34.4                               | 41.9                            | 37.7   | 34.1                              | 41.0                            | 35.5   | 33.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25.8                             | 30.9                            | 20.6   | 18.9                               | 31.4                            | 22.6   | 20.0                              | 33.3                            | 21.4   | 20.5                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 46.2                             | 50.4                            | 44.1   | 39.2                               | 50.6                            | 45.7   | 39.6                              | 51.0                            | 40.3   | 39.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 50.9                             | 55.6                            | 50.5   | 39.8                               | 54.9                            | 51.4   | 43.5                              | 53.3                            | 44.1   | 44.2                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.6                             | 57.5                            | 51.4   | 43.9                               | 55.8                            | 52.0   | 43.4                              | 53.3                            | 44.1   | 44.1                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 37.0                             | 44.7                            | 29.7   | 37.1                               | 41.3                            | 32.3   | 31.1                              | 45.4                            | 29.1   | 29.0                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 22.6                             | 26.8                            | 19.4   | 17.4                               | 27.9                            | 21.4   | 18.7                              | 30.6                            | 22.1   | 19.3                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 22.0                             | 26.1                            | 18.7   | 16.0                               | 27.4                            | 20.7   | 18.2                              | 29.1                            | 21.3   | 18.2                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 21.9                             | 26.0                            | 18.7   | 16.2                               | 27.6                            | 20.6   | 18.1                              | 28.1                            | 21.4   | 18.2                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 30.2                             | 36.9                            | 28.8   | 27.1                               | 34.6                            | 29.3   | 23.7                              | 41.1                            | 29.2   | 26.2                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 44.1                             | 48.6                            | 40.6   | 39.3                               | 48.4                            | 41.7   | 41.4                              | 50.1                            | 41.5   | 43.1                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 46.7                             | 51.2                            | 42.4   | 43.1                               | 50.1                            | 45.0   | 45.3                              | 51.0                            | 44.2   | 46.4                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 47.8                             | 52.0                            | 43.8   | 44.4                               | 51.8                            | 46.4   | 46.5                              | 51.2                            | 44.9   | 47.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 34.4                             | 39.9                            | 31.6   | 26.1                               | 42.8                            | 28.7   | 28.2                              | 47.9                            | 29.6   | 33.2                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 32.4                             | 40.2                            | 30.0   | 36.9                               | 40.9                            | 30.8   | 26.5                              | 41.2                            | 29.8   | 24.5                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.4                             | 40.0                            | 35.7   | 34.2                               | 41.4                            | 34.0   | 24.3                              | 41.3                            | 32.2   | 26.4                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.8                             | 45.8                            | 26.7   | 44.3                               | 45.3                            | 27.8   | 20.8                              | 43.                             |  |                          |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.]

| SOUTH REGION                                      | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 77 818                  | 10 059                           | 9 655  | 658                                 | 4 944                              | 29 530                                       | 4 014                               | 1 164                             | 8 719  | 9 075                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 41 513                  | 7 287                            | 5 567  | 264                                 | 3 587                              | 16 997                                       | 1 522                               | 566                               | 3 841  | 1 882                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 31 288                  | 5 531                            | 4 236  | 156                                 | 2 894                              | 12 794                                       | 1 121                               | 394                               | 2 840  | 1 322                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 26 979                  | 4 912                            | 3 854  | 135                                 | 2 529                              | 11 069                                       | 904                                 | 339                               | 2 235  | 1 002                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 18 546                  | 3 623                            | 2 865  | 96                                  | 1 784                              | 7 194  | 516                                 | 262                               | 1 510  | 696                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 13 314                  | 2 664                            | 2 162  | 75                                  | 1 246                              | 5 194  | 350                                 | 119                               | 1 000  | 504                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 8 435                   | 1 289                            | 989  | 39                                  | 745                                | 3 875  | 388                                 | 77                                | 725  | 306                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 4 309                   | 619                              | 382  | 21                                  | 365                                | 1 725  | 217                                 | 55                                | 605  | 320                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 303                   | 349                              | 198  | 12                                  | 233                                | 926  | 107                                 | 46                                | 300  | 132                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 680                   | 223                              | 144  | 6                                   | 156                                | 700  | 79                                  | 46                                | 243  | 83                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 006                   | 270                              | 184  | 9                                   | 132                                | 799  | 110                                 | 9                                 | 305  | 186                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 7 210                   | 1 225                            | 1 009  | 83                                  | 448                                | 3 208  | 248                                 | 56                                | 600  | 333                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 6 335                   | 1 114                            | 958  | 74                                  | 418                                | 2 815  | 220                                 | 52                                | 444  | 240                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 5 291                   | 997                              | 849  | 63                                  | 340                                | 2 257  | 204                                 | 32                                | 386  | 163                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 875                     | 111                              | 51   | 9                                   | 30                                 | 393  | 28                                  | 4                                 | 156  | 93                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 1 950                   | 339                              | 211  | 10                                  | 173                                | 654  | 103                                 | 77                                | 264  | 119                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 302                   | 251                              | 140  | 5                                   | 137                                | 378  | 48                                  | 58                                | 196  | 89                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 932                     | 162                              | 120  | 5                                   | 118                                | 281  | 27                                  | 27                                | 137  | 55                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 648                     | 88                               | 71   | 5                                   | 36                                 | 276  | 55                                  | 19                                | 68   | 30                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 065                   | 192                              | 111  | 15                                  | 72                                 | 341  | 50                                  | 39                                | 137  | 108                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 325                     | 33                               | 29   | 15                                  | 33                                 | 113  | 20                                  | 10                                | 33   | 39                                  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 262                     | 61                               | 51   | -                                   | 19                                 | 60   | 5                                   | 15                                | 30   | 21                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 478                     | 98                               | 31   | -                                   | 20                                 | 168  | 25                                  | 14                                | 74   | 48                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 23 977                  | 2 057                            | 3 270  | 237                                 | 1 023                              | 9 809  | 1 629                               | 287                               | 2 697  | 2 968                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 19 181                  | 1 806                            | 2 783  | 183                                 | 873                                | 8 048  | 1 291                               | 242                               | 1 944  | 2 011                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15 702                  | 1 578                            | 2 408  | 147                                 | 715                                | 6 468  | 1 049                               | 178                               | 1 553  | 1 606                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 4 796                   | 251                              | 487  | 54                                  | 150                                | 1 761  | 338                                 | 45                                | 753  | 957                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 3 761                   | 338                              | 316  | 30                                  | 153                                | 1 097  | 182                                 | 153                               | 839  | 653                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 524                   | 224                              | 205  | 27                                  | 113                                | 719  | 123                                 | 105                               | 596  | 412                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 887                   | 158                              | 169  | 24                                  | 82                                 | 544  | 88                                  | 87                                | 457  | 278                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 237                   | 114                              | 111  | 3                                   | 40                                 | 378  | 59                                  | 48                                | 243  | 241                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 8 567                   | 377                              | 502  | 127                                 | 181                                | 1 627  | 681                                 | 158                               | 1 342  | 3 572                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$16 164                | \$24 580                         | \$19 175                                     | \$12 016                            | \$20 180                           | \$16 135                                     | \$11 616                            | \$14 045                          | \$12 518                                     | \$7 627                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$20 679                | \$26 900                         | \$22 223                                     | \$16 430                            | \$21 753                           | \$19 164                                     | \$16 576                            | \$18 631                          | \$17 103                                     | \$15 483                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$21 526                | \$28 050                         | \$22 709                                     | \$18 213                            | \$22 674                           | \$19 829                                     | \$17 467                            | \$20 889                          | \$17 662                                     | \$16 686                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$22 832                | \$29 488                         | \$23 495                                     | \$19 354                            | \$23 699                           | \$20 945                                     | \$19 071                            | \$21 533                          | \$19 194                                     | \$18 729                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$24 967                | \$31 272                         | \$24 785                                     | \$20 144                            | \$25 724                           | \$23 320                                     | \$22 270                            | \$22 350                          | \$21 127                                     | \$19 963                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$26 180                | \$32 005                         | \$25 902                                     | \$21 888                            | \$27 173                           | \$24 695                                     | \$23 924                            | \$24 284                          | \$22 244                                     | \$19 905                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$18 137                | \$24 474                         | \$19 759                                     | \$17 412                            | \$18 851                           | \$16 535                                     | \$14 816                            | \$18 752                          | \$15 168                                     | \$15 920                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 350                | \$16 640                         | \$14 774                                     | \$10 874                            | \$15 570                           | \$12 665                                     | \$10 785                            | \$16 918                          | \$12 002                                     | \$10 290                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 501                | \$17 373                         | \$16 219                                     | \$14 760                            | \$16 800                           | \$15 248                                     | \$13 186                            | \$17 937                          | \$14 413                                     | \$12 533                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$16 031                | \$17 920                         | \$16 820                                     | \$21 510                            | \$18 016                           | \$15 860                                     | \$13 894                            | \$17 937                          | \$14 248                                     | \$13 107                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 881                | \$15 693                         | \$13 220                                     | \$5 692                             | \$13 397                           | \$9 672                                      | \$8 450                             | \$11 710                          | \$9 630                                      | \$8 716                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$19 538                | \$25 231                         | \$20 971                                     | \$15 096                            | \$18 800                           | \$18 486                                     | \$16 519                            | \$13 634                          | \$17 798                                     | \$12 872                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 734                | \$26 174                         | \$21 358                                     | \$16 329                            | \$19 149                           | \$19 920                                     | \$17 359                            | \$14 243                          | \$18 738                                     | \$14 629                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 705                | \$26 985                         | \$22 140                                     | \$17 228                            | \$19 798                           | \$21 055                                     | \$17 491                            | \$15 720                          | \$19 212                                     | \$14 186                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 877                | \$15 760                         | \$13 694                                     | \$4 958                             | \$13 940                           | \$8 070                                      | \$9 921                             | \$5 710                           | \$15 123                                     | \$8 336                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$14 866                | \$18 322                         | \$17 696                                     | \$6 060                             | \$18 509                           | \$13 169                                     | \$11 585                            | \$11 989                          | \$12 494                                     | \$14 740                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 782                | \$20 242                         | \$21 950                                     | \$3 710                             | \$18 792                           | \$15 415                                     | \$13 050                            | \$13 023                          | \$12 699                                     | \$15 788                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 381                | \$20 238                         | \$23 645                                     | \$3 710                             | \$19 637                           | \$16 093                                     | \$11 066                            | \$11 639                          | \$13 016                                     | \$15 067                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 017                | \$12 844                         | \$9 308                                      | \$8 410                             | \$17 431                           | \$10 093                                     | \$10 307                            | \$8 834                           | \$11 902                                     | \$11 631                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$14 144                | \$19 570                         | \$23 664                                     | \$12 188                            | \$10 901                           | \$12 106                                     | \$7 158                             | \$16 112                          | \$11 368                                     | \$9 623                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 268                | \$16 492                         | \$25 946                                     | \$12 188                            | \$16 722                           | \$14 380                                     | \$7 315                             | \$23 706                          | \$14 470                                     | \$11 406                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$9 484                 | \$14 602                         | \$11 498                                     | -                                   | \$5 505                            | \$6 049                                      | \$3 260                             | \$6 456                           | \$9 689                                      | \$6 516                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 933                | \$23 700                         | \$41 542                                     | -                                   | \$6 423                            | \$12 741                                     | \$7 812                             | \$21 035                          | \$10 666                                     | \$9 333                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$14 884                | \$22 879                         | \$17 947                                     | \$14 052                            | \$19 415                           | \$14 300                                     | \$12 004                            | \$12 626                          | \$12 655                                     | \$10 227                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$16 608                | \$24 740                         | \$19 204                                     | \$15 364                            | \$20 921                           | \$15 782                                     | \$13 458                            | \$13 902                          | \$14 470                                     | \$11 668                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$17 167                | \$24 760                         | \$19 794                                     | \$14 828                            | \$21 084                           | \$16 348                                     | \$14 317                            | \$12 933                          | \$14 793                                     | \$12 164                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 002                 | \$9 486                          | \$10 759                                     | \$9 605                             | \$10 650                           | \$7 527                                      | \$6 451                             | \$7 041                           | \$7 968                                      | \$7 200                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$8 022                 | \$10 859                         | \$7 585                                      | \$4 929                             | \$10 826                           | \$7 851                                      | \$6 359                             | \$12 531                          | \$7 624                                      | \$6 456                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 695                 | \$13 094                         | \$9 682                                      | \$5 231                             | \$12 459                           | \$9 642                                      | \$8 072                             | \$15 756                          | \$8 932                                      | \$7 521                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 409                | \$14 231                         | \$9 385                                      | \$5 259                             | \$12 936                           | \$10 692                                     | \$9 961                             | \$16 058                          | \$9 335                                      | \$8 145                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 609                 | \$6 469                          | \$3 713                                      | \$2 215                             | \$6 210                            | \$4 445                                      | \$2 787                             | \$5 474                           | \$4 416                                      | \$4 634                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 437                 | \$1 323                          | \$670  | \$714                               | \$1 230                            | \$1 132                                      | \$1 007                             | \$1 296                           | \$2 179                                      | \$1 541                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 23.1                    | 28.0                             | 20.7   | 16.2                                | 30.7                               | 21.4   | 16.6                                | 33.3                              | 23.1   | 16.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.0                    | 35.6                             | 29.0   | 26.3                                | 37.4                               | 29.0   | 27.2                                | 36.4                              | 30.5   | 29.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 33.7                    | 36.8                             | 31.8   | 31.3                                | 39.3                               | 32.0   | 29.3                                | 35.5                              | 32.4   | 31.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 32.7                    | 35.8                             | 31.1   | 31.9                                | 37.9                               | 30.9   | 27.3                                | 33.8                              | 30.8   | 30.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.7                    | 37.9                             | 35.1   | 37.2                                | 41.3                               | 36.2   | 31.6                                | 37.3                              | 34.3   | 34.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 36.7                    | 37.6                             | 35.6   | 35.9                                | 41.5                               | 36.4   | 31.5                                | 37.9                              | 34.0   | 34.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.5                    | 28.0                             | 16.2   | 16.9                                | 26.8                               | 17.1   | 18.6                                | 19.8                              | 20.6   | 19.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 45.2                    | 51.6                             | 43.4   | 24.3                                | 53.9                               | 43.2   | 44.6                                | 48.7                              | 42.0   | 35.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 53.9                    | 59.0                             | 57.9   | 25.4                                | 59.7                               | 49.8   | 55.2                                | 49.2                              | 53.9   | 43.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 55.5                    | 63.6                             | 63.0   | 16.3                                | 60.3                               | 51.1   | 56.6                                | 49.2                              | 56.2   | 48.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.7                    | 41.0                             | 24.3   | 20.4                                | 40.9                               | 31.0   | 28.5                                | 44.3                              | 24.5   | 27.0                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 15.0                    | 13.8                             | 15.6   | 14.2                                | 19.8                               | 14.3   | 16.2                                | 23.1                              | 17.1   | 14.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 14.4                    | 13.5                             | 15.4   | 13.8                                | 19.2                               | 14.0   | 14.5                                | 22.9                              | 13.2   | 13.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 14.2                    | 12.6                             | 15.6   | 12.2                                | 18.6                               | 14.0   | 13.7                                | 12.0                              | 13.7   | 18.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 23.0                    | 19.7                             | 21.2   | 25.1                                | 31.7                               | 18.9   | 39.7                                | 29.2                              | 30.7   | 14.5                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 46.5                    | 53.5                             | 43.6   | 80.1                                | 48.9                               | 42.3   | 30.6                                | 62.3                              | 47.2   | 44.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 52.5                    | 54.7                             | 47.7   | 94.5                                | 50.7                               | 51.1   | 48.8                                | 65.8                              | 57.6   | 48.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 53.9                    | 61.0                             | 47.6   | 94.5                                | 49.1                               | 52.8   | 51.4                                | 66.4                              | 58.8   | 52.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.2                    | 48.4                             | 24.5   | 73.8                                | 41.4                               | 23.8   | 10.4                                | 46.7                              | 15.4   | 26.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 27.8                    | 32.0                             | 15.4   | 13.4                                | 27.3                               | 34.5   | 24.8                                | 25.8                              | 24.6   | 27.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 31.4                    | 43.6                             | 26.5   | 13.4                                | 30.2                               | 30.7   | 36.5                                | 39.9                              | 30.3   | 31.1                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.1                    | 33.5                             | 14.9   | -                                   | 9.1                                | 34.5   | 10.9                                | 62.2                              | 11.2   | 23.6                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 26.0                    | 28.7                             | 9.1  | -                                   | 29.9                               | 37.3   | 17.3                                | 2.4                               | 26.1   | 24.4                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 78.6                    | 82.7                             | 90.8   | 97.1                                | 79.2                               | 81.2   | 74.4                                | 83.1                              | 77.5   | 62.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 80.9                    | 84.3                             | 92.6   | 100.0                               | 78.5                               | 85.0   | 72.2                                | 80.5                              | 78.1   | 69.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 79.8                    | 85.2                             | 93.9   | 100.0                               | 83.6                               | 83.1   | 69.2                                | 77.2                              | 76.8   | 66.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 68.6                    | 76.3                             | 82.1   | 36.3                                | 82.9                               | 65.7   | 87.5                                | 100.0                             | 74.6   | 44.2                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| SOUTH REGION                                      | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                        |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                        |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                        |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                        |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 88 198                  | 42 960                           | 14 487                 | 1 794                               | 3 785                              | 14 089                 | 3 658                               | 390                               | 1 460                  | 5 575                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 50 472                  | 26 797                           | 8 309                  | 749                                 | 2 566                              | 8 076                  | 1 592                               | 187                               | 610                    | 1 586                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 38 230                  | 20 107                           | 6 310                  | 506                                 | 2 060                              | 6 180                  | 1 234                               | 130                               | 388                    | 1 315                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34 225                  | 18 384                           | 5 660                  | 433                                 | 1 828                              | 5 386                  | 1 055                               | 115                               | 318                    | 1 046                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 25 462                  | 13 588                           | 4 168                  | 324                                 | 1 381                              | 4 054                  | 765                                 | 111                               | 219                    | 852                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 18 135                  | 9 757                            | 2 948                  | 256                                 | 942                                | 2 867                  | 488                                 | 85                                | 201                    | 591                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 8 763                   | 4 796                            | 1 492                  | 109                                 | 447                                | 1 332                  | 290                                 | 4                                 | 81                     | 194                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 4 005                   | 1 723                            | 650                    | 73                                  | 232                                | 794                    | 179                                 | 15                                | 70                     | 269                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 944                   | 934                              | 324                    | 31                                  | 117                                | 387                    | 53                                  | 5                                 | 23                     | 70                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 251                   | 597                              | 217                    | 20                                  | 56                                 | 252                    | 21                                  | 5                                 | 23                     | 60                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 061                   | 789                              | 326                    | 42                                  | 115                                | 407                    | 126                                 | 10                                | 47                     | 199                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 9 043                   | 4 895                            | 1 488                  | 174                                 | 393                                | 1 449                  | 234                                 | 49                                | 176                    | 185                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 8 250                   | 4 532                            | 1 382                  | 153                                 | 368                                | 1 299                  | 194                                 | 35                                | 152                    | 135                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 6 889                   | 3 894                            | 1 108                  | 146                                 | 308                                | 1 035                  | 151                                 | 22                                | 111                    | 114                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 793                     | 363                              | 106                    | 21                                  | 25                                 | 150                    | 40                                  | 14                                | 24                     | 50                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 1 991                   | 1 110                            | 392                    | 55                                  | 67                                 | 209                    | 64                                  | 8                                 | 30                     | 56                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 328                   | 723                              | 260                    | 27                                  | 54                                 | 150                    | 51                                  | 2                                 | 23                     | 38                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 928                     | 530                              | 130                    | 27                                  | 36                                 | 118                    | 51                                  | 2                                 | 9                      | 25                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 663                     | 387                              | 132                    | 28                                  | 13                                 | 59                     | 13                                  | 6                                 | 7                      | 18                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 208                   | 685                              | 119                    | 14                                  | 46                                 | 238                    | 60                                  | -                                 | 16                     | 30                                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 540                     | 309                              | 62                     | 8                                   | 11                                 | 114                    | 11                                  | -                                 | 11                     | 14                                  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 225                     | 119                              | 10                     | -                                   | -                                  | 71                     | 20                                  | -                                 | -                      | 5                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 443                     | 257                              | 47                     | 6                                   | 35                                 | 53                     | 29                                  | -                                 | 5                      | 11                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 28 966                  | 14 021                           | 5 106                  | 866                                 | 879                                | 4 413                  | 1 414                               | 107                               | 387                    | 1 773                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 25 248                  | 12 779                           | 4 601                  | 752                                 | 772                                | 3 653                  | 1 178                               | 84                                | 322                    | 1 110                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 21 097                  | 10 846                           | 3 864                  | 615                                 | 661                                | 2 955                  | 977                                 | 70                                | 272                    | 837                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 718                   | 1 242                            | 505                    | 114                                 | 107                                | 760                    | 236                                 | 26                                | 65                     | 663                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 2 327                   | 908                              | 304                    | 24                                  | 130                                | 419                    | 78                                  | 19                                | 125                    | 320                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 557                   | 580                              | 195                    | 19                                  | 97                                 | 270                    | 63                                  | 10                                | 86                     | 237                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 172                   | 447                              | 130                    | 16                                  | 74                                 | 203                    | 49                                  | 10                                | 53                     | 190                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 770                     | 328                              | 109                    | 5                                   | 33                                 | 149                    | 15                                  | 9                                 | 39                     | 83                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 6 433                   | 1 234                            | 768                    | 155                                 | 210                                | 1 181                  | 574                                 | 77                                | 338                    | 1 896                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$24 421                | \$31 205                         | \$23 168               | \$18 853                            | \$18 500                           | \$16 612               | \$15 043                            | \$16 205                          | \$12 783               | \$10 730                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$28 255                | \$33 620                         | \$25 123               | \$23 125                            | \$21 941                           | \$20 112               | \$21 159                            | \$27 626                          | \$17 742               | \$19 368                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$29 006                | \$34 666                         | \$25 042               | \$25 126                            | \$22 793                           | \$20 710               | \$23 034                            | \$29 021                          | \$18 601               | \$20 351                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$30 581                | \$36 204                         | \$26 216               | \$27 518                            | \$23 761                           | \$21 825               | \$24 867                            | \$30 872                          | \$20 511               | \$22 444                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$32 562                | \$38 587                         | \$27 660               | \$28 586                            | \$25 717                           | \$23 511               | \$27 195                            | \$31 144                          | \$24 561               | \$23 187                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$33 707                | \$40 028                         | \$28 449               | \$25 229                            | \$26 538                           | \$24 369               | \$28 341                            | \$31 514                          | \$25 011               | \$23 676                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$24 826                | \$29 453                         | \$22 182               | \$24 343                            | \$17 719                           | \$16 695               | \$18 725                            | \$23 335                          | \$11 551               | \$19 184                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$15 540                | \$18 258                         | \$14 819               | \$10 938                            | \$15 166                           | \$13 147               | \$12 232                            | \$14 825                          | \$9 922                | \$12 209                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 293                | \$21 722                         | \$17 373               | \$15 864                            | \$18 941                           | \$16 047               | \$16 047                            | \$32 998                          | \$17 293               | \$23 232                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 277                | \$22 482                         | \$18 173               | \$19 679                            | \$25 022                           | \$15 037               | \$20 504                            | \$32 998                          | \$17 293               | \$23 232                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 000                | \$14 157                         | \$12 280               | \$7 303                             | \$11 326                           | \$11 297               | \$10 628                            | \$5 739                           | \$6 315                | \$8 331                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$28 293                | \$33 938                         | \$27 555               | \$21 818                            | \$19 179                           | \$18 558               | \$16 394                            | \$22 584                          | \$16 611               | \$14 233                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$29 573                | \$35 394                         | \$27 933               | \$22 855                            | \$19 345                           | \$19 313               | \$17 338                            | \$28 365                          | \$17 614               | \$16 248                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$29 474                | \$34 201                         | \$29 052               | \$23 350                            | \$20 161                           | \$20 151               | \$17 725                            | \$37 709                          | \$15 869               | \$16 952                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$14 976                | \$15 762                         | \$22 629               | \$14 265                            | \$16 746                           | \$12 027               | \$10 845                            | \$8 139                           | \$10 254               | \$8 793                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$20 072                | \$22 595                         | \$17 071               | \$12 596                            | \$17 676                           | \$18 667               | \$13 371                            | \$35 834                          | \$11 656               | \$16 454                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 435                | \$25 870                         | \$20 082               | \$17 198                            | \$18 510                           | \$18 659               | \$12 994                            | \$12 565                          | \$11 216               | \$17 366                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$23 471                | \$26 207                         | \$22 562               | \$17 198                            | \$20 435                           | \$20 260               | \$12 994                            | \$12 565                          | \$18 647               | \$20 490                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 340                | \$16 477                         | \$11 140               | \$8 159                             | \$14 210                           | \$18 685               | \$14 850                            | \$43 590                          | \$13 102               | \$14 529                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$17 710                | \$18 494                         | \$25 497               | \$8 439                             | \$13 623                           | \$15 308               | \$9 477                             | -                                 | \$20 766               | \$13 387                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$21 802                | \$23 601                         | \$25 595               | \$5 010                             | \$20 553                           | \$19 009               | \$2 195                             | -                                 | \$25 170               | \$11 375                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 265                | \$8 880                          | \$69 307               | -                                   | -                                  | \$8 229                | \$9 000                             | -                                 | -                      | \$4 065                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 995                | \$16 805                         | \$16 047               | \$13 010                            | \$11 446                           | \$16 831               | \$12 564                            | -                                 | \$11 075               | \$20 185                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$23 791                | \$30 194                         | \$24 151               | \$18 640                            | \$13 346                           | \$14 672               | \$13 725                            | \$10 029                          | \$16 202               | \$13 025                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$25 897                | \$32 067                         | \$25 828               | \$19 645                            | \$13 859                           | \$15 772               | \$15 042                            | \$12 555                          | \$17 002               | \$16 154                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$26 299                | \$32 207                         | \$25 942               | \$20 632                            | \$14 404                           | \$16 626               | \$15 497                            | \$13 200                          | \$16 953               | \$15 857                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 487                 | \$10 918                         | \$8 870                | \$12 011                            | \$9 640                            | \$9 383                | \$7 152                             | \$2 161                           | \$12 237               | \$7 788                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$11 527                | \$14 582                         | \$8 274                | \$9 050                             | \$13 223                           | \$9 911                | \$9 280                             | \$5 642                           | \$9 274                | \$9 458                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 717                | \$19 639                         | \$10 407               | \$10 312                            | \$16 929                           | \$11 724               | \$10 994                            | \$6 015                           | \$10 261               | \$12 048                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$15 766                | \$21 539                         | \$11 591               | \$10 992                            | \$17 131                           | \$10 520               | \$11 468                            | \$6 015                           | \$11 705               | \$13 220                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 077                 | \$5 539                          | \$4 459                | \$4 255                             | \$2 330                            | \$6 625                | \$2 085                             | \$1 005                           | \$7 096                | \$2 062                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 844                 | \$2 474                          | \$1 384                | \$919                               | \$1 280                            | \$2 305                | \$2 111                             | \$151                             | \$1 219                | \$1 572                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 22.0                    | 22.5                             | 17.6                   | 14.7                                | 33.7                               | 23.9                   | 18.7                                | 43.1                              | 21.6                   | 19.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.7                    | 32.1                             | 27.4                   | 27.7                                | 39.3                               | 32.6                   | 28.6                                | 51.0                              | 30.5                   | 31.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.7                    | 35.5                             | 30.4                   | 31.7                                | 41.6                               | 34.6                   | 29.2                                | 46.2                              | 33.8                   | 33.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34.0                    | 34.9                             | 29.7                   | 30.4                                | 40.9                               | 33.4                   | 29.0                                | 44.5                              | 32.4                   | 33.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.6                    | 38.7                             | 33.7                   | 34.7                                | 43.6                               | 36.2                   | 31.8                                | 44.7                              | 36.6                   | 34.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.6                    | 38.8                             | 34.3                   | 30.4                                | 42.4                               | 35.9                   | 31.8                                | 44.4                              | 36.9                   | 33.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.3                    | 20.6                             | 15.7                   | 15.4                                | 28.9                               | 21.3                   | 18.1                                | 38.6                              | 12.5                   | 32.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 15.4                    | 14.2                             | 49.0                   | 50.8                                | 50.2                               | 48.1                   | 31.5                                | 73.2                              | 46.9                   | 28.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 55.3                    | 56.2                             | 54.5                   | 57.8                                | 57.4                               | 58.7                   | 43.8                                | 96.6                              | 61.8                   | 31.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 56.3                    | 59.2                             | 54.6                   | 57.9                                | 51.0                               | 59.5                   | 36.1                                | 96.6                              | 61.8                   | 30.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32.5                    | 35.9                             | 24.5                   | 39.7                                | 38.0                               | 34.6                   | 23.7                                | 6.2                               | 27.1                   | 26.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.0                    | 15.0                             | 13.5                   | 11.0                                | 22.9                               | 22.2                   | 18.2                                | 66.6                              | 19.6                   | 15.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.5                    | 14.5                             | 13.5                   | 10.1                                | 22.0                               | 21.4                   | 17.8                                | 64.1                              | 19.7                   | 13.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.4                    | 14.2                             | 14.1                   | 10.0                                | 23.1                               | 21.9                   | 17.7                                | 70.0                              | 17.5                   | 12.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 27.4                    | 30.5                             | 13.7                   | 22.3                                | 36.9                               | 33.2                   | 21.5                                | 88.1                              | 18.3                   | 26.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 48.0                    | 50.0                             | 44.5                   | 44.8                                | 54.8                               | 38.4                   | 45.6                                | 53.6                              | 58.1                   | 50.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 53.1                    | 55.9                             | 47.8                   | 54.7                                | 57.8                               | 40.9                   | 53.9                                | 95.5                              | 62.4                   | 56.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 53.1                    | 57.0                             | 44.4                   | 54.7                                | 60.1                               | 39.0                   | 53.9                                | 95.5                              | 53.0                   | 49.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 33.0                    | 32.8                             | 32.6                   | 24.5                                | 38.1                               | 32.0                   | 17.2                                | 49.5                              | 45.7                   | 37.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 31.1                    | 32.3                             | 22.4                   | 32.2                                | 36.2                               | 34.1                   | 44.5                                | -                                 | 28.1                   | 9.6                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 32.5                    | 33.5                             | 28.4                   | 50.0                                | 41.7                               | 32.8                   | 61.8                                | -                                 | 27.6                   | 19.2                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.5                    | 39.2                             | 9.5                    | -                                   | -                                  | 21.5                   | 50.0                                | -                                 | -                      | 7.5                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 30.2                    | 28.9                             | 21.7                   | 23.1                                | 33.1                               | 45.5                   | 40.7                                | -                                 | 30.6                   | 2.8                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 79.6                    | 89.3                             | 72.2                   | 74.2                                | 80.1                               | 66.1                   | 85.3                                | 130.7                             | 61.1                   | 66.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 80.1                    | 89.2                             | 71.9                   | 71.4                                | 79.1                               | 67.7                   | 85.6                                | 135.3                             | 68.9                   | 65.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 82.7                    | 90.5                             | 70.5                   | 68.1                                | 82.1                               | 77.6                   | 90.7                                | 135.3                             | 62.7                   | 67.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 77.1                    | 89.6                             | 73.4                   | 100.0                               | 100.0                              | 60.7                   | 77.5                                | 100.0                             | 36.4                   | 97.4                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B1

SOUTH REGION

|  | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                               |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 819 611                          | 89 233                          | 83 303                                       | 17 134                              | 33 104                          | 199 814                                      | 70 148                              | 12 036                          | 78 246                                       | 236 593                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 394 420                          | 61 291                          | 48 227                                       | 6 864                               | 23 411                          | 113 528                                      | 26 483                              | 6 634                           | 38 034                                       | 69 948                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 293 881                          | 46 986                          | 36 553                                       | 4 952                               | 18 834                          | 86 797                                       | 19 077                              | 5 051                           | 28 146                                       | 47 485                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 261 098                          | 42 735                          | 33 741                                       | 4 361                               | 17 090                          | 78 501                                       | 16 717                              | 4 375                           | 24 357                                       | 39 221                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 187 034                          | 32 990                          | 24 964                                       | 3 043                               | 12 608                          | 55 758                                       | 10 917                              | 3 410                           | 16 882                                       | 26 462                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 132 052                          | 23 410                          | 19 178                                       | 2 044                               | 8 616                           | 39 813                                       | 7 393                               | 2 347                           | 11 493                                       | 17 758                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 74 064                           | 9 745                           | 8 777  | 1 318                               | 4 482                           | 22 743                                       | 5 800                               | 965                             | 7 475  | 12 759                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 32 783                           | 4 251                           | 2 812  | 591                                 | 1 744                           | 8 296  | 2 360                               | 676                             | 3 789  | 8 264                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 16 390                           | 2 257                           | 1 655  | 290                                 | 1 025                           | 4 418  | 1 151                               | 405                             | 2 009  | 3 180                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 11 319                           | 1 444                           | 1 182  | 187                                 | 743                             | 3 008  | 823                                 | 277                             | 1 353  | 2 322                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 16 393                           | 1 994                           | 1 157  | 301                                 | 719                             | 3 878  | 1 209                               | 271                             | 1 780  | 5 084                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 73 629                           | 10 488                          | 9 118  | 1 317                               | 3 477                           | 20 731                                       | 5 640                               | 979                             | 6 723  | 15 156                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 65 610                           | 9 765                           | 8 526  | 1 198                               | 3 183                           | 18 782                                       | 4 990                               | 810                             | 5 753  | 12 603                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 53 892                           | 8 514                           | 7 615  | 1 019                               | 2 562                           | 15 381                                       | 4 019                               | 658                             | 4 516  | 9 608                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 8 019                            | 723                             | 592  | 119                                 | 294                             | 1 949  | 650                                 | 169                             | 970  | 2 553                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 16 388                           | 2 557                           | 1 768  | 393                                 | 738                             | 3 765  | 996                                 | 367                             | 1 959  | 3 845                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 10 835                           | 1 841                           | 1 305  | 302                                 | 515                             | 2 457  | 551                                 | 248                             | 1 281  | 2 335                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 7 955                            | 1 360                           | 1 055  | 236                                 | 359                             | 1 682  | 421                                 | 199                             | 905  | 1 738                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 5 553                            | 716                             | 463  | 91                                  | 223                             | 1 308  | 445                                 | 119                             | 678  | 1 510                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 10 522                           | 1 260                           | 788  | 202                                 | 362                             | 2 235  | 770                                 | 237                             | 1 206  | 3 462                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 3 730                            | 608                             | 353  | 61                                  | 107                             | 876  | 239                                 | 62                              | 395  | 1 029                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 2 762                            | 149                             | 137  | 48                                  | 67                              | 480  | 221                                 | 68                              | 376  | 1 216                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 4 030                            | 503                             | 298  | 93                                  | 188                             | 879  | 310                                 | 107                             | 435  | 1 217                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 316 832                          | 22 721                          | 29 687                                       | 8 033                               | 7 495                           | 71 745                                       | 35 343                              | 3 470                           | 29 595                                       | 108 743                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 268 377                          | 21 102                          | 27 003                                       | 7 030                               | 6 610                           | 63 260                                       | 30 280                              | 2 889                           | 24 605                                       | 85 598                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 217 043                          | 18 253                          | 23 530                                       | 5 905                               | 5 461                           | 51 985                                       | 24 226                              | 2 286                           | 19 213                                       | 66 184                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 48 455                           | 1 619                           | 2 684  | 1 003                               | 885                             | 8 485  | 5 063                               | 581                             | 4 990  | 23 145                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 27 393                           | 2 106                           | 1 835  | 499                                 | 973                             | 4 941  | 2 179                               | 724                             | 3 962  | 10 174                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 17 483                           | 1 418                           | 1 158  | 261                                 | 658                             | 3 359  | 1 253                               | 426                             | 2 559  | 6 431                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 13 151                           | 1 069                           | 971  | 211                                 | 446                             | 2 644  | 905                                 | 317                             | 1 896  | 4 692                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 9 910                            | 688                             | 677  | 238                                 | 315                             | 1 602  | 926                                 | 298                             | 3 743  | 3 743                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 80 966                           | 3 115                           | 3 554  | 1 738                               | 1 225                           | 9 600  | 6 143                               | 1 208                           | 6 655  | 47 728                              |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$16 824                         | \$27 815                        | \$22 615                                     | \$17 384                            | \$20 141                        | \$17 117                                     | \$14 366                            | \$16 341                        | \$14 364                                     | \$11 455                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$21 249                         | \$28 918                        | \$24 341                                     | \$21 550                            | \$22 677                        | \$20 065                                     | \$18 138                            | \$20 798                        | \$18 062                                     | \$16 764                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$22 219                         | \$29 761                        | \$24 970                                     | \$22 383                            | \$23 530                        | \$20 893                                     | \$18 836                            | \$22 039                        | \$18 905                                     | \$17 868                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 272                         | \$30 905                        | \$25 815                                     | \$23 582                            | \$24 244                        | \$21 714                                     | \$19 711                            | \$22 994                        | \$19 911                                     | \$19 064                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$25 046                         | \$32 176                        | \$27 398                                     | \$25 194                            | \$25 666                        | \$23 458                                     | \$21 419                            | \$24 010                        | \$21 728                                     | \$20 719                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$25 898                         | \$33 004                        | \$28 287                                     | \$26 022                            | \$26 250                        | \$24 280                                     | \$21 658                            | \$24 683                        | \$22 723                                     | \$21 372                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$18 792                         | \$24 603                        | \$21 313                                     | \$19 862                            | \$20 244                        | \$17 439                                     | \$16 496                            | \$19 404                        | \$15 807                                     | \$15 432                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$13 830                         | \$18 257                        | \$14 831                                     | \$13 532                            | \$16 531                        | \$13 122                                     | \$12 641                            | \$15 853                        | \$12 436                                     | \$12 188                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$16 192                         | \$20 112                        | \$16 619                                     | \$16 621                            | \$18 419                        | \$14 942                                     | \$15 350                            | \$16 134                        | \$15 017                                     | \$15 224                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$16 544                         | \$19 991                        | \$17 354                                     | \$18 889                            | \$19 313                        | \$15 285                                     | \$16 305                            | \$16 719                        | \$15 381                                     | \$15 274                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$11 468                         | \$16 158                        | \$12 273                                     | \$10 556                            | \$13 839                        | \$11 048                                     | \$10 061                            | \$15 433                        | \$9 523                                      | \$10 288                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$19 516                         | \$28 633                        | \$23 602                                     | \$19 630                            | \$20 040                        | \$17 823                                     | \$16 907                            | \$16 341                        | \$16 157                                     | \$15 600                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$20 549                         | \$29 679                        | \$24 461                                     | \$20 548                            | \$20 679                        | \$18 518                                     | \$17 768                            | \$17 611                        | \$17 155                                     | \$16 661                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$21 437                         | \$30 707                        | \$24 807                                     | \$20 854                            | \$21 498                        | \$19 407                                     | \$18 281                            | \$17 925                        | \$17 666                                     | \$17 180                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 062                         | \$14 501                        | \$11 226                                     | \$10 391                            | \$13 118                        | \$11 117                                     | \$10 297                            | \$10 251                        | \$10 259                                     | \$10 364                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$16 468                         | \$20 089                        | \$18 101                                     | \$19 588                            | \$17 258                        | \$16 351                                     | \$15 580                            | \$19 816                        | \$15 897                                     | \$13 155                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 766                         | \$21 930                        | \$20 425                                     | \$21 296                            | \$18 757                        | \$19 089                                     | \$20 365                            | \$21 995                        | \$17 956                                     | \$14 401                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 076                         | \$22 489                        | \$20 717                                     | \$22 768                            | \$18 142                        | \$18 768                                     | \$21 088                            | \$22 971                        | \$18 612                                     | \$14 706                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$11 985                         | \$15 355                        | \$11 552                                     | \$12 921                            | \$13 796                        | \$11 207                                     | \$9 654                             | \$15 276                        | \$12 008                                     | \$11 228                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$13 736                         | \$17 798                        | \$17 741                                     | \$17 468                            | \$14 720                        | \$14 987                                     | \$13 177                            | \$14 294                        | \$12 544                                     | \$10 720                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 372                         | \$22 166                        | \$24 080                                     | \$16 650                            | \$20 349                        | \$20 087                                     | \$18 670                            | \$16 212                        | \$17 795                                     | \$12 890                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 727                          | \$11 747                        | \$8 329                                      | \$15 387                            | \$9 454                         | \$8 919                                      | \$6 837                             | \$12 405                        | \$8 056                                      | \$8 367                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$12 879                         | \$14 310                        | \$14 559                                     | \$19 078                            | \$13 393                        | \$13 218                                     | \$13 462                            | \$14 383                        | \$11 654                                     | \$11 237                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$15 785                         | \$29 852                        | \$23 115                                     | \$17 860                            | \$16 298                        | \$15 065                                     | \$14 024                            | \$14 402                        | \$13 254                                     | \$12 537                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$17 100                         | \$30 851                        | \$24 312                                     | \$19 107                            | \$17 225                        | \$15 988                                     | \$15 035                            | \$15 065                        | \$14 324                                     | \$13 671                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$17 671                         | \$30 926                        | \$24 782                                     | \$19 232                            | \$17 711                        | \$16 595                                     | \$15 639                            | \$15 545                        | \$14 741                                     | \$13 859                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$8 500                          | \$16 825                        | \$11 071                                     | \$9 117                             | \$9 387                         | \$8 185                                      | \$7 860                             | \$11 103                        | \$7 928                                      | \$7 872                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 341                          | \$10 882                        | \$9 104                                      | \$7 364                             | \$11 843                        | \$9 221                                      | \$8 651                             | \$8 432                         | \$7 985                                      | \$7 028                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$9 915                          | \$13 062                        | \$11 353                                     | \$8 628                             | \$14 499                        | \$10 903                                     | \$9 749                             | \$10 355                        | \$9 647                                      | \$8 141                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$10 354                         | \$13 642                        | \$11 948                                     | \$9 907                             | \$14 646                        | \$11 451                                     | \$10 346                            | \$10 137                        | \$10 288                                     | \$8 313                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 563                          | \$6 387                         | \$5 259                                      | \$5 979                             | \$6 296                         | \$5 715                                      | \$7 165                             | \$5 683                         | \$5 201                                      | \$5 115                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$2 203                          | \$2 686                         | \$1 979                                      | \$1 612                             | \$1 776                         | \$1 642                                      | \$2 092                             | \$2 174                         | \$1 956                                      | \$2 383                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 19.4                             | 23.4                            | 18.2   | 13.4                                | 29.6                            | 21.1   | 14.2                                | 28.1                            | 20.8   | 13.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 29.9                             | 31.6                            | 28.1   | 25.5                                | 35.3                            | 30.0   | 27.0                                | 36.3                            | 30.5   | 27.0                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.4                             | 34.4                            | 31.0   | 26.3                                | 37.5                            | 32.4   | 29.6                                | 37.6                            | 32.7   | 29.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.8                             | 33.7                            | 30.3   | 25.7                                | 36.9                            | 31.7   | 28.7                                | 36.9                            | 31.9   | 28.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.5                             | 36.4                            | 34.0   | 29.8                                | 40.0                            | 35.8   | 33.5                                | 40.1                            | 36.1   | 32.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.8                             | 36.8                            | 34.5   | 29.3                                | 40.5                            | 36.0   | 33.6                                | 38.9                            | 36.4   | 33.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.1                             | 22.6                            | 16.7   | 13.7                                | 25.7                            | 18.3   | 17.1                                | 22.9                            | 18.8   | 17.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 41.1                             | 47.1                            | 46.0   | 33.1                                | 45.7                            | 42.2   | 38.8                                | 44.7                            | 40.6   | 33.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.0                             | 52.8                            | 52.5   | 41.3                                | 50.9                            | 50.2   | 47.5                                | 51.7                            | 47.1   | 43.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.3                             | 55.3                            | 51.9   | 38.3                                | 51.5                            | 52.9   | 47.9                                | 53.5                            | 49.5   | 43.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.0                             | 39.0                            | 33.4   | 20.8                                | 35.8                            | 29.7   | 26.1                                | 33.7                            | 29.1   | 24.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 16.5                             | 15.3                            | 14.3   | 17.7                                | 21.0                            | 17.0   | 16.3                                | 21.7                            | 18.1   | 16.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 15.9                             | 14.8                            | 13.9   | 17.7                                | 20.2                            | 16.5   | 15.5                                | 20.6                            | 17.2   | 16.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 15.6                             | 14.5                            | 13.8   | 18.4                                | 19.6                            | 16.4   | 15.2                                | 20.0                            | 16.9   | 16.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 25.2                             | 28.8                            | 25.4   | 18.7                                | 36.0                            | 24.5   | 27.3                                | 30.9                            | 26.8   | 21.4                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 41.4                             | 49.6                            | 39.1   | 39.6                                | 43.7                            | 39.5   | 33.5                                | 49.3                            | 38.3   | 39.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 46.0                             | 52.7                            | 42.2   | 42.5                                | 47.4                            | 43.7   | 37.3                                | 54.1                            | 44.8   | 46.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 47.2                             | 53.2                            | 44.1   | 43.3                                | 48.8                            | 44.9   | 37.6                                | 56.8                            | 46.9   | 47.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.2                             | 38.4                            | 23.9   | 25.2                                | 32.2                            | 26.2   | 23.6                                | 35.1                            | 20.0   | 24.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 27.1                             | 29.6                            | 28.2   | 27.4                                | 22.7                            | 27.9   | 24.6                                | 35.8                            | 25.7   | 25.5                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 31.5                             | 32.7                            | 31.3   | 34.3                                | 27.7                            | 32.0   | 30.1                                | 34.4                            | 31.1   | 30.6                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 26.0                             | 28.3                            | 25.2   | 54.4                                | 19.7                            | 22.0   | 31.0                                | 38.1                            | 25.1   | 24.3                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 21.8                             | 24.1                            | 23.1   | 12.3                                | 19.2                            | 23.9   | 16.5</                              |                                 |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.

WEST REGION

|  | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |                        | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                        |                                 | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                        |                                 |          |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE |          |
| TOTAL  | 9 146 510                        | 2 480 095                       | 1 503 248              | 78 184                             | 710 789                | 2 988 326                       | 272 518                           | 92 855                 | 484 335                         | 536 160  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 4 734 789                        | 1 570 676                       | 817 679                | 28 367                             | 424 661                | 1 488 086                       | 81 881                            | 33 735                 | 152 727                         | 136 977  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 3 023 273                        | 958 999                         | 519 199                | 18 699                             | 284 708                | 968 102                         | 54 675                            | 22 251                 | 98 090                          | 98 550   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 702 393                        | 868 689                         | 474 892                | 16 436                             | 254 851                | 861 939                         | 47 071                            | 18 608                 | 81 114                          | 78 793   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 2 008 458                        | 663 433                         | 357 975                | 11 223                             | 196 065                | 628 608                         | 30 230                            | 14 191                 | 58 286                          | 48 446   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 1 451 810                        | 468 505                         | 272 272                | 7 940                              | 139 594                | 461 341                         | 20 529                            | 9 946                  | 40 715                          | 30 968   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 693 935                          | 205 256                         | 116 916                | 5 213                              | 58 784                 | 233 331                         | 16 841                            | 4 417                  | 22 828                          | 30 347   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 320 880                          | 90 310                          | 44 307                 | 2 263                              | 29 857                 | 106 163                         | 7 604                             | 3 643                  | 16 976                          | 19 757   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 175 811                          | 49 784                          | 26 782                 | 1 179                              | 18 711                 | 57 920                          | 3 065                             | 2 285                  | 8 904                           | 7 181    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 127 457                          | 34 634                          | 20 375                 | 818                                | 13 785                 | 43 213                          | 2 033                             | 1 545                  | 6 521                           | 4 533    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 145 069                          | 40 526                          | 17 525                 | 1 084                              | 11 146                 | 48 243                          | 4 539                             | 1 358                  | 8 072                           | 12 576   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 1 404 908                        | 505 196                         | 252 089                | 7 643                              | 114 075                | 433 772                         | 20 761                            | 7 711                  | 38 560                          | 25 101   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 287 660                        | 471 926                         | 235 090                | 6 904                              | 104 105                | 392 847                         | 17 775                            | 6 533                  | 32 344                          | 20 136   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 101 104                        | 411 690                         | 207 681                | 5 993                              | 87 375                 | 328 476                         | 14 371                            | 5 257                  | 25 446                          | 14 815   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 117 248                          | 33 270                          | 16 999                 | 739                                | 9 970                  | 40 925                          | 2 986                             | 1 178                  | 6 216                           | 4 965    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 173 033                          | 60 931                          | 27 260                 | 1 030                              | 15 475                 | 48 060                          | 3 095                             | 2 173                  | 8 469                           | 6 540    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 125 610                          | 45 638                          | 20 256                 | 700                                | 11 405                 | 34 206                          | 2 002                             | 1 556                  | 6 026                           | 3 821    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 94 793                           | 32 979                          | 15 875                 | 465                                | 8 511                  | 26 968                          | 1 418                             | 1 188                  | 4 859                           | 2 550    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 47 423                           | 15 293                          | 7 004                  | 330                                | 4 070                  | 13 854                          | 1 093                             | 617                    | 2 443                           | 2 719    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 133 575                          | 45 550                          | 19 131                 | 995                                | 10 403                 | 38 152                          | 3 350                             | 1 600                  | 7 608                           | 6 786    |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51 811                           | 18 483                          | 7 857                  | 391                                | 4 186                  | 14 191                          | 1 110                             | 542                    | 2 739                           | 2 312    |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 28 671                           | 8 728                           | 3 412                  | 236                                | 2 286                  | 8 397                           | 981                               | 408                    | 1 933                           | 2 290    |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 53 093                           | 18 339                          | 7 862                  | 368                                | 3 931                  | 15 564                          | 1 239                             | 650                    | 2 936                           | 2 184    |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 2 913 700                        | 709 285                         | 529 878                | 31 367                             | 175 247                | 1 020 802                       | 108 781                           | 20 922                 | 140 118                         | 179 280  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 520 791                        | 645 992                         | 475 538                | 26 549                             | 149 417                | 875 024                         | 87 939                            | 15 897                 | 106 850                         | 137 565  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 2 126 267                        | 566 596                         | 417 566                | 22 178                             | 125 374                | 725 199                         | 70 867                            | 12 669                 | 82 833                          | 102 985  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 392 909                          | 63 293                          | 54 320                 | 4 838                              | 23 830                 | 145 778                         | 20 842                            | 5 025                  | 33 268                          | 41 715   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 351 290                          | 58 843                          | 39 050                 | 3 100                              | 35 746                 | 119 432                         | 12 696                            | 10 217                 | 42 184                          | 30 022   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 235 230                          | 39 245                          | 26 879                 | 1 913                              | 24 550                 | 82 261                          | 7 799                             | 6 882                  | 27 734                          | 17 967   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 183 270                          | 28 997                          | 21 573                 | 1 415                              | 19 169                 | 66 477                          | 5 846                             | 5 349                  | 21 536                          | 12 908   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 116 060                          | 19 598                          | 12 171                 | 1 187                              | 11 196                 | 37 171                          | 4 897                             | 3 335                  | 14 450                          | 12 059   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 146 731                        | 141 291                         | 116 641                | 15 330                             | 77 135                 | 360 006                         | 69 160                            | 27 981                 | 149 306                         | 189 881  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                 |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |
| TOTAL  | \$22 590                         | \$30 083                        | \$25 220               | \$17 942                           | \$22 368               | \$19 901                        | \$13 915                          | \$14 692               | \$13 174                        | \$10 810 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$27 989                         | \$32 435                        | \$28 728               | \$25 169                           | \$27 255               | \$24 946                        | \$21 560                          | \$25 440               | \$22 545                        | \$19 065 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$29 310                         | \$34 085                        | \$29 982               | \$26 528                           | \$28 766               | \$26 323                        | \$22 833                          | \$27 215               | \$24 226                        | \$19 859 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$30 554                         | \$35 250                        | \$31 038               | \$27 728                           | \$29 836               | \$27 479                        | \$24 229                          | \$28 930               | \$25 946                        | \$21 328 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$32 550                         | \$36 806                        | \$32 879               | \$29 885                           | \$31 437               | \$29 705                        | \$26 719                          | \$30 721               | \$28 114                        | \$23 398 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$33 592                         | \$37 745                        | \$34 033               | \$31 236                           | \$32 469               | \$30 859                        | \$27 467                          | \$31 776               | \$29 084                        | \$23 826 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$24 777                         | \$30 222                        | \$25 399               | \$23 083                           | \$24 494               | \$21 484                        | \$19 758                          | \$23 178               | \$20 410                        | \$18 024 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$18 826                         | \$22 876                        | \$18 669               | \$17 815                           | \$19 635               | \$16 934                        | \$14 192                          | \$18 454               | \$16 007                        | \$14 001 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 271                         | \$23 909                        | \$21 029               | \$20 938                           | \$22 152               | \$19 837                        | \$17 039                          | \$21 282               | \$19 714                        | \$16 823 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$21 883                         | \$24 431                        | \$21 008               | \$20 412                           | \$22 142               | \$20 642                        | \$17 467                          | \$21 046               | \$20 437                        | \$16 504 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 864                         | \$21 607                        | \$15 062               | \$14 679                           | \$15 411               | \$13 450                        | \$12 019                          | \$13 697               | \$11 917                        | \$12 390 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$26 968                         | \$31 477                        | \$27 756               | \$24 026                           | \$25 050               | \$23 186                        | \$20 399                          | \$24 328               | \$21 160                        | \$18 432 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$28 044                         | \$32 453                        | \$28 598               | \$25 243                           | \$25 964               | \$24 183                        | \$21 791                          | \$26 135               | \$22 784                        | \$19 896 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$28 719                         | \$32 943                        | \$29 172               | \$25 389                           | \$26 635               | \$24 854                        | \$22 175                          | \$27 176               | \$23 412                        | \$20 346 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 145                         | \$17 638                        | \$16 103               | \$12 655                           | \$15 505               | \$13 615                        | \$12 110                          | \$14 304               | \$12 709                        | \$12 498 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$21 191                         | \$23 408                        | \$20 538               | \$19 060                           | \$22 298               | \$20 110                        | \$16 788                          | \$20 008               | \$17 608                        | \$16 046 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$23 104                         | \$25 052                        | \$22 188               | \$21 324                           | \$23 754               | \$22 315                        | \$19 101                          | \$22 054               | \$19 712                        | \$18 023 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$23 504                         | \$25 355                        | \$22 810               | \$22 136                           | \$23 630               | \$22 923                        | \$19 619                          | \$23 336               | \$20 308                        | \$18 405 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 125                         | \$18 501                        | \$15 766               | \$14 259                           | \$18 220               | \$14 665                        | \$12 552                          | \$14 848               | \$12 418                        | \$13 268 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$17 654                         | \$20 389                        | \$19 184               | \$14 725                           | \$17 468               | \$16 106                        | \$12 378                          | \$13 484               | \$13 385                        | \$12 771 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 977                         | \$24 636                        | \$23 055               | \$19 061                           | \$22 163               | \$20 443                        | \$15 531                          | \$17 336               | \$17 541                        | \$16 069 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$10 352                         | \$12 060                        | \$10 307               | \$10 932                           | \$10 610               | \$9 784                         | \$8 092                           | \$7 909                | \$7 531                         | \$9 459  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 378                         | \$20 073                        | \$19 167               | \$12 550                           | \$16 456               | \$15 564                        | \$12 940                          | \$13 772               | \$13 361                        | \$12 752 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$23 634                         | \$32 004                        | \$26 124               | \$20 390                           | \$21 909               | \$20 298                        | \$16 764                          | \$17 204               | \$16 904                        | \$14 560 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 599                         | \$33 740                        | \$27 671               | \$22 391                           | \$23 708               | \$21 927                        | \$18 621                          | \$19 747               | \$19 340                        | \$16 226 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$26 370                         | \$34 242                        | \$28 223               | \$23 300                           | \$24 308               | \$22 563                        | \$19 113                          | \$20 414               | \$19 867                        | \$16 471 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 026                         | \$14 288                        | \$12 577               | \$9 408                            | \$10 628               | \$10 519                        | \$8 930                           | \$9 157                | \$9 082                         | \$9 065  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$10 374                         | \$12 510                        | \$10 387               | \$8 692                            | \$12 000               | \$9 957                         | \$8 415                           | \$10 887               | \$9 091                         | \$8 523  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$12 706                         | \$15 302                        | \$12 761               | \$11 145                           | \$14 514               | \$12 102                        | \$10 677                          | \$12 901               | \$11 265                        | \$10 444 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$13 193                         | \$15 801                        | \$13 388               | \$11 771                           | \$14 906               | \$12 659                        | \$11 017                          | \$13 419               | \$11 779                        | \$10 626 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 647                          | \$6 919                         | \$5 142                | \$4 740                            | \$6 486                | \$5 210                         | \$4 811                           | \$6 730                | \$4 917                         | \$5 660  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 391                          | \$1 609                         | \$1 482                | \$1 427                            | \$1 298                | \$1 219                         | \$1 391                           | \$1 244                | \$1 241                         | \$1 676  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                 |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |
| TOTAL  | 19.4                             | 20.5                            | 16.7                   | 14.3                               | 25.5                   | 18.6                            | 14.0                              | 28.2                   | 20.3                            | 15.4     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 27.8                             | 28.6                            | 25.4                   | 25.1                               | 31.8                   | 27.1                            | 25.5                              | 33.6                   | 28.6                            | 27.3     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.6                             | 34.5                            | 30.1                   | 28.2                               | 36.1                   | 31.2                            | 28.3                              | 36.7                   | 31.5                            | 28.7     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.8                             | 33.6                            | 29.4                   | 27.3                               | 35.2                   | 30.5                            | 27.6                              | 35.0                   | 30.3                            | 27.9     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.2                             | 36.6                            | 33.0                   | 31.3                               | 38.1                   | 34.2                            | 32.2                              | 37.8                   | 34.0                            | 32.7     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.5                             | 36.8                            | 33.4                   | 31.8                               | 38.3                   | 34.6                            | 32.8                              | 37.7                   | 34.4                            | 33.0     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.7                             | 21.5                            | 15.4                   | 16.2                               | 22.6                   | 16.5                            | 16.5                              | 22.9                   | 17.4                            | 18.0     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.1                             | 48.0                            | 42.5                   | 38.2                               | 48.2                   | 41.5                            | 36.1                              | 50.1                   | 41.4                            | 33.8     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.4                             | 54.7                            | 49.6                   | 45.7                               | 54.3                   | 49.5                            | 45.8                              | 54.9                   | 48.1                            | 43.9     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52.9                             | 56.1                            | 50.9                   | 48.0                               | 55.3                   | 51.0                            | 47.8                              | 58.4                   | 49.6                            | 46.7     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.3                             | 38.9                            | 27.4                   | 26.7                               | 33.6                   | 27.3                            | 26.7                              | 37.5                   | 29.1                            | 26.0     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.9                             | 14.6                            | 13.4                   | 15.6                               | 17.5                   | 15.1                            | 15.4                              | 18.8                   | 16.4                            | 18.0     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.4                             | 14.2                            | 13.1                   | 15.2                               | 17.1                   | 14.7                            | 14.9                              | 18.0                   | 15.7                            | 17.1     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 14.2                             | 14.0                            | 12.8                   | 14.7                               | 16.7                   | 14.6                            | 14.7                              | 17.7                   | 15.6                            | 17.0     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 23.4                             | 24.8                            | 22.2                   | 24.1                               | 25.8                   | 22.1                            | 21.3                              | 26.5                   | 23.2                            | 23.5     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 46.8                             | 50.3                            | 44.3                   | 36.6                               | 49.4                   | 43.3                            | 39.7                              | 55.0                   | 46.9                            | 37.7     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.3                             | 54.0                            | 48.9                   | 40.3                               | 53.5                   | 48.5                            | 45.1                              | 58.6                   | 52.0                            | 45.0     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52.0                             | 54.5                            | 50.3                   | 42.4                               | 54.8                   | 48.9                            | 46.0                              | 58.0                   | 53.1                            | 46.7     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 29.7                             | 35.3                            | 25.5                   | 24.9                               | 34.4                   | 23.9                            | 24.7                              | 41.6                   | 27.1                            | 23.7     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 25.9                             | 26.1                            | 22.6                   | 25.0                               | 28.8                   | 25.3                            | 24.9                              | 32.9                   | 29.3                            | 30.4     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 29.6                             | 29.8                            |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |

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| WEST REGION                                      | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                               |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                               |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                               |  |                                     |
|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| WHITE  |                                  |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 7 855 792                        | 2 210 458                     | 1 344 110                                    | 59 854                              | 618 857                       | 2 610 926                                    | 206 085                             | 74 935                        | 395 903                                      | 334 666                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 4 011 051                        | 1 371 402                     | 719 063                                      | 20 389                              | 360 285                       | 1 273 487                                    | 55 942                              | 24 584                        | 115 744                                      | 70 155                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 2 495 726                        | 810 748                       | 448 027                                      | 12 957                              | 236 208                       | 814 434                                      | 35 938                              | 15 730                        | 72 543                                       | 49 141                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 241 379                        | 733 191                       | 410 977                                      | 11 456                              | 212 057                       | 728 619                                      | 31 072                              | 13 281                        | 60 546                                       | 40 180                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 1 664 059                        | 553 599                       | 309 098                                      | 7 840                               | 162 077                       | 531 558                                      | 19 917                              | 10 219                        | 44 370                                       | 25 381                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 1 212 211                        | 390 613                       | 236 531                                      | 5 845                               | 116 008                       | 393 108                                      | 14 004                              | 7 387                         | 31 777                                       | 16 938                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 577 320                          | 179 592                       | 101 879                                      | 3 616                               | 49 980                        | 197 061                                      | 11 153                              | 3 062                         | 16 176                                       | 14 799                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 254 347                          | 77 557                        | 37 050                                       | 1 501                               | 24 151                        | 85 815                                       | 4 866                               | 2 449                         | 11 997                                       | 8 961                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 141 198                          | 41 248                        | 22 488                                       | 808                                 | 15 156                        | 47 030                                       | 2 056                               | 1 542                         | 6 595  | 3 575                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 103 449                          | 29 004                        | 17 216                                       | 593                                 | 11 354                        | 35 488                                       | 1 404                               | 1 128                         | 4 924  | 2 338                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 113 149                          | 35 609                        | 14 562                                       | 693                                 | 8 995                         | 38 785                                       | 2 810                               | 907                           | 5 402  | 5 386                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 1 259 386                        | 466 932                       | 230 769                                      | 5 984                               | 102 521                       | 386 959                                      | 15 476                              | 6 076                         | 30 693                                       | 13 974                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 159 611                        | 436 625                       | 215 676                                      | 5 391                               | 93 768                        | 352 080                                      | 13 369                              | 5 215                         | 26 002                                       | 11 483                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 998 067                          | 381 740                       | 191 182                                      | 4 742                               | 79 245                        | 296 353                                      | 10 871                              | 4 281                         | 20 715                                       | 8 938                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 99 775                           | 30 307                        | 15 093                                       | 593                                 | 8 753                         | 34 879                                       | 2 107                               | 861                           | 4 691  | 2 491                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 142 914                          | 53 053                        | 23 375                                       | 717                                 | 12 656                        | 39 806                                       | 2 164                               | 1 517                         | 6 410  | 3 216                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 104 011                          | 39 495                        | 17 387                                       | 482                                 | 9 230                         | 28 493                                       | 1 409                               | 1 058                         | 4 589  | 1 888                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 79 214                           | 28 499                        | 13 705                                       | 339                                 | 6 994                         | 22 719                                       | 1 046                               | 828                           | 3 748  | 1 334                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 38 903                           | 13 558                        | 5 988  | 235                                 | 3 426                         | 11 313                                       | 755                                 | 479                           | 1 821  | 1 328                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 113 025                          | 40 669                        | 16 892                                       | 731                                 | 8 900                         | 32 288                                       | 2 364                               | 1 261                         | 6 098  | 3 822                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 44 067                           | 16 315                        | 7 001  | 300                                 | 3 553                         | 12 500                                       | 786                                 | 473                           | 2 257  | 1 332                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 23 706                           | 7 748                         | 2 906  | 162                                 | 2 003                         | 7 064  | 687                                 | 293                           | 1 567  | 1 274                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 45 252                           | 16 606                        | 6 985  | 269                                 | 3 344                         | 13 174                                       | 891                                 | 495                           | 2 274  | 1 214                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 2 531 148                        | 653 666                       | 481 136                                      | 24 289                              | 155 650                       | 901 040                                      | 81 942                              | 16 937                        | 112 499                                      | 103 989                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 201 947                        | 595 886                       | 432 636                                      | 20 500                              | 134 219                       | 774 491                                      | 66 204                              | 12 787                        | 85 553                                       | 79 881                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 876 834                        | 524 691                       | 382 135                                      | 17 529                              | 113 208                       | 646 697                                      | 54 346                              | 10 356                        | 67 101                                       | 60 771                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 329 201                          | 57 780                        | 48 500                                       | 3 789                               | 21 451                        | 126 549                                      | 15 758                              | 4 150                         | 26 946                                       | 24 318                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 290 459                          | 51 241                        | 34 229                                       | 2 371                               | 30 079                        | 102 661                                      | 9 556                               | 7 787                         | 34 253                                       | 18 282                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 194 046                          | 33 773                        | 23 581                                       | 1 427                               | 20 324                        | 70 783                                       | 5 822                               | 5 114                         | 22 398                                       | 10 824                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 152 762                          | 24 930                        | 19 109                                       | 1 033                               | 15 998                        | 57 749                                       | 4 484                               | 4 091                         | 17 486                                       | 7 882                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 96 413                           | 17 468                        | 10 648                                       | 944                                 | 9 755                         | 31 878                                       | 3 734                               | 2 673                         | 11 855                                       | 7 458                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 023 134                        | 134 149                       | 109 682                                      | 12 805                              | 72 843                        | 333 738                                      | 58 645                              | 25 627                        | 133 407                                      | 142 230                             |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$22 980                         | \$30 263                      | \$25 476                                     | \$17 939                            | \$22 360                      | \$20 041                                     | \$13 423                            | \$14 133                      | \$12 807                                     | \$9 740                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$28 482                         | \$32 651                      | \$29 065                                     | \$25 949                            | \$27 523                      | \$25 287                                     | \$21 888                            | \$26 310                      | \$23 073                                     | \$19 626                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$29 897                         | \$34 413                      | \$30 377                                     | \$27 494                            | \$29 133                      | \$26 720                                     | \$23 412                            | \$28 304                      | \$24 942                                     | \$20 543                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$31 093                         | \$35 603                      | \$31 410                                     | \$28 623                            | \$30 177                      | \$27 842                                     | \$24 784                            | \$30 038                      | \$26 458                                     | \$21 996                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$33 031                         | \$37 195                      | \$33 239                                     | \$30 856                            | \$31 738                      | \$30 039                                     | \$27 273                            | \$31 757                      | \$28 574                                     | \$24 086                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$34 040                         | \$38 144                      | \$34 376                                     | \$32 190                            | \$32 779                      | \$31 170                                     | \$28 268                            | \$32 522                      | \$29 534                                     | \$24 466                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$25 508                         | \$30 697                      | \$25 858                                     | \$23 781                            | \$25 115                      | \$21 917                                     | \$20 339                            | \$24 300                      | \$21 329                                     | \$18 413                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$19 353                         | \$23 158                      | \$18 922                                     | \$18 879                            | \$19 967                      | \$17 188                                     | \$14 654                            | \$18 901                      | \$16 380                                     | \$14 026                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 574                         | \$24 045                      | \$21 239                                     | \$21 720                            | \$22 489                      | \$20 059                                     | \$17 506                            | \$21 563                      | \$19 763                                     | \$16 397                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$22 227                         | \$24 703                      | \$22 068                                     | \$22 360                            | \$23 061                      | \$20 860                                     | \$17 203                            | \$21 714                      | \$20 516                                     | \$16 238                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 581                         | \$22 112                      | \$15 345                                     | \$15 565                            | \$15 717                      | \$13 705                                     | \$12 567                            | \$14 374                      | \$12 250                                     | \$12 452                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$27 449                         | \$31 716                      | \$28 106                                     | \$24 914                            | \$25 362                      | \$23 541                                     | \$20 743                            | \$25 350                      | \$21 803                                     | \$19 314                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$28 478                         | \$32 678                      | \$28 935                                     | \$26 191                            | \$26 260                      | \$24 501                                     | \$22 129                            | \$27 455                      | \$24 375                                     | \$21 767                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$29 115                         | \$33 151                      | \$29 488                                     | \$26 169                            | \$26 923                      | \$25 157                                     | \$22 504                            | \$28 126                      | \$25 057                                     | \$21 199                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 483                         | \$17 860                      | \$16 261                                     | \$13 299                            | \$15 743                      | \$13 852                                     | \$11 952                            | \$14 953                      | \$12 756                                     | \$12 614                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$21 339                         | \$23 383                      | \$20 455                                     | \$18 236                            | \$22 199                      | \$20 322                                     | \$15 815                            | \$20 037                      | \$17 485                                     | \$15 954                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$23 190                         | \$25 016                      | \$22 011                                     | \$19 759                            | \$23 729                      | \$22 521                                     | \$17 481                            | \$22 266                      | \$19 571                                     | \$17 773                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$23 545                         | \$25 260                      | \$22 654                                     | \$21 144                            | \$23 586                      | \$23 110                                     | \$17 603                            | \$23 504                      | \$20 028                                     | \$18 426                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 390                         | \$18 626                      | \$15 937                                     | \$15 112                            | \$18 079                      | \$14 785                                     | \$12 704                            | \$15 208                      | \$12 229                                     | \$13 367                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$17 792                         | \$20 338                      | \$19 304                                     | \$14 607                            | \$17 263                      | \$16 176                                     | \$11 774                            | \$13 612                      | \$13 114                                     | \$12 066                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$22 009                         | \$24 477                      | \$23 008                                     | \$19 811                            | \$21 889                      | \$20 519                                     | \$15 205                            | \$17 535                      | \$16 926                                     | \$15 018                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$10 317                         | \$11 925                      | \$10 073                                     | \$10 397                            | \$10 735                      | \$9 723                                      | \$6 974                             | \$6 282                       | \$7 514                                      | \$9 865                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 602                         | \$20 197                      | \$19 431                                     | \$11 339                            | \$16 246                      | \$15 665                                     | \$12 448                            | \$14 201                      | \$13 191                                     | \$11 142                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$24 510                         | \$32 540                      | \$26 662                                     | \$21 048                            | \$22 348                      | \$20 789                                     | \$17 098                            | \$17 852                      | \$17 380                                     | \$15 001                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$26 488                         | \$34 294                      | \$28 209                                     | \$23 192                            | \$24 199                      | \$22 432                                     | \$19 079                            | \$20 672                      | \$20 026                                     | \$16 932                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$27 211                         | \$34 779                      | \$28 742                                     | \$24 024                            | \$24 782                      | \$23 042                                     | \$19 550                            | \$21 406                      | \$20 551                                     | \$17 257                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 275                         | \$14 443                      | \$12 860                                     | \$9 447                             | \$10 756                      | \$10 735                                     | \$8 763                             | \$9 163                       | \$8 977                                      | \$8 675                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$10 237                         | \$12 410                      | \$10 419                                     | \$8 030                             | \$11 660                      | \$9 865                                      | \$7 930                             | \$10 371                      | \$8 722                                      | \$7 826                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$12 611                         | \$15 266                      | \$12 823                                     | \$10 320                            | \$14 228                      | \$12 009                                     | \$10 195                            | \$12 542                      | \$10 895                                     | \$9 947                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$13 121                         | \$15 749                      | \$13 503                                     | \$10 974                            | \$14 690                      | \$12 573                                     | \$10 711                            | \$13 003                      | \$11 408                                     | \$10 220                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 459                          | \$6 888                       | \$5 094                                      | \$4 567                             | \$6 308                       | \$4 398                                      | \$4 398                             | \$6 216                       | \$4 618                                      | \$4 747                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 245                          | \$1 576                       | \$1 445                                      | \$1 122                             | \$1 264                       | \$1 132                                      | \$1 107                             | \$1 136                       | \$1 091                                      | \$1 265                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 18.7                             | 19.5                          | 16.1   | 13.9                                | 24.5                          | 18.1   | 13.3                                | 27.0                          | 19.8   | 14.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 27.2                             | 27.7                          | 24.9   | 25.1                                | 31.0                          | 26.6   | 25.0                                | 32.9                          | 28.1   | 27.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.3                             | 33.9                          | 29.8   | 28.4                                | 35.6                          | 30.9   | 28.1                                | 36.3                          | 31.5   | 29.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.4                             | 33.0                          | 29.1   | 27.5                                | 34.7                          | 30.2   | 27.3                                | 34.7                          | 30.2   | 28.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.9                             | 36.1                          | 32.7   | 31.7                                | 37.7                          | 34.0   | 32.2                                | 37.3                          | 33.9   | 32.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.2                             | 36.4                          | 33.2   | 32.0                                | 37.9                          | 34.4   | 32.7                                | 37.3                          | 34.4   | 33.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.4                             | 21.2                          | 15.1   | 15.7                                | 22.3                          | 16.0   | 15.6                                | 23.1                          | 16.3   | 18.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.4                             | 47.8                          | 42.2   | 39.1                                | 48.1                          | 41.5   | 36.9                                | 50.5                          | 42.3   | 39.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.7                             | 54.6                          | 49.4   | 47.6                                | 54.3                          | 49.7   | 46.6                                | 55.0                          | 49.3   | 45.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 53.0                             | 55.9                          | 50.8   | 48.7                                | 55.4                          | 51.2   | 48.7                                | 58.5                          | 50.8   | 47.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.6                             | 39.0                          | 26.7   | 25.2                                | 33.2                          | 26.9   | 26.2                                | 38.9                          | 28.5   | 26.8                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.5                             | 14.2                          | 13.2   | 15.9                                | 17.0                          | 14.8   | 15.0                                | 18.2                          | 16.0   | 17.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.1                             | 13.8                          | 12.9   | 15.5                                | 16.6                          | 14.4   | 14.5                                | 17.6                          | 15.3   | 16.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.9                             | 13.6                          | 12.7   | 14.9                                | 16.3                          | 14.4   | 14.6                                | 17.3                          | 15.2   | 16.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 22.9                             | 24.1                          | 21.4   | 22.8                                | 25.1                          | 21.6   | 21.1                                | 24.3                          | 22.8   | 23.9                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 47.3                             | 50.7                          | 44.6   | 38.3                                | 50.0                          | 43.5   | 41.5                                | 56.9                          | 46.4   | 38.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.9                             | 54.6                          | 49.5   | 44.0                                | 54.3                          | 48.7   | 48.7                                | 60.8                          | 51.4   | 45.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52.5                             | 55.2                          | 51.0   | 45.7                                | 55.4                          | 49.1   | 46.6                                | 59.8                          | 52.0   | 47.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 29.9                             | 35.4                          | 24.9   | 23.1                                | 34.9                          | 23.5   | 23.1                                | 44.2                          | 26.2   | 23.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 25.3                             | 25.5                          | 22.1   | 24.3                                | 27.7                          | 24.9   | 25.2                                | 32.6                          | 28.7   | 31.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 29.2                             |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |                               |  |                                     |

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|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 COL |          |
| BLACK   |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                   |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                   |          |
| TOTAL   | 312 794                          | 75 234                          | 45 626                                       | 2 796                              | 35 689                            | 101 964                         | 8 872                             | 5 104                           | 20 635                            | 16 874   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 183 363                          | 58 456                          | 29 363                                       | 1 125                              | 24 531                            | 56 919                          | 2 704                             | 2 153                           | 5 749                             | 2 363    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 135 875                          | 44 373                          | 22 127                                       | 685                                | 18 706                            | 41 701                          | 1 735                             | 1 477                           | 3 793                             | 1 278    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 120 280                          | 40 478                          | 19 798                                       | 589                                | 16 308                            | 36 144                          | 1 517                             | 1 309                           | 3 131                             | 1 006    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 94 180                           | 32 672                          | 15 342                                       | 436                                | 12 902                            | 27 286                          | 1 101                             | 1 118                           | 2 527                             | 796      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 65 372                           | 22 295                          | 11 264                                       | 290                                | 8 856                             | 18 783                          | 843                               | 808                             | 1 739                             | 494      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26 100                           | 7 806                           | 4 456  | 153                                | 3 406                             | 8 858                           | 416                               | 191                             | 604                               | 210      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 15 595                           | 3 895                           | 2 329  | 96                                 | 2 398                             | 5 557                           | 218                               | 168                             | 662                               | 272      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 10 129                           | 2 683                           | 1 482  | 76                                 | 1 558                             | 3 456                           | 133                               | 153                             | 433                               | 155      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 7 434                            | 2 025                           | 1 127  | 50                                 | 1 040                             | 2 523                           | 103                               | 95                              | 354                               | 117      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 5 466                            | 1 212                           | 847  | 20                                 | 840                               | 2 101                           | 85                                | 15                              | 229                               | 117      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 33 688                           | 10 186                          | 5 222  | 343                                | 3 980                             | 10 862                          | 746                               | 436                             | 1 272                             | 641      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 29 759                           | 9 252                           | 4 762  | 306                                | 3 553                             | 9 314                           | 655                               | 356                             | 1 028                             | 533      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 24 329                           | 7 735                           | 4 106  | 255                                | 2 746                             | 7 501                           | 552                               | 253                             | 773                               | 408      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 929                            | 934                             | 460  | 37                                 | 427                               | 1 548                           | 91                                | 80                              | 244                               | 108      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 8 673                            | 2 610                           | 1 304  | 71                                 | 1 172                             | 2 665                           | 85                                | 177                             | 353                               | 236      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 6 402                            | 2 002                           | 927  | 61                                 | 907                               | 1 890                           | 54                                | 147                             | 246                               | 168      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 4 746                            | 1 446                           | 707  | 35                                 | 651                               | 1 427                           | 38                                | 91                              | 207                               | 144      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 271                            | 608                             | 377  | 10                                 | 265                               | 775                             | 31                                | 30                              | 107                               | 68       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 5 127                            | 1 287                           | 710  | 26                                 | 673                               | 1 691                           | 138                               | 63                              | 331                               | 208      |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 030                            | 560                             | 273  | 18                                 | 277                               | 635                             | 65                                | 8                               | 88                                | 104      |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 009                            | 240                             | 147  | 6                                  | 138                               | 338                             | 27                                | 27                              | 51                                | 35       |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 2 088                            | 487                             | 290  | 2                                  | 258                               | 718                             | 46                                | 28                              | 192                               | 67       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 71 809                           | 11 666                          | 12 142                                       | 943                                | 6 073                             | 28 227                          | 3 052                             | 934                             | 4 914                             | 3 858    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 60 900                           | 10 199                          | 10 619                                       | 819                                | 5 245                             | 23 847                          | 2 590                             | 739                             | 3 899                             | 2 943    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 49 670                           | 8 490                           | 8 871  | 687                                | 4 242                             | 19 413                          | 2 078                             | 573                             | 3 011                             | 2 305    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 10 909                           | 1 467                           | 1 523  | 124                                | 828                               | 4 380                           | 462                               | 195                             | 1 015                             | 915      |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 20 927                           | 2 951                           | 1 934  | 190                                | 2 896                             | 6 725                           | 629                               | 870                             | 3 040                             | 1 692    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 14 444                           | 2 122                           | 1 410  | 126                                | 2 107                             | 4 510                           | 379                               | 604                             | 2 075                             | 1 111    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 10 877                           | 1 566                           | 1 060  | 101                                | 1 574                             | 3 486                           | 286                               | 391                             | 1 609                             | 804      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 6 483                            | 829                             | 524  | 64                                 | 789                               | 2 215                           | 250                               | 266                             | 965                               | 581      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 36 695                           | 2 161                           | 2 187  | 538                                | 2 189                             | 10 093                          | 2 487                             | 1 147                           | 6 932                             | 8 961    |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                   |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                   |          |
| TOTAL   | \$20 021                         | \$28 037                        | \$21 902                                     | \$15 706                           | \$21 671                          | \$17 351                        | \$12 858                          | \$16 704                        | \$12 030                          | \$7 091  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$25 964                         | \$30 829                        | \$25 586                                     | \$22 819                           | \$25 566                          | \$22 208                        | \$21 038                          | \$27 389                        | \$22 538                          | \$19 117 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$27 521                         | \$32 285                        | \$27 065                                     | \$25 338                           | \$26 816                          | \$23 608                        | \$21 923                          | \$30 124                        | \$24 882                          | \$21 550 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$28 661                         | \$33 208                        | \$28 043                                     | \$26 856                           | \$27 897                          | \$24 754                        | \$23 211                          | \$30 882                        | \$26 489                          | \$23 719 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$30 521                         | \$34 700                        | \$29 758                                     | \$29 212                           | \$29 842                          | \$26 891                        | \$24 537                          | \$31 605                        | \$27 826                          | \$25 158 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$31 341                         | \$35 510                        | \$30 796                                     | \$26 936                           | \$30 698                          | \$27 851                        | \$25 087                          | \$31 660                        | \$27 626                          | \$25 708 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$21 948                         | \$26 964                        | \$22 141                                     | \$20 144                           | \$20 529                          | \$18 172                        | \$19 702                          | \$26 654                        | \$20 895                          | \$18 263 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$18 728                         | \$22 698                        | \$18 744                                     | \$16 023                           | \$19 466                          | \$16 153                        | \$12 956                          | \$24 217                        | \$17 282                          | \$13 530 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$21 023                         | \$23 879                        | \$20 860                                     | \$15 940                           | \$21 349                          | \$19 014                        | \$16 452                          | \$25 101                        | \$20 861                          | \$17 480 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$21 247                         | \$23 357                        | \$21 132                                     | \$13 751                           | \$21 798                          | \$19 632                        | \$17 449                          | \$20 385                        | \$21 055                          | \$20 045 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 475                         | \$20 082                        | \$15 042                                     | \$16 340                           | \$15 974                          | \$11 447                        | \$7 485                           | \$15 191                        | \$10 515                          | \$8 297  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$22 151                         | \$27 326                        | \$21 893                                     | \$19 542                           | \$21 774                          | \$18 514                        | \$19 553                          | \$23 184                        | \$18 675                          | \$16 599 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 294                         | \$28 449                        | \$22 736                                     | \$20 805                           | \$22 571                          | \$19 563                        | \$20 447                          | \$25 425                        | \$20 360                          | \$17 981 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$23 864                         | \$29 242                        | \$23 312                                     | \$21 017                           | \$22 670                          | \$20 110                        | \$20 382                          | \$26 003                        | \$19 990                          | \$17 030 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 493                         | \$16 207                        | \$13 164                                     | \$9 095                            | \$15 140                          | \$12 200                        | \$13 123                          | \$13 214                        | \$11 580                          | \$9 778  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$21 309                         | \$23 958                        | \$20 233                                     | \$18 321                           | \$22 117                          | \$19 710                        | \$29 707                          | \$21 587                        | \$17 202                          | \$15 806 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$23 180                         | \$25 589                        | \$22 502                                     | \$20 160                           | \$22 407                          | \$21 959                        | \$39 475                          | \$22 761                        | \$19 581                          | \$17 644 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$23 407                         | \$25 549                        | \$22 369                                     | \$14 803                           | \$22 453                          | \$22 761                        | \$45 028                          | \$24 774                        | \$20 517                          | \$17 389 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$16 033                         | \$18 589                        | \$14 655                                     | \$7 100                            | \$21 125                          | \$14 225                        | \$12 693                          | \$15 834                        | \$11 733                          | \$11 264 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$17 646                         | \$22 266                        | \$16 494                                     | \$11 991                           | \$19 223                          | \$15 343                        | \$12 600                          | \$8 669                         | \$16 204                          | \$15 686 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 244                         | \$25 561                        | \$19 301                                     | \$8 149                            | \$28 400                          | \$18 377                        | \$19 842                          | \$2 408                         | \$28 814                          | \$19 285 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$11 327                         | \$18 130                        | \$11 512                                     | \$24 035                           | \$8 894                           | \$9 303                         | \$5 105                           | \$7 847                         | \$6 022                           | \$6 080  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$16 230                         | \$20 516                        | \$16 377                                     | \$10 430                           | \$14 894                          | \$15 502                        | \$6 765                           | \$11 251                        | \$13 129                          | \$15 010 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$17 144                         | \$22 681                        | \$18 482                                     | \$16 218                           | \$17 080                          | \$15 195                        | \$16 180                          | \$15 888                        | \$15 923                          | \$13 401 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$18 457                         | \$23 729                        | \$19 705                                     | \$17 219                           | \$18 385                          | \$16 433                        | \$17 309                          | \$17 176                        | \$17 482                          | \$15 167 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$18 851                         | \$24 187                        | \$20 376                                     | \$17 947                           | \$18 680                          | \$16 705                        | \$17 630                          | \$16 832                        | \$17 588                          | \$15 231 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 816                          | \$15 389                        | \$9 957                                      | \$9 606                            | \$8 815                           | \$8 450                         | \$9 850                           | \$11 005                        | \$9 933                           | \$7 720  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$10 402                         | \$12 976                        | \$10 143                                     | \$11 231                           | \$13 931                          | \$9 110                         | \$7 158                           | \$11 234                        | \$9 655                           | \$7 329  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$12 510                         | \$15 221                        | \$11 511                                     | \$16 109                           | \$15 926                          | \$10 956                        | \$8 695                           | \$12 923                        | \$11 558                          | \$8 358  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$12 624                         | \$15 948                        | \$11 714                                     | \$16 604                           | \$15 072                          | \$11 449                        | \$9 039                           | \$13 472                        | \$12 523                          | \$8 224  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$6 150                          | \$7 230                         | \$6 462                                      | \$1 627                            | \$8 602                           | \$5 392                         | \$4 827                           | \$7 398                         | \$5 562                           | \$5 362  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 438                          | \$2 002                         | \$1 821                                      | \$1 512                            | \$1 001                           | \$1 488                         | \$1 330                           | \$1 459                         | \$1 599                           | \$1 158  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                   |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                   |          |
| TOTAL   | 29.6                             | 32.9                            | 26.1   | 18.8                               | 35.6                              | 27.0                            | 18.1                              | 35.7                            | 25.8                              | 19.5     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 35.2                             | 36.6                            | 32.5   | 26.6                               | 38.8                              | 33.8                            | 29.6                              | 37.5                            | 32.2                              | 30.3     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 37.4                             | 38.8                            | 34.7   | 30.1                               | 40.5                              | 36.0                            | 33.1                              | 41.4                            | 33.9                              | 32.3     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 36.4                             | 37.9                            | 33.6   | 28.2                               | 39.4                              | 34.9                            | 31.7                              | 39.4                            | 33.0                              | 30.3     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 38.9                             | 40.2                            | 36.5   | 31.0                               | 41.7                              | 37.8                            | 35.6                              | 41.2                            | 35.7                              | 32.9     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 39.0                             | 40.2                            | 36.5   | 34.2                               | 41.7                              | 38.0                            | 36.6                              | 41.3                            | 35.8                              | 32.0     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 23.4                             | 25.7                            | 19.9   | 16.5                               | 27.2                              | 21.7                            | 18.9                              | 27.2                            | 17.7                              | 17.2     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 49.4                             | 52.2                            | 48.5   | 49.2                               | 50.5                              | 47.2                            | 49.7                              | 60.9                            | 40.8                              | 45.2     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 54.6                             | 57.3                            | 55.0   | 50.9                               | 56.6                              | 52.3                            | 54.6                              | 63.1                            | 42.6                              | 47.9     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 55.0                             | 57.9                            | 54.6   | 59.1                               | 56.8                              | 53.3                            | 51.8                              | 58.0                            | 44.8                              | 45.8     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 35.4                             | 39.0                            | 33.0   | 42.9                               | 35.3                              | 33.3                            | 32.7                              | 23.8                            | 33.9                              | 37.7     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 21.9                             | 23.0                            | 18.9   | 15.5                               | 26.7                              | 20.1                            | 17.5                              | 16.5                            | 20.6                              | 19.8     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 21.1                             | 23.0                            | 17.8   | 14.6                               | 26.2                              | 19.1                            | 16.7                              | 14.9                            | 19.4                              | 18.4     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 20.5                             | 22.3                            | 17.7   | 13.9                               | 26.0                              | 18.5                            | 16.9                              | 14.4                            | 18.2                              | 19.2     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 32.9                             | 36.1                            | 38.6   | 31.6                               | 33.4                              | 29.5                            | 26.2                              | 30.3                            | 29.6                              | 32.8     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 45.9                             | 46.6                            | 43.8   | 36.3                               | 46.9                              | 45.1                            | 48.2                              | 49.2                            | 46.0                              | 49.7     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.0                             | 48.8                            | 45.6   | 36.6                               | 52.1                              | 49.1                            | 43.3                              | 50.0                            | 51.8                              | 57.1     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 50.3                             | 50.9                            | 46.0   | 51.0                               | 53.0                              | 49.7                            | 45.1                              | 51.0                            | 53.4                              | 56.2     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 33.1                             | 36.5                            | 36.9   | 30.8                               | 28.1                              | 30.1                            | 75.2                              | 43.5                            | 23.7                              | 21.1     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 33.1                             | 31.0                            | 31.5   | 32.8                               | 37.8                              | 34.2                            | 29.4                              | 31.0                            | 36.9                              | 25.1     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 34.0                             | 35.6                            | 31.2   | 37.0                               | 32.0                              | 34.6                            | 29.5                              | 38.9                            | 45.1                              | 20.9     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.0                             | 29.7                            | 19.1   | 7.9                                | 52.1                              | 34.1                            | 30.7                              | 33.3                            | 33.6                              | 21.6     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 32.8                             | 26.8                            | 36.1   | 34.9                               | 44.8                              | 33.7                            | 28.3                              | 25.8                            | 28.9                              | 34.4     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 79.5                             | 86.9                            | 78.6   | 66.1                               | 79.5                              | 78.4                            | 76.1                              | 83.6                            | 75.7                              | 73.3     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 81.6                             | 88.1                            | 79.4   | 64.4                               | 79.5                              | 81.6                            | 78.8                              | 88.3                            | 77.4                              | 80.      |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

C DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.

| WEST REGION                                       | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                 |  |                          |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL           | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | 114 222                          | 15 571                          | 14 484   | 1 161                              | 8 554                           | 41 700   | 6 089                             | 1 560                           | 8 836  | 16 267                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 57 283                           | 11 164                          | 8 621  | 438                                | 5 840                           | 22 210   | 1 916                             | 801                             | 3 275  | 3 018                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 40 753                           | 8 026                           | 6 166  | 274                                | 4 404                           | 15 697   | 1 449                             | 564                             | 2 209  | 1 964                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 32 653                           | 6 709                           | 5 264  | 229                                | 3 566                           | 12 469   | 1 186                             | 410                             | 1 544  | 1 276                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 22 758                           | 4 977                           | 3 756  | 155                                | 2 548                           | 8 432  | 754                               | 316                             | 1 027  | 793                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 16 323                           | 3 662                           | 2 814  | 105                                | 1 746                           | 6 095  | 510                               | 185                             | 760  | 446                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 9 895                            | 1 732                           | 1 508  | 74                                 | 1 018                           | 4 037  | 432                               | 94                              | 517  | 483                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 8 100                            | 1 317                           | 902  | 45                                 | 838                             | 3 228  | 263                               | 154                             | 665  | 688                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 3 951                            | 700                             | 466  | 32                                 | 458                             | 1 481  | 92                                | 93                              | 353  | 276                      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 2 989                            | 502                             | 365  | 26                                 | 355                             | 1 127  | 69                                | 62                              | 256  | 227                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 149                            | 617                             | 436  | 13                                 | 380                             | 1 747  | 171                               | 61                              | 312  | 412                      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 12 797                           | 2 443                           | 2 095  | 129                                | 1 026                           | 5 121  | 363                               | 177                             | 779  | 664                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 10 198                           | 2 134                           | 1 797  | 105                                | 884                             | 3 986  | 264                               | 126                             | 522  | 380                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 8 300                            | 1 840                           | 1 561  | 102                                | 701                             | 3 098  | 187                               | 102                             | 426  | 283                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 2 599                            | 309                             | 298  | 24                                 | 142                             | 1 135  | 99                                | 51                              | 257  | 284                      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 2 072                            | 435                             | 231  | 20                                 | 289                             | 702  | 68                                | 47                              | 136  | 144                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 313                            | 303                             | 164  | 7                                  | 209                             | 435  | 31                                | 33                              | 57   | 74                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 922                              | 217                             | 133  | 7                                  | 128                             | 297  | 26                                | 19                              | 38   | 57                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 759                              | 132                             | 67   | 13                                 | 80                              | 267  | 37                                | 14                              | 79   | 70                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 661                            | 260                             | 129  | 15                                 | 121                             | 690  | 36                                | 13                              | 151  | 246                      |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 551                              | 113                             | 43   | -                                  | 39                              | 243  | -                                 | 4                               | 37   | 72                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 466                              | 64                              | 34   | 5                                  | 17                              | 181  | 13                                | 1                               | 50   | 101                      |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 644                              | 83                              | 52   | 10                                 | 65                              | 266  | 23                                | 8                               | 64   | 73                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 36 950                           | 3 401                           | 4 783  | 536                                | 1 807                           | 14 791   | 2 689                             | 277                             | 2 946  | 5 720                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 27 843                           | 2 856                           | 3 938  | 387                                | 1 493                           | 11 367   | 1 877                             | 171                             | 1 989  | 3 765                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 22 202                           | 2 430                           | 3 222  | 301                                | 1 186                           | 8 965  | 1 483                             | 122                             | 1 596  | 2 897                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 9 107                            | 545                             | 845  | 149                                | 314                             | 3 424  | 812                               | 106                             | 957  | 1 955                    |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 5 789                            | 528                             | 423  | 43                                 | 474                             | 1 707  | 357                               | 240                             | 840  | 1 177                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 3 613                            | 340                             | 298  | 32                                 | 349                             | 1 058  | 169                               | 170                             | 340  | 657                      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 2 851                            | 253                             | 247  | 25                                 | 263                             | 865  | 132                               | 122                             | 441  | 523                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 176                            | 188                             | 125  | 11                                 | 125                             | 649  | 188                               | 70                              | 300  | 520                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 14 200                           | 478                             | 657  | 144                                | 433                             | 2 992  | 1 127                             | 242                             | 1 775  | 6 352                    |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | \$17 456                         | \$24 306                        | \$20 939                                       | \$15 817                           | \$20 607                        | \$17 498                                       | \$12 124                          | \$17 043                        | \$14 760                                       | \$9 646                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$22 678                         | \$26 910                        | \$24 283                                       | \$22 072                           | \$23 509                        | \$20 885                                       | \$17 675                          | \$23 828                        | \$21 124                                       | \$18 664                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$23 795                         | \$28 136                        | \$25 255                                       | \$23 073                           | \$24 655                        | \$21 973                                       | \$18 527                          | \$24 630                        | \$22 654                                       | \$19 137                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$25 723                         | \$30 055                        | \$26 954                                       | \$23 007                           | \$26 704                        | \$23 692                                       | \$20 010                          | \$27 408                        | \$24 741                                       | \$21 422                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 633                         | \$31 962                        | \$28 987                                       | \$26 329                           | \$28 553                        | \$25 432                                       | \$21 325                          | \$28 597                        | \$25 935                                       | \$22 568                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$28 193                         | \$32 185                        | \$29 330                                       | \$27 928                           | \$28 983                        | \$26 238                                       | \$22 452                          | \$31 223                        | \$25 848                                       | \$21 216                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$21 331                         | \$24 575                        | \$21 891                                       | \$16 049                           | \$22 076                        | \$20 058                                       | \$17 716                          | \$23 410                        | \$22 369                                       | \$19 560                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$16 021                         | \$18 358                        | \$15 341                                       | \$23 049                           | \$15 935                        | \$15 330                                       | \$11 837                          | \$17 233                        | \$17 808                                       | \$14 899                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 791                         | \$20 250                        | \$17 745                                       | \$27 173                           | \$18 845                        | \$17 940                                       | \$13 177                          | \$21 678                        | \$22 795                                       | \$16 144                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 099                         | \$21 062                        | \$17 830                                       | \$25 182                           | \$19 745                        | \$18 595                                       | \$14 173                          | \$20 643                        | \$21 866                                       | \$15 546                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 382                         | \$16 211                        | \$12 772                                       | \$14 132                           | \$12 427                        | \$13 118                                       | \$11 116                          | \$10 457                        | \$12 166                                       | \$14 065                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$20 922                         | \$24 904                        | \$22 443                                       | \$20 905                           | \$21 610                        | \$19 168                                       | \$15 809                          | \$24 095                        | \$18 838                                       | \$18 339                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 076                         | \$26 231                        | \$23 968                                       | \$23 614                           | \$23 008                        | \$21 400                                       | \$17 566                          | \$31 455                        | \$21 553                                       | \$21 874                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$23 794                         | \$27 190                        | \$24 178                                       | \$23 191                           | \$24 179                        | \$22 115                                       | \$17 481                          | \$27 700                        | \$22 328                                       | \$22 197                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$12 471                         | \$15 741                        | \$13 248                                       | \$9 053                            | \$12 910                        | \$11 329                                       | \$11 125                          | \$5 911                         | \$13 323                                       | \$13 611                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$18 113                         | \$22 169                        | \$20 606                                       | \$24 890                           | \$16 113                        | \$15 909                                       | \$12 196                          | \$17 377                        | \$20 213                                       | \$16 735                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 678                         | \$24 254                        | \$22 643                                       | \$33 939                           | \$16 132                        | \$17 192                                       | \$15 911                          | \$19 728                        | \$21 898                                       | \$15 607                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 406                         | \$24 096                        | \$23 260                                       | \$33 939                           | \$15 079                        | \$18 271                                       | \$16 646                          | \$22 434                        | \$25 289                                       | \$16 458                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 406                         | \$17 381                        | \$15 620                                       | \$9 248                            | \$16 063                        | \$13 819                                       | \$9 084                           | \$11 834                        | \$18 997                                       | \$17 926                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$14 491                         | \$15 872                        | \$14 295                                       | \$10 077                           | \$15 579                        | \$13 950                                       | \$12 520                          | \$8 747                         | \$11 365                                       | \$16 893                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 312                         | \$17 645                        | \$27 365                                       | -                                  | \$20 248                        | \$17 941                                       | -                                 | \$15 010                        | \$11 579                                       | \$17 800                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 958                          | \$6 884                         | \$4 538  | \$13 970                           | \$11 500                        | \$8 636  | \$23 526                          | \$7 820                         | \$8 957  | \$9 796                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 225                         | \$20 389                        | \$9 866  | \$8 131                            | \$13 845                        | \$13 920                                       | \$6 299                           | \$5 731                         | \$13 123                                       | \$25 818                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$16 601                         | \$21 088                        | \$18 661                                       | \$14 759                           | \$18 272                        | \$16 645                                       | \$13 296                          | \$13 752                        | \$17 048                                       | \$13 203                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$18 750                         | \$23 446                        | \$20 829                                       | \$18 126                           | \$19 879                        | \$18 878                                       | \$14 966                          | \$15 671                        | \$19 501                                       | \$13 973                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$19 152                         | \$24 392                        | \$20 855                                       | \$18 120                           | \$19 417                        | \$19 404                                       | \$14 846                          | \$16 212                        | \$20 108                                       | \$13 887                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 032                         | \$8 736                         | \$9 021  | \$5 997                            | \$10 629                        | \$9 233  | \$9 433                           | \$10 656                        | \$11 949                                       | \$11 720                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 136                          | \$11 556                        | \$10 021                                       | \$6 354                            | \$10 824                        | \$8 612  | \$7 059                           | \$12 150                        | \$9 387  | \$7 751                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$11 637                         | \$15 213                        | \$12 379                                       | \$8 370                            | \$12 388                        | \$11 338                                       | \$9 543                           | \$13 962                        | \$11 977                                       | \$9 349                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$12 084                         | \$17 337                        | \$10 854                                       | \$8 508                            | \$13 571                        | \$11 818                                       | \$9 047                           | \$17 127                        | \$12 803                                       | \$9 170                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 984                          | \$4 942                         | \$4 400  | \$4 887                            | \$6 458                         | \$4 169  | \$4 827                           | \$7 749                         | \$4 725  | \$5 730                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 005                          | \$473                           | \$661  | \$3 570                            | \$1 928                         | \$1 645  | \$1 495                           | \$3 203                         | \$1 763  | \$2 511                  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | 21.7                             | 27.5                            | 20.7   | 15.6                               | 29.2                            | 19.9   | 15.8                              | 31.8                            | 20.3   | 12.9                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 30.0                             | 32.7                            | 28.1   | 27.5                               | 34.3                            | 28.8   | 29.2                              | 34.0                            | 27.4   | 25.8                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 33.3                             | 36.4                            | 31.7   | 32.4                               | 37.1                            | 32.1   | 31.4                              | 38.0                            | 29.3   | 27.8                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 32.3                             | 35.3                            | 30.9   | 31.5                               | 35.9                            | 31.1   | 31.0                              | 34.2                            | 26.8   | 26.7                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.9                             | 38.7                            | 35.9   | 35.0                               | 40.1                            | 35.9   | 37.0                              | 37.3                            | 32.6   | 33.2                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.2                             | 39.2                            | 35.3   | 39.3                               | 39.7                            | 36.6   | 38.9                              | 31.8                            | 33.8   | 33.0                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 18.4                             | 22.5                            | 14.3   | 19.6                               | 22.1                            | 18.1   | 18.2                              | 21.3                            | 13.4   | 14.3                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 40.1                             | 45.5                            | 40.8   | 36.7                               | 45.4                            | 38.0   | 34.3                              | 54.5                            | 37.4   | 30.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.0                             | 51.4                            | 51.0   | 37.6                               | 51.7                            | 48.8   | 49.4                              | 59.0                            | 42.6   | 43.1                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 50.8                             | 53.5                            | 51.8   | 42.0                               | 52.7                            | 51.1   | 43.3                              | 65.8                            | 45.1   | 42.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.1                             | 37.2                            | 25.6   | 32.6                               | 33.9                            | 25.5   | 24.6                              | 40.2                            | 26.5   | 21.0                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.2                             | 17.2                            | 15.0   | 17.2                               | 16.4                            | 15.4   | 17.3                              | 19.0                            | 17.0   | 18.2                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 14.9                             | 16.3                            | 14.1   | 14.1                               | 15.5                            | 14.3   | 16.5                              | 18.2                            | 14.1   | 14.6                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 14.3                             | 15.0                            | 13.5   | 14.8                               | 14.6                            | 13.8   | 15.8                              | 21.1                            | 13.9   | 14.1                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 25.3                             | 28.7                            | 24.6   | 51.5                               | 26.6                            | 23.3   | 20.6                              | 29.2                            | 26.8   | 25.9                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 46.1                             | 48.5                            | 42.7   | 22.0                               | 57.9                            | 44.3   | 48.8                              | 42.1                            | 42.9   | 38.1                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 53.4                             | 54.0                            | 48.8   | 16.2                               | 61.9                            | 52.3   | 69.3                              | 47.0                            | 55.2   | 54.2                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 54.1                             | 54.1                            | 48.7   | 16.2                               | 67.8                            | 54.5   | 69.9                              | 38.0                            | 55.3   | 54.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.0                             | 31.0                            | 20.9   | 40.3                               | 47.4                            | 28.0   | 18.7                              | 22.7                            | 32.7   | 23.2                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 26.9                             | 23.7                            | 23.7   | 23.5                               | 26.7                            | 29.2   | 17.5                              | 37.2                            | 34.3   | 24.0                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 30.7                             | 27.1                            | 24.4   | -                                  | 30.1                            | 34.5   | -                                 | 53.3                            | 33.2   | 28.0                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 24.6                             | 12.8                            | 18.4   | 14.1                               | 4.5                             | 24.6   | 8.3                               | 52.5                            | 48.8   | 29.6                     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 23.9                             | 22.5                            | 23.5   | 31.5                               | 28.5                            | 25.0   | 37.1                              | 13.5                            | 27.1   | 18.4                     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 74.5                             | 89.7                            | 75.8   | 74.2                               | 83.6                            | 76.7   | 62.1                              | 67.7                            | 78.3   | 57.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 77.3                             | 91.0                            | 75.4   | 73.7                               | 86.4                            | 77.1   | 61.1                              | 69.9                            | 84.5   | 60.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 78.0                             | 89.8                            | 83.9   | 66.8                               | 86.6                            | 77.1   | 62.1                              | 69.0                            | 83.1   | 62.7                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 63.9                             | 82.6                            | 78.7   | 100.0                              | 68.1                            | 74.9   | 63.8                              | 57.8                            | 50.1   | 51.9                     |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.

| WEST REGION  | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| <b>ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER</b>                    |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 405 651                          | 143 624                         | 56 780                                       | 7 078                               | 28 602                          | 97 502                                       | 18 416                              | 4 326                           | 15 186                                       | 34 137                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 245 720                          | 103 525                         | 34 321                                       | 3 108                               | 20 347                          | 57 761                                       | 7 204                               | 2 084                           | 6 502  | 10 868                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 182 273                          | 78 148                          | 25 026                                       | 2 302                               | 15 691                          | 42 325                                       | 5 158                               | 1 524                           | 4 351  | 7 748                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 145 291                          | 72 525                          | 22 788                                       | 1 988                               | 14 291                          | 38 159                                       | 4 389                               | 1 241                           | 3 615  | 6 295                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 136 723                          | 60 327                          | 18 522                                       | 1 500                               | 12 275                          | 31 629                                       | 3 464                               | 958                             | 3 044  | 5 004                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 99 046                           | 43 719                          | 13 807                                       | 977                                 | 8 962                           | 23 700                                       | 2 081                               | 632                             | 2 091  | 3 077                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 28 568                           | 12 198                          | 4 266  | 488                                 | 2 016                           | 6 530  | 925                                 | 283                             | 571  | 1 291                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 16 982                           | 5 623                           | 2 238  | 314                                 | 1 400                           | 4 166  | 769                                 | 283                             | 736  | 1 453                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 9 818                            | 3 382                           | 1 314  | 128                                 | 912                             | 2 393  | 289                                 | 226                             | 459  | 715                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 6 656                            | 2 341                           | 936  | 64                                  | 565                             | 1 726  | 174                                 | 73                              | 347  | 430                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 7 164                            | 2 241                           | 924  | 186                                 | 488                             | 1 773  | 480                                 | 57                              | 277  | 738                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 46 248                           | 19 488                          | 7 132  | 543                                 | 3 380                           | 11 284                                       | 1 371                               | 210                             | 1 179  | 1 659                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 42 670                           | 18 336                          | 6 608  | 505                                 | 3 117                           | 10 436                                       | 1 127                               | 178                             | 988  | 1 375                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 35 900                           | 15 803                          | 5 761  | 384                                 | 2 556                           | 8 430  | 928                                 | 140                             | 780  | 918                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 3 578                            | 1 152                           | 524  | 38                                  | 263                             | 850  | 244                                 | 32                              | 191  | 284                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 10 390                           | 3 482                           | 1 272  | 155                                 | 866                             | 2 625  | 377                                 | 235                             | 637  | 741                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 8 324                            | 2 790                           | 1 017  | 118                                 | 679                             | 2 092  | 287                                 | 199                             | 568  | 574                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 6 046                            | 2 065                           | 758  | 61                                  | 496                             | 1 589  | 184                                 | 137                             | 438  | 318                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 2 066                            | 692                             | 255  | 37                                  | 187                             | 533  | 90                                  | 36                              | 69   | 167                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 6 809                            | 2 407                           | 891  | 108                                 | 410                             | 1 525  | 298                                 | 115                             | 335  | 720                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 3 195                            | 1 179                           | 383  | 40                                  | 229                             | 705  | 139                                 | 31                              | 164  | 325                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 1 459                            | 460                             | 176  | 44                                  | 66                              | 333  | 77                                  | 55                              | 59   | 189                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 2 155                            | 768                             | 332  | 24                                  | 115                             | 487  | 82                                  | 29                              | 112  | 206                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | 102 305                          | 33 067                          | 17 775                                       | 2 451                               | 5 454                           | 26 424                                       | 5 622                               | 710                             | 3 455  | 7 347                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 88 896                           | 30 416                          | 15 828                                       | 2 092                               | 4 808                           | 22 817                                       | 4 511                               | 559                             | 2 629  | 5 236                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 72 628                           | 25 633                          | 13 221                                       | 1 591                               | 3 929                           | 18 290                                       | 3 529                               | 385                             | 2 057  | 3 993                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 13 409                           | 2 651                           | 1 947  | 359                                 | 646                             | 3 607  | 1 111                               | 151                             | 826  | 2 111                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | 20 415                           | 3 251                           | 1 609  | 289                                 | 1 662                           | 5 322  | 1 326                               | 956                             | 2 172  | 3 828                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 15 390                           | 2 373                           | 1 100  | 214                                 | 1 348                           | 4 189  | 955                                 | 764                             | 1 709  | 2 738                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 11 418                           | 1 772                           | 775  | 168                                 | 1 051                           | 3 195  | 636                                 | 575                             | 1 281  | 1 965                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 5 025                            | 878                             | 509  | 75                                  | 314                             | 1 133  | 371                                 | 192                             | 463  | 1 090                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979                | 37 211                           | 3 781                           | 3 075  | 1 230                               | 1 139                           | 7 995  | 4 264                               | 576                             | 3 057  | 12 094                              |
| <b>MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS</b>                          |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$24 937                         | \$30 662                        | \$25 977                                     | \$19 547                            | \$25 335                        | \$23 151                                     | \$17 190                            | \$17 737                        | \$17 456                                     | \$13 424                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | \$29 817                         | \$32 888                        | \$29 417                                     | \$25 485                            | \$28 667                        | \$27 890                                     | \$24 191                            | \$24 312                        | \$25 928                                     | \$22 568                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | \$31 062                         | \$33 915                        | \$30 315                                     | \$26 979                            | \$29 691                        | \$29 430                                     | \$25 166                            | \$26 047                        | \$28 032                                     | \$24 221                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$32 297                         | \$34 866                        | \$31 543                                     | \$28 786                            | \$30 667                        | \$30 574                                     | \$27 108                            | \$27 880                        | \$30 105                                     | \$26 418                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$33 731                         | \$36 122                        | \$33 059                                     | \$30 215                            | \$31 992                        | \$32 167                                     | \$28 913                            | \$29 650                        | \$31 904                                     | \$27 820                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | \$34 836                         | \$37 119                        | \$34 318                                     | \$32 056                            | \$32 759                        | \$33 459                                     | \$28 885                            | \$31 263                        | \$32 375                                     | \$28 687                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$25 433                         | \$28 654                        | \$24 960                                     | \$24 391                            | \$22 605                        | \$22 860                                     | \$20 348                            | \$21 888                        | \$20 517                                     | \$20 987                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$19 047                         | \$21 649                        | \$17 813                                     | \$15 542                            | \$19 727                        | \$18 951                                     | \$14 082                            | \$18 010                        | \$17 846                                     | \$14 698                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$21 992                         | \$24 011                        | \$20 605                                     | \$18 772                            | \$22 432                        | \$22 559                                     | \$20 174                            | \$18 909                        | \$19 796                                     | \$16 900                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$22 618                         | \$23 945                        | \$21 302                                     | \$18 434                            | \$22 861                        | \$23 528                                     | \$22 049                            | \$16 918                        | \$20 961                                     | \$17 443                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$15 012                         | \$18 084                        | \$13 841                                     | \$13 320                            | \$14 672                        | \$14 352                                     | \$10 415                            | \$14 445                        | \$14 616                                     | \$12 565                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | \$27 865                         | \$31 362                        | \$28 131                                     | \$22 016                            | \$25 948                        | \$24 900                                     | \$22 791                            | \$20 237                        | \$23 339                                     | \$20 008                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 884                         | \$32 340                        | \$29 027                                     | \$22 654                            | \$26 894                        | \$25 631                                     | \$24 878                            | \$20 592                        | \$24 368                                     | \$21 209                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$29 584                         | \$32 797                        | \$29 710                                     | \$23 203                            | \$27 638                        | \$26 230                                     | \$25 596                            | \$21 156                        | \$24 916                                     | \$22 395                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 708                         | \$15 799                        | \$16 824                                     | \$13 536                            | \$14 735                        | \$15 920                                     | \$13 590                            | \$18 260                        | \$18 019                                     | \$14 197                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | \$23 390                         | \$25 452                        | \$24 085                                     | \$21 484                            | \$25 497                        | \$21 652                                     | \$22 190                            | \$21 539                        | \$21 922                                     | \$19 062                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$25 249                         | \$27 645                        | \$26 123                                     | \$25 409                            | \$27 216                        | \$23 092                                     | \$24 599                            | \$23 356                        | \$23 021                                     | \$20 738                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$26 110                         | \$28 664                        | \$27 532                                     | \$27 583                            | \$26 985                        | \$23 475                                     | \$25 871                            | \$25 474                        | \$23 456                                     | \$21 719                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$15 901                         | \$16 608                        | \$15 959                                     | \$8 968                             | \$19 252                        | \$16 000                                     | \$14 507                            | \$11 492                        | \$12 880                                     | \$13 301                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | \$19 544                         | \$22 652                        | \$22 111                                     | \$16 811                            | \$18 564                        | \$18 029                                     | \$16 287                            | \$14 433                        | \$15 328                                     | \$14 285                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$24 240                         | \$29 039                        | \$27 939                                     | \$16 860                            | \$20 311                        | \$22 415                                     | \$16 022                            | \$21 774                        | \$17 149                                     | \$17 433                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$12 054                         | \$11 770                        | \$17 707                                     | \$13 326                            | \$9 126                         | \$12 604                                     | \$10 183                            | \$10 229                        | \$7 873                                      | \$9 836                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | \$17 654                         | \$19 364                        | \$17 722                                     | \$23 118                            | \$20 502                        | \$15 388                                     | \$22 470                            | \$14 559                        | \$16 588                                     | \$13 401                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                    | \$23 262                         | \$28 543                        | \$24 757                                     | \$20 949                            | \$20 316                        | \$20 495                                     | \$19 007                            | \$16 058                        | \$15 722                                     | \$16 287                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 130                         | \$29 941                        | \$26 337                                     | \$22 575                            | \$21 495                        | \$22 020                                     | \$21 268                            | \$18 411                        | \$17 860                                     | \$19 073                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 877                         | \$12 500                        | \$11 748                                     | \$11 473                            | \$11 541                        | \$10 831                                     | \$22 147                            | \$19 971                        | \$18 235                                     | \$19 434                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 328                         | \$13 880                        | \$10 968                                     | \$12 422                            | \$15 855                        | \$13 800                                     | \$12 348                            | \$7 349                         | \$8 918                                      | \$9 378                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                    | \$14 982                         | \$15 956                        | \$13 528                                     | \$13 487                            | \$17 849                        | \$15 292                                     | \$13 830                            | \$13 879                        | \$13 593                                     | \$12 217                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | \$15 446                         | \$16 293                        | \$14 210                                     | \$12 690                            | \$18 711                        | \$15 947                                     | \$13 642                            | \$14 711                        | \$14 708                                     | \$13 602                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | \$8 261                          | \$8 293                         | \$5 438                                      | \$9 383                             | \$7 293                         | \$8 283                                      | \$8 531                             | \$10 566                        | \$9 478                                      | \$8 736                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | \$3 687                          | \$2 673                         | \$2 490                                      | \$3 422                             | \$3 674                         | \$3 917                                      | \$4 472                             | \$2 422                         | \$4 142                                      | \$3 851                             |
| <b>WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS</b> |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 24.8                             | 27.0                            | 20.2   | 16.1                                | 31.5                            | 23.2   | 17.4                                | 38.6                            | 27.3   | 20.2                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                      | 31.8                             | 33.8                            | 28.3   | 25.5                                | 35.7                            | 29.6   | 26.2                                | 38.8                            | 31.3   | 27.7                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME            | 34.5                             | 36.9                            | 31.4   | 27.1                                | 38.0                            | 32.0   | 28.5                                | 38.2                            | 30.6   | 29.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 33.9                             | 36.3                            | 30.8   | 26.0                                | 37.5                            | 31.6   | 27.8                                | 36.6                            | 29.3   | 28.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 36.0                             | 38.5                            | 33.1   | 28.8                                | 38.9                            | 33.6   | 29.7                                | 39.0                            | 30.5   | 29.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS               | 36.1                             | 38.6                            | 33.3   | 28.6                                | 39.2                            | 33.4   | 31.5                                | 38.5                            | 30.3   | 29.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 20.7                             | 22.8                            | 17.6   | 15.6                                | 25.1                            | 17.8   | 17.8                                | 25.3                            | 19.6   | 18.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 43.5                             | 48.7                            | 41.4   | 39.6                                | 45.9                            | 38.9   | 35.7                                | 49.4                            | 41.1   | 36.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 48.8                             | 54.4                            | 46.1   | 45.9                                | 48.6                            | 44.0   | 43.8                                | 53.4                            | 45.2   | 42.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 50.2                             | 57.3                            | 47.2   | 54.8                                | 50.9                            | 44.0   | 44.9                                | 67.0                            | 42.6   | 42.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 33.0                             | 37.4                            | 31.4   | 33.5                                | 37.9                            | 28.2   | 26.4                                | 28.6                            | 31.9   | 29.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME     | 17.9                             | 18.9                            | 15.5   | 15.2                                | 21.6                            | 16.6   | 14.8                                | 25.4                            | 19.3   | 18.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 17.5                             | 18.5                            | 14.9   | 14.9                                | 21.3                            | 16.2   | 14.4                                | 23.8                            | 19.6   | 16.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 17.2                             | 18.2                            | 14.7   | 15.8                                | 21.1                            | 15.9   | 13.7                                | 23.3                            | 18.6   | 16.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.4                             | 31.7                            | 28.0   | 21.9                                | 27.6                            | 25.0   | 18.3                                | 35.3                            | 17.2   | 30.0                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME     | 44.2                             | 45.8                            | 39.7   | 34.9                                | 43.8                            | 43.1   | 35.9                                | 57.8                            | 61.0   | 34.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 46.5                             | 47.8                            | 42.0   | 32.8                                | 45.5                            | 46.3   | 38.0                                | 59.2                            | 61.6   | 36.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 47.2                             | 47.4                            | 43.2   | 32.7                                | 47.6                            | 46.0   | 36.6                                | 59.6                            | 68.8   | 35.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 29.6                             | 32.3                            | 24.9   | 54.5                                | 35.2                            | 25.0   | 24.8                                | 41.9                            | 52.2   | 20.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME            | 28.6                             | 31.2                            | 24.7   | 21.4                                | 35.7                            | 25.1   | 22.8                                | 30.0                            | 32.5   | 27.9                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 29.9                             | 30.7                            | 28.4   | 29.9                                | 39.8                            | 25.5   | 29.3                                | 41.5                            | 34.2   | 27.9                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 29.1                             | 36.9                            | 19.2   | 26.6                                | 24.4                            | 30.3   | 21.1                                | 28.6                            | 34.7   | 25.0                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                   | 25.8                             | 30.3                            | 20.9   | 5.5                                 | 30.5                            | 21.4   | 15.7                                | 13.5                            | 29.2   | 29.8                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979    | 63.9                             | 77.9                            | 68.5   | 48.0                                | 70.4                            | 61.6   | 51.5                                | 73.1                            | 65.9   | 50.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                         | 66.6                             | 80.8                            | 69.9   | 47.5                                | 71.9                            | 64.6   | 53.6                                | 76.3                            | 68.3   | 53.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                           | 67.7                             | 82.1                            | 73.2   | 51.5                                | 71.3                            | 66.4   | 57.8                                | 75.3                            | 64.3   | 54.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                       | 49.0                             | 63.0                            |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.]

| WEST REGION                                       | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 1 046 953               | 102 962                          | 110 535                                      | 17 931                              | 48 550                             | 318 308                                      | 73 749                              | 15 153                            | 95 691                                       | 264 074                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 531 891                 | 73 971                           | 66 619                                       | 7 447                               | 33 877                             | 174 852                                      | 28 938                              | 8 117                             | 44 616                                       | 93 454                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 374 422                 | 50 129                           | 45 103                                       | 5 567                               | 23 859                             | 119 761                                      | 21 306                              | 5 828                             | 31 601                                       | 71 268                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 323 692                 | 45 317                           | 40 957                                       | 4 908                               | 21 462                             | 104 994                                      | 18 409                              | 4 865                             | 25 990                                       | 56 790                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 217 654                 | 34 459                           | 29 771                                       | 3 099                               | 16 033                             | 71 044                                       | 10 930                              | 3 389                             | 16 636                                       | 32 293                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 146 616                 | 23 877                           | 21 590                                       | 1 998                               | 10 736                             | 48 881                                       | 7 062                               | 2 176                             | 10 388                                       | 19 908                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 106 038                 | 10 858                           | 11 186                                       | 1 659                               | 5 429                              | 33 950                                       | 7 479                               | 1 476                             | 9 354  | 24 497                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 50 730                  | 4 812                            | 4 144  | 659                                 | 2 397                              | 14 767                                       | 2 897                               | 963                               | 5 611  | 14 478                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 23 286                  | 2 663                            | 2 428  | 326                                 | 1 465                              | 7 570  | 1 118                               | 539                               | 2 400  | 4 777                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 14 637                  | 1 896                            | 1 792  | 222                                 | 1 110                              | 5 281  | 707                                 | 322                               | 1 428  | 2 879                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27 444                  | 2 149                            | 1 718  | 333                                 | 932                                | 7 197  | 1 779                               | 424                               | 3 211  | 9 701                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 124 156                 | 18 764                           | 18 088                                       | 1 489                               | 8 019                              | 45 633                                       | 5 832                               | 1 614                             | 9 845  | 14 872                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 109 928                 | 17 406                           | 16 764                                       | 1 350                               | 7 214                              | 40 732                                       | 4 973                               | 1 337                             | 8 211  | 11 941                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 87 070                  | 14 734                           | 14 184                                       | 1 108                               | 5 681                              | 32 083                                       | 3 926                               | 1 001                             | 5 999  | 8 354                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 14 228                  | 1 358                            | 1 324  | 139                                 | 805                                | 4 901  | 859                                 | 277                               | 1 634  | 2 931                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 18 850                  | 3 119                            | 2 110  | 202                                 | 1 174                              | 5 259  | 865                                 | 410                               | 1 802  | 3 909                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 12 180                  | 2 353                            | 1 568  | 121                                 | 848                                | 3 306  | 480                                 | 298                               | 1 181  | 2 025                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 8 525                   | 1 692                            | 1 103  | 71                                  | 597                                | 2 381  | 315                                 | 214                               | 900  | 1 252                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 6 670                   | 766                              | 542  | 81                                  | 326                                | 1 953  | 385                                 | 112                               | 621  | 1 884                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 14 463                  | 1 959                            | 1 318  | 189                                 | 825                                | 4 199  | 935                                 | 265                               | 1 368  | 3 405                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 667                   | 789                              | 443  | 55                                  | 287                                | 1 376  | 235                                 | 70                                | 426  | 986                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 3 731                   | 336                              | 292  | 41                                  | 131                                | 953  | 276                                 | 56                                | 354  | 1 292                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 6 065                   | 834                              | 583  | 93                                  | 407                                | 1 870  | 424                                 | 139                               | 588  | 1 127                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 391 413                 | 24 424                           | 38 733                                       | 8 260                               | 11 233                             | 120 025                                      | 34 990                              | 4 401                             | 35 377                                       | 113 970                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 330 408                 | 22 091                           | 35 102                                       | 7 183                               | 9 790                              | 103 330                                      | 29 296                              | 3 577                             | 28 663                                       | 91 376                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 254 226                 | 18 601                           | 29 518                                       | 5 684                               | 7 756                              | 80 256                                       | 22 558                              | 2 693                             | 20 817                                       | 66 353                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 61 005                  | 2 333                            | 3 631  | 1 077                               | 1 443                              | 16 695                                       | 5 694                               | 6 714                             | 4 948  | 22 594                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 34 537                  | 1 602                            | 1 483  | 335                                 | 1 892                              | 8 373  | 2 291                               | 1 138                             | 4 948  | 10 636                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 20 861                  | 1 602                            | 1 483  | 335                                 | 1 346                              | 5 159  | 1 435                               | 814                               | 2 991  | 5 696                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 14 867                  | 1 184                            | 1 118  | 238                                 | 975                                | 3 766  | 1 055                               | 598                               | 2 100  | 3 833                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 13 676                  | 681                              | 867  | 291                                 | 546                                | 3 214  | 856                                 | 324                               | 1 957  | 4 940                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 89 112                  | 2 284                            | 2 833  | 1 598                               | 1 548                              | 15 058                                       | 7 530                               | 1 497                             | 10 750                                       | 46 014                              |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$18 161                | \$26 068                         | \$23 024                                     | \$18 182                            | \$22 003                           | \$18 714                                     | \$16 006                            | \$16 850                          | \$15 726                                     | \$13 229                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$22 444                | \$29 957                         | \$25 576                                     | \$22 472                            | \$24 745                           | \$21 948                                     | \$20 342                            | \$21 392                          | \$19 956                                     | \$17 871                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$23 335                | \$29 677                         | \$26 597                                     | \$23 110                            | \$25 988                           | \$22 933                                     | \$21 169                            | \$22 521                          | \$20 916                                     | \$18 401                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$24 596                | \$30 651                         | \$27 505                                     | \$24 118                            | \$27 075                           | \$24 039                                     | \$22 368                            | \$23 940                          | \$22 405                                     | \$19 582                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 044                | \$32 464                         | \$29 586                                     | \$25 922                            | \$28 899                           | \$26 407                                     | \$24 934                            | \$26 157                          | \$24 989                                     | \$21 374                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$28 025                | \$33 031                         | \$30 653                                     | \$26 845                            | \$30 153                           | \$27 395                                     | \$25 675                            | \$27 969                          | \$26 013                                     | \$21 575                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$19 571                | \$24 900                         | \$21 967                                     | \$21 026                            | \$21 690                           | \$19 084                                     | \$18 619                            | \$18 852                          | \$17 811                                     | \$17 220                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$15 286                | \$20 501                         | \$17 629                                     | \$15 605                            | \$16 253                           | \$15 065                                     | \$13 548                            | \$15 352                          | \$14 020                                     | \$13 765                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 156                | \$22 356                         | \$20 074                                     | \$17 777                            | \$18 654                           | \$17 673                                     | \$15 483                            | \$17 786                          | \$17 475                                     | \$16 490                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$18 495                | \$22 026                         | \$20 916                                     | \$18 201                            | \$19 164                           | \$18 300                                     | \$15 908                            | \$18 535                          | \$18 362                                     | \$15 482                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 850                | \$18 202                         | \$14 174                                     | \$13 478                            | \$12 478                           | \$12 322                                     | \$12 332                            | \$12 257                          | \$11 438                                     | \$12 424                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$21 234                | \$25 865                         | \$24 367                                     | \$21 718                            | \$22 062                           | \$20 263                                     | \$18 980                            | \$19 034                          | \$18 277                                     | \$17 147                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$22 300                | \$26 698                         | \$25 039                                     | \$22 707                            | \$23 013                           | \$21 199                                     | \$20 115                            | \$20 151                          | \$19 473                                     | \$18 416                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$22 955                | \$27 214                         | \$25 464                                     | \$23 124                            | \$23 803                           | \$21 779                                     | \$20 636                            | \$21 684                          | \$19 920                                     | \$18 527                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 000                | \$15 184                         | \$15 865                                     | \$12 113                            | \$13 540                           | \$12 479                                     | \$12 407                            | \$13 645                          | \$12 269                                     | \$11 976                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$18 227                | \$19 466                         | \$20 110                                     | \$17 305                            | \$22 594                           | \$18 714                                     | \$16 033                            | \$18 617                          | \$17 236                                     | \$15 204                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 364                | \$20 693                         | \$21 639                                     | \$20 427                            | \$24 124                           | \$21 030                                     | \$17 919                            | \$20 833                          | \$19 526                                     | \$17 327                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$21 168                | \$21 505                         | \$22 688                                     | \$23 756                            | \$25 021                           | \$21 200                                     | \$19 736                            | \$21 029                          | \$21 006                                     | \$17 831                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 325                | \$15 698                         | \$15 684                                     | \$12 442                            | \$18 613                           | \$14 794                                     | \$13 680                            | \$12 721                          | \$12 881                                     | \$12 922                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$15 270                | \$17 509                         | \$15 993                                     | \$15 129                            | \$17 933                           | \$16 212                                     | \$13 973                            | \$15 195                          | \$13 447                                     | \$12 999                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 197                | \$20 233                         | \$20 486                                     | \$17 833                            | \$20 316                           | \$20 615                                     | \$16 965                            | \$12 718                          | \$18 104                                     | \$17 027                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 218                | \$12 721                         | \$7 637                                      | \$11 352                            | \$13 192                           | \$10 363                                     | \$11 137                            | \$14 138                          | \$8 367                                      | \$9 353                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 356                | \$16 862                         | \$16 733                                     | \$15 196                            | \$17 778                           | \$15 933                                     | \$14 160                            | \$16 868                          | \$13 132                                     | \$13 093                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$16 637                | \$23 840                         | \$21 017                                     | \$17 931                            | \$18 195                           | \$16 774                                     | \$15 795                            | \$14 265                          | \$15 219                                     | \$13 998                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$17 974                | \$25 048                         | \$22 046                                     | \$19 934                            | \$19 669                           | \$17 997                                     | \$17 106                            | \$15 546                          | \$16 617                                     | \$15 180                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$18 523                | \$25 893                         | \$22 556                                     | \$20 044                            | \$20 295                           | \$18 511                                     | \$17 414                            | \$15 974                          | \$17 069                                     | \$15 277                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 391                 | \$12 612                         | \$11 071                                     | \$8 177                             | \$8 199                            | \$9 199                                      | \$9 048                             | \$8 704                           | \$9 251                                      | \$9 217                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 697                 | \$12 766                         | \$9 341                                      | \$8 398                             | \$12 137                           | \$9 223                                      | \$9 199                             | \$12 279                          | \$9 978                                      | \$8 834                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$12 112                | \$15 492                         | \$11 716                                     | \$11 850                            | \$14 364                           | \$11 856                                     | \$11 838                            | \$13 461                          | \$12 561                                     | \$10 619                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$12 644                | \$15 883                         | \$12 224                                     | \$13 201                            | \$15 171                           | \$12 403                                     | \$11 976                            | \$15 024                          | \$13 559                                     | \$10 636                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$6 014                 | \$6 352                          | \$5 278                                      | \$4 425                             | \$6 648                            | \$4 997                                      | \$4 776                             | \$9 310                           | \$6 029                                      | \$6 775                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 576                 | \$1 773                          | \$1 795                                      | \$3 315                             | \$1 679                            | \$1 916                                      | \$2 398                             | \$3 303                           | \$2 484                                      | \$2 912                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 19.6                    | 25.7                             | 19.0   | 14.3                                | 27.9                               | 19.3   | 14.6                                | 27.4                              | 19.8   | 14.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 29.1                    | 32.0                             | 27.2   | 25.5                                | 33.4                               | 28.3   | 26.7                                | 34.4                              | 29.6   | 27.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.2                    | 35.9                             | 31.3   | 27.6                                | 36.6                               | 32.0   | 28.7                                | 36.3                              | 32.2   | 28.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.4                    | 35.0                             | 30.6   | 27.0                                | 35.7                               | 31.1   | 28.0                                | 35.2                              | 31.1   | 27.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.7                    | 37.7                             | 34.3   | 31.0                                | 38.8                               | 35.5   | 33.1                                | 39.6                              | 35.5   | 33.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 35.9                    | 38.0                             | 34.4   | 31.7                                | 38.9                               | 35.8   | 33.0                                | 39.6                              | 35.9   | 33.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 19.4                    | 23.8                             | 17.5   | 18.7                                | 23.7                               | 18.3   | 18.0                                | 21.2                              | 20.0   | 18.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 40.4                    | 48.3                             | 42.1   | 34.1                                | 50.2                               | 42.1   | 36.4                                | 44.8                              | 40.8   | 32.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.6                    | 54.6                             | 49.1   | 41.9                                | 56.1                               | 50.8   | 45.6                                | 51.2                              | 49.7   | 43.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 51.7                    | 56.1                             | 50.9   | 42.9                                | 55.0                               | 52.1   | 47.4                                | 55.9                              | 51.4   | 47.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 29.3                    | 38.7                             | 28.2   | 24.0                                | 36.2                               | 29.2   | 29.1                                | 33.1                              | 30.7   | 25.4                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 17.2                    | 17.8                             | 14.8   | 15.9                                | 20.3                               | 16.6   | 17.5                                | 22.8                              | 17.8   | 19.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 16.7                    | 17.4                             | 14.4   | 15.5                                | 19.6                               | 16.0   | 17.1                                | 21.9                              | 17.2   | 18.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 16.4                    | 17.1                             | 14.2   | 15.7                                | 19.1                               | 15.9   | 16.2                                | 21.0                              | 17.4   | 18.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 24.0                    | 27.5                             | 21.6   | 24.4                                | 31.0                               | 24.6   | 21.6                                | 29.0                              | 22.7   | 21.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 41.5                    | 52.1                             | 42.3   | 34.8                                | 45.9                               | 37.3   | 34.2                                | 52.1                              | 40.8   | 36.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 47.8                    | 55.9                             | 46.8   | 37.8                                | 51.4                               | 43.9   | 40.1                                | 57.9                              | 46.0   | 45.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 48.9                    | 56.3                             | 47.6   | 32.1                                | 53.3                               | 45.8   | 39.2                                | 58.4                              | 45.1   | 47.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25.1                    | 36.7                             | 24.2   | 27.7                                | 27.1                               | 21.4   | 24.5                                | 26.7                              | 26.1   | 23.2                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 27.1                    | 30.1                             | 23.2   | 27.3                                | 29.2                               | 24.3   | 25.8                                | 30.4                              | 29.1   | 29.3                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 32.5                    | 36.9                             | 27.4   | 32.4                                | 33.3                               | 30.4   | 31.5                                | 41.0                              | 33.6   | 33.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.2                    | 30.9                             | 21.4   | 21.2                                | 22.4                               | 24.4   | 27.1                                | 27.7                              | 33.2   | 31.6                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 21.5                    | 22.3                             | 19.6   | 25.7                                | 27.6                               | 18.5   | 21.4                                | 27.3                              | 22.9   | 22.8                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 70.2                    | 83.3                             | 79.9   | 71.2                                | 78.7                               | 75.0   |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

|   | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| NORTHEAST REGION                                  |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| RURAL   |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 2 425 829                        | 464 343                         | 290 894                                      | 10 067                              | 182 005                         | 1 022 422                                    | 80 682                              | 20 613                          | 208 251                                      | 146 552                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 1 207 104                        | 290 179                         | 148 163                                      | 3 020                               | 116 220                         | 520 059                                      | 22 449                              | 7 997                           | 74 181                                       | 24 836                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 728 063                          | 167 253                         | 82 995                                       | 1 751                               | 73 269                          | 320 459                                      | 14 162                              | 4 980                           | 47 663                                       | 15 531                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 658 256                          | 153 236                         | 76 859                                       | 1 601                               | 66 395                          | 289 518                                      | 12 660                              | 4 167                           | 40 712                                       | 13 108                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 508 652                          | 115 926                         | 59 478                                       | 1 200                               | 51 362                          | 225 136                                      | 9 475                               | 3 235                           | 32 506                                       | 10 334                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 381 264                          | 79 263                          | 47 131                                       | 838                                 | 37 251                          | 175 047                                      | 6 925                               | 2 346                           | 24 877                                       | 7 586                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 149 804                          | 37 310                          | 17 381                                       | 401                                 | 15 033                          | 64 382                                       | 3 185                               | 932                             | 8 206  | 2 774                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 69 807                           | 14 017                          | 6 136  | 150                                 | 6 874                           | 30 941                                       | 1 502                               | 813                             | 6 951  | 2 423                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 43 890                           | 7 623                           | 4 046  | 91                                  | 4 765                           | 19 872                                       | 879                                 | 553                             | 4 601  | 1 460                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 33 984                           | 5 435                           | 3 284  | 76                                  | 3 591                           | 15 708                                       | 693                                 | 441                             | 3 642  | 1 114                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25 917                           | 6 394                           | 2 090  | 59                                  | 2 109                           | 11 069                                       | 623                                 | 260                             | 2 350  | 963                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 424 950                          | 109 133                         | 59 325                                       | 1 021                               | 38 570                          | 180 307                                      | 6 753                               | 2 284                           | 21 002                                       | 6 555                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 394 250                          | 103 735                         | 55 891                                       | 944                                 | 36 018                          | 166 242                                      | 5 961                               | 1 918                           | 18 064                                       | 5 477                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 351 384                          | 92 435                          | 50 968                                       | 883                                 | 32 379                          | 147 503                                      | 5 232                               | 1 651                           | 15 582                                       | 4 751                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 30 700                           | 5 398                           | 3 434  | 77                                  | 2 552                           | 14 065                                       | 792                                 | 366                             | 2 938  | 1 078                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 29 100                           | 7 192                           | 2 938  | 105                                 | 2 564                           | 10 760                                       | 735                                 | 364                             | 3 132  | 1 310                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 22 030                           | 5 415                           | 2 175  | 88                                  | 1 907                           | 8 292  | 552                                 | 280                             | 2 362  | 959                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 17 207                           | 3 821                           | 1 849  | 55                                  | 1 386                           | 6 887  | 402                                 | 218                             | 1 898  | 691                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 7 070                            | 1 777                           | 763  | 17                                  | 657                             | 2 468  | 183                                 | 84                              | 770  | 351                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 24 991                           | 6 601                           | 2 905  | 143                                 | 1 817                           | 8 533  | 799                                 | 369                             | 2 384  | 1 440                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 10 265                           | 2 886                           | 1 227  | 65                                  | 784                             | 3 398  | 352                                 | 133                             | 887  | 533                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 911                            | 1 195                           | 517  | 40                                  | 310                             | 1 680  | 172                                 | 100                             | 578  | 319                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 9 815                            | 2 520                           | 1 161  | 38                                  | 725                             | 3 455  | 275                                 | 136                             | 919  | 588                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 849 500                          | 142 735                         | 118 130                                      | 3 772                               | 45 240                          | 389 687                                      | 33 273                              | 4 604                           | 68 107                                       | 44 031                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 748 615                          | 132 642                         | 109 514                                      | 3 184                               | 40 171                          | 344 545                                      | 27 213                              | 3 530                           | 54 418                                       | 33 398                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 659 850                          | 118 747                         | 99 846                                       | 2 784                               | 35 427                          | 301 903                                      | 23 324                              | 3 017                           | 46 382                                       | 28 198                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 100 885                          | 10 093                          | 8 616  | 589                                 | 5 069                           | 45 122                                       | 6 000                               | 1 074                           | 13 689                                       | 10 633                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 83 628                           | 7 889                           | 5 301  | 414                                 | 6 227                           | 31 941                                       | 3 925                               | 1 865                           | 16 595                                       | 9 471                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 57 985                           | 5 203                           | 3 671  | 251                                 | 4 442                           | 22 463                                       | 2 553                               | 1 327                           | 11 765                                       | 6 310                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 45 230                           | 3 713                           | 2 877  | 168                                 | 3 339                           | 18 096                                       | 1 878                               | 1 002                           | 9 415  | 4 742                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25 643                           | 2 686                           | 1 630  | 163                                 | 1 785                           | 9 478  | 1 372                               | 538                             | 4 830  | 3 161                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 285 597                          | 23 540                          | 19 300                                       | 2 860                               | 14 318                          | 80 755                                       | 21 095                              | 6 147                           | 49 368                                       | 68 214                              |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$20 727                         | \$29 580                        | \$24 626                                     | \$15 583                            | \$21 391                        | \$19 316                                     | \$13 395                            | \$13 888                        | \$14 040                                     | \$8 803                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$25 468                         | \$30 946                        | \$26 989                                     | \$23 999                            | \$25 099                        | \$23 086                                     | \$21 279                            | \$23 237                        | \$21 670                                     | \$20 006                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$26 665                         | \$32 395                        | \$28 338                                     | \$24 722                            | \$26 647                        | \$24 226                                     | \$22 540                            | \$25 632                        | \$23 134                                     | \$21 549                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$27 609                         | \$33 357                        | \$29 185                                     | \$25 700                            | \$27 417                        | \$25 078                                     | \$23 477                            | \$26 692                        | \$24 331                                     | \$22 756                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 931                         | \$34 683                        | \$30 561                                     | \$26 916                            | \$28 534                        | \$26 551                                     | \$24 847                            | \$27 708                        | \$25 542                                     | \$23 871                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$29 488                         | \$35 450                        | \$31 378                                     | \$27 452                            | \$28 945                        | \$27 310                                     | \$25 297                            | \$28 266                        | \$26 005                                     | \$24 231                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$23 114                         | \$29 234                        | \$24 474                                     | \$22 060                            | \$23 601                        | \$19 927                                     | \$19 400                            | \$23 166                        | \$19 535                                     | \$18 603                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$17 759                         | \$21 889                        | \$17 729                                     | \$14 285                            | \$19 209                        | \$16 257                                     | \$14 244                            | \$20 198                        | \$16 124                                     | \$15 024                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 615                         | \$22 546                        | \$19 692                                     | \$16 451                            | \$21 001                        | \$18 499                                     | \$17 014                            | \$22 778                        | \$18 275                                     | \$17 626                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 941                         | \$22 955                        | \$20 151                                     | \$17 433                            | \$21 295                        | \$19 079                                     | \$17 460                            | \$22 417                        | \$18 690                                     | \$17 224                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 718                         | \$21 081                        | \$13 928                                     | \$10 945                            | \$15 160                        | \$12 232                                     | \$11 301                            | \$14 709                        | \$11 911                                     | \$11 078                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$24 417                         | \$29 809                        | \$25 870                                     | \$24 223                            | \$22 962                        | \$21 815                                     | \$20 376                            | \$20 949                        | \$20 454                                     | \$19 724                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$25 209                         | \$30 468                        | \$26 530                                     | \$25 224                            | \$23 558                        | \$22 516                                     | \$21 407                            | \$22 484                        | \$21 726                                     | \$21 273                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$25 660                         | \$31 103                        | \$26 889                                     | \$25 539                            | \$23 800                        | \$22 904                                     | \$21 979                            | \$22 951                        | \$22 145                                     | \$21 379                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$14 242                         | \$17 131                        | \$15 117                                     | \$11 951                            | \$14 549                        | \$13 523                                     | \$12 619                            | \$12 902                        | \$12 651                                     | \$11 857                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$18 955                         | \$23 005                        | \$20 359                                     | \$23 628                            | \$19 333                        | \$17 489                                     | \$15 983                            | \$16 670                        | \$15 813                                     | \$14 322                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 161                         | \$23 718                        | \$21 422                                     | \$22 696                            | \$20 391                        | \$18 963                                     | \$17 385                            | \$17 736                        | \$17 339                                     | \$16 138                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 310                         | \$24 106                        | \$21 445                                     | \$19 927                            | \$20 326                        | \$19 424                                     | \$16 955                            | \$16 293                        | \$17 475                                     | \$16 133                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 199                         | \$20 835                        | \$17 329                                     | \$28 449                            | \$16 265                        | \$12 535                                     | \$11 753                            | \$13 116                        | \$11 431                                     | \$9 359                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$16 048                         | \$21 673                        | \$18 015                                     | \$13 820                            | \$16 171                        | \$14 179                                     | \$11 438                            | \$11 560                        | \$10 819                                     | \$9 807                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 057                         | \$25 612                        | \$22 513                                     | \$13 510                            | \$21 702                        | \$18 010                                     | \$15 114                            | \$13 266                        | \$13 250                                     | \$12 039                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$9 386                          | \$14 162                        | \$9 557                                      | \$7 213                             | \$8 701                         | \$7 903                                      | \$5 521                             | \$9 032                         | \$7 387                                      | \$5 780                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 189                         | \$20 724                        | \$17 027                                     | \$21 305                            | \$13 375                        | \$13 462                                     | \$10 434                            | \$11 750                        | \$10 652                                     | \$9 969                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$21 636                         | \$32 494                        | \$26 138                                     | \$20 618                            | \$19 678                        | \$18 858                                     | \$16 313                            | \$15 851                        | \$16 191                                     | \$14 271                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 238                         | \$33 970                        | \$27 285                                     | \$22 609                            | \$21 008                        | \$20 008                                     | \$18 170                            | \$18 331                        | \$18 077                                     | \$16 450                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$23 807                         | \$34 636                        | \$27 776                                     | \$23 311                            | \$21 545                        | \$20 423                                     | \$18 708                            | \$19 040                        | \$18 414                                     | \$16 863                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 754                          | \$13 088                        | \$11 855                                     | \$9 857                             | \$9 138                         | \$9 899                                      | \$7 890                             | \$7 701                         | \$8 696                                      | \$7 427                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$10 890                         | \$11 173                        | \$9 429                                      | \$7 911                             | \$11 524                        | \$8 894                                      | \$8 157                             | \$10 969                        | \$8 486                                      | \$7 296                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$11 391                         | \$13 752                        | \$11 740                                     | \$10 072                            | \$13 493                        | \$10 642                                     | \$9 836                             | \$12 691                        | \$10 065                                     | \$8 710                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$11 991                         | \$14 159                        | \$12 566                                     | \$11 824                            | \$13 686                        | \$11 237                                     | \$10 684                            | \$12 785                        | \$10 568                                     | \$9 087                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 999                          | \$6 176                         | \$4 223                                      | \$4 582                             | \$6 632                         | \$4 753                                      | \$5 033                             | \$6 723                         | \$4 639                                      | \$4 475                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 391                          | \$1 244                         | \$1 408                                      | \$1 165                             | \$993                           | \$1 469                                      | \$1 384                             | \$1 139                         | \$1 475                                      | \$1 403                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 17.5                             | 18.3                            | 13.2   | 12.4                                | 25.6                            | 17.0   | 13.5                                | 29.0                            | 19.2   | 14.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 26.6                             | 27.0                            | 22.6   | 23.6                                | 32.0                            | 26.1   | 25.6                                | 35.1                            | 28.2   | 27.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.7                             | 34.4                            | 28.9   | 28.6                                | 37.7                            | 31.5   | 29.7                                | 39.3                            | 32.3   | 30.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.8                             | 33.6                            | 28.3   | 28.0                                | 36.8                            | 30.7   | 28.9                                | 37.7                            | 31.2   | 29.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 34.9                             | 36.7                            | 31.7   | 31.3                                | 39.2                            | 33.8   | 32.3                                | 39.6                            | 33.9   | 32.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 34.9                             | 36.5                            | 32.1   | 31.6                                | 38.8                            | 34.1   | 32.6                                | 39.3                            | 34.3   | 32.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 19.0                             | 22.1                            | 14.1   | 16.0                                | 26.9                            | 16.2   | 16.1                                | 29.6                            | 17.0   | 16.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 44.5                             | 48.3                            | 40.4   | 39.5                                | 50.5                            | 42.3   | 40.1                                | 50.7                            | 42.1   | 40.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.7                             | 54.5                            | 46.0   | 46.4                                | 54.5                            | 47.7   | 47.3                                | 53.8                            | 47.5   | 45.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 50.4                             | 54.8                            | 46.7   | 45.4                                | 55.2                            | 48.6   | 49.1                                | 55.2                            | 48.6   | 47.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32.8                             | 40.5                            | 24.8   | 23.4                                | 38.3                            | 27.9   | 24.6                                | 40.7                            | 26.0   | 26.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 14.3                             | 13.6                            | 12.1   | 13.4                                | 18.2                            | 14.5   | 14.5                                | 21.0                            | 15.5   | 15.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 13.9                             | 13.3                            | 11.9   | 13.2                                | 17.8                            | 14.2   | 14.0                                | 20.2                            | 14.8   | 14.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 13.7                             | 13.1                            | 11.7   | 12.6                                | 17.5                            | 14.0   | 14.0                                | 20.1                            | 14.8   | 14.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 22.8                             | 24.4                            | 20.3   | 18.4                                | 28.1                            | 21.7   | 21.4                                | 28.5                            | 22.7   | 23.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 47.1                             | 48.5                            | 42.3   | 40.1                                | 55.5                            | 45.1   | 42.7                                | 58.6                            | 47.5   | 46.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 51.1                             | 52.7                            | 48.2   | 41.8                                | 58.8                            | 49.0   | 45.5                                | 60.6                            | 51.5   | 50.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 51.5                             | 52.5                            | 49.1   | 46.6                                | 57.3                            | 50.0   | 48.7                                | 62.7                            | 53.1   | 49.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.4                             | 33.9                            | 21.3   | 33.2                                | 43.5                            | 25.2   | 30.3                                | 49.9                            | 28.2   | 31.2                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 25.1                             | 25.0                            | 20.3   | 22.7                                | 29.8                            | 24.5   | 26.6                                | 33.4                            | 29.2   | 29.0                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 27.9                             | 29.1                            | 23.5   | 31.1                                | 29.8                            | 26.6   | 26.9                                | 38.7                            | 33.1   | 28.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25.5                             | 28.7                            | 23.4   | 19.2                                | 23.6                            | 24.1   | 24.6                                | 18.2                            | 21.3   | 29.8                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 21.1                             | 17.9                            | 15.0   | 14.9                                | 31.5                            | 21.9   | 26.8                                | 36.0                            | 28.0   | 29.4                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 78.3                             |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.]

| NORTHEAST REGION<br>RURAL                        | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL    |   |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL     |   |  |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|--|
|  | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| WHITE  |                                  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |
| TOTAL  | 2 396 059                        | 456 324                               | 287 453   | 9 833  | 179 998                               | 1 013 567   | 79 500                                       | 20 240                                | 205 265   | 143 879                                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 1 191 087                        | 284 988                               | 146 243   | 2 914  | 114 804                               | 515 186   | 22 114                                       | 7 784                                 | 72 953  | 24 101                                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 716 647                          | 163 685                               | 81 708  | 1 668  | 72 217                                | 316 784   | 13 912                                       | 4 843                                 | 46 754  | 15 076                                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 648 309                          | 149 953                               | 75 720  | 1 521  | 65 505                                | 286 344   | 12 428                                       | 4 066                                 | 40 003  | 12 769                                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 500 892                          | 113 308                               | 58 592  | 1 158  | 50 683                                | 222 647   | 9 293  | 3 137                                 | 31 996  | 10 078                                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 375 663                          | 77 418                                | 46 499  | 818  | 36 808                                | 173 202   | 6 771  | 2 285                                 | 24 466  | 7 396  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 140 517                          | 36 645                                | 17 128  | 363  | 14 822                                | 63 697  | 3 135  | 929                                   | 8 007   | 2 691  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 68 338                           | 13 732                                | 5 988   | 147  | 6 712                                 | 30 440  | 1 484  | 777                                   | 6 751   | 2 307  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 43 031                           | 7 452                                 | 3 956   | 91   | 4 682                                 | 19 572  | 874  | 540                                   | 4 493   | 1 371  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 33 312                           | 5 281                                 | 3 200   | 76   | 3 524                                 | 15 499  | 688  | 428                                   | 3 567   | 1 049  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25 307                           | 6 280                                 | 2 032   | 56   | 2 030                                 | 10 868  | 610  | 237                                   | 2 258   | 936  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 421 257                          | 107 807                               | 58 758  | 1 005  | 38 267                                | 179 337   | 6 691  | 2 232                                 | 20 782  | 6 378  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 390 982                          | 102 480                               | 55 384  | 928  | 35 760                                | 165 410   | 5 919  | 1 879                                 | 17 892  | 5 330  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 348 545                          | 91 309                                | 50 532  | 867  | 32 160                                | 146 796   | 5 201  | 1 616                                 | 15 436  | 4 628  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 30 275                           | 5 327                                 | 3 374   | 77   | 2 507                                 | 13 927  | 772  | 353                                   | 2 890   | 1 048  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 28 594                           | 7 027                                 | 2 907   | 98   | 2 529                                 | 10 611  | 716  | 347                                   | 3 080   | 1 279  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 21 609                           | 5 271                                 | 2 157   | 83   | 1 872                                 | 8 165   | 538  | 263                                   | 2 321   | 939  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 16 917                           | 3 730                                 | 1 831   | 50   | 1 366                                 | 6 786   | 394  | 213                                   | 1 868   | 679  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 6 985                            | 1 756                                 | 750   | 15   | 657                                   | 2 446   | 178  | 84                                    | 759   | 340  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 24 589                           | 6 469                                 | 2 870   | 143  | 1 791                                 | 8 454   | 795  | 362                                   | 2 337   | 1 368  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 10 089                           | 2 826                                 | 1 215   | 65   | 760                                   | 3 354   | 352  | 133                                   | 880   | 504  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 4 832                            | 1 172                                 | 505   | 40   | 308                                   | 1 670   | 170  | 100                                   | 572   | 295  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 9 668                            | 2 471                                 | 1 150   | 38   | 723                                   | 3 430   | 273  | 129                                   | 885   | 569  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 840 071                          | 140 275                               | 114 868   | 3 617  | 44 796                                | 386 710   | 32 703                                       | 4 535                                 | 67 254  | 43 254                                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 740 551                          | 130 340                               | 108 353   | 3 111  | 39 797                                | 342 042   | 26 800                                       | 3 477                                 | 53 756  | 32 875                                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 652 730                          | 116 800                               | 98 805  | 2 739  | 35 115                                | 299 746   | 22 961                                       | 2 964                                 | 45 841  | 27 759                                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 99 520                           | 9 935                                 | 8 515   | 565  | 4 999                                 | 44 668  | 5 903  | 1 058                                 | 13 498  | 10 379                                       |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 82 151                           | 7 750                                 | 5 215   | 412  | 6 163                                 | 31 560  | 3 796  | 1 829                                 | 16 219  | 9 207  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 56 981                           | 5 100                                 | 3 598   | 251  | 4 392                                 | 22 200  | 2 464  | 1 296                                 | 11 543  | 6 137  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 44 489                           | 3 664                                 | 2 833   | 168  | 3 313                                 | 17 885  | 1 821  | 971                                   | 9 238   | 4 596  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25 170                           | 2 650                                 | 1 617   | 161  | 1 771                                 | 9 360   | 1 332  | 533                                   | 4 676   | 3 070  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 282 750                          | 23 311                                | 19 127  | 2 831  | 14 235                                | 80 111  | 20 887                                       | 6 092                                 | 48 839  | 67 317                                       |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |
| TOTAL  | \$20 703                         | \$29 480                              | \$24 629  | \$15 518                                     | \$21 383                              | \$19 322  | \$13 385                                     | \$13 778                              | \$14 047  | \$8 771                                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$25 443                         | \$30 858                              | \$26 988  | \$24 104                                     | \$25 094                              | \$23 091  | \$21 248                                     | \$23 211                              | \$21 697  | \$20 056                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$26 635                         | \$32 277                              | \$28 340  | \$25 019                                     | \$26 647                              | \$24 231  | \$22 511                                     | \$25 662                              | \$23 176  | \$21 633                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$27 569                         | \$33 232                              | \$29 179  | \$26 043                                     | \$27 402                              | \$25 076  | \$23 442                                     | \$26 713                              | \$24 351  | \$22 839                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 882                         | \$34 538                              | \$30 554  | \$27 018                                     | \$28 521                              | \$26 545  | \$24 793                                     | \$27 754                              | \$25 554  | \$23 951                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$29 445                         | \$35 312                              | \$31 371  | \$27 632                                     | \$28 925                              | \$27 308  | \$25 201                                     | \$28 340                              | \$26 022  | \$24 326                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$23 107                         | \$29 196                              | \$24 477  | \$22 931                                     | \$23 575                              | \$19 942  | \$19 438                                     | \$23 200                              | \$19 546  | \$18 676                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$17 774                         | \$21 839                              | \$17 721  | \$14 432                                     | \$19 276                              | \$16 284  | \$14 709                                     | \$20 162                              | \$16 209  | \$14 953                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 535                         | \$22 396                              | \$19 665  | \$16 451                                     | \$20 985                              | \$18 523  | \$16 998                                     | \$22 805                              | \$18 321  | \$17 640                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 915                         | \$22 717                              | \$20 115  | \$17 433                                     | \$21 286                              | \$19 088  | \$17 443                                     | \$22 441                              | \$18 785  | \$17 419                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$14 778                         | \$21 179                              | \$13 936  | \$11 152                                     | \$15 337                              | \$12 253  | \$11 431                                     | \$14 138                              | \$12 006  | \$11 018                                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$24 407                         | \$29 762                              | \$25 874  | \$24 055                                     | \$22 977                              | \$21 831  | \$20 355                                     | \$20 930                              | \$20 476  | \$19 741                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 194                         | \$30 417                              | \$26 530  | \$25 059                                     | \$23 574                              | \$22 528  | \$21 393                                     | \$22 454                              | \$21 745  | \$21 253                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 649                         | \$31 051                              | \$26 921  | \$25 368                                     | \$23 815                              | \$22 915  | \$21 940                                     | \$22 919                              | \$22 178  | \$21 376                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 253                         | \$17 176                              | \$15 111  | \$11 951                                     | \$14 465                              | \$13 546  | \$12 403                                     | \$12 822                              | \$12 614  | \$12 046                                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$18 927                         | \$23 064                              | \$20 349  | \$24 035                                     | \$19 222                              | \$17 462  | \$15 917                                     | \$15 614                              | \$15 801  | \$14 255                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 127                         | \$23 770                              | \$21 391  | \$23 251                                     | \$20 261                              | \$18 938  | \$17 458                                     | \$16 412                              | \$17 335  | \$16 049                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$20 264                         | \$24 092                              | \$21 407  | \$20 571                                     | \$20 152                              | \$19 362  | \$16 974                                     | \$16 191                              | \$17 492  | \$16 193                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 213                         | \$20 945                              | \$17 351  | \$28 376                                     | \$16 263                              | \$12 533  | \$11 260                                     | \$13 116                              | \$11 116  | \$9 301                                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$16 020                         | \$21 675                              | \$18 025  | \$13 820                                     | \$16 015                              | \$14 159  | \$11 465                                     | \$11 766                              | \$10 755  | \$9 582                                      |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 970                         | \$25 393                              | \$22 482  | \$13 510                                     | \$21 605                              | \$18 066  | \$15 114                                     | \$13 266                              | \$13 249  | \$11 444                                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$9 331                          | \$14 269                              | \$9 565   | \$7 213                                      | \$8 417                               | \$7 763   | \$5 546                                      | \$9 032                               | \$7 293   | \$5 658                                      |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$15 242                         | \$20 937                              | \$17 031  | \$21 305                                     | \$13 375                              | \$13 452  | \$10 446                                     | \$12 339                              | \$10 513  | \$9 967                                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$21 621                         | \$32 385                              | \$26 155  | \$20 619                                     | \$19 707                              | \$18 852  | \$16 335                                     | \$15 844                              | \$16 216  | \$14 281                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 215                         | \$33 863                              | \$27 301  | \$22 574                                     | \$21 028                              | \$20 020  | \$18 198                                     | \$18 321                              | \$18 104  | \$16 451                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 793                         | \$34 565                              | \$27 793  | \$23 351                                     | \$21 569                              | \$20 435  | \$18 735                                     | \$19 040                              | \$18 438  | \$16 875                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 757                          | \$12 999                              | \$11 567  | \$9 851                                      | \$9 190                               | \$9 915   | \$7 876                                      | \$7 707                               | \$8 701   | \$7 408                                      |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$9 082                          | \$11 150                              | \$9 435   | \$7 939                                      | \$11 522                              | \$8 895   | \$8 189                                      | \$10 679                              | \$8 505   | \$7 262                                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$10 891                         | \$13 735                              | \$11 789  | \$10 072                                     | \$13 492                              | \$10 640  | \$9 887                                      | \$12 327                              | \$10 069  | \$8 722                                      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 389                         | \$14 156                              | \$12 604  | \$11 824                                     | \$13 697                              | \$11 226  | \$10 712                                     | \$12 305                              | \$10 577  | \$9 091                                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$4 986                          | \$6 174                               | \$4 197   | \$4 614                                      | \$6 634                               | \$4 757   | \$5 050                                      | \$6 673                               | \$4 646   | \$4 342                                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 387                          | \$1 247                               | \$1 417   | \$1 161                                      | \$998                                 | \$1 460   | \$1 384                                      | \$1 115                               | \$1 470   | \$1 397                                      |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |                                       |   |  |
| TOTAL  | 17.5                             | 18.2                                  | 13.2  | 12.3   | 25.5                                  | 17.0  | 13.5   | 28.9                                  | 19.1  | 14.4   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.5                             | 26.9                                  | 22.5  | 23.5   | 31.9                                  | 26.0  | 25.5   | 35.1                                  | 28.1  | 27.1   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.6                             | 34.4                                  | 28.9  | 28.6   | 37.7                                  | 31.5  | 29.6   | 39.4                                  | 32.2  | 30.6   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.8                             | 33.5                                  | 28.3  | 28.1   | 36.8                                  | 30.7  | 28.9   | 37.7                                  | 31.1  | 29.4   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.8                             | 36.6                                  | 31.7  | 31.2   | 39.2                                  | 33.8  | 32.3   | 39.7                                  | 33.8  | 32.1   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 34.9                             | 36.5                                  | 32.1  | 31.6   | 38.7                                  | 34.1  | 32.6   | 39.4                                  | 34.2  | 32.4   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.0                             | 22.2                                  | 14.1  | 16.3   | 26.9                                  | 16.2  | 16.1   | 29.6                                  | 17.0  | 16.8   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 44.5                             | 48.3                                  | 40.4  | 39.5   | 50.5                                  | 42.3  | 39.9   | 51.2                                  | 42.0  | 40.2   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.7                             | 54.7                                  | 46.1  | 46.4   | 54.4                                  | 47.6  | 47.1   | 53.7                                  | 47.4  | 46.2   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.4                             | 55.1                                  | 46.8  | 45.4   | 55.2                                  | 48.6  | 48.8   | 55.2                                  | 48.3  | 47.2   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.8                             | 40.3                                  | 24.7  | 23.1   | 38.1                                  | 27.9  | 24.6   | 41.9                                  | 25.8  | 26.3   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.3                             | 13.6                                  | 12.1  | 13.1   | 18.1                                  | 14.5  | 14.5   | 21.0                                  | 15.5  | 15.1   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 13.9                             | 13.3                                  | 11.9  | 12.9   | 17.7                                  | 14.2  | 14.0   | 20.1                                  | 14.8  | 14.2   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.7                             | 13.0                                  | 11.7  | 12.3   | 17.5                                  | 14.0  | 14.0   | 20.0                                  | 14.7  | 14.1   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 22.7                             | 24.3                                  | 20.2  | 18.4   | 27.8                                  | 21.6  | 21.4   | 29.3                                  | 22.7  | 23.0   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 47.1                             | 48.3                                  | 42.3  | 40.0   | 55.3                                  | 45.2  | 42.7   | 60.5                                  | 47.5  | 47.5   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 51.1                             | 52.6                                  | 48.3  | 41.0   | 58.6                                  | 49.1  | 45.2   | 63.3                                  | 51.5  | 50.7   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.5                             | 52.3                                  | 49.2  | 45.4   | 57.2                                  | 50.1  | 48.4   | 62.9                                  | 53.0  | 49.6   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.4                             | 33.8                                  | 21.2  | 35.8   | 43.5                                  | 25.2  | 30.9   | 49.9                                  | 28.3  | 32.0   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 25.0                             | 24.7                                  | 20.3  | 22.7   | 29.4                                  | 24.5  | 26.6   | 33.3                                  | 29.1  | 29.0   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 27.7                             | 28.8                                  | 23.6  | 31.1   | 29.0                                  | 26.6  | 26.9   | 33.7                                  | 32.9  | 28.0   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25.4                             | 28.6                                  | 23.2  | 19.2   | 24.1                                  | 23.6  | 24.6   | 18.2                                  | 21  |  |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| NORTHEAST REGION<br>RURAL                         | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                       |   | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                       |   |                                |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL     | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL    | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| BLACK   |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 16 373                           | 3 175                                 | 1 844   | 82                                 | 1 283                                 | 5 528   | 712                               | 249                                   | 1 852   | 1 648                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 9 139                            | 2 375                                 | 1 112   | 36                                 | 911                                   | 3 190   | 202                               | 147                                   | 762   | 404                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 6 707                            | 1 721                                 | 775   | 31                                 | 714                                   | 2 464   | 153                               | 91                                    | 524   | 234                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 5 854                            | 1 552                                 | 690   | 31                                 | 613                                   | 2 180   | 142                               | 80                                    | 404   | 162                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 686                            | 1 250                                 | 535   | 14                                 | 504                                   | 1 753   | 110                               | 79                                    | 324   | 117                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 3 335                            | 858                                   | 391   | 7                                  | 327                                   | 1 290   | 94                                | 48                                    | 248   | 72                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 168                            | 302                                   | 155   | 17                                 | 109                                   | 427   | 32                                | 1                                     | 80  | 45                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 853                              | 169                                   | 85  | -                                  | 101                                   | 284   | 11                                | 11                                    | 70  | 52                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 549                              | 41                                    | 64  | -                                  | 37                                    | 201   | 28                                | 13                                    | 95  | 153                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 404                              | 77                                    | 66  | -                                  | 49                                    | 121   | -                                 | 9                                     | 42  | 40                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 341                              | 86                                    | 13  | -                                  | 38                                    | 125   | 11                                | 2                                     | 50  | 16                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 1 830                            | 522                                   | 287   | -                                  | 151                                   | 550   | 32                                | 34                                    | 156   | 98                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 613                            | 487                                   | 257   | -                                  | 116                                   | 497   | 24                                | 26                                    | 132   | 74                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 386                            | 440                                   | 227   | -                                  | 88                                    | 413   | 24                                | 22                                    | 110   | 62                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 217                              | 35                                    | 30  | -                                  | 35                                    | 53  | 8                                 | 8                                     | 24  | 24                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 317                              | 64                                    | 25  | 5                                  | 20                                    | 106   | 13                                | 15                                    | 45  | 24                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 265                              | 58                                    | 17  | -                                  | 20                                    | 86  | 8                                 | 15                                    | 36  | 20                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 192                              | 49                                    | 17  | 5                                  | 10                                    | 67  | 2                                 | 5                                     | 25  | 12                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 52                               | 6                                     | 8   | -                                  | -                                     | 20  | 5                                 | -                                     | 9   | 4                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 285                              | 68                                    | 25  | -                                  | 26                                    | 70  | 4                                 | 7                                     | 37  | 28                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 146                              | 40                                    | 11  | -                                  | 24                                    | 35  | -                                 | -                                     | 7   | 29                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30                               | 7                                     | 3   | -                                  | 2                                     | 10  | 2                                 | -                                     | -   | 6                              |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 109                              | 21                                    | 11  | -                                  | -                                     | 25  | 2                                 | 7                                     | 30  | 13                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 4 496                            | 617                                   | 611   | 30                                 | 282                                   | 1 710   | 279                               | 45                                    | 461   | 461                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 847                            | 576                                   | 547   | 15                                 | 245                                   | 1 509   | 251                               | 32                                    | 366   | 306                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 3 377                            | 512                                   | 505   | 10                                 | 206                                   | 1 330   | 214                               | 32                                    | 310   | 258                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 649                              | 41                                    | 64  | 15                                 | 37                                    | 201   | 28                                | 13                                    | 95  | 153                            |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 869                              | 74                                    | 32  | -                                  | 39                                    | 203   | 111                               | 14                                    | 223   | 169                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 652                              | 70                                    | 32  | -                                  | 25                                    | 153   | 87                                | 9                                     | 159   | 117                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 490                              | 25                                    | 21  | -                                  | 18                                    | 124   | 55                                | 9                                     | 142   | 96                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 213                              | 4                                     | -   | -                                  | 14                                    | 50  | 24                                | 5                                     | 64  | 52                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 1 873                            | 109                                   | 89  | 16                                 | 51                                    | 425   | 120                               | 43                                    | 406   | 614                            |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | \$20 757                         | \$30 222                              | \$23 467  | \$14 192                           | \$23 791                              | \$19 950  | \$15 137                          | \$19 680                              | \$13 717  | \$10 665                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$26 369                         | \$32 049                              | \$26 818  | \$17 559                           | \$27 375                              | \$23 643  | \$26 502                          | \$25 993                              | \$21 480  | \$21 076                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$27 762                         | \$33 450                              | \$28 842  | \$18 216                           | \$28 733                              | \$24 984  | \$25 935                          | \$27 053                              | \$22 830  | \$22 426                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$29 290                         | \$34 758                              | \$30 051  | \$18 216                           | \$30 370                              | \$26 216  | \$27 499                          | \$27 762                              | \$25 517  | \$24 816                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$30 923                         | \$36 871                              | \$31 823  | \$26 655                           | \$31 334                              | \$26 671  | \$28 806                          | \$27 912                              | \$26 723  | \$26 356                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$31 291                         | \$37 594                              | \$31 972  | \$23 301                           | \$32 263                              | \$27 716  | \$31 212                          | \$28 011                              | \$27 262  | \$29 053                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$22 742                         | \$26 010                              | \$23 933  | \$11 266                           | \$25 910                              | \$20 240  | \$23 007                          | \$15 925                              | \$20 636  | \$20 814                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$17 272                         | \$21 438                              | \$19 032  | -                                  | \$18 797                              | \$15 525  | \$5 742                           | \$21 893                              | \$13 781  | \$17 049                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 477                         | \$25 845                              | \$21 223  | -                                  | \$22 935                              | \$17 892  | -                                 | \$24 840                              | \$18 204  | \$18 279                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 878                         | \$26 912                              | \$22 096  | -                                  | \$23 371                              | \$19 084  | -                                 | \$24 840                              | \$16 763  | \$13 053                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 461                         | \$17 184                              | \$6 898   | -                                  | \$11 937                              | \$12 514  | \$5 742                           | \$8 630                               | \$7 590   | \$12 742                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$23 029                         | \$28 573                              | \$22 240  | -                                  | \$22 134                              | \$19 232  | \$33 374                          | \$22 126                              | \$20 142  | \$20 730                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$24 131                         | \$29 694                              | \$22 795  | -                                  | \$22 366                              | \$20 092  | \$34 993                          | \$22 947                              | \$20 962  | \$24 606                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$24 300                         | \$30 211                              | \$21 790  | -                                  | \$22 641                              | \$20 396  | \$34 993                          | \$23 466                              | \$19 208  | \$25 078                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$14 836                         | \$12 966                              | \$17 482  | -                                  | \$21 366                              | \$11 163  | \$28 515                          | \$19 460                              | \$15 627  | \$5 950                        |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$21 306                         | \$24 286                              | \$24 598  | \$13 485                           | \$19 100                              | \$19 693  | \$22 541                          | \$40 039                              | \$16 089  | \$17 930                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 624                         | \$26 352                              | \$26 228  | \$13 485                           | \$19 100                              | \$21 069  | \$18 316                          | \$40 039                              | \$16 829  | \$20 335                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$23 052                         | \$27 823                              | \$26 228  | \$13 485                           | \$18 870                              | \$24 805  | \$35 435                          | \$20 628                              | \$14 871  | \$12 742                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 594                         | \$4 320                               | \$21 135  | -                                  | -                                     | \$13 780  | \$29 300                          | -                                     | \$13 130  | \$5 905                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$20 666                         | \$30 578                              | \$18 859  | -                                  | \$26 908                              | \$17 095  | \$6 093                           | \$900                                 | \$14 573  | \$18 189                       |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$27 206                         | \$46 532                              | \$23 757  | -                                  | \$24 774                              | \$14 626  | -                                 | -                                     | \$13 452  | \$22 375                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$17 479                         | \$4 070                               | \$9 010   | -                                  | \$52 515                              | \$31 169  | \$3 450                           | -                                     | -   | \$7 540                        |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$12 784                         | \$9 025                               | \$16 646  | -                                  | -                                     | \$14 921  | \$8 735                           | \$900                                 | \$14 835  | \$13 766                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$19 345                         | \$30 155                              | \$21 416  | \$17 487                           | \$18 295                              | \$18 475  | \$15 507                          | \$17 085                              | \$14 301  | \$13 711                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 077                         | \$31 326                              | \$22 723  | \$19 841                           | \$20 221                              | \$19 809  | \$15 620                          | \$22 149                              | \$16 240  | \$15 989                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 322                         | \$31 377                              | \$22 987  | \$18 759                           | \$19 463                              | \$20 122  | \$16 035                          | \$22 149                              | \$16 701  | \$15 715                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 081                          | \$13 698                              | \$10 245  | \$15 133                           | \$5 545                               | \$8 465   | \$14 503                          | \$4 618                               | \$6 829   | \$9 211                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 213                          | \$15 390                              | \$9 231   | -                                  | \$10 924                              | \$9 927   | \$7 953                           | \$7 436                               | \$7 607   | \$8 344                        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$10 473                         | \$15 826                              | \$9 231   | -                                  | \$13 476                              | \$11 527  | \$8 524                           | \$4 898                               | \$9 334   | \$9 012                        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 625                         | \$14 832                              | \$10 036  | -                                  | \$10 063                              | \$13 003  | \$9 982                           | \$4 898                               | \$9 088   | \$9 871                        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 355                          | \$7 755                               | -   | -                                  | \$6 366                               | \$5 031   | \$5 876                           | \$12 005                              | \$3 317   | \$6 841                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 096                          | \$870                                 | \$800   | \$439                              | \$2 950                               | \$1 788   | \$4 798                           | \$1 838                               | \$2 168   | \$2 168                        |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 25.3                             | 28.4                                  | 20.5  | 15.9                               | 32.9                                  | 23.6  | 19.5                              | 30.3                                  | 26.9  | 19.2                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 33.0                             | 34.3                                  | 28.8  | 29.2                               | 38.7                                  | 32.1  | 29.5                              | 36.3                                  | 33.3  | 26.9                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 35.3                             | 37.6                                  | 31.3  | 24.9                               | 39.0                                  | 33.8  | 31.1                              | 41.6                                  | 35.7  | 31.8                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34.4                             | 36.5                                  | 30.3  | 24.9                               | 38.0                                  | 33.2  | 31.2                              | 40.7                                  | 33.9  | 29.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.2                             | 39.2                                  | 32.7  | 36.2                               | 39.9                                  | 36.1  | 34.3                              | 40.9                                  | 37.9  | 33.4                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 36.9                             | 38.8                                  | 33.2  | 22.7                               | 38.9                                  | 36.2  | 33.7                              | 40.6                                  | 38.0  | 29.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 19.3                             | 20.7                                  | 19.2  | 2.8                                | 27.7                                  | 17.1  | 18.0                              | 18.9                                  | 12.6  | 17.5                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 46.3                             | 53.4                                  | 44.4  | -                                  | 48.9                                  | 42.2  | 28.3                              | 50.1                                  | 46.9  | 38.4                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.2                             | 50.6                                  | 44.4  | -                                  | 51.6                                  | 48.2  | -                                 | 52.1                                  | 49.9  | 40.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 50.4                             | 50.1                                  | 43.2  | -                                  | 49.3                                  | 48.4  | -                                 | 52.1                                  | 66.8  | 60.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 41.8                             | 57.3                                  | 45.2  | -                                  | 40.2                                  | 31.3  | 28.3                              | 24.6                                  | 36.8  | 26.8                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 20.5                             | 19.6                                  | 19.8  | -                                  | 31.2                                  | 21.2  | 20.4                              | 12.2                                  | 19.0  | 12.4                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 19.3                             | 18.6                                  | 18.9  | -                                  | 28.8                                  | 20.2  | 17.8                              | 14.1                                  | 17.4  | 13.2                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 19.3                             | 19.5                                  | 20.6  | -                                  | 27.7                                  | 19.6  | 17.8                              | 12.8                                  | 15.0  | 11.0                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 35.4                             | 50.1                                  | 30.7  | -                                  | 39.5                                  | 39.3  | 29.8                              | 4.9                                   | 30.8  | 23.6                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 46.5                             | 59.6                                  | 36.8  | 65.6                               | 72.0                                  | 38.4  | 37.6                              | 44.4                                  | 52.3  | 26.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.2                             | 59.0                                  | 41.3  | 65.6                               | 72.0                                  | 40.6  | 53.7                              | 44.4                                  | 57.8  | 27.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 50.4                             | 57.1                                  | 41.3  | 65.6                               | 73.2                                  | 41.1  | 60.2                              | 56.3                                  | 65.2  | 37.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25.4                             | 96.4                                  | 24.9  | -                                  | -                                     | 24.0  | 21.5                              | -                                     | 23.8  | 0.9                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 31.4                             | 30.1                                  | 20.6  | -                                  | 44.9                                  | 29.0  | 55.6                              | 41.7                                  | 37.3  | 28.7                           |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 34.5                             | 31.7                                  | 18.7  | -                                  | 51.1                                  | 31.1  | -                                 | -                                     | 62.7  | 32.2                           |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 34.6                             | 35.7                                  | 44.5  | -                                  | 10.0                                  | 43.4  | 30.3                              | -                                     | -   | 24.4                           |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 21.6                             | 13.2                                  | 19.7  | -                                  | -                                     | 14.1  | 65.5                              | 41.7                                  | 31.9  | 17.1                           |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 80.4                             | 88.3                                  | 95.0  | -                                  | 87.7                                  | 83.6  | 59.7                              | 95.4                                  | 81.7  | 74.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 82.7                             | 88.0                                  | 95.0  | -                                  | 90.3                                  | 81.7  | 64.1                              | 89.0                                  | 83.2  | 85.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 81.3                             | 92.1                                  | 93.0  | -                                  | 81.9                                  | 80.9  | 60.3                              | 89.0                                  | 83.5  | 83.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 66.9                             | 100.0                                 | -   | -                                  | 77.9                                  | 97.0  | 36.2                              | 100.0                                 | 71.1  | 44.1                           |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

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| NORTHEAST REGION<br>RURAL                         | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                        |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 6 016                            | 3 878                           | 810  | 93                                  | 195                             | 617  | 126                                 | 20                              | 107  | 170                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 3 201                            | 2 167                           | 407  | 48                                  | 137                             | 288  | 43                                  | 14                              | 53   | 44                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 2 194                            | 1 448                           | 265  | 33                                  | 77                              | 242  | 34                                  | 6                               | 53   | 36                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 015                            | 1 349                           | 248  | 30                                  | 54                              | 222  | 30                                  | 6                               | 40   | 36                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 563                            | 1 054                           | 191  | 15                                  | 52                              | 177  | 21                                  | 6                               | 16   | 31                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 1 132                            | 751                             | 135  | -                                   | 34                              | 144  | 21                                  | 6                               | 10   | 31                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 452                              | 295                             | 57   | 15                                  | 2                               | 45   | 9                                   | -                               | 24   | 5                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 179                              | 99                              | 17   | 3                                   | 23                              | 20   | 4                                   | -                               | 13   | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 108                              | 73                              | 14   | -                                   | 7                               | 6  | 2                                   | -                               | 6  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 99                               | 64                              | 14   | -                                   | 7                               | 6  | 2                                   | -                               | 6  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 71                               | 26                              | 3  | 3                                   | 16                              | 7  | 2                                   | -                               | 7  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 886                              | 608                             | 134  | 15                                  | 60                              | 46   | 9                                   | 6                               | -  | 8                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 849                              | 594                             | 124  | 15                                  | 52                              | 46   | 9                                   | 1                               | -  | 8                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 736                              | 530                             | 94   | 15                                  | 50                              | 38   | -                                   | 1                               | -  | 8                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 37                               | 14                              | 10   | -                                   | 8                               | -  | -                                   | 5                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 67                               | 64                              | 1  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | 2                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 67                               | 64                              | 1  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | 2                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 35                               | 34                              | 1  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | -                                | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 54                               | 47                              | 7  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 15                               | 15                              | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 13                               | 6                               | 7  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 26                               | 26                              | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 2 364                            | 1 579                           | 351  | 34                                  | 40                              | 222  | 51                                  | 6                               | 25   | 56                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 165                            | 1 477                           | 344  | 34                                  | 34                              | 176  | 26                                  | 6                               | 18   | 50                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 840                            | 1 241                           | 309  | 25                                  | 28                              | 152  | 23                                  | 6                               | 18   | 38                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 199                              | 102                             | 7  | -                                   | 6                               | 46   | 25                                  | -                               | 7  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 126                              | 47                              | 2  | -                                   | 2                               | 39   | 2                                   | -                               | 2  | 12                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 63                               | 26                              | 22   | -                                   | 2                               | 13   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 37                               | 17                              | 10   | -                                   | 2                               | 8  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 63                               | 21                              | -  | -                                   | -                               | 26   | 2                                   | -                               | 2  | 12                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 325                              | 85                              | 30   | 11                                  | 16                              | 68   | 30                                  | -                               | 27   | 58                                  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$35 118                         | \$42 127                        | \$31 418                                     | \$25 098                            | \$18 079                        | \$19 192                                     | \$9 379                             | \$16 690                        | \$13 584                                     | \$10 470                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$37 449                         | \$42 518                        | \$33 274                                     | \$25 481                            | \$21 289                        | \$26 644                                     | \$15 815                            | \$11 411                        | \$19 600                                     | \$11 394                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$38 799                         | \$45 358                        | \$31 316                                     | \$20 701                            | \$23 285                        | \$27 391                                     | \$18 014                            | \$7 755                         | \$19 600                                     | \$9 601                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$40 181                         | \$46 530                        | \$31 944                                     | \$22 063                            | \$27 984                        | \$28 364                                     | \$18 867                            | \$7 755                         | \$21 126                                     | \$9 601                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$42 398                         | \$48 761                        | \$33 017                                     | \$26 665                            | \$28 679                        | \$31 387                                     | \$23 638                            | \$7 755                         | \$16 009                                     | \$10 383                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$41 725                         | \$47 836                        | \$34 362                                     | -                                   | \$34 407                        | \$31 138                                     | \$23 638                            | \$7 755                         | \$15 030                                     | \$10 383                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$32 513                         | \$38 560                        | \$28 346                                     | \$17 460                            | \$9 910                         | \$16 471                                     | \$7 736                             | -                               | \$24 537                                     | \$4 750                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$23 246                         | \$29 384                        | \$22 163                                     | \$7 080                             | \$12 252                        | \$16 597                                     | \$11 610                            | -                               | \$14 905                                     | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$29 813                         | \$35 755                        | \$20 187                                     | -                                   | \$17 910                        | \$20 010                                     | \$21 010                            | -                               | \$6 610                                      | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$30 291                         | \$37 329                        | \$20 187                                     | -                                   | \$17 910                        | \$20 010                                     | \$21 010                            | -                               | \$6 610                                      | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 255                         | \$11 497                        | \$31 385                                     | \$7 080                             | \$9 776                         | \$15 134                                     | \$2 210                             | -                               | \$22 015                                     | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$36 888                         | \$40 331                        | \$38 553                                     | \$35 997                            | \$18 728                        | \$22 714                                     | \$7 510                             | \$10 668                        | -  | \$19 464                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$37 930                         | \$40 943                        | \$40 081                                     | \$35 997                            | \$20 782                        | \$22 714                                     | \$7 510                             | \$23 960                        | -  | \$19 464                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$37 401                         | \$41 698                        | \$28 901                                     | \$35 997                            | \$21 364                        | \$24 269                                     | -                                   | \$23 960                        | -  | \$19 464                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$12 975                         | \$14 351                        | \$19 610                                     | -                                   | \$5 378                         | -  | -                                   | \$8 010                         | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$21 693                         | \$21 847                        | \$5 990                                      | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | \$24 610                        | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$21 693                         | \$21 847                        | \$5 990                                      | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | \$24 610                        | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$23 199                         | \$23 705                        | \$5 990                                      | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | -                                | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$11 315                         | \$11 480                        | \$10 210                                     | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 535                         | \$14 535                        | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 835                          | \$7 230                         | \$10 210                                     | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$10 698                         | \$10 698                        | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$37 979                         | \$44 773                        | \$33 364                                     | \$31 724                            | \$14 003                        | \$16 443                                     | \$8 930                             | \$29 005                        | \$16 468                                     | \$18 641                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$40 187                         | \$46 349                        | \$33 826                                     | \$31 724                            | \$15 942                        | \$18 842                                     | \$14 970                            | \$29 005                        | \$21 551                                     | \$20 462                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$38 931                         | \$44 595                        | \$33 747                                     | \$25 937                            | \$17 992                        | \$19 938                                     | \$15 523                            | \$29 005                        | \$21 551                                     | \$20 019                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 956                         | \$21 958                        | \$10 631                                     | -                                   | \$3 019                         | \$7 266                                      | \$2 648                             | -                               | \$3 400                                      | \$3 462                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 171                          | \$9 308                         | \$7 944                                      | -                                   | \$13 805                        | \$7 365                                      | \$1 645                             | -                               | \$1 485                                      | \$18 520                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$10 805                         | \$13 215                        | \$7 944                                      | -                                   | \$13 805                        | \$10 369                                     | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$13 454                         | \$16 729                        | \$9 605                                      | -                                   | \$13 805                        | \$11 221                                     | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$7 538                          | \$4 473                         | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 410                          | \$1 152                         | \$697  | \$2 948                             | \$1 313                         | \$3 392                                      | \$1 434                             | -                               | \$1 485                                      | \$18 520                            |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 16.0                             | 16.2                            | 9.6  | 14.4                                | 38.0                            | 18.9   | 21.6                                | 0.2                             | 26.6   | 9.1                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 27.3                             | 28.2                            | 16.8   | 27.5                                | 44.6                            | 26.4   | 37.0                                | 0.5                             | 37.0   | 21.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.2                             | 32.8                            | 24.1   | 27.7                                | 59.3                            | 28.7   | 38.9                                | -54.8                           | 37.0   | 22.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.5                             | 32.3                            | 23.8   | 27.5                                | 55.5                            | 28.4   | 35.4                                | -54.8                           | 38.6   | 22.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 34.7                             | 35.7                            | 25.9   | 35.0                                | 56.1                            | 30.1   | 37.3                                | -54.8                           | 53.4   | 22.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 36.2                             | 37.4                            | 26.2   | -                                   | 62.0                            | 31.4   | 37.3                                | -54.8                           | 69.2   | 22.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 17.1                             | 16.7                            | 15.3   | 16.1                                | 9.1                             | 15.0   | 21.7                                | -                               | 32.1   | 23.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 44.2                             | 43.9                            | 30.7   | 33.3                                | 79.2                            | 36.1   | 82.0                                | -                               | 30.0   | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 47.6                             | 45.4                            | 37.3   | -                                   | 92.2                            | 50.0   | 90.5                                | -                               | 75.7   | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 48.4                             | 46.1                            | 37.3   | -                                   | 92.2                            | 50.0   | 90.5                                | -                               | 75.7   | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32.6                             | 31.4                            | 10.8   | 33.3                                | 68.9                            | 28.3   | 2.0                                 | -                               | 18.2   | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 13.0                             | 14.0                            | 4.9  | 27.2                                | 21.3                            | 11.5   | 20.0                                | 21.9                            | -  | 17.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 12.8                             | 13.8                            | 4.6  | 27.2                                | 20.5                            | 11.5   | 20.0                                | 16.7                            | -  | 17.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 13.8                             | 14.2                            | 5.8  | 27.2                                | 20.7                            | 12.1   | -                                   | 16.7                            | -  | 17.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 26.2                             | 36.9                            | 12.3   | -                                   | 41.2                            | -  | -                                   | 25.0                            | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 51.9                             | 52.6                            | 96.9   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | 24.8                            | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 51.9                             | 52.6                            | 96.9   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | 24.8                            | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 62.0                             | 61.8                            | 96.9   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | -                                | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 49.5                             | 52.9                            | 23.6   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 77.8                             | 77.8                            | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 33.6                             | 50.1                            | 23.6   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 33.8                             | 33.8                            | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 73.0                             | 84.7                            | 100.0  | -                                   | 100.0                           | 72.9   | 100.0                               | -                               | 100.0  | 24.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 94.0                             | 90.3                            | 100.0  | -                                   | 100.0                           | 94.3   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 91.7                             | 88.3                            | 100.0  | -                                   | 100.0                           | 91.4   | -                                   | -                               | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 42.9                             | 64.2                            | -  | -                                   | -                               | 54.1   | 100.0                               | -                               | 100.0  | 24.7                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| NORTHEAST REGION<br>RURAL                         | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      |   |                                | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL    |   |                                | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL     |   |                                |
|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
|   |                                | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 12 536                         | 2 517                                 | 1 895   | 119                            | 779                                   | 4 038   | 560                            | 97                                    | 1 228   | 1 303                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 6 374                          | 1 518                                 | 962   | 34                             | 568                                   | 2 152   | 206                            | 61                                    | 498   | 375                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 4 270                          | 998                                   | 578   | 24                             | 388                                   | 1 452   | 156                            | 58                                    | 391   | 225                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 886                          | 901                                   | 547   | 24                             | 339                                   | 1 294   | 151                            | 46                                    | 370   | 214                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 960                          | 687                                   | 433   | 24                             | 231                                   | 985   | 126                            | 39                                    | 286   | 149                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 2 142                          | 474                                   | 361   | 8                              | 173                                   | 663   | 98                             | 31                                    | 214   | 120                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 926                            | 214                                   | 114   | -                              | 108                                   | 309   | 25                             | 7                                     | 84  | 65                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 384                            | 97                                    | 31  | -                              | 49                                    | 158   | 5                              | 12                                    | 21  | 11                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 201                            | 55                                    | 12  | -                              | 30                                    | 72  | 3                              | 12                                    | 12  | 5                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 167                            | 44                                    | 12  | -                              | 27                                    | 60  | 3                              | 12                                    | 9   | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 183                            | 42                                    | 19  | -                              | 19                                    | 86  | 2                              | -                                     | 9   | 6                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 1 811                          | 427                                   | 362   | 10                             | 155                                   | 633   | 27                             | 3                                     | 88  | 106                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 651                          | 392                                   | 338   | 10                             | 141                                   | 567   | 27                             | 3                                     | 69  | 104                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 428                          | 345                                   | 297   | 10                             | 123                                   | 493   | 20                             | 3                                     | 52  | 85                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 160                            | 35                                    | 24  | -                              | 14                                    | 66  | -                              | -                                     | 19  | 2                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 165                            | 48                                    | 5   | -                              | 20                                    | 44  | 23                             | -                                     | 7   | 18                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 121                            | 33                                    | 3   | -                              | 12                                    | 38  | 19                             | -                                     | -   | 16                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 102                            | 26                                    | 1   | -                              | 12                                    | 38  | 9                              | -                                     | -   | 16                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 44                             | 15                                    | 2   | -                              | 8                                     | 6   | 4                              | -                                     | 7   | 2                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 128                            | 45                                    | 17  | -                              | 5                                     | 23  | -                              | -                                     | 12  | 26                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37                             | 8                                     | -   | -                              | 5                                     | 8   | -                              | -                                     | 6   | 10                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31                             | 13                                    | 5   | -                              | -                                     | -   | -                              | -                                     | 2   | 11                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 60                             | 24                                    | 12  | -                              | -                                     | 15  | -                              | -                                     | 4   | 5                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 4 613                          | 889                                   | 827   | 71                             | 188                                   | 1 559   | 219                            | 22                                    | 454   | 384                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 4 052                          | 834                                   | 765   | 62                             | 183                                   | 1 355   | 176                            | 20                                    | 362   | 295                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 3 573                          | 748                                   | 689   | 45                             | 155                                   | 1 173   | 166                            | 20                                    | 321   | 256                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 561                            | 55                                    | 62  | 9                              | 5                                     | 204   | 43                             | 2                                     | 92  | 89                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 439                            | 52                                    | 17  | 2                              | 4                                     | 150   | 28                             | 12                                    | 76  | 98                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 277                            | 13                                    | 7   | -                              | 4                                     | 106   | 22                             | 12                                    | 56  | 57                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 209                            | 11                                    | -   | -                              | 2                                     | 98  | 20                             | 12                                    | 39  | 27                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 162                            | 39                                    | 10  | 2                              | -                                     | 44  | 6                              | -                                     | 20  | 41                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 1 110                          | 58                                    | 89  | 12                             | 19                                    | 177   | 107                            | 2                                     | 200   | 446                            |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | \$21 409                       | \$31 279                              | \$26 833  | \$22 183                       | \$21 820                              | \$19 249  | \$14 004                       | \$17 914                              | \$15 093  | \$10 231                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$24 862                       | \$30 457                              | \$28 967  | \$24 787                       | \$23 645                              | \$21 378  | \$22 070                       | \$20 160                              | \$22 099  | \$19 496                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$26 024                       | \$32 731                              | \$30 467  | \$22 510                       | \$24 462                              | \$22 431  | \$22 538                       | \$20 840                              | \$23 327  | \$19 563                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$26 907                       | \$33 757                              | \$31 212  | \$22 510                       | \$25 255                              | \$23 487  | \$22 849                       | \$23 044                              | \$23 782  | \$19 959                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 449                       | \$35 150                              | \$33 038  | \$22 510                       | \$28 178                              | \$24 914  | \$24 787                       | \$22 472                              | \$24 885  | \$20 458                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$29 520                       | \$36 750                              | \$35 331  | \$13 010                       | \$28 467                              | \$25 374  | \$27 032                       | \$21 587                              | \$25 425  | \$20 396                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$21 980                       | \$29 284                              | \$24 277  | -                              | \$19 002                              | \$18 936  | \$13 081                       | \$26 229                              | \$20 026  | \$18 813                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$17 087                       | \$23 198                              | \$17 321  | -                              | \$18 978                              | \$13 784  | \$13 130                       | \$12 390                              | \$15 314  | \$11 865                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 423                       | \$27 259                              | \$20 147  | -                              | \$21 923                              | \$16 716  | \$19 010                       | \$12 390                              | \$19 331  | \$13 010                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$20 350                       | \$26 593                              | \$20 147  | -                              | \$22 391                              | \$16 795  | \$19 010                       | \$12 390                              | \$18 744  | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 423                       | \$17 880                              | \$15 536  | -                              | \$14 328                              | \$11 330  | \$4 310                        | -                                     | \$9 958   | \$10 910                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$22 653                       | \$26 229                              | \$26 872  | \$30 254                       | \$21 435                              | \$18 998  | \$16 414                       | \$7 010                               | \$18 392  | \$22 304                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 709                       | \$27 805                              | \$28 056  | \$30 254                       | \$21 483                              | \$19 829  | \$16 414                       | \$7 010                               | \$19 879  | \$22 599                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$24 137                       | \$28 463                              | \$28 553  | \$30 254                       | \$21 694                              | \$19 833  | \$15 928                       | \$7 010                               | \$20 227  | \$23 855                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$11 763                       | \$8 588                               | \$10 197  | -                              | \$20 954                              | \$11 857  | -                              | -                                     | \$12 992  | \$7 010                        |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$20 932                       | \$20 359                              | \$11 098  | -                              | \$14 594                              | \$24 930  | \$25 542                       | -                                     | \$18 155  | \$17 648                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 893                       | \$14 047                              | \$16 710  | -                              | \$15 695                              | \$24 931  | \$30 315                       | -                                     | \$18 922  | \$18 922                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$21 498                       | \$15 152                              | \$24 510  | -                              | \$15 695                              | \$24 931  | \$37 320                       | -                                     | \$18 922  | \$18 922                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$21 037                       | \$34 247                              | \$2 680   | -                              | \$12 941                              | \$24 925  | \$2 870                        | -                                     | \$18 155  | \$7 460                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$22 412                       | \$30 921                              | \$27 813  | -                              | \$65 010                              | \$13 613  | -                              | -                                     | \$11 577  | \$8 744                        |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$26 488                       | \$34 515                              | -   | -                              | \$65 010                              | \$19 010  | -                              | -                                     | \$17 780  | \$12 013                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$17 507                       | \$25 809                              | \$22 515  | -                              | -                                     | -   | -                              | -                                     | \$5 410   | \$7 618                        |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$22 432                       | \$32 493                              | \$30 020  | -                              | -                                     | \$10 734  | -                              | -                                     | \$5 355   | \$4 685                        |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$24 673                       | \$35 703                              | \$27 655  | \$24 495                       | \$18 740                              | \$19 232  | \$13 727                       | \$15 369                              | \$14 460  | \$11 711                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$24 448                       | \$37 489                              | \$28 680  | \$24 275                       | \$19 047                              | \$20 751  | \$16 202                       | \$16 706                              | \$16 232  | \$12 492                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$24 916                       | \$37 338                              | \$29 558  | \$27 345                       | \$19 929                              | \$20 957  | \$16 545                       | \$16 706                              | \$17 264  | \$12 529                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 238                        | \$8 623                               | \$14 729  | \$26 005                       | \$7 510                               | \$9 139   | \$3 598                        | \$2 005                               | \$7 486   | \$9 121                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 523                        | \$13 150                              | \$7 548   | \$6 930                        | \$11 058                              | \$10 457  | \$8 093                        | \$14 148                              | \$7 212   | \$8 138                        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$10 643                       | \$30 355                              | \$7 605   | -                              | \$11 058                              | \$11 217  | \$10 135                       | \$14 148                              | \$7 077   | \$8 385                        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$11 609                       | \$33 110                              | -   | -                              | \$13 005                              | \$11 732  | \$10 038                       | \$14 148                              | \$7 688   | \$7 993                        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$7 610                        | \$7 415                               | \$7 508   | \$6 930                        | -                                     | \$8 626   | \$605                          | -                                     | \$7 591   | \$7 795                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 341                        | \$1 233                               | -   | \$3 671                        | -                                     | \$959   | \$590                          | -                                     | \$2 077   | \$1 626                        |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 18.1                           | 18.2                                  | 13.8  | 11.0                           | 26.9                                  | 17.5  | 20.0                           | 36.1                                  | 22.4  | 18.6                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 28.9                           | 30.2                                  | 24.9  | 34.2                           | 33.8                                  | 27.2  | 31.0                           | 38.3                                  | 33.3  | 26.9                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.5                           | 35.4                                  | 26.9  | 34.8                           | 36.1                                  | 31.0  | 33.4                           | 38.5                                  | 35.2  | 29.5                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.9                           | 34.4                                  | 26.4  | 34.8                           | 34.8                                  | 30.8  | 32.4                           | 35.2                                  | 35.3  | 28.8                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.3                           | 38.0                                  | 29.4  | 34.8                           | 38.8                                  | 34.5  | 33.3                           | 40.6                                  | 38.8  | 34.4                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 34.6                           | 36.9                                  | 29.1  | 46.2                           | 35.5                                  | 34.7  | 33.3                           | 43.4                                  | 38.1  | 35.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 17.5                           | 20.6                                  | 10.9  | -                              | 22.0                                  | 15.3  | 23.7                           | 9.6                                   | 20.3  | 14.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 43.0                           | 48.3                                  | 42.3  | -                              | 48.0                                  | 33.7  | 85.3                           | 61.5                                  | 35.0  | 53.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 50.4                           | 48.9                                  | 45.5  | -                              | 56.3                                  | 47.6  | 84.2                           | 61.5                                  | 44.9  | 61.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 49.4                           | 45.1                                  | 45.5  | -                              | 53.1                                  | 50.1  | 84.2                           | 61.5                                  | 45.4  | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.7                           | 47.1                                  | 39.7  | -                              | 27.9                                  | 16.6  | 92.9                           | -                                     | 9.4   | 45.9                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 18.2                           | 14.7                                  | 21.4  | 33.0                           | 22.6                                  | 16.4  | 9.4                            | 28.6                                  | 22.9  | 20.7                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 17.6                           | 14.4                                  | 21.6  | 33.0                           | 21.1                                  | 15.2  | 9.4                            | 28.6                                  | 22.2  | 20.5                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 18.4                           | 14.9                                  | 23.0  | 33.0                           | 21.5                                  | 16.2  | 8.5                            | 28.6                                  | 15.3  | 23.3                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 29.4                           | 24.6                                  | 13.2  | -                              | 37.9                                  | 33.6  | -                              | -                                     | 26.7  | 42.9                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 43.7                           | 56.9                                  | 62.3  | -                              | 46.6                                  | 37.8  | 33.0                           | -                                     | 16.2  | 48.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.4                           | 76.7                                  | 66.9  | -                              | 53.2                                  | 42.7  | 32.1                           | -                                     | -   | 49.8                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 47.3                           | 76.2                                  | 71.4  | -                              | 53.2                                  | 42.7  | 19.3                           | -                                     | -   | 49.8                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.3                           | 39.1                                  | 19.6  | -                              | 34.8                                  | 6.8   | 80.3                           | -                                     | 16.2  | 19.5                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 22.2                           | 15.2                                  | 17.5  | -                              | 69.2                                  | 9.3   | -                              | -                                     | 43.2  | 12.1                           |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 45.3                           | 48.8                                  | -   | -                              | 69.2                                  | 10.5  | -                              | -                                     | 46.5  | 15.9                           |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 12.3                           | 9.4                                   | 20.0  | -                              | -                                     | -   | -                              | -                                     | 42.6  | 10.0                           |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 9.3                            | 5.9                                   | 16.7  | -                              | -                                     | 8.1   | -                              | -                                     | 27.1  | -                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 69.9                           | 51.5                                  | 80.5  | -23.6                          | 96.8                                  | 72.0  | 69.7                           | 91.9                                  | 88.5  | 62.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 73.0                           | 37.1                                  | 100.0   | -                              | 96.8                                  | 84.9  | 69.2                           | 91.9                                  | 84.1  | 84.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 77.9                           | 31.9                                  | -   | -                              | 100.0                                 | 84.4  | 75.2                           | 91.9                                  | 86.6  | 98.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 50.5                           | 71.1                                  | 66.7  | -23.6                          | -                                     | 31.7  | 100.0                          | -                                     | 100.0   | 29.5                           |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION<br>RURAL                    | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL  |                                 |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL   |                                 |  |                                     |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 4 302 715                        | 558 830                         | 441 702                                      | 17 301                              | 342 664                         | 1 961 861                                    | 155 058                             | 58 204                          | 434 800                                      | 332 295                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 2 152 583                        | 371 767                         | 244 806                                      | 5 064                               | 218 947                         | 1 036 341                                    | 44 225                              | 20 893                          | 151 613                                      | 58 927                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 1 334 221                        | 222 611                         | 147 036                                      | 3 045                               | 138 399                         | 654 793                                      | 27 438                              | 12 781                          | 94 421                                       | 33 697                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 199 048                        | 200 906                         | 135 379                                      | 2 620                               | 126 753                         | 591 161                                      | 23 757                              | 10 838                          | 79 756                                       | 27 878                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 874 930                          | 135 381                         | 99 826                                       | 1 844                               | 87 544                          | 441 631                                      | 16 822                              | 7 472                           | 62 556                                       | 21 854                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 655 615                          | 94 913                          | 76 827                                       | 1 425                               | 63 912                          | 334 510                                      | 12 675                              | 5 688                           | 48 164                                       | 17 501                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 324 118                          | 65 525                          | 35 553                                       | 776                                 | 39 209                          | 149 530                                      | 6 935                               | 3 366                           | 17 200                                       | 6 024                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 135 173                          | 21 705                          | 11 657                                       | 425                                 | 11 646                          | 63 632                                       | 3 681                               | 1 943                           | 14 665                                       | 5 819                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 76 271                           | 9 621                           | 6 979  | 197                                 | 6 904                           | 37 037                                       | 1 865                               | 1 029                           | 9 199  | 3 440                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 58 541                           | 6 750                           | 5 510  | 130                                 | 5 408                           | 28 693                                       | 1 395                               | 777                             | 7 233  | 2 645                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 58 902                           | 12 084                          | 4 678  | 228                                 | 4 742                           | 26 595                                       | 1 816                               | 914                             | 5 466  | 2 379                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 708 357                          | 132 924                         | 88 287                                       | 1 567                               | 71 027                          | 337 755                                      | 12 923                              | 5 479                           | 42 227                                       | 16 168                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 650 216                          | 124 801                         | 82 960                                       | 1 414                               | 66 341                          | 310 754                                      | 11 246                              | 4 661                           | 35 350                                       | 12 699                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 570 147                          | 111 419                         | 74 446                                       | 1 244                               | 58 607                          | 269 481                                      | 9 637                               | 4 110                           | 30 511                                       | 10 592                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 58 141                           | 8 123                           | 5 327  | 153                                 | 4 686                           | 27 001                                       | 1 677                               | 818                             | 6 697  | 3 659                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 58 790                           | 9 114                           | 5 242  | 234                                 | 5 681                           | 23 724                                       | 1 820                               | 1 389                           | 7 763  | 3 823                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 41 324                           | 6 018                           | 3 897  | 157                                 | 3 511                           | 17 172                                       | 1 280                               | 847                             | 5 619  | 2 823                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 33 411                           | 4 542                           | 3 233  | 140                                 | 2 839                           | 13 969                                       | 1 052                               | 673                             | 4 740  | 2 223                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 17 466                           | 3 096                           | 1 345  | 77                                  | 2 170                           | 6 552  | 540                                 | 542                             | 2 144  | 1 000                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 51 215                           | 7 118                           | 4 241  | 218                                 | 3 840                           | 20 069                                       | 2 044                               | 1 244                           | 7 202  | 5 239                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 19 236                           | 2 869                           | 1 679  | 72                                  | 1 424                           | 7 486  | 771                                 | 485                             | 2 537  | 1 913                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 11 394                           | 1 485                           | 782  | 76                                  | 814                             | 4 164  | 539                                 | 370                             | 1 876  | 1 294                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 20 585                           | 2 764                           | 1 780  | 70                                  | 1 602                           | 8 419  | 734                                 | 389                             | 2 789  | 2 032                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 1 513 904                        | 158 655                         | 168 909                                      | 6 881                               | 91 836                          | 742 495                                      | 66 363                              | 16 927                          | 152 426                                      | 109 412                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 294 180                        | 146 489                         | 154 440                                      | 5 328                               | 80 438                          | 650 193                                      | 51 840                              | 12 058                          | 117 160                                      | 76 234                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 121 361                        | 131 454                         | 138 775                                      | 4 599                               | 70 931                          | 558 710                                      | 43 570                              | 10 412                          | 98 634                                       | 64 276                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 138 144                          | 12 167                          | 14 469                                       | 1 553                               | 11 398                          | 92 302                                       | 14 523                              | 4 869                           | 35 266                                       | 33 178                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 91 466                           | 4 520                           | 4 528  | 517                                 | 5 812                           | 34 409                                       | 4 656                               | 2 459                           | 21 623                                       | 12 942                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 73 723                           | 3 443                           | 3 664  | 451                                 | 4 698                           | 28 009                                       | 3 669                               | 1 921                           | 17 730                                       | 10 138                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 46 678                           | 2 907                           | 2 345  | 285                                 | 3 979                           | 15 604                                       | 2 460                               | 2 047                           | 9 656  | 7 395                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 498 084                          | 20 981                          | 21 114                                       | 4 554                               | 22 090                          | 133 012                                      | 37 354                              | 15 878                          | 99 482                                       | 143 619                             |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$19 479                         | \$26 595                        | \$23 526                                     | \$14 400                            | \$21 461                        | \$19 963                                     | \$13 507                            | \$12 984                        | \$13 996                                     | \$8 594                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$24 203                         | \$27 848                        | \$25 679                                     | \$23 079                            | \$24 784                        | \$23 357                                     | \$20 961                            | \$22 056                        | \$21 291                                     | \$18 593                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$25 457                         | \$29 248                        | \$26 628                                     | \$25 016                            | \$26 231                        | \$24 453                                     | \$22 452                            | \$24 456                        | \$23 110                                     | \$21 081                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$26 332                         | \$29 976                        | \$27 406                                     | \$26 777                            | \$26 885                        | \$25 301                                     | \$23 654                            | \$25 625                        | \$24 330                                     | \$22 423                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$27 654                         | \$31 230                        | \$29 019                                     | \$28 882                            | \$27 825                        | \$26 851                                     | \$25 003                            | \$26 592                        | \$25 479                                     | \$23 329                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$28 132                         | \$31 712                        | \$29 832                                     | \$29 587                            | \$28 085                        | \$27 478                                     | \$25 253                            | \$26 576                        | \$25 624                                     | \$23 288                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$22 762                         | \$27 384                        | \$22 875                                     | \$21 774                            | \$24 788                        | \$20 723                                     | \$20 381                            | \$23 477                        | \$20 152                                     | \$19 137                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$17 698                         | \$22 509                        | \$17 597                                     | \$14 160                            | \$19 104                        | \$16 570                                     | \$14 698                            | \$17 938                        | \$16 473                                     | \$14 668                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 636                         | \$22 713                        | \$19 766                                     | \$16 883                            | \$20 938                        | \$19 153                                     | \$17 611                            | \$20 157                        | \$18 778                                     | \$16 758                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 964                         | \$22 593                        | \$20 330                                     | \$16 708                            | \$20 957                        | \$19 681                                     | \$18 043                            | \$20 290                        | \$19 120                                     | \$16 914                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 189                         | \$22 346                        | \$14 362                                     | \$11 807                            | \$16 434                        | \$12 972                                     | \$11 706                            | \$15 440                        | \$12 595                                     | \$11 597                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$23 115                         | \$26 501                        | \$24 975                                     | \$22 253                            | \$22 868                        | \$22 152                                     | \$20 406                            | \$20 329                        | \$19 975                                     | \$17 699                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 924                         | \$27 127                        | \$25 594                                     | \$23 047                            | \$23 417                        | \$22 884                                     | \$21 624                            | \$21 705                        | \$21 359                                     | \$19 683                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$24 270                         | \$27 409                        | \$26 004                                     | \$23 651                            | \$23 615                        | \$23 243                                     | \$22 082                            | \$21 690                        | \$21 542                                     | \$19 782                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 065                         | \$16 870                        | \$15 339                                     | \$14 922                            | \$15 091                        | \$13 731                                     | \$12 239                            | \$12 489                        | \$12 631                                     | \$10 916                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$17 760                         | \$20 921                        | \$18 577                                     | \$15 633                            | \$19 766                        | \$17 729                                     | \$13 888                            | \$16 762                        | \$15 378                                     | \$13 483                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 183                         | \$21 613                        | \$19 905                                     | \$18 481                            | \$20 874                        | \$19 537                                     | \$14 747                            | \$18 763                        | \$17 040                                     | \$15 187                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 478                         | \$21 808                        | \$20 280                                     | \$18 534                            | \$20 867                        | \$19 933                                     | \$14 736                            | \$18 922                        | \$17 504                                     | \$15 599                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$14 394                         | \$19 576                        | \$14 731                                     | \$9 825                             | \$17 973                        | \$12 993                                     | \$11 854                            | \$13 636                        | \$11 020                                     | \$8 674                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$13 995                         | \$18 081                        | \$16 215                                     | \$9 942                             | \$15 496                        | \$14 521                                     | \$10 752                            | \$10 909                        | \$11 536                                     | \$9 084                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$16 938                         | \$20 501                        | \$19 593                                     | \$14 505                            | \$18 826                        | \$17 862                                     | \$12 115                            | \$12 962                        | \$14 091                                     | \$11 065                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 981                          | \$13 451                        | \$8 920                                      | \$7 438                             | \$9 513                         | \$8 915                                      | \$7 700                             | \$7 908                         | \$7 573                                      | \$6 733                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$14 021                         | \$18 057                        | \$16 235                                     | \$7 926                             | \$15 575                        | \$14 322                                     | \$11 563                            | \$11 205                        | \$11 878                                     | \$8 715                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$19 615                         | \$27 642                        | \$23 731                                     | \$17 312                            | \$19 354                        | \$19 225                                     | \$16 000                            | \$13 477                        | \$15 928                                     | \$12 908                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$21 308                         | \$28 855                        | \$24 856                                     | \$20 054                            | \$20 610                        | \$20 470                                     | \$18 084                            | \$16 046                        | \$18 108                                     | \$15 524                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$21 701                         | \$29 160                        | \$25 315                                     | \$20 525                            | \$20 842                        | \$20 823                                     | \$18 318                            | \$16 131                        | \$18 293                                     | \$15 732                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 646                          | \$13 040                        | \$11 723                                     | \$7 904                             | \$10 490                        | \$10 457                                     | \$8 558                             | \$7 113                         | \$8 688                                      | \$6 895                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 557                          | \$10 800                        | \$8 610                                      | \$7 496                             | \$10 583                        | \$8 819                                      | \$7 412                             | \$8 776                         | \$8 342                                      | \$6 829                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$10 262                         | \$12 985                        | \$10 720                                     | \$9 132                             | \$12 108                        | \$10 633                                     | \$9 106                             | \$10 193                        | \$9 887                                      | \$8 456                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$10 598                         | \$13 686                        | \$11 107                                     | \$9 342                             | \$12 175                        | \$11 054                                     | \$9 408                             | \$10 578                        | \$10 104                                     | \$8 732                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 217                          | \$7 401                         | \$4 536                                      | \$4 527                             | \$8 356                         | \$4 817                                      | \$4 205                             | \$7 073                         | \$4 882                                      | \$4 017                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 676                          | \$2 061                         | \$1 773                                      | \$1 566                             | \$2 105                         | \$1 823                                      | \$1 416                             | \$1 717                         | \$1 696                                      | \$1 456                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 17.6                             | 19.8                            | 14.4   | 13.6                                | 23.8                            | 16.6   | 13.0                                | 25.2                            | 18.2   | 14.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.3                             | 27.5                            | 23.0   | 24.8                                | 30.5                            | 25.3   | 24.6                                | 33.6                            | 27.7   | 21.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 31.5                             | 34.2                            | 28.7   | 29.1                                | 35.7                            | 30.2   | 28.4                                | 37.5                            | 31.4   | 29.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 30.7                             | 33.2                            | 28.1   | 28.2                                | 35.0                            | 29.6   | 27.5                                | 36.2                            | 30.2   | 28.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 33.9                             | 36.2                            | 31.9   | 31.2                                | 37.5                            | 33.1   | 31.5                                | 37.4                            | 33.2   | 31.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 34.0                             | 36.1                            | 32.3   | 31.1                                | 37.3                            | 33.3   | 31.6                                | 36.8                            | 33.1   | 31.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 20.2                             | 26.1                            | 14.5   | 18.8                                | 28.8                            | 15.9   | 15.6                                | 33.3                            | 16.6   | 16.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 41.8                             | 45.8                            | 39.4   | 38.6                                | 46.6                            | 39.8   | 38.1                                | 48.0                            | 40.9   | 39.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 47.7                             | 50.9                            | 46.2   | 46.2                                | 51.0                            | 46.7   | 46.4                                | 51.5                            | 46.7   | 45.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 48.6                             | 51.3                            | 47.6   | 49.6                                | 52.4                            | 47.6   | 48.0                                | 52.6                            | 47.5   | 46.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31.9                             | 41.7                            | 25.4   | 29.4                                | 38.5                            | 25.5   | 25.3                                | 42.9                            | 26.3   | 27.7                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.3                             | 14.2                            | 12.1   | 13.4                                | 17.5                            | 13.9   | 14.0                                | 18.5                            | 15.6   | 16.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 13.9                             | 13.9                            | 11.9   | 12.8                                | 17.2                            | 13.6   | 13.4                                | 17.4                            | 14.9   | 15.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.8                             | 13.7                            | 11.8   | 12.3                                | 17.1                            | 13.6   | 13.3                                | 17.4                            | 15.0   | 15.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 21.0                             | 22.4                            | 18.3   | 21.8                                | 24.6                            | 19.7   | 21.2                                | 30.0                            | 21.8   | 24.1                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 44.9                             | 49.6                            | 42.4   | 43.2                                | 48.6                            | 41.9   | 41.4                                | 55.4                            | 45.0   | 45.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 48.9                             | 54.0                            | 47.5   | 46.7                                | 52.2                            | 46.5   | 47.6                                | 55.0                            | 48.9   | 48.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 49.2                             | 54.1                            | 49.2   | 48.2                                | 52.1                            | 47.1   | 47.7                                | 53.8                            | 49.3   | 47.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 32.1                             | 40.0                            | 22.3   | 29.6                                | 42.0                            | 23.8   | 23.2                                | 56.3                            | 29.1   | 31.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 24.5                             | 25.5                            | 19.6   | 26.5                                | 29.4                            | 22.7   | 24.5                                | 29.2                            | 26.8   | 28.9                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 27.0                             | 27.8                            | 21.5   | 25.9                                | 32.0                            | 25.9   | 28.1                                | 29.3                            | 28.5   | 30.0                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25.0                             | 31.7                            | 23.7   | 10.9                                | 32.6                            | 21.5   | 19.2                                | 25.6                            | 22.4   | 26.7                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 21.6                             | 20.2                            | 16.3   | 41.0                                | 25.5                            | 19.6   | 23.0                                | 31.6                            | 27.0   | 28.7                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED        | 76.2                             | 83.9                            | 77.9   | 75.2                                | 80.4                            | 75.8   |                                     |                                 |  |                                     |



TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

C DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION<br>RURAL                     | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                               |                        | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                        |                                 | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                        |                                 |          |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE |          |
| BLACK   |                                  |                               |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | 17 062                           | 2 299                         | 1 572                  | 48                                 | 1 602                  | 5 434                           | 758                               | 330                    | 2 386                           | 2 633    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 8 382                            | 1 733                         | 951                    | 16                                 | 1 078                  | 3 017                           | 234                               | 150                    | 788                             | 415      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 5 949                            | 1 285                         | 745                    | 11                                 | 771                    | 2 207                           | 140                               | 103                    | 510                             | 197      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 5 281                            | 1 186                         | 653                    | 9                                  | 696                    | 1 977                           | 111                               | 84                     | 398                             | 167      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 013                            | 911                           | 530                    | 7                                  | 523                    | 1 473                           | 79                                | 60                     | 317                             | 113      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 2 759                            | 566                           | 386                    | 7                                  | 381                    | 1 014                           | 53                                | 46                     | 210                             | 96       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 268                            | 275                           | 123                    | 2                                  | 173                    | 504                             | 27                                | 24                     | 81                              | 54       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 688                              | 99                            | 92                     | 2                                  | 75                     | 230                             | 29                                | 19                     | 112                             | 30       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 450                              | 78                            | 75                     | -                                  | 49                     | 124                             | 17                                | 17                     | 68                              | 23       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 318                              | 61                            | 60                     | -                                  | 46                     | 85                              | 9                                 | 2                      | 47                              | 8        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 238                              | 21                            | 17                     | 2                                  | 26                     | 106                             | 13                                | 2                      | 44                              | 7        |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 1 673                            | 294                           | 154                    | 5                                  | 219                    | 593                             | 63                                | 15                     | 199                             | 131      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 465                            | 273                           | 134                    | 2                                  | 203                    | 537                             | 50                                | 10                     | 155                             | 101      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 174                            | 233                           | 124                    | 2                                  | 178                    | 411                             | 29                                | 8                      | 129                             | 60       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 208                              | 21                            | 20                     | 3                                  | 16                     | 56                              | 13                                | 5                      | 44                              | 30       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 407                              | 86                            | 22                     | -                                  | 54                     | 132                             | 17                                | 8                      | 51                              | 37       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 259                              | 63                            | 12                     | -                                  | 40                     | 66                              | 8                                 | 8                      | 40                              | 22       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 186                              | 12                            | 12                     | -                                  | 33                     | 58                              | 6                                 | 6                      | 40                              | 19       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 148                              | 23                            | 10                     | -                                  | 14                     | 66                              | 9                                 | -                      | 11                              | 15       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 333                              | 68                            | 30                     | -                                  | 34                     | 85                              | 14                                | 24                     | 28                              | 50       |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 114                              | 18                            | 14                     | -                                  | 13                     | 19                              | 11                                | 19                     | 3                               | 17       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 96                               | 35                            | 6                      | -                                  | -                      | 29                              | 3                                 | -                      | 7                               | 16       |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 123                              | 15                            | 10                     | -                                  | 21                     | 37                              | -                                 | 5                      | 18                              | 17       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 4 397                            | 384                           | 465                    | 7                                  | 267                    | 1 581                           | 292                               | 36                     | 687                             | 678      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 371                            | 324                           | 416                    | 4                                  | 227                    | 1 288                           | 222                               | 21                     | 497                             | 372      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 2 768                            | 285                           | 380                    | 3                                  | 190                    | 1 079                           | 163                               | 16                     | 367                             | 285      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 026                            | 60                            | 49                     | 3                                  | 40                     | 293                             | 70                                | 15                     | 190                             | 306      |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 1 150                            | 84                            | 47                     | 2                                  | 131                    | 338                             | 30                                | 54                     | 254                             | 210      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 788                              | 55                            | 37                     | 2                                  | 81                     | 247                             | 26                                | 47                     | 201                             | 92       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 588                              | 25                            | 35                     | 2                                  | 66                     | 195                             | 26                                | 35                     | 141                             | 65       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 362                              | 29                            | 10                     | -                                  | 50                     | 91                              | 4                                 | 7                      | 53                              | 118      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 3 133                            | 98                            | 109                    | 23                                 | 126                    | 498                             | 202                               | 90                     | 657                             | 1 330    |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                               |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | \$17 548                         | \$27 939                      | \$21 898               | \$12 465                           | \$24 302               | \$19 184                        | \$11 800                          | \$15 231               | \$11 433                        | \$5 969  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$25 361                         | \$31 081                      | \$26 667               | \$28 133                           | \$29 027               | \$23 634                        | \$18 023                          | \$25 858               | \$19 741                        | \$16 033 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$27 375                         | \$33 724                      | \$28 117               | \$31 169                           | \$29 731               | \$25 010                        | \$21 958                          | \$27 581               | \$21 340                        | \$19 589 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$28 583                         | \$34 789                      | \$29 907               | \$34 715                           | \$30 759               | \$25 527                        | \$25 380                          | \$28 641               | \$23 093                        | \$21 305 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$30 187                         | \$36 079                      | \$31 512               | \$40 545                           | \$32 270               | \$27 454                        | \$20 988                          | \$32 107               | \$24 817                        | \$22 303 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$31 155                         | \$36 953                      | \$33 113               | \$40 545                           | \$33 178               | \$28 507                        | \$21 703                          | \$35 629               | \$25 491                        | \$23 820 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$23 508                         | \$30 517                      | \$22 992               | \$14 310                           | \$26 190               | \$19 897                        | \$36 223                          | \$19 977               | \$16 346                        | \$19 217 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$18 099                         | \$20 967                      | \$15 409               | \$15 210                           | \$20 188               | \$20 560                        | \$8 860                           | \$22 895               | \$15 109                        | \$10 037 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$20 359                         | \$21 169                      | \$15 161               | -                                  | \$22 411               | \$25 971                        | \$9 535                           | \$22 764               | \$18 430                        | \$11 393 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 674                         | \$21 575                      | \$15 655               | -                                  | \$23 054               | \$23 510                        | \$10 410                          | \$19 010               | \$15 744                        | \$8 819  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 825                         | \$20 215                      | \$16 507               | \$15 210                           | \$16 000               | \$14 229                        | \$8 028                           | \$24 010               | \$9 977                         | \$5 581  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$21 680                         | \$25 840                      | \$24 183               | \$21 456                           | \$26 157               | \$21 012                        | \$13 203                          | \$22 518               | \$17 457                        | \$15 341 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$22 876                         | \$27 021                      | \$25 382               | \$40 125                           | \$27 225               | \$21 919                        | \$14 382                          | \$24 657               | \$17 680                        | \$16 357 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$23 886                         | \$28 377                      | \$26 074               | \$40 125                           | \$26 887               | \$23 254                        | \$14 190                          | \$21 513               | \$18 303                        | \$15 820 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 254                         | \$10 492                      | \$16 146               | \$9 010                            | \$12 607               | \$12 321                        | \$8 669                           | \$18 239               | \$16 669                        | \$11 918 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$20 220                         | \$24 316                      | \$9 886                | -                                  | \$26 297               | \$20 505                        | \$13 009                          | \$6 726                | \$19 540                        | \$14 127 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 257                         | \$24 216                      | \$12 663               | -                                  | \$20 620               | \$25 690                        | \$23 874                          | \$6 726                | \$22 087                        | \$19 929 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$22 890                         | \$32 110                      | \$12 663               | -                                  | \$20 962               | \$26 789                        | \$23 668                          | \$4 915                | \$22 087                        | \$22 096 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$16 655                         | \$24 591                      | \$6 554                | -                                  | \$42 516               | \$15 320                        | \$3 350                           | -                      | \$10 275                        | \$5 616  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$14 037                         | \$12 351                      | \$15 729               | -                                  | \$35 890               | \$11 071                        | \$6 446                           | \$26 930               | \$7 231                         | \$5 245  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 893                         | \$11 018                      | \$12 547               | -                                  | \$33 538               | \$22 734                        | \$8 114                           | \$32 909               | \$17 010                        | \$8 610  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 871                          | \$14 598                      | \$6 010                | -                                  | -                      | \$6 857                         | \$330                             | -                      | \$7 288                         | \$3 361  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$13 568                         | \$8 710                       | \$26 015               | -                                  | \$37 347               | \$8 384                         | -                                 | \$4 210                | \$5 580                         | \$3 652  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$16 428                         | \$25 072                      | \$18 370               | \$14 344                           | \$20 477               | \$18 077                        | \$14 816                          | \$10 617               | \$12 504                        | \$9 762  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$19 275                         | \$28 045                      | \$19 783               | \$10 099                           | \$22 853               | \$20 114                        | \$16 821                          | \$15 460               | \$15 146                        | \$13 279 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$19 451                         | \$27 733                      | \$20 283               | \$5 118                            | \$25 446               | \$20 037                        | \$16 876                          | \$15 618               | \$15 206                        | \$12 501 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$7 074                          | \$9 018                       | \$6 378                | \$20 005                           | \$6 991                | \$9 124                         | \$8 459                           | \$3 837                | \$5 593                         | \$5 487  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$9 803                          | \$8 566                       | \$8 237                | \$6 625                            | \$15 173               | \$11 119                        | \$10 022                          | \$13 228               | \$9 658                         | \$4 556  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$11 820                         | \$11 627                      | \$9 144                | \$6 625                            | \$16 227               | \$13 872                        | \$11 197                          | \$12 517               | \$10 692                        | \$6 016  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$11 404                         | \$12 474                      | \$8 646                | \$6 625                            | \$16 314               | \$12 911                        | \$11 197                          | \$12 654               | \$9 733                         | \$6 063  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 414                          | \$2 180                       | \$4 882                | -                                  | \$13 465               | \$3 645                         | \$2 380                           | \$18 005               | \$5 739                         | \$3 418  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 058                          | \$388                         | \$1 227                | \$1 502                            | \$1 479                | \$1 212                         | \$496                             | \$566                  | \$1 033                         | \$1 118  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                               |                        |                                    |                        |                                 |                                   |                        |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | 25.6                             | 29.9                          | 23.3                   | 18.1                               | 32.6                   | 22.8                            | 15.6                              | 39.2                   | 25.6                            | 15.3     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.9                             | 34.5                          | 30.4                   | 21.1                               | 34.9                   | 29.8                            | 28.5                              | 34.2                   | 32.6                            | 25.5     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.9                             | 37.0                          | 33.2                   | 25.0                               | 38.7                   | 32.6                            | 31.4                              | 39.9                   | 36.2                            | 27.0     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34.1                             | 36.1                          | 32.0                   | 22.6                               | 37.8                   | 32.3                            | 29.2                              | 33.7                   | 35.7                            | 26.0     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.8                             | 38.2                          | 34.4                   | 24.4                               | 39.4                   | 35.4                            | 36.4                              | 39.1                   | 38.8                            | 31.5     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.2                             | 39.5                          | 36.1                   | 24.4                               | 39.9                   | 35.0                            | 35.0                              | 37.4                   | 39.5                            | 31.1     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 23.3                             | 28.0                          | 17.9                   | 4.9                                | 31.8                   | 19.9                            | 18.9                              | 11.9                   | 17.4                            | 12.8     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 44.7                             | 55.1                          | 49.2                   | 48.7                               | 51.1                   | 35.8                            | 55.3                              | 73.9                   | 39.0                            | 38.0     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 49.1                             | 57.3                          | 55.6                   | -                                  | 55.0                   | 39.5                            | 76.1                              | 78.4                   | 42.1                            | 37.5     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.3                             | 57.6                          | 56.8                   | -                                  | 55.2                   | 43.6                            | 86.5                              | 78.9                   | 51.3                            | 41.7     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32.3                             | 46.5                          | 23.3                   | 48.7                               | 40.5                   | 28.0                            | 24.8                              | 37.5                   | 30.1                            | 41.6     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 15.6                             | 15.4                          | 15.3                   | 8.6                                | 16.5                   | 15.0                            | 18.3                              | 23.9                   | 16.3                            | 15.1     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 14.9                             | 15.1                          | 14.9                   | 0.3                                | 15.0                   | 14.7                            | 16.6                              | 9.5                    | 17.4                            | 11.9     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 14.8                             | 14.8                          | 15.1                   | 0.3                                | 15.2                   | 14.4                            | 19.3                              | 10.4                   | 16.1                            | 12.3     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 24.2                             | 24.7                          | 19.6                   | 33.4                               | 57.5                   | 19.6                            | 29.0                              | 63.0                   | 12.4                            | 29.9     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 44.3                             | 47.7                          | 54.5                   | -                                  | 48.0                   | 37.0                            | 31.0                              | 88.0                   | 45.9                            | 52.2     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.0                             | 49.5                          | 60.5                   | -                                  | 65.5                   | 38.4                            | 35.7                              | 88.0                   | 46.0                            | 46.8     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 46.6                             | 46.7                          | 60.5                   | -                                  | 64.1                   | 37.4                            | 43.8                              | 80.5                   | 46.0                            | 46.7     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 35.7                             | 43.0                          | 40.4                   | -                                  | 23.8                   | 34.7                            | 1.6                               | -                      | 45.2                            | 80.3     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 32.6                             | 46.6                          | 16.2                   | -                                  | 33.4                   | 40.9                            | 16.3                              | 10.5                   | 49.4                            | 30.5     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 31.8                             | 37.2                          | 32.6                   | -                                  | 46.9                   | 43.5                            | 15.9                              | 9.6                    | 58.8                            | 38.8     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 44.0                             | 54.9                          | 33.4                   | -                                  | -                      | 30.6                            | 50.0                              | -                      | 22.2                            | 17.3     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 27.8                             | 28.5                          | 2.7                    | -                                  | 25.9                   | 43.8                            | -                                 | 35.7                   | 58.4                            | 22.2     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 74.9                             | 87.5                          | 75.5                   | 100.0                              | 90.5                   | 65.3                            | 65.5                              | 89.4                   | 72.5                            | 68.3     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 76.3                             | 88.7                          | 84.4                   | 100.0                              | 90.8                   | 66.2                            | 64.3                              | 87.1                   | 76.0                            | 81.0     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 80.0                             | 76.9                          | 94.3                   | 100.0                              | 88.8                   | 72.1                            | 64.3                              | 83.1                   | 84.6                            | 89.8     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 67.8                             | 75.1                          | 13.9                   | -                                  | 89.7                   | 55.6                            | 100.0                             | 100.0                  | 47.9                            | 50.8     |

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| NORTH CENTRAL REGION<br>RURAL                     | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                           | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL    |  |                           | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL     |  |                           |                                       |
|---|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                                  |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |
| TOTAL   | 17 473                           | 1 404  | 1 803                     | 140                                   | 1 308  | 7 751                     | 1 001                                 | 318  | 2 187                     | 1 561                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 9 086                            | 1 048  | 1 003                     | 43                                    | 992  | 4 324                     | 329                                   | 188  | 878                       | 281                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 6 904                            | 852  | 768                       | 40                                    | 815  | 3 184                     | 250                                   | 122  | 690                       | 183                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 5 309                            | 697  | 635                       | 31                                    | 628  | 2 421                     | 204                                   | 96   | 472                       | 125                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 3 345                            | 407  | 401                       | 7                                     | 388  | 1 515                     | 124                                   | 67   | 344                       | 92                                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 2 361                            | 312  | 296                       | 3                                     | 294  | 990                       | 112                                   | 52   | 238                       | 64                                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 964                            | 290  | 234                       | 24                                    | 240  | 906                       | 80                                    | 29   | 128                       | 33                                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 595                            | 155  | 133                       | 9                                     | 187  | 763                       | 46                                    | 26   | 218                       | 58                                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 840                              | 76   | 50                        | 7                                     | 83   | 454                       | 14                                    | 19   | 96                        | 41                                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 671                              | 57   | 38                        | 4                                     | 70   | 361                       | 14                                    | 17   | 73                        | 37                                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 755                              | 79   | 83                        | 2                                     | 104  | 309                       | 32                                    | 7  | 122                       | 17                                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 1 778                            | 161  | 201                       | 3                                     | 137  | 969                       | 70                                    | 50   | 131                       | 56                                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 369                            | 140  | 158                       | -                                     | 99   | 733                       | 45                                    | 48   | 104                       | 42                                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 143                            | 126  | 141                       | -                                     | 83   | 600                       | 33                                    | 48   | 83                        | 29                                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 409                              | 21   | 43                        | 3                                     | 38   | 236                       | 25                                    | 2  | 27                        | 14                                    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 294                              | 26   | 32                        | -                                     | 32   | 136                       | 9                                     | 6  | 30                        | 23                                    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 184                              | 14   | 15                        | -                                     | 29   | 86                        | 5                                     | -  | 18                        | 17                                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 137                              | 12   | 15                        | -                                     | 21   | 58                        | 3                                     | -  | 18                        | 10                                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 110                              | 12   | 17                        | -                                     | 3  | 50                        | 4                                     | 6  | 12                        | 6                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 110                              | 9  | 2                         | -                                     | 8  | 35                        | -                                     | 10   | 27                        | 19                                    |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 23                               | 2  | -                         | -                                     | -  | 11                        | -                                     | 7  | -                         | 3                                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 32                               | 2  | 2                         | -                                     | -  | 6                         | -                                     | -  | 14                        | 8                                     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 55                               | 5  | -                         | -                                     | 8  | 18                        | -                                     | 3  | 13                        | 8                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 5 562                            | 282  | 638                       | 49                                    | 228  | 2 650                     | 393                                   | 52   | 737                       | 533                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 990                            | 228  | 501                       | 31                                    | 176  | 1 950                     | 228                                   | 41   | 505                       | 330                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 3 181                            | 200  | 411                       | 27                                    | 110  | 1 538                     | 176                                   | 36   | 394                       | 289                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 572                            | 54   | 137                       | 18                                    | 52   | 700                       | 165                                   | 11   | 232                       | 203                                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 886                              | 33   | 76                        | 14                                    | 47   | 285                       | 84                                    | 38   | 185                       | 124                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 561                              | 22   | 36                        | 10                                    | 32   | 194                       | 48                                    | 28   | 109                       | 82                                    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 475                              | 12   | 24                        | 7                                     | 28   | 169                       | 46                                    | 26   | 93                        | 70                                    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 325                              | 11   | 40                        | 4                                     | 15   | 91                        | 36                                    | 10   | 76                        | 42                                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 1 939                            | 41   | 86                        | 34                                    | 41   | 492                       | 195                                   | 40   | 387                       | 625                                   |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |
| TOTAL   | \$14 882                         | \$21 496   | \$16 803                  | \$11 693                              | \$18 351   | \$15 245                  | \$13 050                              | \$15 029   | \$12 016                  | \$7 451                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$19 289                         | \$23 568   | \$20 100                  | \$21 469                              | \$20 907   | \$17 966                  | \$21 055                              | \$20 894   | \$17 920                  | \$15 877                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$20 163                         | \$24 405   | \$20 536                  | \$22 583                              | \$21 840   | \$18 631                  | \$22 981                              | \$22 372   | \$18 799                  | \$17 322                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$22 256                         | \$26 229   | \$22 114                  | \$25 954                              | \$24 162   | \$20 513                  | \$25 783                              | \$23 989   | \$21 363                  | \$20 364                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$24 170                         | \$27 059   | \$24 650                  | \$27 157                              | \$27 403   | \$22 763                  | \$26 967                              | \$26 909   | \$22 049                  | \$20 771                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$25 213                         | \$28 081   | \$26 247                  | \$39 020                              | \$29 074   | \$23 387                  | \$27 649                              | \$26 122   | \$22 285                  | \$22 187                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$18 996                         | \$25 065   | \$17 769                  | \$25 603                              | \$18 922   | \$16 752                  | \$23 947                              | \$17 242   | \$19 522                  | \$19 228                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 196                         | \$16 203   | \$13 002                  | \$10 971                              | \$14 041   | \$12 658                  | \$10 556                              | \$16 402   | \$13 246                  | \$10 765                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 112                         | \$17 516   | \$19 364                  | \$10 530                              | \$18 590   | \$14 760                  | \$24 804                              | \$19 503   | \$18 324                  | \$10 743                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$16 364                         | \$16 734   | \$20 340                  | \$11 670                              | \$18 377   | \$15 137                  | \$24 804                              | \$18 221   | \$19 580                  | \$9 977                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$9 951                          | \$14 940   | \$9 170                   | \$12 515                              | \$10 410   | \$9 571                   | \$4 322                               | \$7 987  | \$9 251                   | \$10 817                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$17 415                         | \$21 407   | \$19 205                  | \$6 615                               | \$16 978   | \$16 531                  | \$15 997                              | \$20 607   | \$17 535                  | \$15 094                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$19 367                         | \$23 697   | \$21 896                  | \$6 615                               | \$19 042   | \$18 575                  | \$14 720                              | \$21 123   | \$18 613                  | \$14 863                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$19 663                         | \$24 138   | \$22 213                  | \$6 615                               | \$17 606   | \$18 826                  | \$16 459                              | \$21 123   | \$18 917                  | \$14 380                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 880                         | \$6 146  | \$9 316                   | \$6 615                               | \$11 606   | \$10 184                  | \$18 296                              | \$8 210  | \$13 385                  | \$15 787                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$13 138                         | \$13 724   | \$15 937                  | -                                     | \$15 432   | \$12 916                  | \$6 897                               | \$6 350  | \$10 891                  | \$13 847                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 408                         | \$16 454   | \$25 397                  | -                                     | \$16 219   | \$15 443                  | \$10 166                              | -  | \$15 044                  | \$16 924                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 523                         | \$15 611   | \$25 397                  | -                                     | \$16 601   | \$16 239                  | \$8 010                               | -  | \$15 044                  | \$24 704                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$7 669                          | \$10 543   | \$7 589                   | -                                     | \$7 825  | \$8 570                   | \$2 810                               | \$6 350  | \$4 663                   | \$5 128                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$11 144                         | \$11 432   | \$9 090                   | -                                     | \$15 126   | \$16 785                  | -                                     | \$13 032   | \$5 121                   | \$6 721                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 607                         | \$14 765   | -                         | -                                     | -  | \$23 946                  | -                                     | \$17 396   | -                         | \$12 087                              |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$6 606                          | \$27 510   | \$9 090                   | -                                     | -  | \$6 190                   | -                                     | -  | \$4 740                   | \$4 336                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$10 246                         | \$3 668  | -                         | -                                     | \$15 126   | \$15 941                  | -                                     | \$2 850  | \$5 532                   | \$7 095                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$13 415                         | \$18 084   | \$14 852                  | \$12 063                              | \$12 097   | \$14 048                  | \$13 087                              | \$9 418  | \$11 337                  | \$10 273                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$15 547                         | \$19 871   | \$16 602                  | \$15 596                              | \$12 439   | \$16 315                  | \$15 523                              | \$9 292  | \$13 017                  | \$12 224                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$15 838                         | \$20 215   | \$16 543                  | \$14 826                              | \$16 357   | \$16 403                  | \$16 854                              | \$9 804  | \$13 074                  | \$12 595                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 004                          | \$10 539   | \$8 452                   | \$5 979                               | \$7 555  | \$7 741                   | \$9 722                               | \$9 889  | \$7 681                   | \$7 102                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$8 156                          | \$10 490   | \$8 169                   | \$7 895                               | \$9 685  | \$8 712                   | \$7 284                               | \$6 477  | \$7 564                   | \$7 690                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 650                          | \$12 743   | \$12 327                  | \$7 101                               | \$10 349   | \$9 999                   | \$9 488                               | \$7 557  | \$8 605                   | \$9 059                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$9 800                          | \$15 083   | \$16 661                  | \$8 021                               | \$10 019   | \$10 135                  | \$9 509                               | \$7 563  | \$8 553                   | \$8 505                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 578                          | \$5 986  | \$4 426                   | \$9 880                               | \$8 270  | \$5 970                   | \$4 344                               | \$3 453  | \$6 071                   | \$5 018                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 510                          | \$835  | \$458                     | \$360                                 | \$1 194  | \$1 559                   | \$1 950                               | \$2 882  | \$2 042                   | \$1 189                               |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |  |                           |                                       |
| TOTAL   | 23.4                             | 28.6   | 21.4                      | 25.2                                  | 33.1   | 21.4                      | 17.9                                  | 36.1   | 22.2                      | 18.4                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.4                             | 33.5   | 29.6                      | 33.0                                  | 36.3   | 30.1                      | 26.9                                  | 37.8   | 30.9                      | 31.7                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.2                             | 34.4   | 32.2                      | 33.5                                  | 38.3   | 33.7                      | 30.2                                  | 40.7   | 33.5                      | 35.5                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 32.2                             | 33.0   | 30.8                      | 31.1                                  | 36.1   | 31.1                      | 30.4                                  | 36.5   | 32.6                      | 30.6                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.0                             | 38.2   | 34.9                      | 45.3                                  | 40.3   | 36.1                      | 37.8                                  | 35.9   | 38.1                      | 33.8                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.1                             | 37.3   | 35.1                      | 51.3                                  | 41.0   | 36.0                      | 38.8                                  | 36.5   | 38.4                      | 31.2                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 21.7                             | 25.2   | 20.9                      | 26.7                                  | 26.3   | 19.6                      | 17.5                                  | 38.6   | 16.0                      | 21.2                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 45.7                             | 44.2   | 43.6                      | 53.2                                  | 51.2   | 47.1                      | 28.3                                  | 63.7   | 36.8                      | 55.2                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 53.5                             | 54.7   | 50.0                      | 60.3                                  | 53.0   | 55.9                      | 29.0                                  | 66.1   | 44.8                      | 65.0                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 53.8                             | 55.6   | 51.9                      | 50.3                                  | 53.4   | 55.8                      | 29.0                                  | 70.2   | 44.7                      | 70.6                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.8                             | 32.4   | 35.5                      | 32.0                                  | 48.6   | 27.3                      | 26.4                                  | 47.9   | 24.2                      | 31.9                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 17.0                             | 26.6   | 17.8                      | 11.9                                  | 15.2   | 15.4                      | 8.0                                   | 31.8   | 11.6                      | 18.5                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 16.9                             | 26.5   | 17.4                      | -                                     | 13.8   | 14.7                      | 6.8                                   | 31.5   | 12.1                      | 21.8                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 17.2                             | 26.7   | 17.1                      | -                                     | 12.2   | 15.1                      | 6.3                                   | 31.5   | 11.4                      | 23.2                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 17.8                             | 31.0   | 21.4                      | 11.9                                  | 21.1   | 19.4                      | 9.6                                   | 48.8   | 9.2                       | 9.4                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 48.7                             | 43.5   | 39.5                      | -                                     | 67.4   | 47.5                      | 64.1                                  | 44.8   | 60.4                      | 32.8                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 51.4                             | 48.0   | 34.6                      | -                                     | 67.8   | 51.6                      | 67.6                                  | -  | 64.0                      | 33.7                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.5                             | 37.7   | 34.6                      | -                                     | 75.6   | 56.8                      | 75.0                                  | -  | 64.0                      | 27.9                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 39.3                             | 35.2   | 53.9                      | -                                     | 58.3   | 35.0                      | 48.2                                  | 44.8   | 42.6                      | 24.4                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 23.6                             | 48.0   | 26.8                      | -                                     | 13.7   | 20.0                      | -                                     | 22.3   | 32.3                      | 21.5                                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 21.8                             | 20.4   | -                         | -                                     | -  | 18.3                      | -                                     | 21.6   | -                         | 48.6                                  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.7                             | 50.9   | 26.8                      | -                                     | -  | 30.1                      | -                                     | -  | 26.1                      | 16.1                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 22.0                             | 83.9   | -                         | -                                     | 13.7   | 20.2                      | -                                     | 31.8   | 38.0                      | 7.5                                   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 76.1                             | 83.6   | 81.8                      | 97.6                                  | 92.3   | 74.6                      | 72.1                                  | 89.5   | 67.4                      | 75.1                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 82.0                             | 81.2   | 83.5                      | 96.2                                  | 95.2   | 84.5                      | 74.4                                  | 88.7   | 72.7                      | 81.7                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 82.7                             | 93.9   | 84.2                      | 95.2                                  | 94.4   | 86.3                      | 73.4                                  | 87.8   | 73.5                      | 78.8                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 58.6                             | 94.0   | 77.4                      | 100.0                                 | 84.3   | 39.2                      | 65.3                                  | 94.4   | 56.7                      | 51.8                                  |

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| NORTH CENTRAL REGION<br>RURAL                    | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL           |  |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL                    |  |  |          |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|----------|
|  | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |          |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                       |                                  |                                       |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |          |
| TOTAL  | 4 653                            | 2 454                                 | 652   | 138  | 146  | 669  | 134  | 37   | 104  | 319      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 2 249                            | 1 278                                 | 314   | 52   | 88   | 368  | 54   | 9  | 24   | 62       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 1 484                            | 830                                   | 192   | 32   | 62   | 253  | 39   | 6  | 19   | 51       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 295                            | 759                                   | 166   | 26   | 60   | 198  | 18   | 6  | 17   | 45       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 912                              | 508                                   | 118   | 24   | 43   | 154  | 13   | 6  | 8  | 38       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 576                              | 295                                   | 83  | 24   | 31   | 94   | 10   | 6  | 8  | 25       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 383                              | 251                                   | 48  | 2  | 17   | 44   | 5  | -  | 9  | 7        |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 189                              | 71                                    | 26  | 6  | 2  | 55   | 21   | -  | 2  | 6        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 73                               | 41                                    | 3   | -  | 2  | 27   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 52                               | 26                                    | 3   | -  | 2  | 21   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 116                              | 30                                    | 23  | 6  | -  | 28   | 21   | -  | 2  | 6        |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 618                              | 355                                   | 98  | 18   | 26   | 94   | 13   | -  | 5  | 9        |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 571                              | 335                                   | 96  | 18   | 20   | 60   | 12   | -  | 4  | 5        |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 491                              | 297                                   | 81  | 16   | 20   | 60   | 12   | -  | -  | 5        |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 47                               | 20                                    | 2   | -  | 6  | 13   | -  | -  | 1  | 4        |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 86                               | 54                                    | 14  | 2  | -  | 14   | 2  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 46                               | 33                                    | 5   | -  | -  | 6  | 2  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 30                               | 17                                    | 5   | -  | -  | 6  | 2  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 40                               | 21                                    | 9   | 2  | -  | 8  | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 61                               | 39                                    | 10  | -  | -  | 7  | -  | 3  | -  | 2        |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 11                               | 6                                     | -   | -  | -  | 5  | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 21                               | 19                                    | -   | -  | -  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | 2        |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 29                               | 14                                    | -   | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 1 968                            | 1 089                                 | 300   | 73   | 41   | 263  | 50   | 18   | 39   | 95       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 733                            | 1 032                                 | 274   | 61   | 31   | 223  | 27   | 18   | 22   | 45       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 447                            | 843                                   | 242   | 59   | 28   | 177  | 25   | 18   | 15   | 40       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 235                              | 57                                    | 26  | 12   | 10   | 40   | 23   | -  | 17   | 50       |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 74                               | 38                                    | 7   | 6  | 4  | 4  | 6  | 3  | -  | 6        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 66                               | 36                                    | 5   | 6  | 4  | 3  | 4  | 3  | -  | 5        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 44                               | 21                                    | 3   | 6  | 4  | 3  | 4  | 3  | -  | 1        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 8                                | 2                                     | 2   | -  | -  | 1  | 2  | -  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 362                              | 49                                    | 31  | 7  | 13   | 34   | 24   | 7  | 41   | 156      |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                       |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |          |
| TOTAL  | \$33 262                         | \$45 695                              | \$29 062  | \$27 827                                     | \$18 262   | \$17 975                                     | \$8 967  | \$7 099                                      | \$11 563                                     | \$7 788  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$36 009                         | \$44 902                              | \$30 062  | \$39 833                                     | \$21 828   | \$19 997                                     | \$14 364   | \$22 139                                     | \$21 731                                     | \$21 177 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$36 900                         | \$46 815                              | \$27 163  | \$47 221                                     | \$21 561   | \$21 760                                     | \$13 685   | \$31 447                                     | \$24 745                                     | \$22 390 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$39 302                         | \$47 942                              | \$29 777  | \$55 360                                     | \$21 980   | \$24 088                                     | \$20 925   | \$31 447                                     | \$26 667                                     | \$22 628 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$41 756                         | \$52 632                              | \$27 759  | \$58 390                                     | \$23 462   | \$27 029                                     | \$17 133   | \$31 447                                     | \$26 026                                     | \$23 068 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$42 286                         | \$53 572                              | \$31 450  | \$58 390                                     | \$25 019   | \$26 689                                     | \$17 270   | \$31 447                                     | \$26 026                                     | \$27 502 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$33 458                         | \$38 451                              | \$34 738  | \$19 010                                     | \$18 229   | \$13 796                                     | \$30 785   | -  | \$27 237                                     | \$20 239 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$20 442                         | \$34 763                              | \$10 472  | \$11 952                                     | \$9 010  | \$13 379                                     | \$7 480  | -  | \$8 410                                      | \$20 608 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 458                         | \$33 455                              | \$29 250  | -  | \$9 010  | \$21 919                                     | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$24 492                         | \$26 130                              | \$29 250  | -  | \$9 010  | \$23 258                                     | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 398                         | \$36 278                              | \$8 023   | \$11 952                                     | -  | \$5 144                                      | \$7 480  | -  | \$8 410                                      | \$20 608 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$36 702                         | \$45 750                              | \$33 300  | \$30 509                                     | \$22 466   | \$17 602                                     | \$15 222   | -  | \$10 278                                     | \$15 533 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$38 564                         | \$47 548                              | \$33 564  | \$30 509                                     | \$22 547   | \$18 778                                     | \$16 109   | -  | \$10 138                                     | \$22 812 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$39 304                         | \$46 875                              | \$36 357  | \$32 683                                     | \$22 547   | \$19 169                                     | \$16 109   | -  | -  | \$22 812 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 078                         | \$15 630                              | \$20 610  | -  | \$22 193   | \$10 273                                     | \$4 570  | -  | \$10 840                                     | \$6 435  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$24 124                         | \$23 555                              | \$43 619  | \$5 530                                      | -  | \$9 782                                      | \$22 010   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 993                         | \$28 912                              | \$53 896  | -  | -  | \$11 010                                     | \$22 010   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$21 962                         | \$16 429                              | \$53 896  | -  | -  | \$11 010                                     | \$22 010   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$18 525                         | \$15 137                              | \$37 909  | \$5 530                                      | -  | \$8 861                                      | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$24 073                         | \$26 011                              | \$35 005  | -  | -  | \$8 870                                      | -  | \$3 525                                      | -  | \$15 650 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$5 285                          | \$94 672                              | -   | -  | -  | \$10 220                                     | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 997                          | \$4 981                               | -   | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | \$15 650 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$24 943                         | \$25 125                              | \$35 005  | -  | -  | \$5 495                                      | -  | \$3 525                                      | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$36 923                         | \$49 952                              | \$31 503  | \$23 768                                     | \$16 561   | \$17 436                                     | \$8 190  | \$1 637                                      | \$12 654                                     | \$9 300  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$40 611                         | \$51 661                              | \$34 094  | \$26 996                                     | \$20 002   | \$18 236                                     | \$10 150   | \$1 637                                      | \$18 728                                     | \$14 943 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$39 469                         | \$50 235                              | \$33 398  | \$27 779                                     | \$19 466   | \$18 979                                     | \$10 012   | \$1 637                                      | \$14 932                                     | \$15 836 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 727                          | \$19 002                              | \$4 198   | \$7 362                                      | \$5 893  | \$12 980                                     | \$5 888  | -  | \$4 794                                      | \$4 204  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$7 975                          | \$9 101                               | \$5 499   | \$5 632                                      | \$13 065   | \$12 780                                     | \$2 625  | \$7 975                                      | -  | \$4 833  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$8 513                          | \$9 376                               | \$6 896   | \$5 632                                      | \$13 065   | \$13 838                                     | \$2 850  | \$7 975                                      | -  | \$5 383  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$9 345                          | \$10 486                              | \$9 357   | \$5 632                                      | \$13 065   | \$13 838                                     | \$2 850  | \$7 975                                      | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$3 544                          | \$4 150                               | \$2 005   | -  | -  | \$9 605                                      | \$2 175  | -  | -  | \$2 085  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 458                          | \$153                                 | \$628   | -  | \$1 084  | \$871  | \$32   | \$1 430                                      | \$4 574                                      | \$1 659  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                       |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |          |
| TOTAL  | 14.3                             | 14.3                                  | 9.2   | 7.8  | 22.7   | 20.6   | 15.2   | 39.3   | 13.1   | 18.1     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.6                             | 27.5                                  | 18.2  | 12.9   | 28.8   | 32.9   | 21.5   | 39.8   | 29.4   | 32.1     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.2                             | 33.1                                  | 25.0  | 14.3   | 34.3   | 36.9   | 22.9   | 42.0   | 31.4   | 35.0     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 30.3                             | 30.7                                  | 24.5  | 13.9   | 34.3   | 36.3   | 21.5   | 42.0   | 32.2   | 32.5     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 33.6                             | 33.9                                  | 31.4  | 13.7   | 35.7   | 38.7   | 29.5   | 42.0   | 37.4   | 34.6     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 32.4                             | 33.4                                  | 30.0  | 13.7   | 35.2   | 38.7   | 29.3   | 42.0   | 37.4   | 28.5     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 20.5                             | 22.0                                  | 10.8  | 21.1   | 29.8   | 19.5   | 10.0   | -  | 27.8   | 19.3     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 56.9                             | 67.9                                  | 34.2  | 22.2   | 35.4   | 40.6   | 26.1   | -  | 10.8   | 55.2     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 52.1                             | 55.7                                  | 78.4  | -  | 35.4   | 45.0   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.3                             | 50.9                                  | 78.4  | -  | 35.4   | 45.0   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 62.6                             | 83.4                                  | 13.1  | 22.2   | -  | 41.4   | 26.1   | -  | 10.8   | 55.2     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 13.1                             | 13.5                                  | 8.8   | 9.1  | 16.1   | 18.7   | 11.5   | -  | 10.6   | 12.9     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 13.2                             | 13.6                                  | 8.7   | 9.1  | 20.0   | 18.9   | 11.5   | -  | 12.7   | 11.7     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.2                             | 14.3                                  | 6.6   | 7.2  | 20.0   | 17.2   | 11.5   | -  | -  | 11.7     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 9.8                              | 8.6                                   | 17.5  | -  | 3.1  | 16.0   | 11.1   | -  | 2.8  | 18.2     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 36.7                             | 43.6                                  | 21.7  | 2.4  | -  | 37.7   | 50.0   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 45.4                             | 53.9                                  | 12.5  | -  | -  | 54.5   | 50.0   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 49.5                             | 85.8                                  | 12.5  | -  | -  | 54.5   | 50.0   | -  | -  | -        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 20.9                             | 12.7                                  | 28.9  | 2.4  | -  | 22.1   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 13.4                             | 15.9                                  | -   | -  | -  | 49.7   | -  | 1.3  | -  | 12.9     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 10.3                             | 7.0                                   | -   | -  | -  | 46.1   | -  | -  | -  | -        |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.5                             | 20.3                                  | -   | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 12.9     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 15.2                             | 29.1                                  | -   | -  | -  | 66.3   | -  | 1.3  | -  | -        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED        | 85.4                             | 78.6                                  | 68.7  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | -  | 100.0    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 84.8                             | 78.2                                  | 65.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | -  | 100.0    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 97.1                             | 100.0                                 | 57.1  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | 100.0  | -  | 100.0    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 28.3                             | 24.1                                  | 100.0   | -  | -  | 100.0  | 100.0  | -  | -  | 100.0    |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-CUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B1

| NORTH CENTRAL REGION<br>RURAL                    | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                       |   | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                       |   |                                |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
|  | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL     | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL    | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                               |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | 20 634                           | 2 050                                 | 1 920   | 125                                | 841                                   | 7 306   | 1 238                             | 263                                   | 2 686   | 4 205                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 10 784                           | 1 318                                 | 1 092   | 52                                 | 582                                   | 4 131   | 544                               | 142                                   | 1 480   | 1 443                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 7 452                            | 776                                   | 680   | 42                                 | 387                                   | 2 854   | 396                               | 84                                    | 1 148   | 1 085                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 6 458                            | 649                                   | 598   | 35                                 | 367                                   | 2 518   | 336                               | 78                                    | 1 004   | 873                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 4 280                            | 461                                   | 397   | 27                                 | 242                                   | 1 740   | 149                               | 43                                    | 644   | 577                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 2 936                            | 292                                   | 311   | 18                                 | 171                                   | 1 212   | 84                                | 29                                    | 438   | 381                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 2 178                            | 188                                   | 201   | 8                                  | 125                                   | 778   | 187                               | 35                                    | 360   | 296                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 994                              | 127                                   | 82  | 7                                  | 20                                    | 336   | 60                                | 6                                     | 144   | 212                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 445                              | 104                                   | 44  | 3                                  | 12                                    | 144   | 17                                | 1                                     | 46  | 74                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 267                              | 38                                    | 40  | -                                  | 11                                    | 13  | 1                                 | 1                                     | 31  | 51                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 549                              | 23                                    | 38  | 4                                  | 8                                     | 192   | 43                                | 5                                     | 98  | 138                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 2 726                            | 425                                   | 367   | 10                                 | 174                                   | 1 061   | 115                               | 47                                    | 277   | 250                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 389                            | 380                                   | 352   | 10                                 | 140                                   | 956   | 91                                | 36                                    | 246   | 178                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 2 005                            | 343                                   | 307   | 8                                  | 116                                   | 788   | 71                                | 29                                    | 209   | 134                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 337                              | 45                                    | 15  | -                                  | 34                                    | 105   | 24                                | 11                                    | 31  | 72                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 337                              | 88                                    | 27  | -                                  | 19                                    | 102   | 14                                | 4                                     | 28  | 55                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 197                              | 44                                    | 7   | -                                  | 9                                     | 79  | 6                                 | 4                                     | 21  | 27                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 133                              | 25                                    | 6   | -                                  | 4                                     | 60  | 4                                 | 4                                     | 17  | 15                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 140                              | 44                                    | 20  | -                                  | 10                                    | 23  | 8                                 | -                                     | 7   | 28                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 269                              | 29                                    | 18  | -                                  | 2                                     | 114   | 19                                | 7                                     | 27  | 53                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 76                               | 3                                     | 2   | -                                  | -                                     | 33  | 7                                 | 2                                     | 8   | 21                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 62                               | -                                     | 12  | -                                  | 2                                     | 19  | 6                                 | -                                     | 9   | 14                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 131                              | 26                                    | 4   | -                                  | -                                     | 62  | 6                                 | 5                                     | 10  | 18                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 7 390                            | 650                                   | 759   | 45                                 | 212                                   | 2 731   | 549                               | 84                                    | 760   | 1 600                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 6 114                            | 616                                   | 700   | 41                                 | 197                                   | 2 248   | 471                               | 58                                    | 578   | 1 205                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 5 131                            | 561                                   | 599   | 28                                 | 164                                   | 1 883   | 395                               | 41                                    | 456   | 1 004                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 1 276                            | 34                                    | 59  | 4                                  | 15                                    | 483   | 78                                | 26                                    | 182   | 395                            |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 650                              | 61                                    | 35  | 4                                  | 18                                    | 129   | 48                                | 15                                    | 148   | 192                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 404                              | 23                                    | 30  | -                                  | 12                                    | 79  | 41                                | 7                                     | 93  | 115                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 291                              | 21                                    | 21  | 4                                  | 12                                    | 58  | 25                                | 7                                     | 67  | 76                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 246                              | 38                                    | 5   | -                                  | 6                                     | 50  | 7                                 | 8                                     | 55  | 77                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 1 810                            | 21                                    | 34  | 24                                 | 29                                    | 315   | 97                                | 22                                    | 298   | 970                            |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | \$19 646                         | \$32 059                              | \$25 007  | \$16 299                           | \$21 371                              | \$19 290  | \$17 258                          | \$14 911                              | \$16 895  | \$14 277                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$23 338                         | \$29 219                              | \$27 027  | \$23 183                           | \$23 001                              | \$22 331  | \$19 500                          | \$19 238                              | \$21 778  | \$21 650                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$24 526                         | \$30 986                              | \$28 417  | \$24 429                           | \$25 115                              | \$23 807  | \$20 475                          | \$19 723                              | \$22 553  | \$23 087                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 882                         | \$32 085                              | \$30 279  | \$25 919                           | \$25 849                              | \$24 944  | \$21 802                          | \$20 349                              | \$23 996  | \$23 222                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$28 500                         | \$33 863                              | \$32 839  | \$26 975                           | \$28 151                              | \$27 251  | \$25 408                          | \$27 033                              | \$27 516  | \$27 216                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$29 331                         | \$34 597                              | \$34 346  | \$28 005                           | \$28 671                              | \$28 297  | \$27 272                          | \$28 525                              | \$28 408  | \$26 426                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$20 738                         | \$27 727                              | \$25 222  | \$22 356                           | \$21 391                              | \$19 772  | \$18 929                          | \$12 137                              | \$17 699  | \$21 334                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 713                         | \$25 367                              | \$14 841  | \$16 979                           | \$11 658                              | \$15 316  | \$13 044                          | \$11 592                              | \$12 493  | \$14 296                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 715                         | \$27 524                              | \$15 847  | \$26 220                           | \$10 918                              | \$19 562  | \$16 345                          | \$17 215                              | \$17 049  | \$20 977                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 806                         | \$26 998                              | \$15 968  | -                                  | \$10 830                              | \$20 628  | \$15 387                          | \$17 215                              | \$17 380  | \$20 724                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$11 659                         | \$15 615                              | \$13 677  | \$10 048                           | \$12 766                              | \$12 132  | \$11 738                          | \$10 467                              | \$10 355  | \$10 714                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$22 132                         | \$30 210                              | \$26 615  | \$17 949                           | \$19 356                              | \$19 537  | \$17 771                          | \$20 548                              | \$19 873  | \$19 734                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 274                         | \$31 721                              | \$26 997  | \$17 949                           | \$20 923                              | \$20 424  | \$19 567                          | \$22 836                              | \$20 737  | \$21 348                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$24 004                         | \$32 680                              | \$26 932  | \$16 433                           | \$20 681                              | \$20 898  | \$21 849                          | \$22 866                              | \$20 344  | \$23 773                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 035                         | \$17 449                              | \$17 651  | -                                  | \$12 904                              | \$11 465  | \$10 960                          | \$13 059                              | \$16 031  | \$15 745                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$14 270                         | \$11 190                              | \$9 754   | -                                  | \$15 593                              | \$16 968  | \$12 976                          | \$27 403                              | \$19 084  | \$12 877                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$16 790                         | \$14 528                              | \$12 340  | -                                  | \$12 782                              | \$18 895  | \$16 977                          | \$27 403                              | \$21 504  | \$11 524                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 519                         | \$16 436                              | \$12 635  | -                                  | \$16 478                              | \$20 097  | \$22 160                          | \$27 403                              | \$23 084  | \$9 275                        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$10 724                         | \$7 852                               | \$8 849   | -                                  | \$18 122                              | \$10 351  | \$9 975                           | -                                     | \$11 824  | \$14 182                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$14 030                         | \$22 138                              | \$8 808   | -                                  | \$1 360                               | \$16 189  | \$14 434                          | \$-36                                 | \$11 150  | \$10 379                       |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$20 334                         | \$39 870                              | \$20 010  | -                                  | -                                     | \$27 346  | \$3 881                           | \$-13 000                             | \$20 020  | \$15 516                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 811                          | -                                     | \$5 457   | -                                  | \$1 360                               | \$3 194   | \$25 015                          | -                                     | \$6 208   | \$1 816                        |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$14 232                         | \$20 092                              | \$13 260  | -                                  | -                                     | \$14 233  | \$16 163                          | \$5 150                               | \$8 501   | \$11 046                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$19 388                         | \$40 896                              | \$23 599  | \$13 969                           | \$20 410                              | \$17 375  | \$18 268                          | \$12 646                              | \$15 182  | \$14 841                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$21 636                         | \$42 759                              | \$24 679  | \$14 111                           | \$21 544                              | \$19 283  | \$19 936                          | \$15 213                              | \$17 265  | \$16 799                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$22 052                         | \$43 022                              | \$24 140  | \$15 328                           | \$21 263                              | \$19 480  | \$20 355                          | \$15 678                              | \$18 479  | \$16 779                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$8 618                          | \$7 136                               | \$10 795  | \$12 515                           | \$5 522                               | \$8 498   | \$8 192                           | \$6 920                               | \$8 565   | \$8 866                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$9 776                          | \$7 690                               | \$12 027  | \$35 778                           | \$12 820                              | \$7 135   | \$12 236                          | \$8 490                               | \$9 442   | \$10 720                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$12 757                         | \$10 516                              | \$12 175  | \$35 778                           | \$15 592                              | \$10 209  | \$12 706                          | \$9 134                               | \$12 681  | \$14 310                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$13 258                         | \$11 509                              | \$15 352  | \$35 778                           | \$15 592                              | \$9 971   | \$8 741                           | \$9 134                               | \$13 741  | \$15 557                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$4 882                          | \$5 980                               | \$11 145  | -                                  | \$7 277                               | \$2 278   | \$9 880                           | \$7 926                               | \$3 964   | \$5 357                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$2 245                          | \$7 540                               | \$4 890   | \$2 506                            | \$978                                 | \$973   | \$1 455                           | -                                     | \$717   | \$3 082                        |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | 17.8                             | 17.7                                  | 15.3  | 23.7                               | 22.2                                  | 18.1  | 12.3                              | 20.8                                  | 23.1  | 15.7                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.8                             | 28.9                                  | 23.6  | 28.2                               | 27.3                                  | 26.9  | 21.6                              | 26.7                                  | 28.9  | 26.3                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 30.1                             | 34.9                                  | 28.0  | 31.8                               | 30.2                                  | 30.8  | 23.8                              | 30.4                                  | 30.5  | 26.8                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 29.3                             | 33.2                                  | 27.3  | 32.8                               | 29.8                                  | 30.0  | 23.8                              | 29.3                                  | 29.7  | 26.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 33.9                             | 37.2                                  | 33.6  | 37.1                               | 34.2                                  | 34.2  | 31.0                              | 32.1                                  | 34.1  | 30.3                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 33.9                             | 37.0                                  | 34.0  | 41.0                               | 34.5                                  | 34.1  | 28.3                              | 35.0                                  | 33.8  | 30.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 16.9                             | 21.3                                  | 11.2  | 15.0                               | 18.7                                  | 17.1  | 14.1                              | 21.4                                  | 17.5  | 16.3                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 38.4                             | 45.7                                  | 37.9  | 24.0                               | 47.7                                  | 40.0  | 23.9                              | 55.7                                  | 40.9  | 30.0                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 47.4                             | 46.3                                  | 53.7  | 19.1                               | 64.5                                  | 51.3  | 39.5                              | 36.0                                  | 56.7  | 36.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 48.1                             | 44.7                                  | 53.2  | -                                  | 63.9                                  | 52.4  | 39.2                              | 36.0                                  | 60.9  | 35.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25.5                             | 40.9                                  | 16.6  | 33.7                               | 26.1                                  | 26.4  | 15.3                              | 62.1                                  | 28.6  | 23.1                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 15.5                             | 14.3                                  | 13.9  | 7.9                                | 16.3                                  | 13.5  | 14.3                              | 20.3                                  | 21.2  | 22.7                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 15.0                             | 13.7                                  | 14.1  | 7.9                                | 17.0                                  | 13.4  | 13.0                              | 19.5                                  | 20.9  | 21.1                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 15.1                             | 13.7                                  | 14.2  | 4.7                                | 16.8                                  | 13.1  | 13.3                              | 23.4                                  | 21.4  | 23.1                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 20.7                             | 23.6                                  | 7.0   | -                                  | 11.9                                  | 15.4  | 23.4                              | 24.8                                  | 25.0  | 27.8                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 48.5                             | 68.1                                  | 56.0  | -                                  | 55.7                                  | 50.2  | 23.5                              | 12.8                                  | 34.1  | 34.0                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 52.4                             | 69.3                                  | 60.0  | -                                  | 54.8                                  | 54.1  | 28.3                              | 12.8                                  | 34.9  | 53.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 51.6                             | 70.1                                  | 64.1  | -                                  | 49.7                                  | 54.8  | 31.2                              | 12.8                                  | 32.9  | 62.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 39.9                             | 65.9                                  | 54.1  | -                                  | 56.2                                  | 25.9  | 17.4                              | -                                     | 29.8  | 18.6                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 21.2                             | 32.6                                  | 37.7  | -                                  | 73.9                                  | 13.0  | 10.4                              | -6 130.0                              | 27.4  | 29.4                           |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 19.3                             | 50.0                                  | 20.0  | -                                  | -                                     | 10.3  | 19.6                              | -                                     | 22.7  | 29.4                           |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 24.5                             | -                                     | 56.0  | -                                  | 73.9                                  | 27.6  | 4.0                               | -                                     | 30.8  | 37.5                           |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 22.1                             | 28.6                                  | 28.3  | -                                  | -                                     | 14.8  | 17.7                              | 59.5                                  | 34.1  | 28.5                           |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED        | 68.9                             | 99.3                                  | 77.6  | 100.0                              | 89.4                                  | 77.8  | 47.5                              | 67.3                                  | 76.5  | 52.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 71.5                             | 100.0                                 | 85.0  | 100.0                              | 97.0                                  | 74.8  | 51.7                              | 100.0                                 | 82.4  | 54.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 77.1                             | 100.0                                 | 83.1  | 100.0                              | 97.0                                  | 83.4  | 73.8                              | 100.0                                 | 91.1  | 50.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 57.5                             | 98.5                                  | 29.0  | -                                  | 57.0                                  | 92.4  | 14.8                              | 34.3                                  | 45.0  | 44.4                           |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B.]

| SOUTH REGION<br>RURAL                            | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL     |   |   | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL      |   |   |  |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|--|---|---|--|
|  | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 5 970 904                        | 677 683                               | 564 634   | 34 836                                 | 354 129   | 2 310 170                               | 297 404                                | 68 861  | 787 745   | 875 442                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 2 863 191                        | 445 889                               | 313 813   | 11 240                                 | 231 609   | 1 247 026                               | 98 325                                 | 28 045  | 312 684   | 174 560                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 2 095 268                        | 325 556                               | 227 314   | 7 792                                  | 178 167   | 929 791                                 | 69 610                                 | 20 016  | 223 332   | 113 690                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 892 473                        | 301 425                               | 211 707   | 6 804                                  | 163 637   | 847 437                                 | 60 604                                 | 16 974  | 191 191   | 92 694                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 1 393 573                        | 216 403                               | 158 692   | 4 603                                  | 121 405   | 626 195                                 | 40 492                                 | 12 289  | 145 497   | 67 997                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 1 014 894                        | 145 299                               | 124 010   | 3 296                                  | 85 102  | 468 962                                 | 29 113                                 | 8 446   | 103 949   | 46 717                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 498 900                          | 85 022                                | 53 015  | 2 201                                  | 42 232  | 221 242                                 | 20 112                                 | 4 685   | 45 697  | 24 697                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 202 795                          | 24 131                                | 15 607  | 988                                    | 14 530  | 82 354                                  | 9 006                                  | 3 042   | 32 141  | 20 996                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 116 295                          | 11 849                                | 9 656   | 509                                    | 8 907   | 47 421                                  | 4 433                                  | 1 913   | 19 918  | 11 689                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 86 270                           | 8 263                                 | 7 539   | 344                                    | 6 423   | 35 736                                  | 3 216                                  | 1 378   | 14 852  | 8 519                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 86 500                           | 12 282                                | 5 951   | 479                                    | 5 623   | 34 933                                  | 4 573                                  | 1 129   | 12 223  | 9 307                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 592 269                          | 98 765                                | 72 800  | 2 567                                  | 41 847  | 257 082                                 | 21 022                                 | 4 512   | 58 445  | 35 229                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 538 039                          | 93 562                                | 68 745  | 2 191                                  | 38 913  | 235 269                                 | 18 092                                 | 3 874   | 49 566  | 27 827                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 469 179                          | 85 498                                | 62 764  | 1 967                                  | 33 907  | 203 226                                 | 15 221                                 | 3 285   | 40 867  | 22 444                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 54 230                           | 5 203                                 | 4 035   | 376                                    | 2 934   | 21 813                                  | 2 930                                  | 638   | 8 879   | 7 402                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 109 885                          | 13 596                                | 8 877   | 497                                    | 8 128   | 38 719                                  | 4 463                                  | 2 310   | 19 780  | 13 515                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 76 794                           | 9 368                                 | 6 453   | 369                                    | 5 702   | 27 173                                  | 2 829                                  | 1 492   | 14 210  | 9 198                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 58 977                           | 6 421                                 | 5 195   | 282                                    | 4 276   | 21 571                                  | 2 172                                  | 1 094   | 11 041  | 6 925                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 33 091                           | 4 228                                 | 2 424   | 128                                    | 2 426   | 11 546                                  | 1 634                                  | 818   | 5 570   | 4 317                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 65 769                           | 7 972                                 | 4 822   | 384                                    | 3 467   | 21 434                                  | 3 230                                  | 1 207   | 11 127  | 12 126                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 23 608                           | 3 188                                 | 2 019   | 110                                    | 1 282   | 7 951                                   | 951                                    | 426   | 3 758   | 3 923                                  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 16 169                           | 1 666                                 | 859   | 126                                    | 707   | 4 532                                   | 983                                    | 323   | 3 032   | 3 941                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 25 992                           | 3 118                                 | 1 944   | 148                                    | 1 478   | 8 951                                   | 1 296                                  | 458   | 4 337   | 4 262                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 1 961 591                        | 175 476                               | 200 117   | 13 951                                 | 79 078  | 810 760                                 | 128 837                                | 15 563  | 255 175   | 282 634                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 641 094                        | 160 932                               | 181 632   | 11 405                                 | 68 777  | 704 698                                 | 104 118                                | 11 643  | 199 312   | 198 557                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 395 907                        | 146 922                               | 163 504   | 9 685                                  | 60 128  | 600 499                                 | 86 537                                 | 9 466   | 160 511   | 158 635                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 320 497                          | 14 544                                | 18 465  | 2 546                                  | 10 301  | 106 062                                 | 24 719                                 | 3 920   | 55 863  | 84 077                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 277 848                          | 14 557                                | 13 498  | 1 796                                  | 15 541  | 80 137                                  | 14 247                                 | 7 486   | 67 233  | 65 333                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 184 512                          | 9 115                                 | 8 943   | 1 101                                  | 9 978   | 55 133                                  | 8 976                                  | 4 616   | 46 305  | 40 345                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 145 209                          | 6 698                                 | 7 332   | 852                                    | 7 687   | 44 778                                  | 7 081                                  | 3 421   | 36 416  | 30 944                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 93 336                           | 5 442                                 | 4 555   | 695                                    | 5 663   | 25 004                                  | 5 291                                  | 2 870   | 20 928  | 22 988                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 868 274                          | 41 761                                | 37 206  | 7 849                                  | 27 901  | 172 247                                 | 55 975                                 | 17 767  | 152 653   | 354 915                                |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                  |                                       |   |  |   |   |  |   |   |  |
| TOTAL  | \$17 003                         | \$26 486                              | \$22 034  | \$13 809                               | \$20 612  | \$17 954                                | \$12 754                               | \$13 229  | \$13 018  | \$7 904                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$22 348                         | \$28 641                              | \$24 899  | \$20 738                               | \$24 113  | \$21 212                                | \$18 068                               | \$21 678  | \$18 917  | \$16 220                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$23 252                         | \$29 354                              | \$25 672  | \$22 293                               | \$25 060  | \$21 916                                | \$19 045                               | \$23 277  | \$20 069  | \$17 916                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$24 098                         | \$30 069                              | \$26 328  | \$23 650                               | \$25 687  | \$22 623                                | \$20 045                               | \$24 449  | \$21 059  | \$19 157                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$25 445                         | \$31 256                              | \$27 744  | \$25 457                               | \$26 792  | \$24 124                                | \$21 788                               | \$25 108  | \$22 262  | \$20 390                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$26 128                         | \$31 976                              | \$28 511  | \$26 703                               | \$27 292  | \$24 936                                | \$22 332                               | \$25 296  | \$22 988  | \$20 934                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$20 337                         | \$27 049                              | \$22 091  | \$19 872                               | \$22 510  | \$18 375                                | \$16 538                               | \$22 720  | \$17 228  | \$15 763                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 352                         | \$20 425                              | \$16 765  | \$12 943                               | \$17 997  | \$14 642                                | \$12 310                               | \$16 739  | \$14 180  | \$12 435                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$17 167                         | \$21 355                              | \$18 816  | \$15 292                               | \$18 937  | \$16 770                                | \$15 142                               | \$17 901  | \$15 884  | \$14 739                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$17 641                         | \$21 887                              | \$19 299  | \$16 153                               | \$19 077  | \$17 383                                | \$15 894                               | \$17 945  | \$16 361  | \$14 963                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$12 911                         | \$19 527                              | \$13 436  | \$10 448                               | \$16 508  | \$11 753                                | \$9 565                                | \$14 769  | \$11 402  | \$9 541                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$21 207                         | \$27 955                              | \$23 848  | \$18 203                               | \$21 696  | \$19 979                                | \$16 893                               | \$19 923  | \$17 310  | \$14 641                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$22 124                         | \$28 688                              | \$24 481  | \$19 877                               | \$22 266  | \$20 672                                | \$18 025                               | \$20 577  | \$18 444  | \$15 945                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$22 751                         | \$29 135                              | \$24 935  | \$19 740                               | \$22 692  | \$21 256                                | \$18 579                               | \$21 367  | \$18 887  | \$16 287                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$12 116                         | \$14 787                              | \$13 115  | \$10 077                               | \$14 137  | \$12 510                                | \$9 901                                | \$15 955  | \$10 983  | \$9 741                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$16 575                         | \$21 202                              | \$18 498  | \$17 519                               | \$19 354  | \$16 511                                | \$14 081                               | \$17 163  | \$14 836  | \$12 405                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 227                         | \$22 495                              | \$20 229  | \$20 854                               | \$21 057  | \$18 159                                | \$16 328                               | \$18 509  | \$16 559  | \$13 937                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 593                         | \$22 651                              | \$20 899  | \$23 461                               | \$21 075  | \$18 592                                | \$16 572                               | \$19 161  | \$17 196  | \$14 149                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$12 741                         | \$18 336                              | \$13 887  | \$7 904                                | \$15 349  | \$12 635                                | \$10 190                               | \$14 708  | \$10 443  | \$9 140                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$13 465                         | \$20 706                              | \$16 144  | \$10 294                               | \$15 810  | \$13 978                                | \$10 167                               | \$10 356  | \$11 487  | \$9 164                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$17 073                         | \$24 768                              | \$20 007  | \$12 711                               | \$19 446  | \$17 270                                | \$14 329                               | \$11 714  | \$15 001  | \$11 487                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 320                          | \$12 738                              | \$9 305   | \$4 912                                | \$10 301  | \$8 632                                 | \$6 398                                | \$7 005   | \$9 934   | \$6 515                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$15 388                         | \$20 810                              | \$15 135  | \$13 081                               | \$15 292  | \$13 759                                | \$9 973                                | \$11 455  | \$10 927  | \$9 474                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$19 025                         | \$28 232                              | \$22 279  | \$17 735                               | \$19 067  | \$17 403                                | \$14 337                               | \$13 153  | \$14 008  | \$11 182                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$19 666                         | \$29 605                              | \$23 359  | \$17 955                               | \$20 355  | \$18 526                                | \$15 742                               | \$15 215  | \$15 601  | \$13 252                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$8 797                          | \$13 038                              | \$11 656  | \$8 738                                | \$20 956  | \$19 021                                | \$16 201                               | \$15 544  | \$14 006  | \$11 582                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 180                          | \$10 574                              | \$8 356   | \$7 858                                | \$10 473  | \$9 943                                 | \$8 174                                | \$9 825   | \$8 079   | \$6 872                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$9 832                          | \$12 780                              | \$10 210  | \$8 986                                | \$12 633  | \$10 188                                | \$8 678                                | \$11 084  | \$9 640   | \$8 258                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$10 215                         | \$13 011                              | \$10 482  | \$9 349                                | \$12 812  | \$10 702                                | \$8 937                                | \$11 276  | \$10 100  | \$8 531                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$4 915                          | \$6 879                               | \$4 715   | \$6 070                                | \$7 217   | \$4 445                                 | \$4 379                                | \$7 800   | \$4 624   | \$4 438                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 411                          | \$1 689                               | \$1 507   | \$1 188                                | \$1 453   | \$1 399                                 | \$1 219                                | \$1 392   | \$1 457   | \$1 387                                |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                  |                                       |   |  |   |   |  |   |   |  |
| TOTAL  | 20.5                             | 22.2                                  | 17.2  | 14.3                                   | 28.1  | 19.7                                    | 15.0                                   | 32.9  | 22.3  | 17.2                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 29.5                             | 30.1                                  | 26.0  | 24.9                                   | 34.1  | 28.7                                    | 27.5                                   | 38.5  | 31.5  | 30.8                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.5                             | 34.1                                  | 29.5  | 27.0                                   | 36.6  | 31.6                                    | 30.0                                   | 40.3  | 33.6  | 32.9                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.8                             | 33.4                                  | 28.9  | 26.2                                   | 35.9  | 31.0                                    | 29.2                                   | 39.0  | 32.5  | 31.8                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.3                             | 36.4                                  | 32.7  | 30.2                                   | 38.6  | 34.8                                    | 33.8                                   | 40.3  | 35.8  | 35.4                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.4                             | 36.2                                  | 33.0  | 30.0                                   | 38.6  | 35.1                                    | 34.2                                   | 39.2  | 36.2  | 35.1                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.8                             | 24.7                                  | 14.7  | 15.3                                   | 26.8  | 17.0                                    | 16.9                                   | 35.3  | 18.6  | 18.8                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 42.5                             | 46.5                                  | 40.2  | 38.1                                   | 47.3  | 40.4                                    | 38.9                                   | 51.2  | 43.4  | 40.9                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.1                             | 51.8                                  | 46.6  | 48.4                                   | 53.6  | 47.6                                    | 46.5                                   | 55.9  | 50.7  | 46.9                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.1                             | 52.2                                  | 47.7  | 47.3                                   | 54.5  | 48.7                                    | 47.0                                   | 55.6  | 51.9  | 49.3                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.8                             | 40.9                                  | 25.7  | 22.3                                   | 35.9  | 26.5                                    | 27.2                                   | 41.6  | 26.9  | 29.2                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 15.9                             | 14.6                                  | 13.2  | 14.8                                   | 19.4  | 16.1                                    | 15.9                                   | 21.7  | 18.2  | 18.5                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 15.4                             | 14.3                                  | 12.9  | 14.2                                   | 18.9  | 15.7                                    | 15.2                                   | 20.8  | 17.3  | 17.4                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 15.2                             | 14.0                                  | 12.8  | 14.5                                   | 18.6  | 15.6                                    | 15.0                                   | 20.6  | 17.1  | 17.4                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 24.2                             | 25.6                                  | 22.2  | 21.7                                   | 29.0  | 22.3                                    | 23.8                                   | 28.7  | 26.3  | 25.5                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 44.1                             | 46.6                                  | 39.8  | 36.5                                   | 49.8  | 41.5                                    | 41.2                                   | 54.4  | 46.1  | 44.0                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 48.3                             | 49.8                                  | 44.0  | 37.0                                   | 52.6  | 46.8                                    | 46.5                                   | 58.0  | 50.2  | 47.6                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 48.7                             | 50.1                                  | 45.1  | 32.8                                   | 52.8  | 47.2                                    | 47.8                                   | 56.7  | 51.2  | 48.1                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.1                             | 37.7                                  | 23.5  | 32.6                                   | 40.7  | 23.6                                    | 26.5                                   | 46.1  | 29.6  | 32.4                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 27.2                             | 26.3                                  | 23.7  | 23.6                                   | 32.2  | 25.8                                    | 25.9                                   | 39.8  | 30.4  | 27.9                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 30.0                             | 27.0                                  | 28.0  | 30.1                                   | 35.4  | 30.0                                    | 28.8                                   | 42.7  | 32.7  | 29.9                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.0                             | 32.2                                  | 19.2  | 25.0                                   | 32.7  | 25.8                                    | 23.5                                   | 41.7  | 24  |  |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

(DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDICES A AND B)

| SOUTH REGION<br>RURAL                            | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                        |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                        |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                        |                                     |
|--|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|  |                                | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| WHITE  |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 5 364 025                      | 641 759                          | 537 287                | 31 255                              | 323 279                            | 2 122 793              | 264 500                             | 57 185                            | 681 579                | 704 388                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 2 559 645                      | 417 785                          | 295 557                | 10 062                              | 207 875                            | 1 126 067              | 84 614                              | 22 675                            | 261 988                | 133 022                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 1 879 000                      | 302 908                          | 213 010                | 7 088                               | 159 521                            | 837 445                | 60 844                              | 16 365                            | 190 328                | 91 491                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 703 640                      | 281 509                          | 198 975                | 6 180                               | 146 967                            | 765 213                | 53 047                              | 13 923                            | 162 994                | 74 832                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 1 253 391                      | 201 828                          | 148 907                | 4 206                               | 109 193                            | 564 722                | 35 247                              | 10 112                            | 123 995                | 55 181                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 921 138                        | 136 208                          | 117 145                | 3 033                               | 77 378                             | 427 313                | 25 539                              | 7 212                             | 89 205                 | 38 105                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 450 249                        | 79 581                           | 50 068                 | 1 974                               | 37 774                             | 200 491                | 17 800                              | 3 811                             | 38 999                 | 19 451                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 175 360                        | 21 399                           | 14 035                 | 908                                 | 12 554                             | 72 232                 | 7 797                               | 2 442                             | 27 334                 | 16 459                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 100 906                        | 10 732                           | 8 739                  | 455                                 | 7 825                              | 41 408                 | 3 797                               | 1 592                             | 16 895                 | 9 463                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 75 283                         | 7 528                            | 6 876                  | 310                                 | 5 733                              | 31 393                 | 2 763                               | 1 176                             | 12 599                 | 6 905                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 74 454                         | 10 667                           | 5 296                  | 453                                 | 4 729                              | 30 824                 | 4 000                               | 850                               | 10 439                 | 7 196                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 535 630                        | 95 329                           | 70 094                 | 2 248                               | 38 732                             | 237 472                | 17 555                              | 3 628                             | 47 420                 | 23 152                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 489 937                        | 90 395                           | 66 359                 | 1 928                               | 36 170                             | 218 213                | 15 160                              | 3 135                             | 40 192                 | 18 385                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 430 886                        | 82 863                           | 60 779                 | 1 750                               | 31 703                             | 189 506                | 12 846                              | 2 725                             | 33 480                 | 15 234                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 45 693                         | 4 934                            | 3 735                  | 320                                 | 2 562                              | 19 259                 | 2 395                               | 493                               | 7 228                  | 4 767                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 92 995                         | 12 416                           | 8 065                  | 444                                 | 6 728                              | 33 030                 | 3 785                               | 1 765                             | 16 128                 | 10 634                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 65 240                         | 8 573                            | 5 929                  | 333                                 | 4 807                              | 23 192                 | 2 375                               | 1 154                             | 11 566                 | 7 311                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50 623                         | 5 935                            | 4 774                  | 248                                 | 3 682                              | 18 666                 | 1 857                               | 870                               | 9 132                  | 5 459                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27 755                         | 3 843                            | 2 136                  | 111                                 | 1 921                              | 9 838                  | 1 410                               | 611                               | 4 562                  | 3 323                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 52 020                         | 7 132                            | 4 388                  | 282                                 | 2 894                              | 18 120                 | 2 430                               | 917                               | 8 112                  | 7 745                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 19 127                         | 2 892                            | 1 857                  | 84                                  | 1 113                              | 6 699                  | 759                                 | 342                               | 2 748                  | 2 633                               |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 12 351                         | 1 434                            | 732                    | 86                                  | 578                                | 3 855                  | 740                                 | 236                               | 2 145                  | 2 545                               |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 20 542                         | 2 806                            | 1 799                  | 112                                 | 1 203                              | 7 566                  | 931                                 | 339                               | 3 219                  | 2 567                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 1 798 256                      | 170 208                          | 193 342                | 12 674                              | 74 774                             | 762 432                | 116 532                             | 13 258                            | 225 875                | 229 141                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 1 514 395                      | 156 330                          | 175 737                | 10 371                              | 65 137                             | 664 338                | 94 379                              | 9 982                             | 176 903                | 161 198                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 1 295 738                      | 142 982                          | 158 553                | 8 834                               | 57 205                             | 568 129                | 78 953                              | 8 195                             | 143 192                | 129 697                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 283 841                        | 13 878                           | 17 605                 | 2 303                               | 9 617                              | 98 094                 | 22 153                              | 3 276                             | 48 972                 | 67 943                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 237 176                        | 13 334                           | 12 439                 | 1 558                               | 13 873                             | 71 636                 | 12 365                              | 5 892                             | 56 939                 | 49 140                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 158 660                        | 8 397                            | 8 277                  | 941                                 | 8 985                              | 49 497                 | 7 801                               | 3 657                             | 39 550                 | 31 555                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 125 878                        | 6 250                            | 6 783                  | 728                                 | 6 985                              | 40 382                 | 6 156                               | 2 774                             | 31 548                 | 24 272                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 78 516                         | 4 937                            | 4 162                  | 617                                 | 4 888                              | 22 139                 | 4 564                               | 2 235                             | 17 389                 | 17 585                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 768 968                        | 40 432                           | 35 949                 | 6 961                               | 26 757                             | 162 658                | 50 989                              | 15 360                            | 136 777                | 293 085                             |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$17 435                       | \$26 600                         | \$22 236               | \$14 096                            | \$20 807                           | \$18 216               | \$12 912                            | \$13 172                          | \$13 122               | \$7 886                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$22 817                       | \$28 768                         | \$25 181               | \$21 266                            | \$24 469                           | \$21 590               | \$18 412                            | \$21 912                          | \$19 288               | \$16 699                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$23 662                       | \$29 495                         | \$25 994               | \$22 653                            | \$25 446                           | \$22 298               | \$19 287                            | \$23 396                          | \$20 352               | \$18 221                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$24 497                       | \$30 193                         | \$26 628               | \$24 103                            | \$26 052                           | \$22 997               | \$20 314                            | \$24 514                          | \$21 375               | \$19 492                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$25 864                       | \$31 384                         | \$28 074               | \$25 848                            | \$27 146                           | \$24 534               | \$22 099                            | \$24 953                          | \$22 606               | \$20 684                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$26 540                       | \$32 105                         | \$28 803               | \$27 121                            | \$27 592                           | \$25 339               | \$22 629                            | \$25 559                          | \$23 319               | \$21 322                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$20 692                       | \$27 177                         | \$22 326               | \$20 387                            | \$22 889                           | \$18 667               | \$16 779                            | \$23 351                          | \$17 461               | \$16 144                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$15 551                       | \$20 301                         | \$17 003               | \$12 786                            | \$18 361                           | \$14 899               | \$12 302                            | \$17 022                          | \$14 257               | \$12 513                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$17 440                       | \$21 402                         | \$19 097               | \$15 153                            | \$19 270                           | \$17 140               | \$15 075                            | \$18 080                          | \$16 010               | \$14 726                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$17 945                       | \$22 041                         | \$19 603               | \$16 022                            | \$19 299                           | \$17 798               | \$15 919                            | \$17 960                          | \$16 546               | \$14 822                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$12 991                       | \$19 193                         | \$13 549               | \$10 429                            | \$16 858                           | \$11 890               | \$9 669                             | \$15 042                          | \$11 419               | \$9 603                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$21 765                       | \$28 066                         | \$24 035               | \$18 893                            | \$21 930                           | \$20 314               | \$17 438                            | \$20 604                          | \$17 853               | \$15 309                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$22 639                       | \$28 791                         | \$24 639               | \$20 341                            | \$22 460                           | \$20 980               | \$18 573                            | \$21 129                          | \$19 080               | \$16 840                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 232                       | \$29 234                         | \$25 071               | \$20 330                            | \$22 895                           | \$21 549               | \$19 123                            | \$21 837                          | \$19 549               | \$17 022                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$12 399                       | \$14 799                         | \$13 311               | \$10 169                            | \$12 448                           | \$12 769               | \$10 251                            | \$17 262                          | \$11 030               | \$9 405                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$16 821                       | \$21 184                         | \$18 648               | \$17 219                            | \$19 594                           | \$16 861               | \$14 116                            | \$16 908                          | \$14 795               | \$12 465                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$18 538                       | \$22 528                         | \$20 365               | \$20 608                            | \$21 385                           | \$18 527               | \$16 472                            | \$19 232                          | \$16 588               | \$14 094                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 937                       | \$22 784                         | \$21 011               | \$23 411                            | \$21 344                           | \$18 904               | \$16 910                            | \$20 088                          | \$17 515               | \$14 452                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$12 784                       | \$18 183                         | \$13 880               | \$7 053                             | \$15 110                           | \$12 934               | \$10 147                            | \$12 520                          | \$10 251               | \$8 883                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$13 831                       | \$20 497                         | \$16 077               | \$11 678                            | \$15 905                           | \$14 212               | \$10 246                            | \$10 220                          | \$11 636               | \$8 681                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$17 444                       | \$24 509                         | \$20 055               | \$13 779                            | \$19 201                           | \$17 676               | \$13 811                            | \$11 551                          | \$14 989               | \$11 002                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$8 363                        | \$12 196                         | \$8 946                | \$5 946                             | \$9 650                            | \$8 984                | \$7 210                             | \$5 835                           | \$8 012                | \$5 751                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$13 753                       | \$20 405                         | \$14 872               | \$14 503                            | \$15 860                           | \$13 808               | \$9 753                             | \$11 931                          | \$11 187               | \$9 206                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$17 859                       | \$28 650                         | \$22 478               | \$16 269                            | \$19 403                           | \$17 734               | \$14 667                            | \$13 492                          | \$14 341               | \$11 436                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$19 513                       | \$29 801                         | \$23 555               | \$17 877                            | \$20 692                           | \$18 851               | \$16 081                            | \$15 816                          | \$15 963               | \$13 618                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$20 140                       | \$30 220                         | \$24 082               | \$18 521                            | \$21 290                           | \$19 345               | \$16 513                            | \$16 187                          | \$16 338               | \$13 954                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$9 034                        | \$13 225                         | \$11 731               | \$9 026                             | \$10 666                           | \$10 171               | \$8 641                             | \$6 414                           | \$8 481                | \$6 260                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 281                        | \$10 599                         | \$8 457                | \$7 060                             | \$10 783                           | \$8 481                | \$7 057                             | \$9 716                           | \$8 151                | \$6 906                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$9 986                        | \$12 841                         | \$10 335               | \$9 402                             | \$12 785                           | \$10 288               | \$8 608                             | \$11 360                          | \$9 754                | \$8 352                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$10 375                       | \$13 106                         | \$10 625               | \$9 748                             | \$12 967                           | \$10 793               | \$8 822                             | \$11 507                          | \$10 207               | \$8 659                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$4 836                        | \$6 785                          | \$4 721                | \$3 759                             | \$7 103                            | \$4 440                | \$4 405                             | \$7 026                           | \$4 504                | \$4 312                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 350                        | \$1 691                          | \$1 487                | \$1 148                             | \$1 484                            | \$1 396                | \$1 192                             | \$1 318                           | \$1 365                | \$1 276                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 20.0                           | 21.7                             | 16.8                   | 14.1                                | 27.4                               | 19.2                   | 14.6                                | 31.9                              | 22.0                   | 17.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 29.2                           | 29.6                             | 25.7                   | 24.7                                | 33.6                               | 28.3                   | 27.3                                | 37.7                              | 31.6                   | 31.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.3                           | 33.8                             | 29.2                   | 27.0                                | 36.2                               | 31.2                   | 29.8                                | 39.7                              | 33.7                   | 33.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 31.6                           | 33.1                             | 28.8                   | 26.1                                | 35.6                               | 30.7                   | 29.0                                | 38.3                              | 32.5                   | 32.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.1                           | 36.1                             | 32.6                   | 30.2                                | 38.3                               | 34.5                   | 33.7                                | 39.4                              | 36.0                   | 35.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.3                           | 36.0                             | 32.9                   | 30.0                                | 38.4                               | 34.9                   | 34.1                                | 38.8                              | 36.3                   | 35.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 19.4                           | 24.4                             | 14.4                   | 15.1                                | 26.3                               | 16.5                   | 16.7                                | 35.1                              | 18.3                   | 18.8                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 42.4                           | 46.4                             | 39.9                   | 38.2                                | 46.9                               | 40.0                   | 38.6                                | 51.7                              | 44.1                   | 41.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.1                           | 51.7                             | 46.2                   | 48.9                                | 53.1                               | 47.3                   | 46.8                                | 56.5                              | 51.7                   | 47.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.2                           | 51.9                             | 47.5                   | 48.4                                | 54.1                               | 48.5                   | 47.5                                | 56.4                              | 53.0                   | 50.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.2                           | 40.4                             | 25.2                   | 22.5                                | 35.2                               | 25.7                   | 26.5                                | 40.9                              | 26.8                   | 29.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 15.5                           | 14.4                             | 13.0                   | 14.2                                | 18.8                               | 15.7                   | 15.7                                | 19.7                              | 17.6                   | 18.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 15.1                           | 14.1                             | 12.8                   | 13.8                                | 18.4                               | 15.4                   | 15.0                                | 18.8                              | 16.8                   | 17.1                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 14.9                           | 13.8                             | 12.6                   | 14.1                                | 18.2                               | 15.3                   | 14.8                                | 18.8                              | 16.7                   | 17.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 23.6                           | 25.4                             | 22.0                   | 18.9                                | 27.8                               | 21.5                   | 24.3                                | 26.3                              | 25.6                   | 26.5                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 44.3                           | 46.5                             | 40.0                   | 37.6                                | 49.5                               | 41.4                   | 41.4                                | 55.9                              | 47.8                   | 44.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 48.6                           | 49.7                             | 44.4                   | 38.2                                | 52.4                               | 46.9                   | 46.8                                | 58.3                              | 52.1                   | 48.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 49.1                           | 50.0                             | 45.5                   | 33.6                                | 52.8                               | 47.3                   | 48.2                                | 57.2                              | 53.1                   | 48.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 29.4                           | 37.7                             | 22.2                   | 32.9                                | 39.2                               | 22.9                   | 26.4                                | 49.2                              | 30.2                   | 30.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 26.5                           | 24.6                             | 23.1                   | 19.8                                | 29.5                               | 24.9                   | 26.4                                | 39.4                              | 30.6                   | 30.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 29.4                           | 25.5                             | 26.7                   | 31.1                                | 32.7                               | 29.1                   | 32.5                                | 43.6                              | 33.4                   | 32.9                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN                            |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                        |                                     |                                   |                        |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| SOUTH REGION<br>RURAL                             | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                 |                                 | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                 |                                 | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                 |                                 |          |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE |          |
| BLACK   |                                  |                                 |                                 |                                    |                                 |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | 531 900                          | 28 126                          | 21 119                          | 2 756                              | 27 391                          | 165 913                         | 27 992                            | 10 585                          | 97 208                          | 150 810  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 268 347                          | 22 833                          | 14 879                          | 903                                | 21 268                          | 108 955                         | 11 849                            | 4 794                           | 46 599                          | 36 267   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 190 037                          | 18 595                          | 11 746                          | 515                                | 16 603                          | 83 200                          | 7 363                             | 3 273                           | 29 968                          | 18 754   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 166 388                          | 16 267                          | 10 488                          | 454                                | 14 884                          | 74 280                          | 6 367                             | 2 735                           | 25 685                          | 15 228   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 125 215                          | 11 877                          | 8 177                           | 295                                | 10 918                          | 56 365                          | 4 605                             | 1 922                           | 19 928                          | 11 128   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 83 580                           | 7 265                           | 5 674                           | 208                                | 6 889                           | 38 090                          | 3 123                             | 1 075                           | 13 776                          | 7 480    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 41 173                           | 4 390                           | 2 311                           | 159                                | 3 966                           | 17 915                          | 1 762                             | 813                             | 5 757                           | 4 100    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 23 649                           | 2 328                           | 1 258                           | 61                                 | 1 719                           | 8 920                           | 1 016                             | 538                             | 4 283                           | 3 526    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 13 690                           | 909                             | 800                             | 42                                 | 934                             | 5 424                           | 554                               | 295                             | 2 770                           | 1 962    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 9 805                            | 616                             | 574                             | 25                                 | 599                             | 3 920                           | 397                               | 176                             | 2 048                           | 1 450    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 9 959                            | 1 419                           | 458                             | 19                                 | 785                             | 3 496                           | 462                               | 243                             | 1 513                           | 1 564    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 50 321                           | 2 541                           | 2 090                           | 254                                | 2 840                           | 17 478                          | 3 106                             | 780                             | 10 372                          | 10 860   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 42 679                           | 2 333                           | 1 815                           | 207                                | 2 483                           | 15 195                          | 2 608                             | 669                             | 8 884                           | 8 485    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 33 846                           | 1 943                           | 1 470                           | 168                                | 1 968                           | 12 184                          | 2 076                             | 501                             | 7 002                           | 6 534    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 7 442                            | 208                             | 275                             | 47                                 | 357                             | 2 283                           | 498                               | 111                             | 1 488                           | 2 375    |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 15 364                           | 1 010                           | 677                             | 42                                 | 1 300                           | 5 213                           | 632                               | 465                             | 3 391                           | 2 634    |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 10 566                           | 668                             | 459                             | 32                                 | 810                             | 3 733                           | 431                               | 278                             | 2 450                           | 1 705    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 7 711                            | 414                             | 367                             | 32                                 | 535                             | 2 745                           | 301                               | 197                             | 1 780                           | 1 340    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 798                            | 342                             | 218                             | 10                                 | 490                             | 1 480                           | 201                               | 187                             | 941                             | 929      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 12 625                           | 687                             | 366                             | 92                                 | 525                             | 3 064                           | 728                               | 276                             | 2 868                           | 4 019    |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 4 180                            | 265                             | 154                             | 16                                 | 142                             | 1 155                           | 192                               | 82                              | 987                             | 1 187    |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 3 479                            | 184                             | 80                              | 10                                 | 261                             | 1 635                           | 230                               | 84                              | 843                             | 1 263    |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 4 966                            | 238                             | 132                             | 36                                 | 122                             | 1 276                           | 306                               | 110                             | 1 038                           | 1 569    |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 134 803                          | 3 185                           | 4 449                           | 895                                | 3 542                           | 40 674                          | 10 036                            | 2 029                           | 26 106                          | 43 887   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 103 692                          | 2 694                           | 3 865                           | 715                                | 2 955                           | 34 125                          | 7 906                             | 1 425                           | 19 978                          | 30 029   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 81 502                           | 2 319                           | 3 222                           | 579                                | 2 407                           | 27 277                          | 6 110                             | 1 111                           | 15 356                          | 23 141   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 31 111                           | 491                             | 584                             | 180                                | 587                             | 6 549                           | 2 130                             | 604                             | 6 128                           | 13 858   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 37 619                           | 1 051                           | 818                             | 205                                | 1 588                           | 7 842                           | 1 714                             | 1 476                           | 9 641                           | 13 284   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 23 944                           | 598                             | 524                             | 139                                | 935                             | 5 215                           | 1 072                             | 865                             | 6 339                           | 8 257    |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 17 899                           | 352                             | 442                             | 106                                | 659                             | 4 075                           | 840                               | 573                             | 4 581                           | 6 271    |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 13 675                           | 453                             | 294                             | 66                                 | 653                             | 2 627                           | 642                               | 281                             | 3 302                           | 5 027    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 91 131                           | 1 057                           | 973                             | 753                                | 993                             | 8 442                           | 4 393                             | 6 616                           | 14 862                          | 57 372   |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |                                 |                                    |                                 |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | \$12 874                         | \$22 848                        | \$17 407                        | \$10 741                           | \$18 445                        | \$14 908                        | \$11 331                          | \$13 429                        | \$12 346                        | \$7 756  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$18 166                         | \$25 484                        | \$19 818                        | \$15 930                           | \$20 936                        | \$17 585                        | \$16 011                          | \$20 992                        | \$17 085                        | \$14 776 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$19 507                         | \$26 156                        | \$20 600                        | \$18 534                           | \$21 713                        | \$18 360                        | \$17 701                          | \$22 917                        | \$18 602                        | \$16 953 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 250                         | \$26 785                        | \$21 260                        | \$19 106                           | \$22 426                        | \$19 015                        | \$18 481                          | \$24 323                        | \$19 373                        | \$17 986 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$21 310                         | \$27 613                        | \$22 229                        | \$21 990                           | \$23 508                        | \$20 135                        | \$19 899                          | \$25 991                        | \$20 302                        | \$19 260 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$21 629                         | \$27 833                        | \$22 908                        | \$22 503                           | \$24 059                        | \$20 569                        | \$20 419                          | \$23 371                        | \$20 940                        | \$19 293 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$17 026                         | \$24 544                        | \$17 829                        | \$13 755                           | \$19 448                        | \$15 492                        | \$14 773                          | \$20 379                        | \$16 158                        | \$14 530 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$14 282                         | \$21 761                        | \$15 101                        | \$14 280                           | \$15 536                        | \$12 906                        | \$12 817                          | \$15 769                        | \$13 978                        | \$12 490 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 349                         | \$20 993                        | \$15 876                        | \$15 716                           | \$16 178                        | \$14 175                        | \$16 046                          | \$16 714                        | \$15 252                        | \$15 097 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$15 532                         | \$20 247                        | \$16 120                        | \$15 285                           | \$16 672                        | \$14 322                        | \$16 173                          | \$17 475                        | \$15 414                        | \$15 859 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 817                         | \$22 253                        | \$13 749                        | \$11 107                           | \$14 773                        | \$10 937                        | \$8 945                           | \$14 622                        | \$11 644                        | \$9 220  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$15 510                         | \$22 799                        | \$17 141                        | \$13 099                           | \$18 447                        | \$15 616                        | \$13 835                          | \$17 660                        | \$14 974                        | \$13 446 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$16 380                         | \$23 461                        | \$18 149                        | \$13 705                           | \$19 411                        | \$16 346                        | \$14 957                          | \$18 487                        | \$15 702                        | \$14 274 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$16 750                         | \$23 541                        | \$18 556                        | \$14 569                           | \$19 418                        | \$16 736                        | \$15 366                          | \$19 429                        | \$15 900                        | \$14 751 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 654                         | \$15 374                        | \$10 489                        | \$10 429                           | \$11 746                        | \$10 759                        | \$7 958                           | \$12 673                        | \$10 624                        | \$10 490 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$15 310                         | \$20 742                        | \$17 063                        | \$22 347                           | \$18 580                        | \$14 687                        | \$13 895                          | \$18 972                        | \$15 182                        | \$12 141 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 493                         | \$20 677                        | \$18 265                        | \$24 270                           | \$19 954                        | \$16 125                        | \$15 637                          | \$16 690                        | \$16 712                        | \$13 264 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$16 533                         | \$20 335                        | \$19 042                        | \$24 270                           | \$20 056                        | \$16 652                        | \$14 669                          | \$16 097                        | \$16 820                        | \$12 937 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 705                         | \$20 869                        | \$14 533                        | \$16 195                           | \$16 309                        | \$11 060                        | \$10 159                          | \$22 365                        | \$11 200                        | \$10 081 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$12 041                         | \$24 194                        | \$15 109                        | \$6 234                            | \$15 675                        | \$12 708                        | \$9 991                           | \$10 989                        | \$11 118                        | \$9 936  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 548                         | \$28 388                        | \$19 516                        | \$9 646                            | \$21 797                        | \$15 141                        | \$16 379                          | \$12 239                        | \$14 876                        | \$12 548 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$8 011                          | \$17 777                        | \$10 662                        | \$2 690                            | \$13 627                        | \$8 752                         | \$5 557                           | \$10 024                        | \$7 809                         | \$7 490  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$11 912                         | \$24 485                        | \$12 662                        | \$8 655                            | \$13 302                        | \$13 460                        | \$10 819                          | \$10 795                        | \$10 235                        | \$9 340  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$11 263                         | \$15 342                        | \$14 560                        | \$13 961                           | \$12 323                        | \$11 914                        | \$10 903                          | \$11 160                        | \$11 379                        | \$9 077  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$12 613                         | \$16 631                        | \$15 280                        | \$16 379                           | \$13 437                        | \$12 838                        | \$12 100                          | \$11 463                        | \$12 688                        | \$11 622 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$12 918                         | \$17 195                        | \$15 750                        | \$14 331                           | \$13 864                        | \$12 935                        | \$12 502                          | \$11 344                        | \$13 219                        | \$11 927 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$6 765                          | \$8 267                         | \$9 794                         | \$4 356                            | \$6 719                         | \$7 103                         | \$6 463                           | \$10 446                        | \$7 109                         | \$6 191  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 558                          | \$10 252                        | \$7 095                         | \$7 759                            | \$9 833                         | \$7 706                         | \$6 612                           | \$9 976                         | \$7 687                         | \$6 770  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$8 788                          | \$11 679                        | \$8 552                         | \$6 857                            | \$11 116                        | \$9 362                         | \$8 016                           | \$9 545                         | \$8 919                         | \$7 920  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$9 025                          | \$10 530                        | \$8 657                         | \$7 452                            | \$11 190                        | \$9 908                         | \$8 197                           | \$9 631                         | \$9 331                         | \$8 025  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 404                          | \$8 368                         | \$4 499                         | \$9 658                            | \$7 996                         | \$4 419                         | \$4 266                           | \$10 586                        | \$5 324                         | \$4 880  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 868                          | \$1 063                         | \$2 216                         | \$1 505                            | \$707                           | \$1 467                         | \$1 527                           | \$1 812                         | \$2 205                         | \$1 902  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |                                 |                                    |                                 |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                 |          |
| TOTAL   | 26.9                             | 36.4                            | 27.4                            | 17.4                               | 37.0                            | 28.2                            | 19.6                              | 38.2                            | 24.6                            | 17.4     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 33.7                             | 38.6                            | 32.5                            | 27.2                               | 39.0                            | 33.8                            | 29.1                              | 42.6                            | 31.0                            | 28.4     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 35.7                             | 39.6                            | 34.1                            | 27.7                               | 39.6                            | 35.4                            | 32.3                              | 43.8                            | 33.1                            | 31.6     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34.9                             | 38.7                            | 33.3                            | 26.5                               | 38.9                            | 34.7                            | 31.3                              | 42.9                            | 32.4                            | 30.2     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.5                             | 40.7                            | 36.2                            | 29.5                               | 40.6                            | 37.7                            | 34.8                              | 44.8                            | 35.0                            | 33.2     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.6                             | 40.5                            | 36.2                            | 29.1                               | 40.6                            | 38.0                            | 35.3                              | 41.5                            | 35.4                            | 34.3     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 24.9                             | 32.6                            | 20.5                            | 17.6                               | 33.0                            | 22.7                            | 18.8                              | 37.0                            | 20.9                            | 19.4     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 43.7                             | 46.9                            | 43.6                            | 40.1                               | 49.2                            | 44.3                            | 41.2                              | 50.8                            | 39.2                            | 40.5     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.7                             | 52.3                            | 49.9                            | 46.0                               | 56.5                            | 49.9                            | 44.1                              | 54.0                            | 44.2                            | 45.3     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 48.9                             | 53.7                            | 49.0                            | 39.9                               | 57.3                            | 50.8                            | 42.9                              | 53.5                            | 44.5                            | 45.9     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 35.4                             | 43.7                            | 30.8                            | 21.5                               | 39.8                            | 32.9                            | 34.8                              | 46.3                            | 27.1                            | 30.6     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 22.2                             | 26.8                            | 19.6                            | 22.8                               | 27.9                            | 22.6                            | 17.8                              | 32.5                            | 21.4                            | 19.6     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 21.5                             | 26.5                            | 19.2                            | 19.8                               | 26.9                            | 21.8                            | 17.4                              | 31.4                            | 20.5                            | 18.6     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 21.3                             | 26.0                            | 18.8                            | 20.1                               | 26.4                            | 22.0                            | 17.5                              | 31.8                            | 19.3                            | 18.6     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 28.9                             | 32.5                            | 24.6                            | 40.3                               | 39.1                            | 31.5                            | 21.7                              | 41.9                            | 29.4                            | 24.5     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 42.5                             | 47.2                            | 37.1                            | 26.0                               | 50.0                            | 41.6                            | 40.8                              | 49.0                            | 38.5                            | 43.6     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 45.3                             | 51.9                            | 37.0                            | 26.2                               | 52.1                            | 45.1                            | 44.5                              | 55.3                            | 41.2                            | 46.1     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 45.5                             | 55.9                            | 37.2                            | 26.2                               | 50.4                            | 45.7                            | 44.7                              | 53.1                            | 41.1                            | 48.0     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 34.7                             | 38.3                            | 37.4                            | 24.8                               | 46.0                            | 28.7                            | 28.7                              | 41.9                            | 28.0                            | 37.6     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 30.8                             | 40.4                            | 35.4                            | 47.4                               | 47.5                            | 30.8                            | 24.4                              | 42.1                            | 30.3                            | 23.2     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 32.9                             | 40.4                            | 43.9                            | 35.9                               | 55.2                            | 35.2                            | 16.5                              | 40.1                            | 31.4                            | 24.0     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.8                             | 44.4                            | 16.1                            | 53.1                               | 47.4                            | 27.1                            | 23.1                              | 38.9                            | 26.3                            | 23.1     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 29.4                             | 38.1                            | 30.1                            | 51.2                               | 40.7                            | 27.2                            | 32.2                              | 46.0                            | 31.2                            | 22.4     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 66.0                             | 84.5                            | 81.6                            | 59.3                               | 84.3                            | 75.6                            | 61.2                              | 75.8                            | 63.2                            | 54.4     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 69.0                             | 86.2                            | 84.0                            | 76.3</                             |                                 |                                 |                                   |                                 |                                 |          |

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| SOUTH REGION<br>RURAL                             | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   |                                | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                                |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 37 528                         | 3 143                            | 3 586  | 314                                 | 2 366                              | 14 008                                       | 2 090                               | 645                               | 5 328  | 6 046                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 18 560                         | 2 164                            | 1 991  | 95                                  | 1 643                              | 7 963  | 723                                 | 304                               | 2 391  | 1 286                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 14 100                         | 1 683                            | 1 481  | 56                                  | 1 355                              | 6 099  | 571                                 | 200                               | 1 752  | 903                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 11 897                         | 1 519                            | 1 312  | 49                                  | 1 166                              | 5 199  | 459                                 | 169                               | 1 373  | 651                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 8 076                          | 1 090                            | 932  | 33                                  | 806                                | 3 414  | 260                                 | 143                               | 905  | 493                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 5 598                          | 730                              | 674  | 26                                  | 541                                | 2 426  | 186                                 | 71                                | 588  | 356                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 3 821                          | 429                              | 380  | 16                                  | 360                                | 1 785  | 199                                 | 26                                | 468  | 158                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 2 205                          | 164                              | 169  | 7                                   | 189                                | 900  | 112                                 | 31                                | 379  | 252                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 2 690                          | 94                               | 66   | 6                                   | 15                                 | 454  | 61                                  | 24                                | 198  | 112                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 802                            | 41                               | 64   | 2                                   | 59                                 | 340  | 45                                  | 24                                | 158  | 65                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 094                          | 91                               | 103  | 1                                   | 74                                 | 446  | 51                                  | 7                                 | 181  | 140                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 3 003                          | 364                              | 362  | 24                                  | 155                                | 1 361  | 111                                 | 30                                | 374  | 222                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 516                          | 315                              | 339  | 15                                  | 149                                | 1 178  | 97                                  | 26                                | 250  | 147                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 2 104                          | 279                              | 292  | 15                                  | 134                                | 985  | 95                                  | 15                                | 202  | 87                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 487                            | 49                               | 23   | 9                                   | 6                                  | 183  | 14                                  | 4                                 | 124  | 75                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 934                            | 64                               | 88   | 5                                   | 87                                 | 337  | 23                                  | 66                                | 184  | 80                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 649                            | 52                               | 55   | -                                   | 72                                 | 198  | 15                                  | 58                                | 141  | 60                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 408                            | 21                               | 42   | -                                   | 53                                 | 119  | 6                                   | 27                                | 100  | 40                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 285                            | 12                               | 35   | 5                                   | 15                                 | 139  | 8                                   | 8                                 | 43   | 20                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 523                            | 53                               | 60   | 10                                  | 46                                 | 166  | 18                                  | 8                                 | 81   | 81                                  |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 156                            | 2                                | 8  | 10                                  | 27                                 | 73   | -                                   | -                                 | 11   | 25                                  |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 153                            | 32                               | 39   | -                                   | 7                                  | 29   | -                                   | 1                                 | 24   | 21                                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 214                            | 19                               | 13   | -                                   | 12                                 | 64   | 18                                  | 7                                 | 46   | 35                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 11 838                         | 724                              | 1 256  | 90                                  | 559                                | 4 695  | 873                                 | 152                               | 1 641  | 1 848                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 9 148                          | 630                              | 1 069  | 67                                  | 480                                | 3 692  | 686                                 | 124                               | 1 154  | 1 246                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 7 375                          | 555                              | 900  | 44                                  | 374                                | 2 916  | 573                                 | 86                                | 955  | 992                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 2 690                          | 94                               | 187  | 25                                  | 81                                 | 1 005  | 187                                 | 28                                | 487  | 602                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 2 067                          | 119                              | 162  | 24                                  | 57                                 | 521  | 116                                 | 103                               | 504  | 461                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 356                          | 78                               | 98   | 21                                  | 44                                 | 329  | 68                                  | 83                                | 341  | 294                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 031                          | 60                               | 81   | 18                                  | 29                                 | 258  | 56                                  | 68                                | 250  | 211                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 711                            | 41                               | 64   | 3                                   | 13                                 | 192  | 48                                  | 20                                | 163  | 167                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 5 063                          | 136                              | 177  | 107                                 | 107                                | 829  | 378                                 | 86                                | 792  | 2 451                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$14 332                       | \$22 178                         | \$17 575                                     | \$9 102                             | \$19 247                           | \$15 391                                     | \$11 589                            | \$13 342                          | \$11 923                                     | \$7 403                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$18 920                       | \$24 995                         | \$20 450                                     | \$15 726                            | \$20 784                           | \$18 440                                     | \$16 253                            | \$17 519                          | \$16 162                                     | \$14 106                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$19 565                       | \$26 305                         | \$20 272                                     | \$18 926                            | \$21 413                           | \$18 725                                     | \$16 218                            | \$20 840                          | \$16 972                                     | \$15 651                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 816                       | \$27 220                         | \$21 272                                     | \$18 852                            | \$22 274                           | \$19 882                                     | \$17 324                            | \$21 440                          | \$18 154                                     | \$17 872                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$22 921                       | \$29 327                         | \$23 300                                     | \$19 085                            | \$24 214                           | \$21 983                                     | \$19 704                            | \$22 851                          | \$20 275                                     | \$19 258                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$23 910                       | \$29 573                         | \$24 180                                     | \$19 913                            | \$25 295                           | \$23 399                                     | \$20 224                            | \$23 797                          | \$21 801                                     | \$18 879                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$16 368                       | \$21 865                         | \$16 298                                     | \$18 373                            | \$17 931                           | \$15 864                                     | \$14 215                            | \$13 677                          | \$14 051                                     | \$13 547                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$12 807                       | \$17 838                         | \$12 514                                     | \$19 441                            | \$16 098                           | \$12 038                                     | \$11 687                            | \$17 573                          | \$12 689                                     | \$9 912                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 995                       | \$19 694                         | \$16 604                                     | \$21 510                            | \$18 047                           | \$14 224                                     | \$12 952                            | \$20 517                          | \$14 252                                     | \$11 874                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$15 614                       | \$22 173                         | \$16 807                                     | \$21 510                            | \$20 018                           | \$14 815                                     | \$13 387                            | \$20 517                          | \$14 308                                     | \$12 308                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 589                       | \$16 350                         | \$9 893                                      | \$7 025                             | \$13 069                           | \$9 813                                      | \$10 175                            | \$7 481                           | \$10 979                                     | \$8 342                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$18 538                       | \$21 739                         | \$20 409                                     | \$12 735                            | \$22 254                           | \$19 337                                     | \$18 589                            | \$11 091                          | \$14 981                                     | \$10 347                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 192                       | \$23 332                         | \$21 055                                     | \$17 402                            | \$22 315                           | \$21 182                                     | \$19 848                            | \$11 919                          | \$15 327                                     | \$11 643                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 013                       | \$23 350                         | \$21 159                                     | \$17 402                            | \$21 952                           | \$22 600                                     | \$19 977                            | \$10 303                          | \$14 867                                     | \$11 499                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 992                        | \$11 499                         | \$10 899                                     | \$4 958                             | \$20 750                           | \$7 461                                      | \$9 869                             | \$5 710                           | \$14 284                                     | \$7 807                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$13 591                       | \$19 591                         | \$18 023                                     | \$8 410                             | \$13 174                           | \$12 353                                     | \$13 117                            | \$12 352                          | \$12 378                                     | \$13 854                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 254                       | \$19 521                         | \$22 275                                     | \$12 410                            | \$12 872                           | \$13 852                                     | \$13 389                            | \$13 023                          | \$11 662                                     | \$13 089                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$14 908                       | \$22 416                         | \$24 888                                     | \$12 410                            | \$12 630                           | \$14 908                                     | \$7 390                             | \$11 639                          | \$12 134                                     | \$13 774                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 079                       | \$19 893                         | \$11 585                                     | \$8 410                             | \$14 624                           | \$10 217                                     | \$12 609                            | \$7 491                           | \$14 724                                     | \$16 150                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$13 226                       | \$12 253                         | \$28 648                                     | \$8 645                             | \$11 696                           | \$13 001                                     | \$6 962                             | \$1 233                           | \$12 711                                     | \$7 428                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$13 570                       | \$11 450                         | \$18 133                                     | \$8 645                             | \$17 169                           | \$12 652                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$27 857                                     | \$6 757                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$9 340                        | \$12 119                         | \$13 822                                     | -                                   | \$6 010                            | \$5 704                                      | -                                   | \$2 160                           | \$6 486                                      | \$6 516                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$15 754                       | \$12 562                         | \$79 596                                     | -                                   | \$2 698                            | \$16 706                                     | \$6 962                             | \$1 100                           | \$12 337                                     | \$8 454                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$13 686                       | \$19 887                         | \$16 520                                     | \$13 241                            | \$18 896                           | \$13 583                                     | \$12 742                            | \$10 859                          | \$11 756                                     | \$10 428                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$15 336                       | \$21 247                         | \$17 252                                     | \$16 147                            | \$19 809                           | \$15 302                                     | \$14 547                            | \$11 885                          | \$13 385                                     | \$11 621                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$15 759                       | \$22 183                         | \$17 744                                     | \$13 207                            | \$18 205                           | \$15 906                                     | \$15 220                            | \$11 476                          | \$13 405                                     | \$12 024                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 073                        | \$10 772                         | \$12 337                                     | \$4 777                             | \$13 344                           | \$7 254                                      | \$6 119                             | \$6 318                           | \$7 894                                      | \$7 959                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 575                        | \$9 843                          | \$8 067                                      | \$4 160                             | \$13 379                           | \$7 297                                      | \$6 643                             | \$13 828                          | \$6 666                                      | \$6 421                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 176                        | \$13 524                         | \$10 277                                     | \$4 438                             | \$14 562                           | \$8 610                                      | \$9 568                             | \$15 674                          | \$7 815                                      | \$7 476                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$9 654                        | \$15 340                         | \$9 516                                      | \$4 344                             | \$13 765                           | \$9 429                                      | \$10 664                            | \$16 067                          | \$8 017                                      | \$7 859                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 520                        | \$2 840                          | \$4 683                                      | \$2 215                             | \$9 377                            | \$5 047                                      | \$2 501                             | \$6 168                           | \$4 261                                      | \$4 564                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 785                        | \$348                            | \$1 425                                      | \$847                               | \$620                              | \$1 426                                      | \$1 523                             | \$2 381                           | \$2 815                                      | \$1 791                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 22.8                           | 29.6                             | 20.7   | 17.5                                | 30.9                               | 21.2   | 14.5                                | 38.7                              | 23.0   | 16.5                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.4                           | 36.0                             | 28.9   | 27.2                                | 39.5                               | 29.1   | 25.5                                | 40.8                              | 30.6   | 30.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34.1                           | 39.4                             | 31.9   | 33.0                                | 41.2                               | 32.0   | 29.0                                | 36.6                              | 31.7   | 32.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 33.1                           | 38.5                             | 31.3   | 35.6                                | 40.0                               | 30.9   | 27.0                                | 36.4                              | 30.0   | 31.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 37.0                           | 39.6                             | 34.9   | 43.6                                | 43.4                               | 36.0   | 32.5                                | 38.8                              | 34.3   | 34.3                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 37.0                           | 38.6                             | 35.2   | 38.2                                | 43.4                               | 36.4   | 34.8                                | 40.8                              | 33.7   | 34.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 21.5                           | 34.9                             | 18.5   | 18.5                                | 29.7                               | 17.4   | 17.1                                | 15.2                              | 18.0   | 19.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 43.0                           | 52.0                             | 39.7   | 15.5                                | 51.6                               | 42.4   | 40.7                                | 37.6                              | 40.2   | 36.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 51.3                           | 59.1                             | 55.4   | 16.3                                | 57.1                               | 50.4   | 51.9                                | 37.4                              | 51.0   | 42.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.9                           | 67.7                             | 55.7   | 16.3                                | 59.9                               | 50.5   | 52.4                                | 37.4                              | 53.8   | 49.2                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.2                           | 45.2                             | 22.9   | -                                   | 39.9                               | 30.6   | 23.5                                | 29.6                              | 25.0   | 29.7                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 14.9                           | 14.4                             | 18.2   | 6.3                                 | 16.8                               | 12.9   | 8.8                                 | 37.5                              | 21.9   | 12.5                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 14.1                           | 13.4                             | 17.8   | 3.1                                 | 16.2                               | 12.8   | 8.5                                 | 38.1                              | 17.0   | 12.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 13.9                           | 10.6                             | 18.5   | 3.1                                 | 16.1                               | 12.9   | 7.9                                 | 28.0                              | 20.1   | 17.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 23.5                           | 27.4                             | 27.8   | 25.1                                | 30.8                               | 14.6   | 13.2                                | 29.2                              | 32.7   | 11.2                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 48.8                           | 52.6                             | 42.1   | 73.8                                | 70.2                               | 48.4   | 37.7                                | 64.0                              | 41.7   | 38.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 56.9                           | 56.0                             | 49.8   | -                                   | 74.3                               | 58.6   | 56.3                                | 65.8                              | 52.5   | 43.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 58.7                           | 45.4                             | 50.8   | -                                   | 77.6                               | 65.6   | 83.7                                | 66.4                              | 54.3   | 42.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.8                           | 38.2                             | 19.7   | 73.8                                | 53.2                               | 28.6   | 0.8                                 | 40.8                              | 13.7   | 26.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 25.3                           | 29.5                             | 9.9  | 7.2                                 | 28.1                               | 37.5   | 14.1                                | 16.2                              | 20.5   | 31.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 31.3                           | 50.0                             | 31.1   | 7.2                                 | 29.7                               | 35.7   | -                                   | -                                 | 22.8   | 37.0                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.8                           | 25.2                             | 11.3   | -                                   | 16.7                               | 41.4   | -                                   | 62.7                              | 19.1   | 23.6                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 23.4                           | 34.6                             | 6.2  | -                                   | 19.8                               | 38.4   | 14.1                                | 3.2                               | 19.6   | 32.5                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 75.8                           | 90.4                             | 89.0   | 95.8                                | 74.0                               | 72.8   | 64.8                                | 80.6                              | 81.2   | 62.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 78.9                           | 92.8                             | 93.1   | 100.0                               | 70.1                               | 80.3   | 61.3                                | 78.8                              | 81.8   | 67.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 78.4                           | 91.8                             | 97.5   | 100.0                               | 84.4                               | 78.3   | 58.9                                | 74.8                              | 82.1   | 65.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 63.7                           | 68.6                             | 75.4   | 36.3                                | 94.6                               | 50.9   | 84.0                                | 100.0                             | 79.1   | 46.8                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| SOUTH REGION RURAL                                | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|   |                         | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE     | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL THAN 4 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                        |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 6 833                   | 3 145                            | 1 060  | 156                                 | 206                                | 1 072  | 348                                 | 27                                | 253  | 566                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 3 471                   | 1 960                            | 484  | 51                                  | 134                                | 504  | 122                                 | 25                                | 77   | 114                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 2 615                   | 1 490                            | 412  | 42                                  | 93                                 | 386  | 68                                  | 11                                | 46   | 67                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 340                   | 1 355                            | 364  | 39                                  | 91                                 | 349  | 64                                  | 8                                 | 27   | 43                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 733                   | 1 025                            | 256  | 31                                  | 72                                 | 263  | 27                                  | 8                                 | 14   | 37                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 1 192                   | 697                              | 189  | 15                                  | 53                                 | 167  | 27                                  | 8                                 | 7  | 29                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 607                     | 330                              | 108  | 8                                   | 19                                 | 86   | 37                                  | -                                 | 13   | 6                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 275                     | 135                              | 48   | 3                                   | 2                                  | 37   | 4                                   | 3                                 | 19   | 24                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 114                     | 74                               | 19   | 3                                   | -                                  | 18   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 60                      | 34                               | 14   | 3                                   | -                                  | 9  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 161                     | 61                               | 29   | -                                   | 2                                  | 19   | 4                                   | 3                                 | 19   | 24                                  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 645                     | 348                              | 46   | 9                                   | 41                                 | 93   | 47                                  | 14                                | 21   | 26                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 625                     | 348                              | 43   | 9                                   | 36                                 | 93   | 44                                  | 5                                 | 21   | 26                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 494                     | 267                              | 34   | 9                                   | 27                                 | 71   | 44                                  | 5                                 | 21   | 16                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 20                      | -                                | 3  | -                                   | 5                                  | -  | 3                                   | 9                                 | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 135                     | 72                               | 26   | -                                   | -                                  | 10   | 7                                   | -                                 | 8  | 12                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 90                      | 58                               | 6  | -                                   | -                                  | 1  | 7                                   | -                                 | 6  | 12                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 60                      | 34                               | 6  | -                                   | -                                  | 1  | 7                                   | -                                 | -  | 12                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 45                      | 14                               | 20   | -                                   | -                                  | 9  | -                                   | -                                 | 2  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 76                      | 50                               | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 15   | -                                   | -                                 | 2  | 9                                   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 18                      | 5                                | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 7  | -                                   | -                                 | 2  | 3                                   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 23                      | 16                               | -  | -                                   | -                                  | -  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | 6                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 35                      | 29                               | -  | -                                   | -                                  | -  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 2 514                   | 1 077                            | 477  | 98                                  | 56                                 | 396  | 122                                 | -                                 | 94   | 194                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 478                   | 1 004                            | 439  | 81                                  | 50                                 | 314  | 99                                  | -                                 | 81   | 110                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 815                   | 828                              | 377  | 81                                  | 39                                 | 267  | 91                                  | -                                 | 69   | 63                                  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 334                     | 73                               | 38   | 17                                  | 6                                  | 82   | 23                                  | -                                 | 13   | 84                                  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 128                     | 29                               | 29   | -                                   | 4                                  | 30   | 7                                   | -                                 | -  | 38                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 72                      | 16                               | 12   | -                                   | 4                                  | 8  | 7                                   | -                                 | -  | 25                                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 64                      | 16                               | 4  | -                                   | 4                                  | 8  | 7                                   | -                                 | -  | 25                                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 56                      | 4                                | 17   | -                                   | -                                  | 122  | 97                                  | -                                 | -  | 13                                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 720                     | 88                               | 70   | 7                                   | 12                                 | 142  | 97                                  | 2                                 | 82   | 220                                 |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$27 931                | \$40 669                         | \$27 517                                     | \$14 223                            | \$18 954                           | \$14 821                                     | \$10 229                            | \$21 708                          | \$10 284                                     | \$8 868                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$34 301                | \$43 342                         | \$30 927                                     | \$17 120                            | \$24 064                           | \$19 124                                     | \$17 633                            | \$23 445                          | \$13 041                                     | \$14 594                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$34 818                | \$44 415                         | \$25 544                                     | \$18 391                            | \$26 719                           | \$19 569                                     | \$19 572                            | \$44 500                          | \$13 816                                     | \$16 108                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$37 017                | \$46 645                         | \$26 953                                     | \$17 790                            | \$27 254                           | \$20 499                                     | \$19 979                            | \$60 060                          | \$19 191                                     | \$23 234                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$39 628                | \$49 899                         | \$27 550                                     | \$18 388                            | \$30 058                           | \$21 167                                     | \$19 135                            | \$60 060                          | \$28 475                                     | \$21 081                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$41 380                | \$52 403                         | \$28 506                                     | \$13 943                            | \$35 311                           | \$21 189                                     | \$19 135                            | \$60 060                          | \$26 440                                     | \$21 066                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$29 560                | \$36 538                         | \$25 538                                     | \$15 470                            | \$16 828                           | \$18 456                                     | \$20 594                            | -                                 | \$9 192                                      | \$36 510                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$16 109                | \$22 038                         | \$14 860                                     | \$26 210                            | \$2 380                            | \$10 796                                     | \$13 060                            | \$3 005                           | \$6 178                                      | \$3 341                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 965                | \$22 491                         | \$18 931                                     | \$26 210                            | -                                  | \$9 632                                      | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$18 198                | \$21 832                         | \$14 034                                     | \$26 210                            | -                                  | \$8 277                                      | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 379                | \$21 489                         | \$12 193                                     | -                                   | \$2 380                            | \$11 898                                     | \$13 060                            | \$3 005                           | \$6 178                                      | \$3 341                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$36 120                | \$43 552                         | \$88 107                                     | \$11 190                            | \$18 043                           | \$18 143                                     | \$15 853                            | \$6 901                           | \$17 516                                     | \$13 512                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$37 024                | \$43 552                         | \$93 352                                     | \$11 190                            | \$18 939                           | \$18 143                                     | \$15 897                            | \$16 255                          | \$17 516                                     | \$13 512                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$39 282                | \$45 915                         | \$112 836                                    | \$11 190                            | \$20 669                           | \$17 835                                     | \$15 897                            | \$16 255                          | \$17 516                                     | \$14 763                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$7 886                 | -                                | \$12 930                                     | -                                   | \$11 590                           | -  | \$15 210                            | \$1 705                           | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$25 156                | \$37 270                         | \$15 065                                     | -                                   | -                                  | \$10 336                                     | \$10 750                            | -                                 | \$-2 100                                     | \$13 260                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$32 611                | \$44 403                         | \$24 460                                     | -                                   | -                                  | \$9 610                                      | \$10 750                            | -                                 | \$-5 190                                     | \$13 260                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$25 480                | \$33 473                         | \$24 460                                     | -                                   | -                                  | \$9 610                                      | \$10 750                            | -                                 | -  | \$13 260                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 246                | \$7 717                          | \$12 247                                     | -                                   | -                                  | \$10 417                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$7 170                                      | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$17 333                | \$18 630                         | -  | -                                   | -                                  | \$19 610                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$8 770                                      | \$8 232                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$29 815                | \$43 150                         | -  | -                                   | -                                  | \$35 010                                     | -                                   | -                                 | \$8 770                                      | \$7 765                             |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$3 830                 | \$4 626                          | -  | -                                   | -                                  | \$2 010                                      | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$19 787                | \$22 129                         | -  | -                                   | -                                  | -  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | \$8 465                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$27 336                | \$38 704                         | \$29 132                                     | \$13 732                            | \$11 322                           | \$15 040                                     | \$9 740                             | -                                 | \$15 798                                     | \$13 062                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$30 258                | \$40 627                         | \$31 319                                     | \$15 009                            | \$11 000                           | \$15 898                                     | \$11 707                            | -                                 | \$16 850                                     | \$18 938                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$29 888                | \$40 059                         | \$31 639                                     | \$15 009                            | \$12 511                           | \$15 997                                     | \$12 611                            | -                                 | \$17 773                                     | \$12 710                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 395                 | \$12 266                         | \$3 872                                      | \$7 644                             | \$14 005                           | \$11 755                                     | \$1 271                             | -                                 | \$9 245                                      | \$5 367                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$11 732                | \$16 861                         | \$5 412                                      | -                                   | \$8 755                            | \$7 895                                      | \$24 735                            | -                                 | -  | \$14 804                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 347                | \$20 617                         | \$3 864                                      | -                                   | \$8 755                            | \$7 060                                      | \$24 735                            | -                                 | -  | \$21 442                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$18 114                | \$20 617                         | \$7 183                                      | -                                   | \$8 755                            | \$7 060                                      | \$24 735                            | -                                 | -  | \$21 442                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 799                 | \$1 835                          | \$6 504                                      | -                                   | -                                  | \$8 198                                      | -                                   | -                                 | -  | \$2 037                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 173                 | \$10 593                         | \$2 084                                      | -                                   | \$911                              | \$398  | \$485                               | -                                 | \$1 376                                      | \$1 178                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                         |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 18.4                    | 19.4                             | 10.6   | 12.1                                | 24.6                               | 22.0   | 19.4                                | 46.2                              | 15.0   | 22.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 28.3                    | 28.8                             | 20.0   | 30.8                                | 28.7                               | 33.5   | 24.0                                | 46.2                              | 38.9   | 40.8                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 31.9                    | 32.4                             | 25.4   | 34.2                                | 29.1                               | 35.3   | 23.2                                | 44.1                              | 42.0   | 45.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.3                    | 31.8                             | 24.6   | 30.3                                | 29.1                               | 34.5   | 21.6                                | 45.0                              | 41.8   | 48.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.5                    | 35.8                             | 30.2   | 29.5                                | 29.0                               | 38.1   | 28.1                                | 45.0                              | 48.6   | 59.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 35.6                    | 35.9                             | 30.3   | 39.2                                | 26.7                               | 38.0   | 28.1                                | 45.0                              | 69.3   | 65.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 15.3                    | 15.0                             | 10.2   | 34.4                                | 30.3                               | 22.0   | 17.2                                | -                                 | 18.9   | 6.9                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 44.6                    | 45.8                             | 37.0   | 68.3                                | 39.3                               | 49.6   | 63.2                                | -                                 | 42.8   | 13.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 54.4                    | 55.2                             | 46.8   | 68.3                                | -                                  | 55.8   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 65.6                    | 67.3                             | 56.7   | 68.3                                | -                                  | 69.9   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 34.2                    | 33.8                             | 27.1   | -                                   | 39.3                               | 44.8   | 63.2                                | -                                 | 42.8   | 13.8                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 11.0                    | 10.0                             | 3.3  | 4.7                                 | 27.2                               | 22.7   | 19.8                                | 56.6                              | 22.2   | 7.3                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 10.8                    | 10.0                             | 3.1  | 4.7                                 | 26.1                               | 22.7   | 20.1                                | 59.5                              | 22.2   | 7.3                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 10.4                    | 9.5                              | 3.1  | 4.7                                 | 28.7                               | 24.9   | 20.1                                | 59.5                              | 22.2   | -8.2                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 29.0                    | -                                | 23.2   | -                                   | 39.9                               | -  | 15.8                                | 41.3                              | -  | -                                   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 51.5                    | 47.6                             | 45.4   | -                                   | -                                  | 51.7   | 79.1                                | -                                 | -227.7                                       | 90.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 55.6                    | 48.5                             | 98.1   | -                                   | -                                  | 66.6   | 79.1                                | -                                 | -92.6  | 90.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 49.4                    | 35.3                             | 98.1   | -                                   | -                                  | 66.6   | 79.1                                | -                                 | -  | 90.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.0                    | 27.3                             | 13.8   | -                                   | -                                  | 50.1   | -                                   | -                                 | 65.8   | -                                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 27.1                    | 22.7                             | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 42.7   | -                                   | -                                 | 25.1   | 21.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 44.5                    | 47.7                             | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 42.9   | -                                   | -                                 | 25.1   | 50.3                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 43.2                    | 43.8                             | -  | -                                   | -                                  | 40.0   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | -                                   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 11.6                    | 11.9                             | -  | -                                   | -                                  | -  | -                                   | -                                 | -  | 8.1                                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 88.4                    | 99.4                             | 66.3   | -                                   | 100.0                              | 89.3   | 100.0                               | -                                 | -  | 83.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 91.5                    | 99.4                             | 92.4   | -                                   | 100.0                              | 100.0  | 100.0                               | -                                 | -  | 82.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 91.4                    | 99.4                             | 87.7   | -                                   | 100.0                              | 100.0  | 100.0                               | -                                 | -  | 82.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 77.0                    | 100.0                            | 55.3   | -                                   | -                                  | 86.0   | -                                   | -                                 | -  | 100.0                               |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

[DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.]

| SOUTH REGION<br>RURAL                             | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                        |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                   |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                   |                                     |
|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|   |                                | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 115 476                        | 6 955                            | 6 696                  | 1 386                               | 3 293                              | 25 620                            | 9 055                               | 1 539                             | 14 885                            | 46 047                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 48 533                         | 4 825                            | 3 722                  | 494                                 | 2 205                              | 14 134                            | 3 311                               | 830                               | 6 748                             | 12 264                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 34 386                         | 3 699                            | 2 829                  | 349                                 | 1 836                              | 10 576                            | 2 133                               | 565                               | 4 747                             | 7 652                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 29 695                         | 3 348                            | 2 572                  | 274                                 | 1 675                              | 9 499                             | 1 901                               | 461                               | 3 968                             | 5 997                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 19 599                         | 2 431                            | 1 949                  | 139                                 | 1 214                              | 6 250                             | 1 075                               | 308                               | 2 585                             | 3 648                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 13 344                         | 1 648                            | 1 503                  | 74                                  | 721                                | 4 516                             | 757                                 | 222                               | 1 631                             | 2 272                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 10 096                         | 917                              | 623                    | 135                                 | 461                                | 3 249                             | 826                                 | 153                               | 1 383                             | 2 349                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 4 691                          | 351                              | 257                    | 75                                  | 161                                | 1 077                             | 232                                 | 104                               | 779                               | 1 655                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 866                          | 159                              | 136                    | 38                                  | 75                                 | 484                               | 86                                  | 45                                | 354                               | 489                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 283                          | 115                              | 91                     | 35                                  | 71                                 | 305                               | 56                                  | 19                                | 252                               | 339                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 825                          | 192                              | 121                    | 37                                  | 86                                 | 593                               | 146                                 | 59                                | 425                               | 1 166                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 10 189                         | 868                              | 719                    | 110                                 | 273                                | 2 770                             | 942                                 | 161                               | 1 321                             | 3 025                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 8 737                          | 788                              | 665                    | 91                                  | 249                                | 2 463                             | 816                                 | 121                               | 1 030                             | 2 514                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 7 198                          | 703                              | 629                    | 71                                  | 224                                | 2 009                             | 690                                 | 103                               | 847                               | 1 922                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 452                          | 80                               | 54                     | 19                                  | 24                                 | 307                               | 126                                 | 40                                | 291                               | 511                                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 2 077                          | 164                              | 95                     | 35                                  | 63                                 | 477                               | 116                                 | 58                                | 401                               | 668                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 266                          | 114                              | 66                     | 17                                  | 34                                 | 279                               | 55                                  | 27                                | 252                               | 422                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 971                            | 102                              | 43                     | 15                                  | 6                                  | 228                               | 39                                  | 25                                | 183                               | 330                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 811                            | 50                               | 29                     | 18                                  | 29                                 | 198                               | 61                                  | 31                                | 149                               | 246                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 881                          | 94                               | 79                     | -                                   | 33                                 | 311                               | 120                                 | 46                                | 279                               | 919                                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 598                            | 56                               | 50                     | -                                   | 12                                 | 104                               | 9                                   | 18                                | 107                               | 242                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 614                            | -                                | 10                     | -                                   | 3                                  | 78                                | 54                                  | 12                                | 76                                | 381                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 669                            | 38                               | 19                     | -                                   | 18                                 | 129                               | 57                                  | 16                                | 96                                | 296                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 49 162                         | 1 781                            | 2 481                  | 753                                 | 828                                | 9 570                             | 4 838                               | 484                               | 5 873                             | 22 554                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 39 322                         | 1 618                            | 2 228                  | 651                                 | 700                                | 8 261                             | 3 903                               | 382                               | 4 710                             | 16 869                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 31 426                         | 1 385                            | 1 898                  | 513                                 | 578                                | 6 862                             | 3 169                               | 264                               | 3 682                             | 13 075                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 9 840                          | 163                              | 253                    | 102                                 | 128                                | 1 309                             | 935                                 | 102                               | 1 163                             | 5 685                               |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 4 154                          | 133                              | 148                    | 51                                  | 104                                | 634                               | 250                                 | 82                                | 841                               | 1 911                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 2 260                          | 74                               | 77                     | 19                                  | 57                                 | 390                               | 140                                 | 24                                | 469                               | 1 010                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 715                          | 56                               | 48                     | 19                                  | 41                                 | 325                               | 107                                 | 17                                | 322                               | 780                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 894                          | 59                               | 71                     | 32                                  | 47                                 | 244                               | 110                                 | 58                                | 372                               | 901                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 13 627                         | 216                              | 345                    | 88                                  | 156                                | 1 282                             | 656                                 | 143                               | 1 423                             | 9 318                               |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | \$13 967                       | \$27 355                         | \$22 130               | \$15 108                            | \$19 076                           | \$16 144                          | \$13 168                            | \$14 868                          | \$12 468                          | \$9 757                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$18 650                       | \$28 869                         | \$25 194               | \$16 718                            | \$22 529                           | \$18 950                          | \$15 786                            | \$17 530                          | \$15 807                          | \$14 090                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$19 834                       | \$30 341                         | \$25 616               | \$17 739                            | \$22 832                           | \$19 771                          | \$16 796                            | \$19 228                          | \$16 702                          | \$14 914                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 101                       | \$31 709                         | \$26 798               | \$19 335                            | \$23 540                           | \$20 663                          | \$17 627                            | \$20 594                          | \$17 757                          | \$16 181                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$23 281                       | \$33 900                         | \$28 571               | \$21 310                            | \$24 603                           | \$22 814                          | \$19 970                            | \$20 998                          | \$19 304                          | \$17 802                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$24 073                       | \$35 764                         | \$28 831               | \$21 724                            | \$25 807                           | \$22 915                          | \$20 438                            | \$21 204                          | \$19 918                          | \$18 744                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$16 868                       | \$25 901                         | \$21 254               | \$17 301                            | \$20 740                           | \$16 525                          | \$14 578                            | \$19 782                          | \$14 864                          | \$13 664                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$11 812                       | \$17 291                         | \$13 780               | \$11 910                            | \$15 464                           | \$11 905                          | \$9 986                             | \$13 170                          | \$11 329                          | \$10 323                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 373                       | \$17 707                         | \$15 883               | \$11 684                            | \$18 220                           | \$13 914                          | \$12 906                            | \$15 926                          | \$14 342                          | \$13 080                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$14 770                       | \$17 545                         | \$16 271               | \$12 076                            | \$18 771                           | \$14 457                          | \$11 645                            | \$15 278                          | \$15 038                          | \$13 374                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 121                       | \$16 947                         | \$11 418               | \$12 143                            | \$13 060                           | \$10 265                          | \$8 267                             | \$11 067                          | \$8 819                           | \$9 166                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$16 825                       | \$24 160                         | \$25 968               | \$12 984                            | \$21 525                           | \$17 078                          | \$14 441                            | \$15 121                          | \$14 408                          | \$13 921                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$17 939                       | \$25 012                         | \$27 218               | \$14 583                            | \$21 658                           | \$17 910                          | \$14 914                            | \$17 182                          | \$15 794                          | \$14 947                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$18 665                       | \$26 523                         | \$25 800               | \$15 118                            | \$22 000                           | \$18 778                          | \$15 130                            | \$18 318                          | \$16 310                          | \$15 397                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$10 124                       | \$15 767                         | \$10 578               | \$5 325                             | \$20 143                           | \$10 406                          | \$11 381                            | \$8 884                           | \$9 503                           | \$8 871                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$14 839                       | \$26 202                         | \$15 115               | \$18 267                            | \$20 800                           | \$15 823                          | \$14 835                            | \$12 782                          | \$13 367                          | \$11 628                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 125                       | \$29 066                         | \$17 634               | \$24 240                            | \$28 286                           | \$21 089                          | \$21 394                            | \$17 071                          | \$14 943                          | \$13 763                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 761                       | \$24 558                         | \$18 699               | \$25 964                            | \$18 675                           | \$21 417                          | \$22 519                            | \$17 396                          | \$15 537                          | \$13 321                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$9 709                        | \$19 671                         | \$19 383               | \$12 626                            | \$12 022                           | \$8 403                           | \$8 922                             | \$9 045                           | \$10 701                          | \$7 965                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$11 094                       | \$19 065                         | \$15 183               | -                                   | \$17 292                           | \$12 494                          | \$9 303                             | \$11 097                          | \$10 717                          | \$9 578                             |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$15 537                       | \$22 907                         | \$17 687               | -                                   | \$20 110                           | \$19 769                          | \$20 830                            | \$8 434                           | \$17 915                          | \$10 671                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$7 813                        | -                                | \$7 626                | -                                   | \$5 850                            | \$5 099                           | \$6 709                             | \$11 198                          | \$5 084                           | \$8 629                             |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$10 115                       | \$13 404                         | \$12 571               | -                                   | \$9 821                            | \$11 100                          | \$9 941                             | \$14 017                          | \$7 154                           | \$9 907                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$13 295                       | \$27 844                         | \$21 166               | \$16 190                            | \$14 279                           | \$14 495                          | \$13 182                            | \$15 662                          | \$12 038                          | \$10 939                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$14 648                       | \$29 499                         | \$22 352               | \$17 503                            | \$14 607                           | \$15 475                          | \$14 547                            | \$16 698                          | \$13 172                          | \$12 082                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$15 016                       | \$30 325                         | \$22 615               | \$18 061                            | \$15 563                           | \$15 869                          | \$14 890                            | \$17 583                          | \$13 604                          | \$12 076                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$7 885                        | \$11 420                         | \$10 717               | \$7 809                             | \$12 483                           | \$8 307                           | \$7 485                             | \$11 782                          | \$7 442                           | \$7 546                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 012                        | \$9 354                          | \$7 272                | \$4 200                             | \$11 227                           | \$8 092                           | \$10 689                            | \$5 565                           | \$6 984                           | \$5 910                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 110                        | \$12 748                         | \$7 042                | \$5 045                             | \$14 395                           | \$10 485                          | \$14 632                            | \$8 490                           | \$9 465                           | \$7 332                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$9 672                        | \$13 981                         | \$5 547                | \$5 045                             | \$13 431                           | \$10 846                          | \$17 580                            | \$9 552                           | \$10 348                          | \$7 681                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 509                        | \$5 098                          | \$7 521                | \$3 698                             | \$7 384                            | \$4 267                           | \$5 671                             | \$4 354                           | \$5 854                           | \$4 317                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$1 831                        | \$603                            | \$2 385                | \$3 133                             | \$976                              | \$1 504                           | \$794                               | \$2 061                           | \$1 651                           | \$1 984                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                |                                  |                        |                                     |                                    |                                   |                                     |                                   |                                   |                                     |
| TOTAL   | 17.6                           | 23.6                             | 17.6                   | 10.1                                | 31.4                               | 19.7                              | 12.8                                | 22.7                              | 19.9                              | 11.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 29.0                           | 31.5                             | 27.0                   | 23.2                                | 37.6                               | 28.9                              | 25.8                                | 32.9                              | 30.2                              | 25.9                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 31.9                           | 34.0                             | 30.5                   | 24.1                                | 39.3                               | 31.8                              | 29.1                                | 34.4                              | 32.0                              | 29.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.3                           | 35.2                             | 29.9                   | 22.5                                | 38.2                               | 31.3                              | 28.6                                | 33.5                              | 30.9                              | 28.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.9                           | 35.3                             | 35.2                   | 28.6                                | 41.6                               | 36.4                              | 35.7                                | 40.3                              | 36.0                              | 34.6                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 35.9                           | 36.0                             | 35.8                   | 29.5                                | 43.5                               | 35.2                              | 33.9                                | 40.2                              | 36.9                              | 34.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 19.0                           | 25.9                             | 16.0                   | 14.9                                | 27.3                               | 17.6                              | 15.9                                | 18.9                              | 18.6                              | 16.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 39.4                           | 47.8                             | 43.7                   | 33.4                                | 56.8                               | 39.4                              | 36.4                                | 40.8                              | 40.2                              | 33.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 50.4                           | 52.9                             | 51.4                   | 49.1                                | 63.8                               | 49.8                              | 57.2                                | 60.2                              | 50.0                              | 45.0                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.4                           | 51.9                             | 52.3                   | 48.6                                | 63.5                               | 53.0                              | 62.6                                | 74.3                              | 50.6                              | 47.6                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 29.1                           | 43.5                             | 31.6                   | 18.0                                | 48.3                               | 27.9                              | 17.2                                | 19.6                              | 26.9                              | 26.3                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 15.8                           | 14.1                             | 13.2                   | 16.8                                | 27.8                               | 15.7                              | 17.1                                | 19.5                              | 19.1                              | 14.3                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.2                           | 14.2                             | 12.9                   | 15.9                                | 24.2                               | 15.6                              | 15.5                                | 17.7                              | 17.2                              | 13.9                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.1                           | 13.9                             | 13.9                   | 15.4                                | 24.5                               | 15.4                              | 14.9                                | 17.4                              | 17.1                              | 13.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 23.2                           | 13.6                             | 23.2                   | 28.4                                | 68.1                               | 17.3                              | 30.9                                | 30.1                              | 30.4                              | 17.9                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 38.1                           | 45.2                             | 30.2                   | 28.4                                | 31.2                               | 33.5                              | 25.5                                | 59.5                              | 42.2                              | 39.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 41.9                           | 49.9                             | 34.9                   | 32.3                                | 27.2                               | 34.0                              | 24.1                                | 75.8                              | 48.9                              | 46.1                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 43.9                           | 52.8                             | 37.7                   | 31.6                                | 33.9                               | 33.4                              | 23.0                                | 78.0                              | 49.5                              | 50.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.0                           | 29.6                             | 9.7                    | 22.5                                | 42.3                               | 31.7                              | 28.5                                | 32.7                              | 26.3                              | 21.2                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 27.4                           | 41.8                             | 24.4                   | -                                   | 30.9                               | 27.2                              | 24.4                                | 27.0                              | 33.0                              | 23.3                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 30.8                           | 42.4                             | 28.6                   | -                                   | 47.8                               | 27.1                              | 40.1                                | 14.8                              | 33.7                              | 25.4                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.6                           | -                                | 13.2                   | -                                   | 23.1                               | 23.2                              | 31.3                                | 34.2                              | 37.2                              | 26.9                                |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 22.7                           | 40.2                             | 12.4                   | -                                   | 14.7                               | 28.4                              | 14.9                                | 30.9                              | 28.9                              | 17.5                                |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 68.2                           | 89.0                             | 65.8                   | 89.9                                | 84.1                               | 76.1                              | 62.0                                | 77.3                              | 71.6                              | 59.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 73.0                           | 85.5                             | 82.2                   | 77.4                                | 78.0                               | 77.3                              | 66.6                                | 94.6                              | 78.1                              | 65.8                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 75.0                           | 84.1                             | 98.8                   | 77.4                                | 77.2                               | 79.2                              | 63.8                                | 100.0                             | 84.3                              | 67.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 56.8                           | 100.0                            | 49.1                   | 100.0                               | 98.4                               | 71.3                              | 46.6                                | 63.3                              | 51.4                              | 48.7                                |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.

| WEST REGION<br>RURAL                             | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |  |                                     | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |                                     | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |                                     |
|--|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  |                                | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE  | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE    | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE   | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS THAN 4 YRS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| TOTAL  | 1 661 240                      | 353 850                          | 234 374                                      | 10 427                              | 143 091                            | 622 228                                      | 50 317                              | 22 083                            | 121 207                                      | 103 663                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 786 964                        | 214 232                          | 118 865                                      | 3 499                               | 79 579                             | 289 955                                      | 13 590                              | 7 685                             | 36 564                                       | 22 995                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 478 874                        | 126 130                          | 71 459                                       | 2 109                               | 51 154                             | 177 153                                      | 8 574                               | 4 820                             | 22 157                                       | 15 318                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 414 808                        | 110 967                          | 63 691                                       | 1 792                               | 44 794                             | 153 493                                      | 7 156                               | 3 854                             | 17 838                                       | 11 223                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 279 666                        | 77 651                           | 44 005                                       | 1 009                               | 31 518                             | 101 586                                      | 4 012                               | 2 834                             | 11 768                                       | 5 283                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 200 577                        | 54 081                           | 33 253                                       | 721                                 | 22 137                             | 74 075                                       | 2 680                               | 1 982                             | 8 345  | 3 303                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 135 142                        | 33 316                           | 19 686                                       | 783                                 | 13 276                             | 51 907                                       | 3 144                               | 1 020                             | 6 070  | 5 940                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 64 066                         | 15 163                           | 7 768  | 317                                 | 6 260                              | 23 660                                       | 1 618                               | 966                               | 4 319  | 4 095                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 29 584                         | 6 799                            | 3 900  | 139                                 | 3 213                              | 11 287                                       | 4 011                               | 540                               | 1 999  | 1 006                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 21 762                         | 4 743                            | 2 911  | 95                                  | 2 593                              | 8 561  | 234                                 | 366                               | 1 463  | 716                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 34 482                         | 8 364                            | 3 868  | 178                                 | 2 847                              | 12 373                                       | 1 017                               | 426                               | 2 320  | 3 089                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 259 034                        | 75 446                           | 40 869                                       | 1 120                               | 23 703                             | 96 408                                       | 3 872                               | 2 052                             | 10 527                                       | 5 037                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 230 777                        | 68 813                           | 37 174                                       | 979                                 | 21 098                             | 85 511                                       | 3 227                               | 1 628                             | 8 596  | 3 751                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 194 623                        | 59 168                           | 32 010                                       | 879                                 | 17 554                             | 71 316                                       | 2 543                               | 1 327                             | 6 880  | 2 946                               |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 28 257                         | 6 633                            | 3 695  | 141                                 | 2 605                              | 10 897                                       | 645                                 | 424                               | 1 931  | 1 286                               |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 25 038                         | 6 391                            | 3 487  | 124                                 | 2 654                              | 8 510  | 489                                 | 408                               | 1 893  | 1 082                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 16 230                         | 4 245                            | 2 243  | 57                                  | 1 721                              | 5 432  | 293                                 | 302                               | 1 175  | 543                                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 12 358                         | 3 139                            | 1 710  | 57                                  | 1 260                              | 4 397  | 249                                 | 221                               | 982  | 343                                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 8 808                          | 2 146                            | 1 244  | 48                                  | 933                                | 2 878  | 196                                 | 106                               | 718  | 539                                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 24 018                         | 6 265                            | 3 050  | 146                                 | 2 068                              | 7 884  | 655                                 | 405                               | 1 987  | 1 558                               |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 8 508                          | 2 262                            | 1 061  | 78                                  | 738                                | 2 877  | 204                                 | 171                               | 682  | 435                                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 6 070                          | 1 446                            | 601  | 16                                  | 570                                | 1 977  | 202                                 | 107                               | 543  | 608                                 |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 9 440                          | 2 557                            | 1 388  | 52                                  | 760                                | 3 030  | 249                                 | 127                               | 762  | 515                                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 580 532                        | 109 780                          | 89 702                                       | 4 196                               | 40 659                             | 236 191                                      | 20 715                              | 5 705                             | 38 413                                       | 35 171                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 480 724                        | 96 698                           | 77 783                                       | 3 265                               | 33 983                             | 196 987                                      | 15 323                              | 4 100                             | 27 713                                       | 24 872                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 400 333                        | 83 724                           | 67 137                                       | 2 674                               | 28 407                             | 161 575                                      | 12 376                              | 3 302                             | 21 976                                       | 19 162                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 99 808                         | 13 082                           | 11 919                                       | 514                                 | 6 676                              | 39 204                                       | 5 392                               | 1 605                             | 10 700                                       | 10 299                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 63 995                         | 8 230                            | 5 767  | 514                                 | 6 525                              | 22 492                                       | 2 202                               | 2 023                             | 10 119                                       | 6 123                               |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 37 831                         | 4 928                            | 3 357  | 292                                 | 3 164                              | 13 805                                       | 1 170                               | 1 160                             | 5 954  | 3 391                               |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 29 286                         | 3 758                            | 2 693  | 248                                 | 2 930                              | 10 889                                       | 874                                 | 910                               | 4 490  | 2 494                               |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 26 164                         | 3 302                            | 2 410  | 222                                 | 2 751                              | 8 687  | 1 032                               | 863                               | 4 165  | 2 732                               |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 229 749                        | 21 608                           | 20 040                                       | 2 218                               | 16 328                             | 73 590                                       | 13 810                              | 6 670                             | 36 111                                       | 39 374                              |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | \$19 745                       | \$26 449                         | \$22 404                                     | \$16 796                            | \$20 489                           | \$18 752                                     | \$12 325                            | \$13 283                          | \$12 505                                     | \$9 527                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$25 314                       | \$29 242                         | \$26 199                                     | \$23 854                            | \$25 492                           | \$23 461                                     | \$19 879                            | \$23 706                          | \$21 164                                     | \$17 467                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$26 736                       | \$30 949                         | \$27 583                                     | \$24 866                            | \$27 154                           | \$24 816                                     | \$21 039                            | \$25 819                          | \$22 902                                     | \$18 189                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$28 041                       | \$32 072                         | \$28 750                                     | \$26 299                            | \$28 224                           | \$26 047                                     | \$22 543                            | \$27 725                          | \$24 672                                     | \$19 954                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$30 348                       | \$34 019                         | \$30 852                                     | \$29 584                            | \$29 960                           | \$28 442                                     | \$25 367                            | \$29 908                          | \$26 881                                     | \$23 062                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$31 261                       | \$34 980                         | \$31 806                                     | \$31 651                            | \$31 021                           | \$29 340                                     | \$25 618                            | \$30 272                          | \$27 824                                     | \$23 325                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$23 267                       | \$27 534                         | \$24 051                                     | \$22 067                            | \$24 103                           | \$21 360                                     | \$18 939                            | \$21 660                          | \$20 388                                     | \$17 189                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$18 285                       | \$22 730                         | \$18 012                                     | \$16 766                            | \$19 619                           | \$16 827                                     | \$13 452                            | \$18 215                          | \$15 593                                     | \$13 354                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 025                       | \$23 909                         | \$20 801                                     | \$20 073                            | \$22 864                           | \$19 573                                     | \$17 467                            | \$20 777                          | \$20 051                                     | \$15 904                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$21 606                       | \$24 382                         | \$21 745                                     | \$19 676                            | \$23 312                           | \$20 257                                     | \$18 387                            | \$19 902                          | \$20 888                                     | \$16 233                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 935                       | \$21 771                         | \$15 200                                     | \$14 184                            | \$15 615                           | \$14 322                                     | \$11 869                            | \$14 968                          | \$11 751                                     | \$12 524                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$23 926                       | \$27 619                         | \$24 711                                     | \$23 054                            | \$23 263                           | \$21 932                                     | \$19 305                            | \$21 822                          | \$19 890                                     | \$16 551                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 044                       | \$28 624                         | \$25 624                                     | \$24 416                            | \$24 211                           | \$22 974                                     | \$21 768                            | \$23 468                          | \$22 566                                     | \$18 007                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 519                       | \$29 083                         | \$26 115                                     | \$22 664                            | \$24 628                           | \$23 380                                     | \$21 084                            | \$23 449                          | \$22 014                                     | \$18 328                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 791                       | \$17 199                         | \$15 518                                     | \$13 601                            | \$15 586                           | \$13 755                                     | \$11 987                            | \$15 498                          | \$12 428                                     | \$12 303                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$20 212                       | \$22 318                         | \$21 340                                     | \$20 309                            | \$20 420                           | \$19 802                                     | \$14 475                            | \$18 355                          | \$16 797                                     | \$16 102                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$22 275                       | \$23 800                         | \$23 292                                     | \$25 342                            | \$21 513                           | \$22 415                                     | \$16 494                            | \$20 341                          | \$18 999                                     | \$17 969                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$22 943                       | \$23 647                         | \$24 614                                     | \$27 116                            | \$22 202                           | \$23 309                                     | \$17 097                            | \$21 905                          | \$19 635                                     | \$19 891                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 410                       | \$19 387                         | \$17 822                                     | \$12 339                            | \$18 404                           | \$14 689                                     | \$11 456                            | \$12 699                          | \$13 193                                     | \$14 221                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$17 259                       | \$21 490                         | \$19 265                                     | \$18 376                            | \$16 419                           | \$15 682                                     | \$12 118                            | \$13 501                          | \$12 694                                     | \$14 275                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 160                       | \$26 260                         | \$21 809                                     | \$24 775                            | \$18 919                           | \$19 377                                     | \$17 379                            | \$18 898                          | \$16 582                                     | \$17 842                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$11 048                       | \$13 809                         | \$11 345                                     | \$7 989                             | \$10 754                           | \$10 558                                     | \$8 070                             | \$7 644                           | \$7 595                                      | \$10 873                            |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 738                       | \$21 614                         | \$20 750                                     | \$11 973                            | \$18 239                           | \$15 329                                     | \$11 093                            | \$11 169                          | \$12 848                                     | \$15 279                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$20 703                       | \$27 034                         | \$22 957                                     | \$20 465                            | \$20 168                           | \$19 393                                     | \$15 385                            | \$14 932                          | \$16 037                                     | \$13 782                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$22 033                       | \$28 744                         | \$24 552                                     | \$23 668                            | \$21 968                           | \$21 032                                     | \$17 685                            | \$17 599                          | \$18 762                                     | \$15 795                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 145                       | \$28 998                         | \$24 898                                     | \$25 143                            | \$22 369                           | \$21 398                                     | \$18 346                            | \$17 843                          | \$19 134                                     | \$16 066                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 064                       | \$14 249                         | \$12 549                                     | \$9 229                             | \$11 003                           | \$11 160                                     | \$8 848                             | \$8 119                           | \$8 979                                      | \$8 921                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 714                        | \$10 406                         | \$8 535                                      | \$7 573                             | \$9 778                            | \$8 797                                      | \$6 463                             | \$9 147                           | \$7 929                                      | \$7 234                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$11 022                       | \$13 079                         | \$11 493                                     | \$10 143                            | \$12 571                           | \$10 663                                     | \$8 587                             | \$11 571                          | \$10 437                                     | \$9 060                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 365                       | \$13 363                         | \$11 824                                     | \$10 214                            | \$13 093                           | \$11 263                                     | \$9 035                             | \$11 954                          | \$10 177                                     | \$9 128                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 377                        | \$6 417                          | \$4 416                                      | \$4 193                             | \$5 945                            | \$5 830                                      | \$4 055                             | \$5 888                           | \$4 344                                      | \$4 967                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 326                        | \$1 900                          | \$1 416                                      | \$858                               | \$1 188                            | \$1 179                                      | \$1 235                             | \$1 117                           | \$1 264                                      | \$1 446                             |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |
| TOTAL  | 17.3                           | 19.4                             | 14.8   | 13.9                                | 22.7                               | 15.8   | 11.9                                | 25.8                              | 18.1   | 13.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 26.0                           | 27.5                             | 23.5   | 25.1                                | 29.9                               | 24.6   | 22.8                                | 32.6                              | 26.6   | 24.4                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 30.9                           | 33.8                             | 28.4   | 28.7                                | 34.8                               | 28.8   | 25.8                                | 36.0                              | 29.3   | 25.0                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 30.0                           | 32.7                             | 27.8   | 28.1                                | 33.7                               | 28.1   | 25.3                                | 33.4                              | 27.9   | 24.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.3                           | 36.3                             | 32.4   | 34.4                                | 37.2                               | 32.9   | 31.4                                | 36.1                              | 32.5   | 31.1                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 34.6                           | 36.3                             | 33.0   | 36.4                                | 37.2                               | 33.4   | 33.2                                | 36.0                              | 32.4   | 31.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.2                           | 22.3                             | 14.6   | 17.2                                | 23.2                               | 15.4   | 14.8                                | 23.1                              | 16.0   | 16.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 40.1                           | 45.4                             | 36.7   | 34.5                                | 45.7                               | 36.6   | 30.2                                | 52.0                              | 38.6   | 30.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 48.7                           | 52.0                             | 45.6   | 36.9                                | 52.2                               | 46.9   | 43.0                                | 55.6                              | 45.0   | 46.4                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 49.9                           | 53.3                             | 45.9   | 39.2                                | 54.0                               | 48.4   | 39.8                                | 62.2                              | 46.6   | 45.5                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 30.4                           | 39.5                             | 24.4   | 31.0                                | 34.2                               | 23.8   | 22.7                                | 45.7                              | 29.2   | 23.9                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.6                           | 14.6                             | 13.1   | 17.3                                | 16.3                               | 14.4   | 13.9                                | 18.5                              | 17.0   | 16.6                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.1                           | 14.1                             | 12.7   | 16.9                                | 15.9                               | 14.0   | 13.3                                | 17.6                              | 16.3   | 14.7                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.9                           | 13.9                             | 12.5   | 15.8                                | 15.6                               | 14.0   | 13.6                                | 18.3                              | 15.8   | 14.4                                |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 20.9                           | 22.2                             | 19.1   | 21.4                                | 21.3                               | 19.8   | 19.7                                | 23.4                              | 22.3   | 25.0                                |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 43.4                           | 48.2                             | 36.3   | 32.9                                | 46.7                               | 41.1   | 40.4                                | 61.8                              | 45.7   | 36.9                                |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.7                           | 54.2                             | 43.2   | 35.1                                | 52.9                               | 46.9   | 50.7                                | 64.2                              | 53.1   | 47.3                                |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.5                           | 55.0                             | 44.2   | 35.3                                | 54.0                               | 47.8   | 51.1                                | 64.3                              | 54.6   | 49.7                                |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.5                           | 33.6                             | 20.1   | 25.6                                | 33.3                               | 23.5   | 18.0                                | 51.0                              | 28.4   | 23.7                                |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 23.6                           | 23.7                             | 18.4   | 23.5                                | 24.6                               | 23.7   | 21.3                                | 30.4                              | 27.0   | 29.1                                |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 27.6                           | 26.2                             | 23.2   | 22.3                                | 28.6                               | 29.4   | 20.3                                | 38.9                              | 29.2   | 34.8                                |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 26.2                           |                                  |  |                                     |                                    |  |                                     |                                   |  |                                     |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.

| WEST REGION<br>RURAL                             | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      |   |                                | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL                   |   |                                | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL                    |   |                                |
|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|
|  |                                | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| WHITE  |                                |                                       |   |                                |  |   |                                |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | 1 521 838                      | 339 660                               | 223 023   | 9 042                          | 134 896  | 579 618   | 41 752                         | 19 601   | 106 969   | 67 277                         |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 720 526                        | 204 301                               | 112 138   | 2 944                          | 74 071   | 267 566   | 10 418                         | 6 296  | 30 529  | 12 263                         |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 432 107                        | 118 969                               | 66 744  | 1 770                          | 46 956   | 161 716   | 6 294                          | 3 799  | 18 051  | 7 808                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 377 080                        | 104 690                               | 59 605  | 1 512                          | 41 297   | 140 880   | 5 315                          | 3 098  | 14 676  | 6 007                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 255 874                        | 73 049                                | 41 314  | 913                            | 29 004   | 93 348  | 2 979                          | 2 290  | 9 871   | 3 106                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 183 751                        | 50 711                                | 31 146  | 655                            | 20 332   | 68 138  | 2 018                          | 1 637  | 7 041   | 2 073                          |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 121 206                        | 31 641                                | 18 291  | 599                            | 12 293   | 47 532  | 2 336                          | 808  | 4 805   | 2 901                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 55 027                         | 14 279                                | 7 139   | 258                            | 5 659  | 20 836  | 979                            | 701  | 3 375   | 1 801                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 26 011                         | 6 357                                 | 3 582   | 112                            | 3 126  | 10 056  | 306                            | 368  | 1 591   | 493                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 19 247                         | 4 447                                 | 2 746   | 81                             | 2 306  | 7 971   | 174                            | 282  | 1 174   | 366                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 244 361                        | 73 336                                | 39 259  | 935                            | 22 758   | 90 925  | 3 197                          | 1 794  | 9 101   | 3 056                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 218 855                        | 66 919                                | 35 824  | 825                            | 20 254   | 80 973  | 2 703                          | 1 436  | 7 494   | 2 427                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 184 981                        | 57 538                                | 30 853  | 733                            | 16 907   | 67 678  | 2 129                          | 1 163  | 5 988   | 1 992                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 25 506                         | 6 417                                 | 3 435   | 110                            | 2 504  | 9 952   | 494                            | 358  | 1 607   | 629                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 22 501                         | 6 066                                 | 3 244   | 102                            | 2 432  | 7 766   | 409                            | 338  | 1 621   | 523                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 14 648                         | 4 026                                 | 2 100   | 63                             | 1 543  | 5 171   | 249                            | 238  | 1 021   | 237                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 11 269                         | 2 962                                 | 1 597   | 46                             | 1 157  | 4 080   | 219                            | 194  | 851   | 163                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 7 853                          | 2 040                                 | 1 144   | 39                             | 889  | 2 595   | 160                            | 100  | 600   | 286                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 21 557                         | 5 930                                 | 2 891   | 137                            | 1 925  | 7 159   | 518                            | 365  | 1 756   | 876                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 7 699                          | 2 180                                 | 1 010   | 78                             | 671  | 2 591   | 168                            | 156  | 593   | 252                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 5 332                          | 1 359                                 | 550   | 11                             | 556  | 1 770   | 157                            | 102  | 495   | 332                            |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 8 526                          | 2 391                                 | 1 331   | 48                             | 698  | 2 798   | 193                            | 107  | 668   | 292                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 531 931                        | 106 254                               | 85 834  | 3 605                          | 38 890   | 220 374   | 16 974                         | 5 143  | 33 613  | 21 244                         |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 443 522                        | 93 613                                | 74 618  | 2 828                          | 32 591   | 184 199   | 12 573                         | 3 744  | 24 349  | 15 007                         |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 371 569                        | 81 114                                | 64 538  | 2 394                          | 27 226   | 151 577   | 10 243                         | 3 060  | 19 551  | 11 866                         |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 88 409                         | 12 641                                | 11 216  | 777                            | 6 299  | 36 175  | 4 401                          | 1 399  | 9 266   | 6 237                          |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 57 287                         | 7 769                                 | 5 408   | 446                            | 6 073  | 20 778  | 1 877                          | 1 788  | 9 036   | 3 912                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 33 724                         | 4 604                                 | 3 095   | 242                            | 3 485  | 12 805  | 987                            | 1 002  | 5 300   | 2 204                          |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 26 064                         | 3 486                                 | 2 484   | 198                            | 2 718  | 10 078  | 725                            | 808  | 3 973   | 1 594                          |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 23 563                         | 3 165                                 | 2 313   | 204                            | 2 588  | 8 173   | 890                            | 786  | 3 736   | 1 708                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 212 094                        | 21 336                                | 19 643  | 2 047                          | 15 862   | 70 700  | 12 483                         | 6 374  | 33 791  | 29 858                         |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                |                                       |   |                                |  |   |                                |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | \$20 062                       | \$26 452                              | \$22 503  | \$17 097                       | \$20 529   | \$18 857  | \$12 264                       | \$12 901   | \$12 355  | \$8 727                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$25 667                       | \$29 253                              | \$26 345  | \$24 717                       | \$25 673   | \$23 692  | \$20 634                       | \$24 334   | \$21 638  | \$17 969                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$27 182                       | \$30 991                              | \$27 768  | \$25 769                       | \$27 425   | \$25 090  | \$21 979                       | \$26 644   | \$23 696  | \$18 828                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$28 416                       | \$32 096                              | \$28 916  | \$27 390                       | \$28 449   | \$26 291  | \$23 543                       | \$28 298   | \$25 517  | \$20 841                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$30 631                       | \$34 007                              | \$30 983  | \$30 330                       | \$30 148   | \$28 681  | \$26 748                       | \$30 378   | \$27 585  | \$23 312                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$31 521                       | \$34 995                              | \$31 972  | \$32 652                       | \$31 185   | \$29 561  | \$26 673                       | \$30 315   | \$28 478  | \$23 098                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$23 741                       | \$27 687                              | \$24 249  | \$22 910                       | \$24 438   | \$21 597  | \$19 455                       | \$22 405   | \$21 269  | \$17 781                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$18 726                       | \$22 888                              | \$18 183  | \$16 267                       | \$19 957   | \$16 973  | \$13 489                       | \$19 335   | \$15 773  | \$12 782                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 336                       | \$24 085                              | \$21 058  | \$18 795                       | \$23 300   | \$19 771  | \$17 798                       | \$21 478   | \$19 974  | \$14 435                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$21 951                       | \$24 706                              | \$21 998  | \$18 312                       | \$23 587   | \$20 490  | \$18 664                       | \$20 619   | \$20 994  | \$14 903                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 386                       | \$21 928                              | \$15 289  | \$14 328                       | \$15 832   | \$14 363  | \$11 530                       | \$16 679   | \$12 027  | \$12 160                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$24 202                       | \$27 665                              | \$24 848  | \$24 187                       | \$23 365   | \$22 148  | \$20 040                       | \$22 607   | \$20 218  | \$17 313                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$25 285                       | \$28 676                              | \$25 756  | \$25 503                       | \$24 348   | \$23 159  | \$21 422                       | \$24 073   | \$21 957  | \$18 773                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 754                       | \$29 140                              | \$26 246  | \$25 503                       | \$24 753   | \$23 557  | \$21 686                       | \$24 757   | \$22 383  | \$19 046                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$14 912                       | \$17 121                              | \$15 379  | \$14 319                       | \$15 394   | \$13 926  | \$12 482                       | \$16 725   | \$12 104  | \$11 682                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$20 447                       | \$22 137                              | \$21 351  | \$19 501                       | \$20 950   | \$19 924  | \$14 877                       | \$18 984   | \$16 595  | \$18 114                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$22 537                       | \$23 789                              | \$22 906  | \$22 926                       | \$22 230   | \$22 546  | \$16 982                       | \$21 610   | \$19 224  | \$20 707                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$23 278                       | \$23 669                              | \$24 554  | \$24 305                       | \$22 850   | \$23 651  | \$17 724                       | \$22 788   | \$20 049  | \$22 952                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$16 551                       | \$18 876                              | \$18 497  | \$13 968                       | \$18 729   | \$14 699  | \$11 600                       | \$12 733   | \$12 123  | \$15 964                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$17 338                       | \$21 303                              | \$19 396  | \$18 629                       | \$16 203   | \$15 817  | \$12 497                       | \$13 726   | \$12 498  | \$12 506                       |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 259                       | \$26 079                              | \$22 015  | \$24 775                       | \$18 358   | \$19 418  | \$18 973                       | \$20 299   | \$16 354  | \$15 757                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$10 843                       | \$13 257                              | \$10 837  | \$5 271                        | \$10 972   | \$10 599  | \$6 225                        | \$6 176  | \$7 181   | \$11 317                       |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 860                       | \$21 523                              | \$20 945  | \$11 703                       | \$18 298   | \$15 783  | \$11 941                       | \$11 341   | \$13 016  | \$11 053                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$21 202                       | \$27 172                              | \$23 194  | \$21 464                       | \$20 289   | \$19 629  | \$15 964                       | \$15 063   | \$16 391  | \$14 469                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$23 178                       | \$28 913                              | \$24 767  | \$24 662                       | \$22 076   | \$21 252  | \$18 428                       | \$17 901   | \$19 211  | \$16 994                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 600                       | \$29 151                              | \$25 106  | \$26 015                       | \$22 504   | \$21 589  | \$19 090                       | \$18 076   | \$19 509  | \$17 230                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$11 275                       | \$14 274                              | \$12 724  | \$9 825                        | \$11 044   | \$11 366  | \$8 922                        | \$7 468  | \$8 981   | \$8 395                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$8 710                        | \$10 423                              | \$8 437   | \$7 103                        | \$9 886  | \$8 829   | \$6 261                        | \$8 876  | \$7 751   | \$6 712                        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$11 073                       | \$13 110                              | \$11 509  | \$9 370                        | \$12 754   | \$10 694  | \$8 375                        | \$11 230   | \$10 350  | \$8 815                        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 424                       | \$13 343                              | \$11 847  | \$9 288                        | \$13 246   | \$11 337  | \$9 037                        | \$11 256   | \$10 010  | \$8 963                        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$5 326                        | \$6 515                               | \$4 328   | \$4 413                        | \$6 023  | \$5 907   | \$3 917                        | \$5 876  | \$4 063   | \$3 999                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$1 231                        | \$1 877                               | \$1 425   | \$622                          | \$1 169  | \$1 123   | \$1 149                        | \$994  | \$1 185   | \$1 109                        |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                |                                       |   |                                |  |   |                                |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL  | 17.1                           | 19.1                                  | 14.6  | 13.9                           | 22.3   | 15.6  | 11.1                           | 25.2   | 17.7  | 12.8                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 25.7                           | 27.3                                  | 23.3  | 25.5                           | 29.6   | 24.3  | 21.7                           | 32.1   | 26.1  | 24.1                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 30.8                           | 33.7                                  | 28.4  | 29.3                           | 34.6   | 28.7  | 24.7                           | 35.7   | 29.1  | 25.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 29.9                           | 32.5                                  | 27.7  | 28.6                           | 33.5   | 27.9  | 24.1                           | 33.2   | 27.7  | 24.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 34.2                           | 36.1                                  | 32.3  | 34.7                           | 37.0   | 32.8  | 29.9                           | 35.8   | 32.3  | 30.4                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 34.5                           | 36.1                                  | 32.9  | 36.5                           | 37.0   | 33.2  | 31.9                           | 35.8   | 32.2  | 30.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.2                           | 22.2                                  | 14.5  | 16.5                           | 23.3   | 15.2  | 13.8                           | 23.2   | 15.5  | 16.5                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 40.7                           | 45.4                                  | 36.8  | 35.5                           | 46.2   | 36.8  | 31.0                           | 52.0   | 38.8  | 33.2                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.1                           | 52.0                                  | 45.9  | 38.6                           | 52.9   | 47.0  | 44.5                           | 55.9   | 45.8  | 50.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.3                           | 53.2                                  | 46.4  | 40.7                           | 55.1   | 48.5  | 41.0                           | 61.6   | 47.3  | 50.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 31.0                           | 39.6                                  | 24.1  | 32.3                           | 34.2   | 23.7  | 21.6                           | 45.7   | 28.4  | 25.6                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 14.4                           | 14.5                                  | 12.9  | 17.4                           | 16.2   | 14.3  | 13.6                           | 18.2   | 16.5  | 15.4                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 14.0                           | 14.1                                  | 12.6  | 17.4                           | 15.8   | 13.9  | 13.1                           | 17.4   | 15.9  | 14.1                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 13.9                           | 13.8                                  | 12.5  | 16.1                           | 15.5   | 14.0  | 13.6                           | 18.1   | 15.4  | 13.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 20.4                           | 21.8                                  | 18.5  | 17.1                           | 21.3   | 19.5  | 18.2                           | 22.9   | 22.2  | 23.0                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 43.4                           | 48.1                                  | 36.6  | 34.9                           | 46.3   | 41.0  | 39.8                           | 62.8   | 45.4  | 34.8                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 49.7                           | 53.7                                  | 44.0  | 39.5                           | 52.6   | 46.8  | 49.1                           | 65.3   | 52.8  | 49.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 50.3                           | 54.7                                  | 44.6  | 40.1                           | 53.5   | 47.4  | 48.2                           | 66.0   | 53.8  | 52.6                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.4                           | 34.2                                  | 19.7  | 22.7                           | 33.4   | 23.2  | 18.6                           | 52.6   | 25.5  | 18.9                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 23.2                           | 23.7                                  | 18.3  | 23.8                           | 24.2   | 23.4  | 21.3                           | 31.4   | 25.5  | 31.6                           |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 27.4                           | 26.2                                  | 23.1  | 22.3                           | 28.6   | 29.5  | 20.0                           | 38.6   | 27.5  | 36.1                           |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 25.6                           | 28.6                                  | 24.9  | 12.7                           | 26.8   | 19.1  | 23.0                           | 17.4   | 34.0  | 37.6                           |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 17.8                           | 19.1                                  | 13.0  | 30.4                           | 18.7   | 18.2  | 22.4                           | 19.8   | 19.8  | 19.0                           |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1   |                                |                                       |   |                                |  |   |                                |  |   |                                |

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

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| WEST REGION<br>RURAL                              | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |  |   | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |  |   |                                |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL     | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL    | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| BLACK   |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |  |   |                                   |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 7 651                            | 1 511                                 | 1 019   | 74                                 | 735  | 2 303   | 280                               | 167  | 771   | 791                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 3 650                            | 1 101                                 | 592   | 40                                 | 423  | 1 078   | 80                                | 72   | 183   | 81                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 2 546                            | 804                                   | 434   | 28                                 | 341  | 666   | 66                                | 49   | 117   | 41                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 2 215                            | 697                                   | 384   | 21                                 | 296  | 584   | 59                                | 44   | 99  | 31                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 566                            | 538                                   | 239   | 5                                  | 202  | 417   | 47                                | 29   | 66  | 23                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 1 154                            | 397                                   | 193   | -                                  | 154  | 314   | 36                                | 22   | 36  | 2                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 649                              | 159                                   | 145   | 16                                 | 94   | 167   | 12                                | 15   | 33  | 8                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 331                              | 107                                   | 50  | 7                                  | 45   | 82  | 7                                 | 5  | 18  | 10                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 203                              | 72                                    | 24  | 7                                  | 31   | 42  | -                                 | 5  | 12  | 10                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 154                              | 60                                    | 15  | -                                  | 23   | 35  | -                                 | 5  | 12  | 4                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 128                              | 35                                    | 26  | -                                  | 14   | 40  | 7                                 | -  | 6   | -                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 789                              | 198                                   | 111   | 12                                 | 63   | 310   | 11                                | 15   | 48  | 21                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 668                              | 171                                   | 92  | 12                                 | 56   | 270   | 11                                | 15   | 30  | 11                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 559                              | 166                                   | 87  | 12                                 | 41   | 194   | 5                                 | 15   | 28  | 11                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 121                              | 27                                    | 19  | -                                  | 7  | 40  | -                                 | -  | 18  | 10                             |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 170                              | 50                                    | 42  | -                                  | -  | 60  | -                                 | -  | 6   | 12                             |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 127                              | 32                                    | 31  | -                                  | -  | 57  | -                                 | -  | -   | 7                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 98                               | 24                                    | 24  | -                                  | -  | 30  | -                                 | -  | -   | 5                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 43                               | 18                                    | 11  | -                                  | -  | 3   | -                                 | -  | 6   | 5                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 145                              | 49                                    | 5   | -                                  | 19   | 42  | 3                                 | 8  | 12  | 7                              |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48                               | 7                                     | -   | -                                  | 13   | 5   | 3                                 | 8  | 12  | -                              |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 41                               | 22                                    | 5   | -                                  | -  | 7   | -                                 | -  | -   | 7                              |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 56                               | 20                                    | -   | -                                  | 6  | 30  | -                                 | -  | -   | -                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 2 124                            | 296                                   | 361   | 11                                 | 162  | 730   | 95                                | 44   | 220   | 205                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 1 650                            | 262                                   | 289   | 6                                  | 122  | 624   | 70                                | 19   | 137   | 121                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 1 416                            | 239                                   | 244   | 5                                  | 119  | 540   | 58                                | 19   | 94  | 99                             |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 474                              | 34                                    | 72  | 5                                  | 40   | 106   | 25                                | 25   | 85  | 86                             |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 559                              | 66                                    | 27  | 3                                  | 38   | 127   | 26                                | 11   | 124   | 137                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 317                              | 36                                    | 24  | 3                                  | 28   | 72  | 4                                 | -  | 66  | 84                             |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 258                              | 25                                    | 22  | 3                                  | 21   | 54  | 4                                 | -  | 55  | 72                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 242                              | 30                                    | 3   | -                                  | 10   | 55  | 22                                | 11   | 58  | 53                             |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 1 318                            | 48                                    | 39  | 20                                 | 112  | 368   | 79                                | 40   | 244   | 368                            |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |  |   |                                   |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | \$17 297                         | \$31 452                              | \$19 693  | \$12 617                           | \$16 415   | \$14 379  | \$13 218                          | \$16 559   | \$11 366  | \$4 308                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$25 268                         | \$34 328                              | \$24 248  | \$18 691                           | \$21 946   | \$19 232  | \$29 015                          | \$22 598   | \$22 784  | \$14 803                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$27 123                         | \$35 049                              | \$24 251  | \$21 232                           | \$22 506   | \$22 183  | \$33 059                          | \$27 605   | \$26 008  | \$17 807                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$28 193                         | \$36 702                              | \$25 697  | \$24 286                           | \$22 964   | \$22 567  | \$35 350                          | \$27 966   | \$26 995  | \$16 892                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$31 233                         | \$39 713                              | \$28 124  | \$30 810                           | \$25 717   | \$25 093  | \$34 402                          | \$36 377   | \$29 321  | \$17 361                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$32 945                         | \$40 599                              | \$29 928  | -                                  | \$27 762   | \$26 883  | \$34 563                          | \$43 765   | \$28 878  | \$80 425                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$20 858                         | \$26 512                              | \$21 697  | \$22 248                           | \$17 047   | \$16 260  | \$39 065                          | \$11 704   | \$22 343  | \$14 970                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$19 963                         | \$24 285                              | \$13 149  | \$12 070                           | \$19 497   | \$19 450  | \$13 745                          | \$24 425   | \$20 576  | \$20 644                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$23 817                         | \$26 928                              | \$10 799  | \$12 070                           | \$25 034   | \$26 747  | -                                 | \$24 425   | \$27 034  | \$20 644                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$24 494                         | \$22 755                              | \$11 942  | -                                  | \$27 651   | \$29 494  | -                                 | \$24 425   | \$27 034  | \$28 195                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$13 851                         | \$18 848                              | \$15 318  | -                                  | \$7 237  | \$11 788  | \$13 745                          | -  | \$7 660   | -                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$19 313                         | \$30 867                              | \$16 219  | \$12 760                           | \$19 778   | \$14 135  | \$10 228                          | \$17 010   | \$19 051  | \$12 521                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$20 367                         | \$32 977                              | \$18 171  | \$12 760                           | \$18 523   | \$14 911  | \$10 228                          | \$17 010   | \$18 476  | \$12 893                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 330                         | \$33 346                              | \$18 727  | \$12 760                           | \$17 654   | \$14 844  | \$11 090                          | \$17 010   | \$19 630  | \$12 893                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 386                         | \$17 499                              | \$5 318   | -                                  | \$29 815   | \$8 904   | -                                 | -  | \$20 010  | \$12 113                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$25 248                         | \$25 746                              | \$40 390  | -                                  | -  | \$17 558  | -                                 | \$10 220   | \$16 141  | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$28 459                         | \$29 776                              | \$46 931  | -                                  | -  | \$18 218  | -                                 | -  | \$24 020  | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$24 667                         | \$31 698                              | \$35 963  | -                                  | -  | \$15 869  | -                                 | -  | -   | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 766                         | \$18 583                              | \$21 958  | -                                  | -  | \$5 010   | -                                 | \$10 220   | \$5 110   | -                              |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$25 127                         | \$45 230                              | \$66 665  | -                                  | \$19 078   | \$12 434  | \$8 930                           | \$2 408  | \$12 560  | \$1 755                        |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$14 034                         | \$16 000                              | -   | -                                  | \$21 321   | \$17 540  | \$8 930                           | \$2 408  | \$12 560  | -                              |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$44 897                         | \$64 839                              | \$66 665  | -                                  | -  | \$9 815   | -                                 | -  | -   | \$1 755                        |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$20 160                         | \$33 891                              | -   | -                                  | \$14 220   | \$12 194  | -                                 | -  | -   | -                              |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$16 420                         | \$30 011                              | \$15 085  | \$15 069                           | \$14 337   | \$15 466  | \$12 815                          | \$22 829   | \$13 739  | \$7 438                        |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$17 538                         | \$28 587                              | \$16 594  | \$8 672                            | \$16 414   | \$15 976  | \$14 884                          | \$14 900   | \$17 245  | \$7 772                        |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$17 319                         | \$23 567                              | \$17 923  | \$8 005                            | \$15 908   | \$15 951  | \$15 315                          | \$14 900   | \$21 721  | \$7 738                        |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$12 531                         | \$40 989                              | \$9 028   | \$22 745                           | \$8 001  | \$12 461  | \$7 023                           | \$28 855   | \$7 952   | \$6 956                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 843                          | \$10 253                              | \$9 507   | \$6 765                            | \$12 083   | \$8 074   | \$5 118                           | \$714  | \$10 589  | \$3 592                        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$10 017                         | \$15 605                              | \$10 537  | \$6 765                            | \$15 158   | \$8 781   | \$6 120                           | -  | \$12 344  | \$5 293                        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 569                         | \$20 439                              | \$11 369  | \$6 765                            | \$13 983   | \$8 707   | \$6 120                           | -  | \$13 032  | \$5 550                        |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$4 995                          | \$3 831                               | \$1 265   | -                                  | \$3 472  | \$7 148   | \$4 935                           | \$714  | \$8 591   | \$895                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$647                            | \$3 511                               | \$257   | -                                  | -  | \$186   | \$371                             | \$5 152  | \$1 058   | \$522                          |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |  |   |                                   |  |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 24.8                             | 27.3                                  | 20.5  | 23.0                               | 29.7   | 22.6  | 25.0                              | 29.6   | 20.3  | 25.4                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 31.8                             | 32.7                                  | 27.0  | 26.0                               | 34.2   | 32.4  | 34.4                              | 49.9   | 23.2  | 35.8                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 35.1                             | 37.3                                  | 28.4  | 23.6                               | 37.4   | 35.3  | 34.5                              | 57.6   | 24.9  | 29.8                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 34.7                             | 36.7                                  | 28.1  | 20.4                               | 37.8   | 35.4  | 34.0                              | 57.2   | 23.8  | 27.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 38.5                             | 40.2                                  | 34.1  | 39.0                               | 40.3   | 38.6  | 28.6                              | 61.5   | 27.9  | 33.3                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 38.2                             | 40.1                                  | 34.0  | -                                  | 38.3   | 37.4  | 29.8                              | 65.1   | 21.6  | 45.4                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 20.9                             | 18.9                                  | 15.2  | 12.3                               | 29.7   | 23.3  | 52.6                              | 31.8   | 12.9  | 6.4                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 18.4                             | 42.8                                  | 33.9  | 43.0                               | 34.7   | 34.4  | 45.1                              | 60.9   | 33.3  | 36.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 42.1                             | 48.8                                  | 50.4  | 43.0                               | 33.5   | 35.0  | -                                 | 60.9   | 37.3  | 36.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 40.6                             | 50.9                                  | 36.0  | -                                  | 25.8   | 36.1  | -                                 | 60.9   | 37.3  | 34.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.4                             | 25.1                                  | 23.1  | -                                  | 43.3   | 33.0  | 45.1                              | -  | 5.3   | -                              |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 17.5                             | 14.0                                  | 25.4  | 35.3                               | 17.7   | 19.9  | 26.7                              | 5.9  | 9.8   | 24.6                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 17.1                             | 13.7                                  | 24.3  | 35.3                               | 18.6   | 19.6  | 26.7                              | 5.9  | 8.6   | 12.7                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 16.2                             | 13.7                                  | 23.2  | 35.3                               | 19.8   | 17.9  | 5.5                               | 5.9  | 8.5   | 12.7                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 20.1                             | 18.0                                  | 43.1  | -                                  | 13.4   | 22.7  | -                                 | -  | 11.7  | 38.5                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 38.6                             | 45.5                                  | 23.2  | -                                  | -  | 47.3  | -                                 | -  | 73.4  | 69.4                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 40.6                             | 53.1                                  | 24.0  | -                                  | -  | 47.4  | -                                 | -  | -   | 71.0                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 47.0                             | 53.9                                  | 34.0  | -                                  | -  | 54.6  | -                                 | -  | -   | -                              |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.2                             | 24.0                                  | 18.4  | -                                  | -  | 40.0  | -                                 | -  | 73.4  | 58.8                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 21.6                             | 18.6                                  | 10.0  | -                                  | 24.1   | 25.9  | 64.1                              | 89.9   | 47.4  | 100.0                          |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 34.1                             | 19.7                                  | -   | -                                  | 24.6   | 38.5  | 64.1                              | 89.9   | 47.4  | -                              |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 25.8                             | 26.6                                  | 10.0  | -                                  | -  | 71.4  | -                                 | -  | -   | 100.0                          |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 7.3                              | 1.7                                   | -   | -                                  | 22.6   | 14.3  | -                                 | -  | -   | -                              |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 78.5                             | 94.2                                  | 96.3  | 100.0                              | 88.2   | 73.9  | 92.5                              | 100.0  | 61.4  | 88.7                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 88.8                             | 95.4                                  | 95.2  | 100.0                              | 87.3   | 88.1  | 100.0                             | -  | 84.0  | 87.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 86.7                             | 93.3                                  | 94.2  | 100.0                              | 81.6   | 84.0  | 100.0                             | -  | 81.8  | 86.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 52.0                             | 98.4                                  | 100.0   | -                                  | 100.0  | 51.0  | 90.8                              | 100.0  | 24.6  | 100.0                          |

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|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL           | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL          | WIFE-4 OR MORE YEARS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS HIGH SCHOOL TO 1-3 YRS OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS OF HIGH SCHOOL |
| AMERICAN INDIAN, ESKIMO, ALEUT                    |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | 52 065                           | 4 242                           | 4 337  | 533                                | 3 317                           | 17 932                                       | 3 478                             | 870                             | 4 831  | 12 525                   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 22 614                           | 3 009                           | 2 593  | 188                                | 2 275                           | 9 247  | 1 010                             | 423                             | 1 802  | 2 067                    |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 16 316                           | 2 266                           | 1 932  | 91                                 | 1 789                           | 6 676  | 770                               | 301                             | 1 223  | 1 268                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 12 391                           | 1 867                           | 1 567  | 69                                 | 1 365                           | 5 109  | 608                               | 202                             | 865  | 739                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 8 280                            | 1 274                           | 1 024  | 40                                 | 976                             | 3 395  | 378                               | 157                             | 569  | 467                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 5 970                            | 964                             | 748  | 38                                 | 668                             | 2 448  | 289                               | 90                              | 464  | 261                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 111                            | 593                             | 543  | 29                                 | 389                             | 1 714  | 230                               | 45                              | 296  | 272                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 3 925                            | 399                             | 365  | 22                                 | 424                             | 1 567  | 162                               | 99                              | 358  | 329                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 834                            | 210                             | 191  | 13                                 | 238                             | 685  | 62                                | 68                              | 184  | 183                      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 372                            | 152                             | 143  | 7                                  | 189                             | 500  | 48                                | 37                              | 143  | 153                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 2 091                            | 189                             | 174  | 9                                  | 186                             | 882  | 100                               | 31                              | 174  | 346                      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 4 672                            | 561                             | 587  | 72                                 | 274                             | 1 989  | 183                               | 86                              | 421  | 499                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 3 303                            | 468                             | 449  | 52                                 | 229                             | 1 430  | 120                               | 42                              | 252  | 261                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 2 681                            | 394                             | 400  | 49                                 | 178                             | 1 162  | 81                                | 22                              | 192  | 203                      |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 369                            | 93                              | 138  | 20                                 | 45                              | 559  | 63                                | 44                              | 169  | 238                      |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 813                              | 97                              | 47   | 16                                 | 138                             | 283  | 40                                | 27                              | 73   | 92                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 507                              | 52                              | 28   | 7                                  | 112                             | 187  | 15                                | 21                              | 32   | 53                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 349                              | 33                              | 22   | 7                                  | 76                              | 127  | 13                                | 7                               | 28   | 36                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 306                              | 45                              | 19   | 9                                  | 26                              | 96   | 25                                | 6                               | 41   | 39                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 813                              | 85                              | 27   | 9                                  | 74                              | 299  | 17                                | 9                               | 85   | 208                      |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 256                              | 16                              | 13   | -                                  | 36                              | 123  | -                                 | -                               | 17   | 51                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 257                              | 26                              | 8  | 5                                  | 4                               | 80   | 13                                | 1                               | 25   | 95                       |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 300                              | 43                              | 4  | 4                                  | 34                              | 96   | 4                                 | 8                               | 43   | 62                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 17 745                           | 996                             | 1 432  | 254                                | 625                             | 6 649  | 1 581                             | 169                             | 1 610  | 4 429                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 12 444                           | 800                             | 1 083  | 148                                | 456                             | 4 942  | 1 068                             | 99                              | 1 001  | 2 852                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 9 767                            | 664                             | 907  | 93                                 | 370                             | 3 838  | 872                               | 53                              | 755  | 2 215                    |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 5 301                            | 196                             | 349  | 106                                | 169                             | 1 707  | 515                               | 75                              | 609  | 1 577                    |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 2 924                            | 143                             | 169  | 24                                 | 211                             | 711  | 179                               | 129                             | 449  | 909                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 786                            | 79                              | 138  | 18                                 | 143                             | 446  | 90                                | 88                              | 273  | 511                      |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 445                            | 76                              | 124  | 18                                 | 107                             | 371  | 63                                | 55                              | 235  | 396                      |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 138                            | 64                              | 31   | 6                                  | 68                              | 265  | 89                                | 41                              | 176  | 398                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 8 782                            | 94                              | 143  | 67                                 | 206                             | 1 325  | 708                               | 149                             | 970  | 5 120                    |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | \$14 969                         | \$21 867                        | \$19 192                                     | \$13 776                           | \$19 418                        | \$16 688                                     | \$10 871                          | \$15 008                        | \$14 092                                     | \$9 056                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$21 043                         | \$24 961                        | \$22 805                                     | \$19 128                           | \$22 824                        | \$19 944                                     | \$16 330                          | \$21 314                        | \$20 954                                     | \$18 586                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$22 098                         | \$25 512                        | \$24 168                                     | \$20 492                           | \$23 920                        | \$21 026                                     | \$17 059                          | \$23 303                        | \$21 897                                     | \$18 997                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$23 732                         | \$27 234                        | \$25 950                                     | \$18 577                           | \$25 439                        | \$22 487                                     | \$18 478                          | \$25 845                        | \$22 813                                     | \$20 930                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 313                         | \$28 371                        | \$28 471                                     | \$21 341                           | \$27 207                        | \$24 166                                     | \$18 765                          | \$27 260                        | \$24 482                                     | \$20 783                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$25 606                         | \$28 401                        | \$27 814                                     | \$21 395                           | \$28 757                        | \$24 748                                     | \$19 902                          | \$28 941                        | \$23 087                                     | \$19 195                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$20 547                         | \$24 790                        | \$21 197                                     | \$14 764                           | \$21 005                        | \$19 162                                     | \$18 007                          | \$20 905                        | \$20 180                                     | \$21 183                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$16 940                         | \$17 456                        | \$16 516                                     | \$26 500                           | \$19 031                        | \$16 261                                     | \$11 731                          | \$18 118                        | \$19 685                                     | \$16 297                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 875                         | \$16 162                        | \$19 053                                     | \$33 278                           | \$21 132                        | \$17 453                                     | \$13 129                          | \$21 798                        | \$24 918                                     | \$17 948                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 042                         | \$16 003                        | \$20 063                                     | \$31 117                           | \$22 837                        | \$17 512                                     | \$13 842                          | \$20 166                        | \$24 523                                     | \$17 104                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$15 243                         | \$18 893                        | \$13 730                                     | \$16 710                           | \$16 343                        | \$15 336                                     | \$10 864                          | \$10 046                        | \$14 151                                     | \$15 424                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$18 946                         | \$23 773                        | \$19 400                                     | \$16 327                           | \$22 604                        | \$17 472                                     | \$13 910                          | \$17 319                        | \$19 597                                     | \$18 804                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 078                         | \$25 094                        | \$21 129                                     | \$19 441                           | \$23 302                        | \$19 219                                     | \$15 727                          | \$30 207                        | \$21 954                                     | \$22 498                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$21 219                         | \$25 566                        | \$20 176                                     | \$18 304                           | \$24 725                        | \$19 968                                     | \$14 434                          | \$10 984                        | \$22 804                                     | \$21 947                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 801                         | \$17 124                        | \$13 777                                     | \$8 232                            | \$19 050                        | \$13 003                                     | \$10 448                          | \$5 017                         | \$16 083                                     | \$14 754                 |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$16 929                         | \$21 935                        | \$13 857                                     | \$26 568                           | \$12 019                        | \$17 866                                     | \$11 319                          | \$16 975                        | \$22 999                                     | \$13 636                 |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 408                         | \$23 099                        | \$21 449                                     | \$53 939                           | \$12 498                        | \$20 904                                     | \$11 283                          | \$18 359                        | \$16 774                                     | \$14 216                 |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$19 473                         | \$17 847                        | \$20 127                                     | \$53 939                           | \$13 103                        | \$23 994                                     | \$11 633                          | \$22 964                        | \$17 688                                     | \$14 907                 |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$14 478                         | \$20 589                        | \$2 668                                      | \$5 280                            | \$9 598                         | \$11 948                                     | \$11 340                          | \$12 133                        | \$27 858                                     | \$12 847                 |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$16 052                         | \$21 574                        | \$14 926                                     | \$14 522                           | \$17 290                        | \$14 214                                     | \$21 174                          | \$5 963                         | \$12 344                                     | \$17 744                 |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 314                         | \$30 496                        | \$25 630                                     | -                                  | \$19 766                        | \$16 552                                     | -                                 | -                               | \$10 557                                     | \$18 437                 |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 288                         | \$4 566                         | \$3 540                                      | \$13 970                           | \$2 390                         | \$10 345                                     | \$23 526                          | \$7 820                         | \$13 305                                     | \$9 933                  |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$19 061                         | \$28 537                        | \$6 913                                      | \$15 213                           | \$16 421                        | \$14 442                                     | \$13 533                          | \$5 731                         | \$12 492                                     | \$29 143                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$14 531                         | \$16 232                        | \$15 583                                     | \$13 345                           | \$16 025                        | \$16 025                                     | \$11 986                          | \$12 227                        | \$14 509                                     | \$12 427                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$16 574                         | \$18 322                        | \$17 848                                     | \$19 648                           | \$17 517                        | \$18 423                                     | \$13 355                          | \$12 798                        | \$17 059                                     | \$13 245                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$16 680                         | \$18 052                        | \$17 418                                     | \$19 064                           | \$15 565                        | \$18 998                                     | \$13 564                          | \$12 926                        | \$16 611                                     | \$13 377                 |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$9 735                          | \$7 700                         | \$8 554                                      | \$4 544                            | \$11 998                        | \$9 082                                      | \$9 136                           | \$11 511                        | \$10 319                                     | \$10 948                 |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$8 596                          | \$9 905                         | \$9 889                                      | \$6 645                            | \$9 003                         | \$8 435                                      | \$7 319                           | \$11 363                        | \$10 151                                     | \$7 322                  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$10 534                         | \$14 054                        | \$10 541                                     | \$8 703                            | \$10 671                        | \$10 530                                     | \$10 274                          | \$12 976                        | \$12 792                                     | \$8 419                  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 974                         | \$14 533                        | \$10 253                                     | \$8 703                            | \$11 629                        | \$10 872                                     | \$10 182                          | \$18 325                        | \$13 185                                     | \$8 327                  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 553                          | \$4 783                         | \$6 986                                      | \$4 722                            | \$5 494                         | \$4 876                                      | \$4 331                           | \$7 901                         | \$6 054                                      | \$5 914                  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 336                          | \$724                           | \$822  | \$2 947                            | \$2 766                         | \$1 718                                      | \$1 491                           | \$3 417                         | \$2 476                                      | \$2 601                  |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                 |  |                                    |                                 |  |                                   |                                 |  |                          |
| TOTAL   | 20.5                             | 27.3                            | 21.1   | 14.6                               | 31.0                            | 19.3   | 15.6                              | 33.9                            | 20.6   | 12.2                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 29.7                             | 32.3                            | 27.2   | 27.3                               | 34.9                            | 28.7   | 30.4                              | 38.8                            | 28.4   | 25.7                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 32.2                             | 35.4                            | 29.6   | 34.6                               | 36.7                            | 30.9   | 32.8                              | 42.6                            | 30.2   | 27.7                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 31.2                             | 35.8                            | 28.7   | 36.8                               | 35.7                            | 30.3   | 32.7                              | 37.0                            | 27.8   | 27.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 36.4                             | 39.1                            | 34.0   | 39.5                               | 39.8                            | 35.2   | 41.7                              | 38.2                            | 32.7   | 34.3                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 36.6                             | 39.2                            | 33.6   | 40.0                               | 38.8                            | 35.8   | 43.5                              | 33.7                            | 34.5   | 34.2                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 18.4                             | 20.7                            | 15.1   | 31.3                               | 22.4                            | 18.0   | 17.2                              | 31.6                            | 16.5   | 16.0                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 36.4                             | 46.7                            | 36.1   | 29.9                               | 40.8                            | 33.7   | 33.4                              | 59.1                            | 36.9   | 28.0                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 45.3                             | 56.2                            | 40.5   | 27.3                               | 46.4                            | 45.6   | 46.6                              | 60.1                            | 40.0   | 39.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 47.1                             | 64.9                            | 38.9   | 30.3                               | 46.2                            | 48.7   | 40.4                              | 72.8                            | 43.2   | 36.8                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 26.7                             | 37.6                            | 29.4   | 37.3                               | 31.5                            | 23.2   | 23.5                              | 54.6                            | 31.1   | 21.1                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 17.3                             | 17.3                            | 17.4   | 19.2                               | 17.1                            | 16.4   | 18.6                              | 17.4                            | 18.6   | 18.5                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.3                             | 16.3                            | 15.7   | 12.4                               | 17.1                            | 14.7   | 16.0                              | 16.1                            | 14.3   | 14.5                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 14.0                             | 14.3                            | 13.6   | 14.0                               | 15.1                            | 13.8   | 12.7                              | 33.1                            | 13.6   | 13.7                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 24.6                             | 24.7                            | 25.8   | 60.6                               | 17.3                            | 22.9   | 25.7                              | 25.0                            | 27.3   | 25.2                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 47.6                             | 55.2                            | 28.3   | 21.1                               | 59.7                            | 46.8   | 46.4                              | 51.4                            | 41.5   | 47.6                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 56.7                             | 82.2                            | 27.9   | 16.2                               | 66.3                            | 50.9   | 95.8                              | 56.8                            | 62.5   | 57.9                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 55.5                             | 77.9                            | 28.8   | 16.2                               | 66.3                            | 52.4   | 96.1                              | 46.7                            | 65.3   | 60.0                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 28.4                             | 20.3                            | 32.6   | 59.9                               | 23.8                            | 32.9   | 16.9                              | 23.0                            | 31.7   | 32.1                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 27.4                             | 16.5                            | 18.4   | 16.1                               | 29.6                            | 34.8   | 8.8                               | 19.2                            | 38.5   | 23.6                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 31.5                             | 10.6                            | 18.0   | -                                  | 29.4                            | 40.3   | -                                 | -                               | 36.8   | 28.4                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 31.7                             | 28.6                            | 22.2   | 14.1                               | 53.8                            | 36.2   | 8.3                               | 52.5                            | 49.2   | 30.7                     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 22.0                             | 17.6                            | 18.4   | 18.4                               | 29.3                            | 25.9   | 12.0                              | 13.5                            | 32.4   | 17.5                     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 69.1                             | 79.6                            | 75.1   | 55.8                               | 91.3                            | 75.2   | 59.8                              | 62.3                            | 70.2   | 56.3                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 73.4                             | 87.1                            | 75.2   | 55.0                               | 91.9                            | 76.0   | 61.0                              | 66.2                            | 79.1   | 60.5                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 73.0                             | 87.1                            | 76.2   | 55.0                               | 91.9                            | 72.5   | 64.6                              | 61.7                            | 77.8   | 61.9                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 56.1                             | 52.2                            | 74.4   | 100.0                              | 88.4                            | 72.2   | 57.2                              | 48.8                            | 40.8   | 48.6                     |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

(DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B.)

| WEST REGION<br>RURAL                             | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE      |   |  | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL                   |   |  | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL                    |   |  |
|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|---|--|--|---|--|
|  |                                | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL | WIFE-4 OR<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 COL | WIFE-LESS<br>THAN 4 YRS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER                       |                                |                                       |   |  |  |   |  |  |   |  |
| TOTAL  | 26 103                         | 5 241                                 | 2 463   | 256  | 2 076  | 8 373                                   | 1 211  | 387  | 2 406                                   | 3 690  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 14 161                         | 3 643                                 | 1 380   | 90   | 1 443  | 4 684                                   | 474  | 229  | 1 054                                   | 1 164  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 9 919                          | 2 663                                 | 964   | 59   | 1 057  | 3 195                                   | 306  | 172  | 644                                     | 859  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 8 757                          | 2 431                                 | 891   | 48   | 941  | 2 825                                   | 243  | 138  | 563                                     | 677  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 6 977                          | 1 986                                 | 675   | 20   | 768  | 2 192                                   | 170  | 125  | 477                                     | 564  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 5 312                          | 1 458                                 | 545   | 18   | 597  | 1 686                                   | 129  | 86   | 382                                     | 411  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 1 780                          | 445                                   | 216   | 28   | 173  | 633                                     | 73   | 13   | 86                                      | 113  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 1 162                          | 232                                   | 73  | 11   | 116  | 370                                     | 63   | 34   | 81                                      | 182  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 543                            | 115                                   | 42  | -  | 44   | 181                                     | 18   | 16   | 48                                      | 79   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 341                            | 70                                    | 38  | -  | 25   | 136                                     | -  | 2  | 31                                      | 39   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 619                            | 117                                   | 31  | 11   | 72   | 189                                     | 45   | 18   | 33                                      | 103  |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 2 934                          | 775                                   | 265   | 27   | 327  | 1 069                                   | 97   | 19   | 252                                     | 103  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 2 650                          | 725                                   | 235   | 26   | 301  | 972                                     | 74   | 14   | 224                                     | 79   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 2 278                          | 626                                   | 213   | 22   | 244  | 866                                     | 69   | 14   | 168                                     | 56   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 284                            | 50                                    | 30  | 1  | 26   | 97                                      | 23   | 5  | 28                                      | 24   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 659                            | 93                                    | 63  | 4  | 33   | 199                                     | 21   | 29   | 109                                     | 108  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 497                            | 63                                    | 43  | 4  | 33   | 126                                     | 19   | 29   | 98                                      | 82   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 377                            | 61                                    | 31  | 4  | 22   | 74                                      | 17   | 11   | 82                                      | 75   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 162                            | 30                                    | 20  | -  | -  | 73                                      | 2  | -  | 11                                      | 26   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 649                            | 112                                   | 88  | -  | 26   | 221                                     | 50   | 9  | 49                                      | 94   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 353                            | 51                                    | 34  | -  | 18   | 133                                     | 28   | 7  | 35                                      | 47   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 135                            | 14                                    | 22  | -  | 4  | 53                                      | 12   | -  | 6                                       | 26   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 161                            | 47                                    | 32  | -  | 4  | 35                                      | 12   | -  | 8                                       | 21   |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | 7 452                          | 1 366                                 | 893   | 112  | 413  | 2 677                                   | 384  | 92   | 597                                     | 918  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 6 312                          | 1 255                                 | 810   | 105  | 333  | 2 356                                   | 317  | 70   | 445                                     | 621  |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 5 286                          | 1 091                                 | 684   | 56   | 305  | 1 911                                   | 285  | 45   | 379                                     | 530  |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 1 140                          | 111                                   | 83  | 7  | 80   | 321                                     | 67   | 22   | 152                                     | 297  |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | 1 752                          | 143                                   | 78  | 22   | 106  | 420                                     | 74   | 41   | 303                                     | 565  |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 1 281                          | 106                                   | 66  | 22   | 74   | 323                                     | 63   | 34   | 207                                     | 386  |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 1 015                          | 91                                    | 39  | 22   | 60   | 266                                     | 56   | 34   | 141                                     | 306  |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 471                            | 37                                    | 12  | -  | 32   | 97                                      | 11   | 7  | 96                                      | 179  |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | 2 738                          | 89                                    | 112   | 32   | 114  | 592                                     | 279  | 25   | 452                                     | 1 043  |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                             |                                |                                       |   |  |  |   |  |  |   |  |
| TOTAL  | \$21 716                       | \$31 009                              | \$23 985  | \$17 061                                     | \$22 637   | \$21 659                                | \$14 357                                     | \$20 429   | \$15 288                                | \$13 680                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | \$27 108                       | \$33 508                              | \$27 990  | \$19 445                                     | \$25 540   | \$25 891                                | \$20 010                                     | \$24 500   | \$21 421                                | \$22 018                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | \$28 791                       | \$34 711                              | \$28 543  | \$24 189                                     | \$26 632   | \$27 861                                | \$22 254                                     | \$28 043   | \$23 405                                | \$23 668                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$30 354                       | \$35 829                              | \$29 676  | \$28 345                                     | \$28 449   | \$29 072                                | \$24 212                                     | \$31 465   | \$24 835                                | \$26 295                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$31 930                       | \$37 830                              | \$30 407  | \$15 263                                     | \$29 654   | \$30 844                                | \$25 518                                     | \$31 560   | \$26 460                                | \$27 533                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | \$32 821                       | \$38 628                              | \$31 746  | \$15 473                                     | \$30 111   | \$32 114                                | \$25 788                                     | \$31 298   | \$27 941                                | \$28 308                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$24 176                       | \$26 898                              | \$27 391  | \$37 689                                     | \$23 102   | \$22 936                                | \$21 172                                     | \$30 555   | \$15 821                                | \$20 114                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$17 014                       | \$23 000                              | \$14 716  | \$6 055                                      | \$11 892   | \$18 613                                | \$14 700                                     | \$14 154   | \$13 467                                | \$13 897                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$19 149                       | \$24 415                              | \$15 059  | -  | \$13 206   | \$22 083                                | \$16 733                                     | \$18 940   | \$14 967                                | \$13 376                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$18 821                       | \$22 790                              | \$14 959  | -  | \$11 318   | \$21 394                                | -  | \$12 530   | \$14 943                                | \$14 704                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$15 142                       | \$21 610                              | \$14 252  | \$6 055                                      | \$11 089   | \$15 290                                | \$13 887                                     | \$9 899  | \$11 284                                | \$14 297                                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | \$24 325                       | \$30 262                              | \$30 717  | \$10 106                                     | \$22 520   | \$21 838                                | \$20 563                                     | \$10 184   | \$19 490                                | \$16 447                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$24 849                       | \$30 825                              | \$27 947  | \$10 263                                     | \$22 436   | \$22 845                                | \$25 010                                     | \$11 033   | \$20 586                                | \$13 831                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$25 172                       | \$30 968                              | \$28 213  | \$9 604                                      | \$22 561   | \$23 110                                | \$26 242                                     | \$11 033   | \$20 858                                | \$13 332                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$19 435                       | \$22 108                              | \$52 417  | \$6 010                                      | \$23 497   | \$11 754                                | \$6 256                                      | \$7 810  | \$10 725                                | \$25 059                                     |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | \$21 891                       | \$36 514                              | \$22 250  | \$12 510                                     | \$18 183   | \$24 888                                | \$13 811                                     | \$16 800   | \$15 981                                | \$13 953                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$21 352                       | \$29 586                              | \$29 872  | \$12 510                                     | \$18 183   | \$26 545                                | \$14 277                                     | \$16 800   | \$15 697                                | \$14 292                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$19 482                       | \$30 239                              | \$34 115  | \$12 510                                     | \$20 445   | \$16 144                                | \$13 196                                     | \$20 461   | \$14 747                                | \$14 642                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$23 546                       | \$51 062                              | \$5 862   | -  | -  | \$22 028                                | \$9 380                                      | -  | \$18 512                                | \$12 882                                     |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | \$19 256                       | \$24 874                              | \$17 833  | -  | \$28 454   | \$17 906                                | \$7 803                                      | \$11 810   | \$17 381                                | \$22 310                                     |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$22 129                       | \$33 158                              | \$16 227  | -  | \$36 419   | \$20 550                                | \$9 548                                      | \$6 510  | \$19 563                                | \$25 210                                     |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$13 358                       | \$3 381                               | \$14 646  | -  | \$3 010  | \$15 137                                | \$6 010                                      | -  | \$15 550                                | \$17 927                                     |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | \$17 904                       | \$22 287                              | \$21 729  | -  | \$18 010   | \$12 126                                | \$5 227                                      | \$30 360   | \$9 210                                 | \$21 246                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                | \$20 624                       | \$27 937                              | \$21 317  | \$17 043                                     | \$21 924   | \$19 389                                | \$15 852                                     | \$16 200   | \$16 535                                | \$17 620                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | \$22 473                       | \$28 780                              | \$22 737  | \$17 176                                     | \$25 060   | \$20 834                                | \$17 285                                     | \$19 294   | \$18 453                                | \$20 997                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | \$23 193                       | \$29 211                              | \$22 852  | \$19 478                                     | \$25 478   | \$21 760                                | \$17 995                                     | \$22 738   | \$18 092                                | \$21 967                                     |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | \$10 385                       | \$18 405                              | \$7 459   | \$15 058                                     | \$8 867  | \$8 782                                 | \$9 070                                      | \$6 349  | \$10 917                                | \$10 560                                     |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                | \$10 197                       | \$10 514                              | \$15 250  | \$19 348                                     | \$7 753  | \$9 547                                 | \$9 137                                      | \$16 228   | \$10 412                                | \$9 592                                      |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | \$11 694                       | \$12 811                              | \$13 298  | \$19 348                                     | \$10 410   | \$11 273                                | \$10 219                                     | \$19 414   | \$9 381                                 | \$12 076                                     |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | \$11 563                       | \$12 545                              | \$14 317  | \$19 348                                     | \$10 294   | \$10 837                                | \$8 776                                      | \$19 414   | \$9 917                                 | \$11 635                                     |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | \$6 126                        | \$3 931                               | \$25 985  | -  | \$1 610  | \$3 797                                 | \$2 943                                      | \$7 555  | \$12 634                                | \$4 234                                      |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979            | \$4 174                        | \$8 766                               | \$1 981   | \$8 847                                      | \$2 321  | \$7 036                                 | \$4 079                                      | \$5 601  | \$2 609                                 | \$3 121                                      |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS    |                                |                                       |   |  |  |   |  |  |   |  |
| TOTAL  | 23.0                           | 25.4                                  | 18.7  | 15.0   | 28.9   | 20.0                                    | 18.1   | 33.4   | 27.4                                    | 23.0   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                  | 30.5                           | 32.7                                  | 27.0  | 26.8   | 34.7   | 27.4                                    | 26.5   | 37.8   | 33.1                                    | 31.1   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME        | 32.9                           | 36.4                                  | 28.3  | 26.7   | 37.2   | 29.9                                    | 29.8   | 36.8   | 33.1                                    | 30.9   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 32.5                           | 36.0                                  | 27.9  | 26.1   | 36.9   | 29.6                                    | 30.3   | 36.8   | 31.6                                    | 30.1   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 35.3                           | 38.0                                  | 31.7  | 38.8   | 40.1   | 32.6                                    | 37.0   | 39.6   | 32.5                                    | 31.8   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS           | 35.5                           | 39.0                                  | 31.5  | 38.8   | 41.2   | 32.4                                    | 35.9   | 42.9   | 31.2                                    | 32.9   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 18.4                           | 25.8                                  | 14.7  | 22.4   | 18.7   | 15.6                                    | 11.4   | 9.0  | 22.4                                    | 18.1   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 38.0                           | 42.6                                  | 36.8  | 38.4   | 42.5   | 33.5                                    | 26.7   | 37.6   | 52.8                                    | 36.3   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 46.7                           | 46.2                                  | 45.9  | -  | 43.8   | 43.1                                    | 41.3   | 45.6   | 59.3                                    | 57.6   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 47.9                           | 47.1                                  | 44.8  | -  | 52.6   | 44.5                                    | -  | 80.8   | 61.8                                    | 55.7   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 28.3                           | 38.7                                  | 23.8  | 38.4   | 41.6   | 20.2                                    | 19.7   | 23.9   | 40.2                                    | 21.3   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME | 19.1                           | 18.3                                  | 20.3  | 18.9   | 24.2   | 16.6                                    | 10.1   | 17.8   | 23.4                                    | 33.5   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                  | 17.5                           | 16.6                                  | 17.2  | 18.8   | 24.1   | 16.2                                    | 9.6  | 10.9   | 23.5                                    | 13.6   |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                    | 17.2                           | 16.4                                  | 17.3  | 21.6   | 24.4   | 16.1                                    | 9.3  | 10.9   | 21.3                                    | 13.8   |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                | 37.6                           | 53.8                                  | 33.0  | 25.0   | 25.5   | 24.4                                    | 16.8   | 44.9   | 21.9                                    | 69.6   |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME | 44.2                           | 37.7                                  | 44.5  | 72.0   | 48.0   | 39.4                                    | 66.7   | 58.7   | 59.7                                    | 44.3   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 50.2                           | 48.9                                  | 43.2  | 72.0   | 48.0   | 46.4                                    | 69.2   | 58.7   | 61.8                                    | 47.5   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 54.6                           | 48.8                                  | 44.6  | 72.0   | 49.5   | 61.3                                    | 71.7   | 46.3   | 69.3                                    | 49.8   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 27.4                           | 24.1                                  | 58.5  | -  | -  | 25.0                                    | 30.7   | -  | 43.7                                    | 33.1   |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME        | 23.8                           | 24.4                                  | 23.9  | -  | 31.6   | 20.7                                    | 22.7   | 23.4   | 33.4                                    | 22.1   |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 25.3                           | 27.7                                  | 31.4  | -  | 28.9   | 19.3                                    | 20.9   | 38.5   | 30.5                                    | 28.2   |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 28.6                           | 40.5                                  | 41.6  | -  | 33.4   | 29.0                                    | 20.0   | -  | 35.7                                    | 17.5   |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                               | 16.6                           | 18.4                                  | 9.8   | -  | 55.6   | 14.0                                    | 32.6   | 12.1   | 56.5                                    | 10.7   |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED        | 70.1                           | 87.4                                  | 49.8  | 44.3   | 77.6   | 70.5                                    | 72.4   | 75.8   | 81.9                                    | 62.6   |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                     | 70.9                           | 87.4                                  | 55.2  | 44.3   | 76.1   | 71.6                                    | 71.0   | 75.6   | 85.7                                    | 63.1   |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                       | 72.8                           | 85.0                                  | 52.6  | 44.3   | 92.8   | 77.2                                    | 84.2   | 75.6   | 88.3                                    | 60.2   |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                   | 66.2                           | 88.1                                  | 34.7  | -  | 100.0  | 59.3                                    | 100.0  | 100.0  | 75.7                                    | 59.1   |

(1) PERSONS OF SPANISH ORIGIN MAY BE OF ANY RACE.

TABLE 336. MEAN EARNINGS IN 1979 OF MARRIED-COUPLE FAMILIES BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED AND LABOR FORCE STATUS IN 1979 OF HUSBAND AND WIFE, AND RACE AND SPANISH ORIGIN OF HOUSEHOLDER FOR REGIONS: 1980 - CON.

DATA ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON A SAMPLE; SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR MEANING OF SYMBOLS, SEE INTRODUCTION. FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS, SEE APPENDIXES A AND B)

| WEST REGION<br>RURAL                              | HUSBAND-4 OR MORE YRS OF COLLEGE |                                       |   | HUSBAND-4 YRS HIGH SCHL TO 1-3 COL |                                       |   | HUSBAND LESS THAN 4 YRS HIGH SCHL |                                       |   |                                |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
|   | MARRIED-<br>COUPLE<br>FAMILIES   | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL     | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL    | WIFE-4 OR<br>MORE YEARS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-4 YRS<br>HIGH SCHOOL<br>TO 1-3 YRS<br>OF COLLEGE | WIFE-LESS<br>OF<br>HIGH SCHOOL |
| SPANISH ORIGIN (1)                                |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 114 176                          | 8 650                                 | 9 231   | 1 255                              | 5 306                                 | 32 731  | 6 863                             | 1 988                                 | 13 012  | 35 140                         |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 54 107                           | 5 899                                 | 5 390   | 560                                | 3 496                                 | 16 797  | 2 718                             | 1 048                                 | 5 923   | 12 276                         |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 36 579                           | 3 836                                 | 3 469   | 351                                | 2 537                                 | 10 821  | 1 920                             | 704                                   | 4 020   | 8 921                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 30 072                           | 3 399                                 | 3 056   | 286                                | 2 244                                 | 9 277   | 1 629                             | 548                                   | 3 137   | 6 496                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 16 183                           | 2 272                                 | 1 997   | 109                                | 1 473                                 | 5 355   | 756                               | 357                                   | 1 718   | 2 146                          |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 10 774                           | 1 521                                 | 1 552   | 79                                 | 976                                   | 3 790   | 408                               | 239                                   | 1 047   | 1 162                          |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 13 889                           | 1 127                                 | 1 059   | 177                                | 771                                   | 3 922   | 873                               | 191                                   | 1 419   | 4 350                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 6 507                            | 437                                   | 413   | 65                                 | 293                                   | 1 544   | 291                               | 156                                   | 885   | 2 425                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 939                            | 289                                   | 183   | 22                                 | 165                                   | 624   | 40                                | 85                                    | 40  | 3 374                          |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 335                            | 86                                    | 162   | 22                                 | 135                                   | 445   | 22                                | 59                                    | 158   | 246                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 4 568                            | 277                                   | 230   | 43                                 | 128                                   | 920   | 251                               | 71                                    | 597   | 2 051                          |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 14 111                           | 1 648                                 | 1 677   | 181                                | 801                                   | 5 066   | 657                               | 252                                   | 1 534   | 2 295                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 12 251                           | 1 509                                 | 1 497   | 157                                | 714                                   | 4 595   | 546                               | 213                                   | 1 297   | 1 723                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 9 789                            | 1 293                                 | 1 216   | 142                                | 533                                   | 3 680   | 428                               | 183                                   | 1 055   | 1 259                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 1 860                            | 139                                   | 180   | 24                                 | 87                                    | 471   | 111                               | 39                                    | 237   | 572                            |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 1 715                            | 230                                   | 126   | 18                                 | 102                                   | 510   | 35                                | 37                                    | 190   | 467                            |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 931                              | 171                                   | 77  | 2                                  | 70                                    | 294   | 13                                | 20                                    | 100   | 184                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 592                              | 145                                   | 58  | -                                  | 39                                    | 181   | 3                                 | 9                                     | 84  | 73                             |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 784                              | 59                                    | 49  | 16                                 | 32                                    | 216   | 22                                | 17                                    | 90  | 283                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 1 702                            | 185                                   | 118   | 10                                 | 56                                    | 400   | 106                               | 55                                    | 179   | 593                            |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 396                              | 37                                    | 24  | 10                                 | 6                                     | 119   | 7                                 | 21                                    | 37  | 135                            |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 500                              | 41                                    | 33  | -                                  | 26                                    | 93  | 29                                | 13                                    | 27  | 238                            |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 806                              | 107                                   | 61  | -                                  | 24                                    | 188   | 70                                | 21                                    | 115   | 220                            |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | 45 033                           | 2 349                                 | 3 381   | 539                                | 1 453                                 | 13 570  | 3 325                             | 503                                   | 4 937   | 14 976                         |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 36 271                           | 2 060                                 | 2 950   | 459                                | 1 195                                 | 11 492  | 2 564                             | 377                                   | 3 896   | 11 278                         |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 28 025                           | 1 728                                 | 2 482   | 352                                | 1 004                                 | 9 183   | 1 909                             | 298                                   | 2 852   | 8 217                          |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 8 762                            | 289                                   | 431   | 80                                 | 258                                   | 2 078   | 761                               | 126                                   | 1 041   | 3 698                          |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | 3 644                            | 203                                   | 231   | 27                                 | 202                                   | 751   | 140                               | 153                                   | 632   | 1 305                          |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 1 851                            | 176                                   | 136   | 9                                  | 94                                    | 415   | 80                                | 109                                   | 343   | 489                            |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 1 307                            | 134                                   | 91  | 7                                  | 56                                    | 334   | 63                                | 74                                    | 222   | 326                            |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 1 793                            | 27                                    | 95  | 18                                 | 108                                   | 336   | 60                                | 44                                    | 289   | 816                            |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | 11 392                           | 199                                   | 229   | 129                                | 155                                   | 1 613   | 680                               | 284                                   | 1 520   | 6 583                          |
| MEAN FAMILY EARNINGS                              |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | \$15 537                         | \$23 360                              | \$21 353  | \$16 041                           | \$19 616                              | \$16 616  | \$13 609                          | \$15 125                              | \$13 472  | \$11 610                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | \$19 611                         | \$25 631                              | \$23 723  | \$19 739                           | \$22 199                              | \$19 575  | \$17 028                          | \$19 328                              | \$17 237  | \$15 961                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | \$20 306                         | \$27 497                              | \$24 679  | \$19 965                           | \$23 510                              | \$20 228  | \$17 450                          | \$19 991                              | \$17 798  | \$16 480                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$21 712                         | \$28 598                              | \$25 410  | \$21 375                           | \$24 731                              | \$21 445  | \$18 188                          | \$22 104                              | \$19 273  | \$17 749                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$25 235                         | \$31 088                              | \$28 258  | \$27 737                           | \$27 664                              | \$24 000  | \$21 369                          | \$24 803                              | \$21 766  | \$21 721                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | \$26 226                         | \$31 530                              | \$28 412  | \$29 898                           | \$29 137                              | \$24 818  | \$22 144                          | \$27 232                              | \$22 786  | \$22 589                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$17 607                         | \$23 578                              | \$20 038  | \$17 457                           | \$19 127                              | \$17 957  | \$15 433                          | \$17 060                              | \$16 255  | \$15 789                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 808                         | \$18 933                              | \$19 275  | \$13 759                           | \$14 158                              | \$12 910  | \$13 317                          | \$12 567                              | \$12 557  | \$13 079                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$16 997                         | \$20 790                              | \$25 240  | \$16 682                           | \$16 203                              | \$15 236  | \$14 692                          | \$14 134                              | \$15 415  | \$16 757                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$17 741                         | \$21 328                              | \$27 326  | \$16 682                           | \$17 226                              | \$16 000  | \$13 295                          | \$12 944                              | \$15 257  | \$16 847                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 455                         | \$17 860                              | \$14 529  | \$12 264                           | \$11 521                              | \$11 332  | \$13 098                          | \$10 691                              | \$11 188  | \$12 409                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | \$18 928                         | \$23 385                              | \$23 102  | \$21 076                           | \$19 291                              | \$18 883  | \$17 125                          | \$19 451                              | \$16 308  | \$14 687                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$19 822                         | \$23 725                              | \$24 257  | \$21 149                           | \$19 408                              | \$19 562  | \$18 612                          | \$19 167                              | \$17 158  | \$15 762                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$20 341                         | \$24 374                              | \$24 188  | \$20 725                           | \$20 149                              | \$20 119  | \$19 677                          | \$19 099                              | \$17 188  | \$16 221                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$13 037                         | \$19 696                              | \$13 496  | \$20 596                           | \$18 330                              | \$12 258  | \$9 810                           | \$21 006                              | \$11 655  | \$11 449                       |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | \$15 535                         | \$16 850                              | \$14 185  | \$7 190                            | \$18 218                              | \$17 064  | \$13 138                          | \$8 864                               | \$15 981  | \$13 845                       |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$18 304                         | \$18 256                              | \$15 582  | \$27 020                           | \$19 993                              | \$19 927  | \$16 917                          | \$10 585                              | \$18 792  | \$16 828                       |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$18 170                         | \$17 260                              | \$16 098  | -                                  | \$18 466                              | \$18 729  | \$18 755                          | \$3 820                               | \$18 448  | \$21 505                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$12 247                         | \$12 773                              | \$11 989  | \$4 712                            | \$14 334                              | \$13 167  | \$10 905                          | \$6 839                               | \$12 857  | \$11 905                       |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | \$14 458                         | \$17 856                              | \$14 596  | \$11 330                           | \$11 663                              | \$13 870  | \$10 073                          | \$17 320                              | \$13 946  | \$14 757                       |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$19 414                         | \$21 347                              | \$14 835  | \$11 330                           | \$21 730                              | \$21 767  | \$13 533                          | \$14 257                              | \$20 280  | \$18 990                       |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$10 660                         | \$12 524                              | \$18 577  | -                                  | \$2 638                               | \$7 063   | \$10 122                          | \$20 222                              | \$11 631  | \$10 956                       |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | \$14 379                         | \$18 691                              | \$12 348  | -                                  | \$18 923                              | \$12 237  | \$9 706                           | \$18 587                              | \$12 452  | \$16 272                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED, WIFE DID NOT WORK                 | \$14 691                         | \$20 701                              | \$19 915  | \$16 236                           | \$17 026                              | \$15 308  | \$13 578                          | \$13 863                              | \$13 261  | \$12 474                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | \$16 207                         | \$22 185                              | \$20 961  | \$17 912                           | \$18 840                              | \$16 608  | \$15 270                          | \$14 940                              | \$14 807  | \$13 855                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | \$16 778                         | \$22 816                              | \$21 512  | \$18 395                           | \$19 769                              | \$17 070  | \$15 719                          | \$14 825                              | \$15 770  | \$13 982                       |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | \$8 415                          | \$10 120                              | \$12 758  | \$6 622                            | \$8 621                               | \$8 118   | \$7 879                           | \$10 639                              | \$7 475   | \$8 265                        |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK, WIFE WORKED                 | \$7 616                          | \$10 460                              | \$6 966   | \$5 521                            | \$8 479                               | \$6 746   | \$7 326                           | \$12 224                              | \$6 329   | \$7 814                        |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | \$9 675                          | \$11 497                              | \$10 162  | \$11 675                           | \$11 811                              | \$9 139   | \$8 703                           | \$13 880                              | \$8 613   | \$8 860                        |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | \$10 443                         | \$11 157                              | \$9 584   | \$13 071                           | \$12 872                              | \$9 383   | \$9 813                           | \$16 537                              | \$9 325   | \$10 501                       |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | \$5 490                          | \$3 698                               | \$2 390   | \$2 443                            | \$5 379                               | \$3 700   | \$5 490                           | \$8 122                               | \$3 117   | \$7 187                        |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE DID NOT WORK IN 1979             | \$2 067                          | \$572                                 | \$1 337   | \$1 283                            | \$166                                 | \$1 403   | \$1 386                           | \$3 414                               | \$2 453   | \$2 283                        |
| WIFE'S EARNINGS AS PERCENT OF FAMILY EARNINGS     |                                  |                                       |   |                                    |                                       |   |                                   |                                       |   |                                |
| TOTAL   | 17.0                             | 23.9                                  | 16.5  | 12.8                               | 25.6                                  | 16.2  | 12.5                              | 24.9                                  | 18.0  | 12.7                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED IN 1979                   | 26.3                             | 30.6                                  | 24.4  | 21.7                               | 32.5                                  | 25.5  | 23.6                              | 29.6                                  | 28.0  | 23.1                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME         | 29.5                             | 34.6                                  | 29.0  | 23.6                               | 35.8                                  | 29.5  | 26.2                              | 33.2                                  | 30.5  | 23.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 28.8                             | 33.9                                  | 28.6  | 21.7                               | 34.8                                  | 28.5  | 25.9                              | 30.4                                  | 29.6  | 22.9                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.0                             | 36.2                                  | 33.9  | 25.6                               | 38.2                                  | 34.8  | 33.4                              | 33.6                                  | 37.1  | 31.8                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS            | 35.5                             | 37.0                                  | 34.9  | 26.9                               | 39.2                                  | 35.1  | 34.2                              | 30.8                                  | 36.7  | 32.1                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 18.6                             | 27.7                                  | 14.5  | 17.9                               | 25.3                                  | 17.1  | 17.1                              | 21.6                                  | 17.5  | 16.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 34.4                             | 43.1                                  | 32.6  | 36.1                               | 48.5                                  | 38.7  | 28.5                              | 50.7                                  | 35.3  | 27.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 47.0                             | 53.2                                  | 40.4  | 50.4                               | 53.9                                  | 49.3  | 47.4                              | 53.2                                  | 41.8  | 44.5                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 46.8                             | 59.4                                  | 39.5  | 50.4                               | 52.2                                  | 48.3  | 55.0                              | 59.4                                  | 41.2  | 43.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 27.1                             | 36.3                                  | 21.9  | 26.1                               | 38.7                                  | 29.0  | 25.1                              | 46.8                                  | 31.0  | 23.3                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED FULL TIME, WIFE PART TIME  | 16.0                             | 17.1                                  | 13.2  | 17.1                               | 18.1                                  | 15.3  | 16.3                              | 19.7                                  | 17.8  | 16.6                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                   | 15.4                             | 15.9                                  | 13.0  | 16.4                               | 17.8                                  | 14.8  | 15.4                              | 20.5                                  | 18.0  | 15.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                     | 15.3                             | 15.9                                  | 12.7  | 15.0                               | 17.7                                  | 14.7  | 15.1                              | 18.8                                  | 18.3  | 15.9                           |
| HUSBAND WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                 | 21.6                             | 32.4                                  | 16.2  | 21.6                               | 21.4                                  | 23.9  | 24.1                              | 15.9                                  | 16.3  | 19.6                           |
| HUSBAND USUALLY WORKED PART TIME, WIFE FULL TIME  | 41.2                             | 55.0                                  | 46.5  | 31.7                               | 52.4                                  | 38.1  | 16.5                              | 55.4                                  | 46.1  | 31.4                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 48.1                             | 60.5                                  | 49.9  | 14.8                               | 58.9                                  | 43.7  | 22.2                              | 67.9                                  | 50.2  | 38.0                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 52.0                             | 64.2                                  | 50.0  | -                                  | 70.2                                  | 47.3  | 42.7                              | 52.5                                  | 52.4  | 35.4                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 29.1                             | 32.3                                  | 39.5  | 43.8                               | 32.7                                  | 26.6  | 11.2                              | 32.7                                  | 39.5  | 25.3                           |
| HUSBAND AND WIFE USUALLY WORKED PART TIME         | 26.9                             | 32.3                                  | 25.9  | 50.0                               | 21.8                                  | 21.9  | 22.3                              | 18.7                                  | 34.3  | 27.8                           |
| BOTH WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 35.4                             | 45.7                                  | 28.8  | 50.0                               | 2.4                                   | 28.7  | 17.6                              | 48.0                                  | 50.2  | 35.9                           |
| BOTH WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 30.8                             | 26.7                                  | 20.7  | -                                  | 46.7                                  | 18.4  | 32.2                              | 9.8                                   | 50.1  | 36.3                           |
| OTHER COMBINATIONS                                | 19.5                             | 28.4                                  | 28.8  | -                                  | 23.6                                  | 15.1  | 18.6                              | 2.2                                   | 22.5  | 15.9                           |
| HUSBAND DID NOT WORK IN 1979, WIFE WORKED IN 1979 | 71.5                             | 92.6                                  | 86.2  | 93.8                               | 84.5                                  | 74.7  | 74.3                              | 78.4                                  | 73.4  | 58.3                           |
| WIFE WORKED 40 OR MORE WEEKS                      | 78.7                             | 92.2                                  | 85.3  | 94.7                               | 82.2                                  | 82.4  | 74.0                              | 85.0                                  | 76.2  | 66.2                           |
| WIFE WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS                        | 79.1                             | 90.7                                  | 91.5  | 100.0                              | 73.0                                  | 84.2  | 73.2                              | 87.3                                  | 82.5  | 63.2                           |
| WIFE WORKED LESS THAN 40 WEEKS                    | 58.2                             | 100.0                                 | 91.9  | 91.8                               | 88.8                                  | 51.8  | 74.8                              | 50.3                                  | 65.6  | 52.4                           |

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