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Introduction: Structure of the Salary Budget Survey

The WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey consists of two components: this Executive Report & Analysis and the customizable Online Reporting Tool. The Executive Report & Analysis includes an executive summary and data highlights for the United States and Canada. A list of participating organizations, definitions of terms in the survey and a copy of the complete questionnaire also are printed in this book.

More detailed results from the salary budget survey are available through the *Online Reporting Tool* for no additional charge, giving users the ability to customize reports by geographic region, industry, state and other ways that are relevant to organizations. Users may run an unlimited number of reports during the subscription period as well as save or print the reports.

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After you have logged in, select the "2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey" subscription. After reviewing and accepting the terms and conditions, you will be redirected to the Online Reporting Tool.

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- Choose one statistical method of calculation. Separate reports need to be run to compare various statistics (i.e., mean/average, median/50th percentile, 25th percentile or 75th percentile).
- Choose the layers that define the demographic slice of data (i.e., country, industry, number of employees, revenue).
- Select the regions, states, provinces and/or major metropolitan areas of interest.
- Click "Generate Report."

If the report meets your needs, click "print to PDF" in the top right-hand corner to save or print. To look at different or additional data, repeat the steps as needed.

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The data presented in this report were collected in April 2010 for publication in August 2010, a three-month duration between data collection and publication.

Methodology

On March 31, 2010, all U.S. and Canadian WorldatWork members were sent e-mail notification of the opening of the *WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey*. A total of 18,060 U.S. and Canadian members were invited to participate in the online data collection effort. When the survey officially closed on May 7, 2010, 2,724 responses had been received, a 15-percent response rate. Submissions from organizations with fewer than 10 employees and duplicate submissions from the same organization were eliminated from the data set. The final data contain 2,610 responses, each of which was analyzed by statistical software. A full list of organizations that responded to the survey can be found on page 58.

Data for both the United States and Canada typically are broken down by region and/or employee category, among other demographics. The regional categories for the United States and Canada are shown on the accompanying map.

U.S. data are broken into four employment categories, with exemption status as defined by the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA):

- Nonexempt hourly nonunion
- Nonexempt salaried
- Exempt salaried
- Officers/executives.

Canadian data are broken into four employment categories:

- Nonmanagement hourly nonunion
- Nonmanagement salaried
- Management salaried
- Officers/executives.

Survey instructions and post-survey data cleaning and verification help ensure accurate recording of a "zero-percent" response versus a response that has been left blank. A response of zero percent to any given question was interpreted (and verified when possible) as a conscious decision on the part of the organization to not budget for an increase that typically was given. Survey instructions specifically ask respondents to leave a questionnaire item blank if the organization either does not have that plan item, or does not typically budget or payout for that item based on the plan. Thus, a zero-percent response reflects a decision to specifically not budget funds for the period in question. Due to feedback from survey users, this report includes total salary budget increases by employee



1 This reported response is almost certainly less than the actual response rate because surveys are sent to multiple members within the same organization, and one respondent may be answering for the organization on behalf of several other colleagues.

category with and without zero-percent responses in both the United States and Canada, as indicated in Figures 2 (page 18) and C2 (page 44), respectively.

Not all organizations provide every type of base pay increase, and not every organization reports data for every employee category. In findings for which a composite number of all types of increases or all employee categories are presented, the *n*'s equate to the total number of responses. This may include multiple responses from each respondent if the respondent is reporting for more than one type of increase or employee category.

The frequencies or response distributions listed in the report show the number of times or percent of times a value appears in a data set. Due to rounding, frequencies of data responses provided in this survey may not total 100 percent.

Demographics

In 2010, respondents were only given the option of online participation. No paper surveys were sent to members unless specifically requested. Responses were evenly distributed geographically throughout the United States,

providing good representation among all four U.S. regions. (See Figure B.) Canadian responses were more concentrated in the Ontario, Alberta, British Columbia and Quebec provinces. (See Figure C.)

FIGURE A Number of Responses

	Total	U.S.	Canada
2008-2009	2,618	2,375	243
2009-2010	2,852	2,644	208
2010-2011	2,724	2,497	227

FIGURE B U.S. Responses, by Region

Eastern	1,383
Central	1,379
Southern	1,339
Western	1,288

Note: The combined responses in Figures B and C add to greater than the total U.S. and Canadian responses. Some participants answered for multiple regions or nationally; thus, their responses reflect multiple regions.

FIGURE C Canadian Responses, by Province

Ontario	162
Alberta	119
British Columbia	110
Quebec	109
Manitoba	72
Nova Scotia	70
New Brunswick	57
Saskatchewan	56
Newfoundland	40
Prince Edward Island	28
Northwest Territories	16
Yukon	12
Nunavut	9

FIGURE D U.S. Responses, by State

California	725
Texas	644
Illinois	562
New York	536
Pennsylvania	502
Florida	480
Georgia	457
Massachusetts	456
New Jersey	451
Ohio	445
Virginia	430
North Carolina	405
Minnesota	397
Colorado	395
Arizona	383
Maryland	381
Michigan	372

Washington	368
Indiana	360
Missouri	357
Wisconsin	352
Tennessee	350
Connecticut	315
South Carolina	296
Oregon	295
Kentucky	288
Alabama	280
Kansas	272
Louisiana	270
Iowa	259
Utah	258
Oklahoma	257
Nevada	253
West Virginia	234

Mississippi	222
Nebraska	221
New Mexico	220
New Hampshire	218
Arkansas	215
Delaware	212
Maine	209
Rhode Island	207
Idaho	196
North Dakota	182
Vermont	180
South Dakota	171
Montana	168
Hawaii	164
Wyoming	156
Alaska	136

FIGURE E U.S. Responses, by Major Metropolitan Area

Chicago	541
New York	485
Los Angeles	483
Dallas	445
Atlanta	442
Houston	414
San Francisco	404
Boston	393
Washington, D.C.	390
Phoenix	366
Denver	365
Minneapolis	359
Philadelphia	327

San Diego	314
Seattle	314
Tampa	290
St. Louis	285
Miami	283
Baltimore	278
San Jose	277
Cleveland	274
Portland	272
Detroit	262
Cincinnati	260
Pittsburgh	249

FIGURE F Canadian Responses, by Major Metropolitan Area

Toronto	129
Calgary	97
Montreal	94
Vancouver	86
Edmonton	73
Ottawa	63
Winnipeg	56
Quebec	47
Hamilton	42

FIGURE G U.S. Responses,

1-499	353	15%
500-2,499	681	28%
2,500-9,999	764	32%
10,000-19,999	258	11%
20,000+	335	14%

U.S. Responses, by Organization Size FIGURE H Canadian Responses, by Organization Size

1-499	36	16%
500-2,499	55	25%
2,500-9,999	65	30%
10,000-19,999	22	10%
20,000+	41	19%

FIGURE I U.S. Responses, by 2009 Revenue

Up to \$30 million	124	5%
More than \$30 million to \$100 million	145	6%
More than \$100 million to \$300 million	268	12%
More than \$300 million to \$600 million	258	11%
More than \$600 million to \$1 billion	273	12%
More than \$1 billion to \$3 billion	531	23%
More than \$3 billion to \$5 billion	213	9%
More than \$5 billion to \$8 billion	144	6%
More than \$8 billion to \$10 billion	59	3%
More than \$10 billion	252	11%

FIGURE J Canadian Responses, by 2009 Revenue (Reported in U.S. Dollars)

Up to \$30 million	13	6%
More than \$30 million to \$100 million	19	9%
More than \$100 million to \$300 million	20	10%
More than \$300 million to \$600 million	28	13%
More than \$600 million to \$1 billion	15	7%
More than \$1 billion to \$3 billion	44	21%
More than \$3 billion to \$5 billion	16	8%
More than \$5 billion to \$8 billion	14	7%
More than \$8 billion to \$10 billion	7	3%
More than \$10 billion	33	16%

Industry Demographics

Industry data for both the United States and Canada are based on participant self-reported codes using the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). The two-and three-digit codes selected for use with the 2010-2011 data set are presented in Figures K and L for the United States and Canada, respectively. Full definitions for these industry categories can be found at the NAICS Web site (www.census.gov/eos/www/naics). All major industry codes (two-digit) were used regardless of total sample size, and some industry subsets (three-digit) were broken out because of sufficiently large sample size.

The one exception to the NAICS codes is Telecommunications (code 517), which resides as a subset of Information (code 51) in the NAICS. Due to the large sample size (n=54 United States and n=9 Canada) and for ease of reader use, Telecommunications was placed into its own category for the 2010-2011 report.

The main industry categories report data for all respondents within the category, regardless of whether they are reported in a subcategory. Therefore, the sum of all subcategories may not equal the main industry category's sample size.

FIGURE K U.S. Responses, by Industry Classifications

NAICS	Industry	Frequency	Percent of Respondents
72	Accommodation and Food Services	30	1.3%
56	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	25	1.0%
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	13	0.5%
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	22	0.9%
23	Construction	29	1.2%
54	Consulting, Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	223	9.3%
61	Educational Services	98	4.1%
52	Finance and Insurance	357	15.0%
522	Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	71	3.0%
525	Funds, Trusts, and Other Financial Vehicles	50	2.1%
524	Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	185	7.7%
523	Securities, Commodity Contracts, and Other Financial Investments	23	1.0%
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	263	11.0%
622	Hospitals	199	8.3%
621, 623, 624	Ambulatory Health Care, Nursing and Residential Care, and Social Assistance	64	2.7%
51	Information	123	5.1%
516, 518	Internet Publishing, Broadcasting, Services Providers, Web Search Portals, and Data Processing Services	40	1.7%
511	Publishing Industries (except Internet)	24	1.0%
512, 515, 519	Motion Picture and Sound Recording, Broadcasting (except Internet), and Other Information Services	59	2.5%

(Continued on page 12)

FIGURE K U.S. Responses, by Industry Classifications (continued)

NAICS	Industry	Frequency	Percent of Respondents
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	8	0.3%
31	Manufacturing	568	23.8%
325	Chemical Manufacturing	91	3.8%
334	Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	81	3.4%
335	Electrical Equipment, Appliance and Component Manufacturing	25	1.0%
311, 312	Food, Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	76	3.2%
333	Machinery Manufacturing	31	1.3%
331, 332	Metal Manufacturing	27	1.1%
322, 323	Paper Manufacturing, Printing and Related Support Activities	18	0.8%
326	Plastics and Rubber Products Manufacturing	18	0.8%
313, 314, 315, 316	Textile Mills, Apparel, Leather and Allied Product Manufacturing	10	0.4%
336	Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	38	1.6%
321, 324, 327, 337, 339	Wood, Petroleum, Furniture, and Nonmetallic Mineral Products, and Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing	153	6.4%
21	Mining	44	1.8%
92	Public Administration	94	3.9%
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	44	1.8%
44	Retail Trade	104	4.3%
517	Telecommunications	54	2.3%
48	Transportation	51	2.1%
481	Air Transportation	7	0.3%
482-493	All Other Transportation	44	1.8%
22	Utilities	119	5.0%
42	Wholesale Trade	71	3.0%
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	51	2.1%
813	Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, and Similar Organizations	48	2.0%

FIGURE L Canadian Responses, by Industry Classifications

NAICS	Industry	Frequency	Percent of Respondents
72	Accommodation and Food Services	4	1.8%
56	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	1	0.5%
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2	0.9%
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	3	1.4%
23	Construction	4	1.8%
54	Consulting, Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	21	9.6%
61	Educational Services	3	1.4%
52	Finance and Insurance	35	16.0%
522	Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	9	4.1%
524	Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	14	6.4%
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	5	2.3%
51	Information	10	4.6%
512, 515, 519	Motion Picture and Sound Recording, Broadcasting (except Internet), and Other Information Services	5	2.3%
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	0.5%
31	Manufacturing	63	28.8%
325	Chemical Manufacturing	14	6.4%
311, 312	Food, Beverage and Tobacco Product Manufacturing	12	5.5%
322, 323	Paper Manufacturing, Printing and Related Support Activities	5	2.3%
321, 324, 327, 337, 339	Wood, Petroleum, Furniture, and Nonmetallic Mineral Products, and Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing	12	5.5%
21	Mining	9	4.1%
92	Public Administration	12	5.5%
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	3	1.4%
44	Retail Trade	10	4.6%
517	Telecommunications	9	4.1%
48	Transportation	10	4.6%
482-493	All Non-Air Transportation	8	3.7%
22	Utilities	10	4.6%
42	Wholesale Trade	4	1.8%
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	5	2.3%
813	Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, and Similar Organizations	5	2.3%

Organizations are conservative with spending; even if in recovery, they are keeping the size of salary budget growth modest...

Executive Summary United States

After hitting the lowest point in its 37-year history, respondents to the *WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey* are predicting a slow recovery, with the total salary budget increase average at 2.5 percent (median: 2.7 percent) for 2010 and projected at 2.9 percent for 2011 (median: 3 percent). Overall, most employees can expect a raise in 2010 (mean: 86 percent; median: 98 percent).

The U.S. rate of inflation, as measured by the consumer price index (CPI), was 2.2 percent for the 12-month period ending April 2010. In 2009, volatile market conditions led to month-to-month fluctuations, even resulting in the first negative 12-month change in inflation rates since 1955. Near the end of 2009, however, inflation climbed to levels more consistent with reported salary budget increase figures. (Figure 25 on page 32 puts a 10-year history of salary budget trends into context with the CPI.)

The size of salary structure adjustments, which fell by one full percentage point in 2009 to 1.5 percent, continued to decline in this year's survey. Participants reported a mean structure adjustment of 1.2 percent (median: 1 percent) for 2010. Also, about half of participating organizations reported freezing pay structures in 2010 (consistent with 2009 findings). And, while structure-adjustment projections for 2011 are at 2 percent overall (mean and median), it is unclear how long it will take employers to resume normal structure adjustment schedules. (See Figure 20 on page 29.)

As the global economy recovers, there is speculation about whether the United States will enter into an inflationary period, which could lead to an upward pressure on wages. This likely would translate to more salary structure adjustments

as the market shifts. Currently, though, organizations are conservative with spending; even if in recovery, they are keeping the size of salary budget growth modest and waiting to see about structure-movement needs to stay competitive.

Zero-Percent Salary Increase Budgets

Contributing to the below-historical average pay increase budgets — at 2.5 percent for 2010 and well below a 10-year average of 3.8 percent — is the number of organizations reporting a zero-percent salary increase budget. In a typical year, about 3 percent of organizations report they are not budgeting for pay increases. This number jumped in 2009 to between 28 percent and 42 percent, depending on employee category. While the number of respondents reporting they are not budgeting for pay increases did decrease in 2010, zero-percent responses remain much more common than typical: Between 13 percent and 20 percent of organizations are reporting a zeropercent budget for 2010 pay increases. (See Figure 4 on page 19.) When zero-percent responses are extracted from the data, the average total salary budget increase across all employee categories, regions and industries increases to 2.9 percent for 2010 and 3.1 percent for 2011. (See Figure 2 on page 18.)

Most Common Salary Increase Budget Amounts

About three-fourths of participating organizations are budgeting for pay increases between 2 percent and 4 percent. (See Figure 4.) The 2-percent to 2.9-percent range doubled in size for 2010, while the frequency of zero-percent budgets fell by about half. There also was a decline in the number of organizations reporting salary increase budgets above 4.1 percent. While there is much discussion about recovery, employers remain cautious with cash flow (if they have it), as evidenced by the size of pay increase budgets this year.

Recovery Actions

Due to economic conditions, WorldatWork queried respondents about the effect of the recession, status of recovery and typical recovery actions associated with pay freezes and pay cuts:

- Sixty-two percent of respondents were recovering.
- Thirty-seven percent of respondents were considering or implementing recovery actions.
- Twenty-five percent of respondents were recovering but not taking or considering action yet.
- Twenty-two percent of respondents said they did not experience any negative effects of the recession.
- Fifteen percent of respondents were still in a recession in April 2010. (See Figure 31 on page 36.)

Data gathered for the first time in 2009 revealed that in the prior 12 months (April 2008 to April 2009) among various employee groups, many organizations laid off employees, implemented hiring freezes, froze pay or implemented some combination of the three. While the prevalence of these actions was not as high from April 2009 to April 2010, cost containment and reduction activities still were common, and about half of respondents reported conducting mandatory reductions in force or implementing hiring freezes. (See Figure 32 on page 36.)

Of those who froze pay in the past 12 months (beginning April 2009), 90 percent had or were considering resuming normal pay increase practices in 2010 or next fiscal year. (See Figure 33 on page 37.) Among organizations that cut pay, 70 percent had already restored or planned to restore pay to previous rates in full, and 20 percent said those pay cuts will remain permanent. (See Figure 34 on page 37.)

Pay for Performance

Organizations continue focusing on programs that tie performance to pay. Figure 1 on page 18 shows that merit increase budgets remain the most prevalent: four to six times more common than other types of pay increases. Average merit increase budgets for 2010 were reported at 2.3 percent (median: 2.5 percent), up from a 37-year low of 1.9 percent recorded in the 2009 survey. Guarded optimism remains for 2011, with projections for next year increasing to a mean of 2.8 percent; median of 3 percent.

To obtain a more accurate perspective on the comparison between salary budget increases and actual pay increases awarded, WorldatWork asked participants to share how performance-based pay increases were paid in 2009. While the size of all pay increase budgets (including merit budgets) remains on the conservative side, there is still evidence of differentiation of awards. Looking at employee performance in 2009, organizations averaged a 2.1-percent payout for middle performers (median: 2.5 percent) and a 3.2-percent payout for top performers (median: 3.5 percent). (See Figure 17 on page 27.) This represents a differentiation of about 50 percent between middle and high performers. Low performers averaged a 0.7-percent increase, although the median payout was zero percent.

Consistent with 2010 salary budget increases, payouts for 2010 performance are expected to rise to 2.4 percent for middle performers (median: 2.5 percent), and high performers will average a 3.7-percent merit increase (median: 4 percent), again revealing an expected separation between the performance groups in terms of the size of merit increases.

Percent of Employees Receiving Pay Increases

Participating organizations reported awarding at least some base-salary increase to 86 percent of all employees in 2010 on average, which is up about 6 percent from 2009, but still well below the 91 percent recorded in a typical year. Even so, the median figures show that most organizations will award pay increases to nearly all employees. (See Figure 15 on page 27.)

Variable Pay

In 2010, the percentage of organizations using variable pay leveled off at 80 percent. Of the organizations that use variable pay, a combination of awards based on organization/ unit success as well as individual performance continue to be most prevalent. (See Figure 27 on page 33.) Through the 2009 recession, the average percent budgeted and the average percent paid fell only slightly compared to more significant drops in salary increase budgets and structure adjustments. Actual variable pay budgets and payouts for 2009 were reported this year slightly ahead of what was projected last year. And 2010 and 2011 figures show much of the same: a slight rise over the previous year, with no major peaks or valleys in the trend line. (See Figure 29 on page 34.)

Timing of Pay Increases

Historically, more than 95 percent of organizations reported pay increases were awarded every 12 months, causing the average to be close to 12 months. Since 2009, there have been larger numbers of organizations reporting a period of 18 months, 24 months or 36 months between raises, causing the average time between pay increases to rise. For 2010, the average time between increases is now between 13.5 months and 14 months, depending on employee category, although the median continues to sit at 12 months. (See Figure 3 on page 19.) More than 80 percent still say that pay increases are awarded on a 12-month cycle.

State Data

All states are fairly evenly spread over the range of 2.4 percent to 2.8 percent in means and medians for 2010. For 2011, nearly all states are expecting to get back or close to a 3-percent salary increase budget. (See Figure 7 on page 21.)

Major Metropolitan Area Data

In comparison to last year when the effect of the recession was more evident in specific areas, this year's data show that all major U.S. metropolitan areas represented in the survey are tracking in line with the national average. All areas report average salary budget increases ranging from 2.4 percent to 2.6 percent for 2010 and 2.8 percent to 3 percent for 2011, with slightly higher median figures. (See Figure 8 on page 23.)

Industry Data

In contrast to the regional data, the industry findings reveal more variation from the national figures. Figure 9 on page 24 shows that budgets for a handful of industries, including public administration, utilities, and educational services, continued to fall in 2010 below 2009 levels to 1.3 percent, 2.4 percent and 1.7 percent, respectively. In fact, median data coming in at zero percent for the public administration industry indicates that over half of respondents reported a zero-percent increase for 2010.

The industries reporting the highest average increase budgets for 2010 are: mining (2.9 percent); consulting, professional, scientific, and technical services (2.8 percent); finance and insurance (2.7 percent); arts, entertainment, and recreation (2.7 percent); and wholesale trade (2.7 percent). Overall, the wholesale trade and arts, entertainment, and recreation

industries showed the strongest rebound with more than a full percentage point improvement over last year.

Projections for 2011 reveal more of the same for most industries. The telecommunications, construction and other services industries appear to be the most optimistic when looking toward 2011, with expected salary budget increases at almost one percentage point above 2010 actual figures.

Organization Size Data

In prior years, smaller organizations (based on number of employees and revenue) set aside more funds for pay increases than larger organizations. This year there is less differentiation, with organizations of all sizes averaging salary increase budgets closer to the overall national average of 2.5 percent. (See Figures 10 and 11 on page 25.)

Effect of Health-Care Costs

Due to concern about high health-care costs, the salary budget survey continues to ask about the effect of such costs on salary budget recommendations. Year over year, most respondents indicate that health-care costs are not a factor when formulating salary budget recommendations (81 percent).

Attraction and Retention Programs

In the past year, many shifts occurred in how organizations were using total rewards programs to attract and retain talent. And, in some organizations, efforts to attract and retain may have been reduced, if hiring freezes were in place and voluntary turnover was low.

Generally, the prevalence of most of the programs dropped slightly. Cash-based programs such as paying above market, market adjustments and bonuses all decreased in use. Additionally, the use of flexibility programs has fallen for the second year in a row. There are a variety of factors that could have contributed to the declines, such as reallocations of budget dollars away from some of these programs during the recession or underutilized programs or programs without good investment returns removed from the menu of choices. In the case of flexibility, with fewer employees having the same amount of work (if not more) after layoffs, flexibility programs may have been interrupted. (See Figure 37 on page 39.)

The WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey reports data for more than 15.5 million U.S. employees. Collected in April 2010, the data represent a broad range of industries, distributed fairly evenly across four U.S. regions.

Salary Budget Increases

FIGURE 1 Salary Budget Increases, by Type of Increase

	Actual 2008		Actua	ıl 2009	Project	Projected 2010 Actual 2010		l 2010	Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
General Increase/COLA	2.7% n=9	3.0%	1.2% n=1	0.0%	1.6% n=	2.0% =888	1.4% n=1	1.0%	1.8%	2.0% 749
Merit Increase	3.6% n=7	3.6% ,049	1.9% n=7	2.5% 7,565	2.7% n=0	3.0% 6,149	2.3% n=6	2.5%	2.8% n=5	3.0% ,818
Other Increase (not promotional)	1.3% n=1	0.6%	0.9% n=1	0.5%	0.9% n=1	0.5% 1,442	0.9% n=1,	0.5%	1.0% n=1	0.5%
Total Increase	3.9% n=7	3.8% ,715	2.2% n=8	2.5% 3,267	2.8% n=6	3.0% 6,733	2.5% n=7,	2.7% 699	2.9% n=6	3.0% ,356

Note: "General Increase/COLA," "Merit" and "Other" do not add to the "Total Increase" because not every organization provides all three types of increase. The n's represent the number of responses for each type of increase, which may include multiple responses if each respondent reports for more than one employee category for that type of increase.

FIGURE 2 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Employee Category

Salary Budget Increases (zeros included)

	Actual 2008		2008 Actual 2009 Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011			
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	3.8%	3.8%	2.3%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Nonexempt Salaried	3.8%	3.8%	2.1%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Exempt Salaried	3.9%	3.8%	2.2%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Officers/Executives	4.0%	4.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%

Salary Budget Increases (zeros not included)

	Actual 2008		Actual 2008 Actual 2009 Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011			
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	3.9%	3.8%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
Nonexempt Salaried	3.9%	3.8%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
Exempt Salaried	4.0%	3.8%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
Officers/Executives	4.2%	4.0%	3.5%	3.0%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%

FIGURE 3 Number of Months Between Increases

	Actual 2009		Project	ted 2010	Actu	al 2010	Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	12.3	12.0	13.0	12.0	13.5	12.0	12.5	12.0
Nonexempt Salaried	12.3	12.0	13.3	12.0	13.7	12.0	12.6	12.0
Exempt Salaried	12.4	12.0	13.2	12.0	13.7	12.0	12.7	12.0
Officers/Executives	12.7	12.0	13.5	12.0	14.0	12.0	13.0	12.0

FIGURE 4 Distribution of Total Salary Budget Increase Responses, Actual 2009 vs. Actual 2010

	0.0	%	0.1% t	o 1.9%	2.0%	-2.9%	3.0% to	o 4.0%	4.1%-	6.9%	7.0	%+
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	28%	13%	4%	7%	21%	36%	39%	40%	7%	4%	1%	1%
Nonexempt Salaried	33%	14%	5%	7%	17%	35%	37%	40%	7%	4%	1%	0%
Exempt Salaried	31%	14%	5%	6%	17%	34%	37%	40%	8%	4%	1%	1%
Officers/Executives	43%	20%	4%	5%	11%	30%	32%	36%	8%	6%	2%	2%

FIGURE 5 Salary Budget Increase Trends

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
1978	_	8.5%	8.4%	8.5%
1979	_	8.2%	8.0%	7.8%
1980	_	10.1%	9.9%	9.7%
1981	_	10.6%	10.5%	10.6%
1982	_	9.1%	9.1%	8.9%
1983	_	6.8%	6.9%	6.9%
1984	_	6.4%	6.5%	6.8%
1985	_	6.2%	6.4%	6.7%
1986	_	5.7%	5.9%	6.3%
1987	_	5.0%	5.2%	5.5%
1988	_	5.1%	5.2%	5.6%
1989	_	5.2%	5.4%	5.7%
1990	_	5.4%	5.5%	5.8%
1991	_	5.0%	5.0%	5.1%

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FIGURE 5 Salary Budget Increase Trends (continued)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
1992	_	4.6%	4.7%	4.8%
1993	_	4.2%	4.3%	4.4%
1994	_	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%
1995	_	3.9%	4.0%	4.1%
1996	3.8%	4.0%	4.1%	4.3%
1997	4.1%	4.1%	4.3%	4.5%
1998	4.1%	4.2%	4.5%	4.6%
1999	4.1%	4.2%	4.4%	4.5%
2000	4.3%	4.4%	4.6%	4.8%
2001	4.3%	4.4%	4.6%	4.7%
2002	3.7%	3.7%	3.9%	4.0%
2003	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.6%
2004	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%	3.6%
2005	3.6%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%
2006	3.7%	3.7%	3.8%	3.9%
2007	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	4.1%
2008	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	4.0%
2009	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%
2010	2.4%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%
2011 Projected	2.9%	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE 6 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Region and Employee Category

			Сеі	ntral			Eastern					
	Actual 2009		2009 Actual 2010		Projected 2011		Actual 2009		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Nonexempt Salaried	2.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	2.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Exempt Salaried	2.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	2.1%	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Officers/ Executives	1.8%	1.5%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%	1.9%	2.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%

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FIGURE 6 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Region and Employee Category (continued)

			Sou	thern			Western					
	Actual 2009		Actual 2010		Projected 2011		Actual 2009		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	2.1%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Nonexempt Salaried	2.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	2.1%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Exempt Salaried	2.1%	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	2.1%	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Officers/ Executives	1.9%	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	1.8%	1.5%	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%

FIGURE 7 Total Salary Budget Increases, by State

	Actua	l 2009	Project	ed 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ed 2011
							•	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
National	2.2%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Alabama	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Alaska	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Arizona	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Arkansas	2.0%	2.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
California	2.0%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Colorado	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Connecticut	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Delaware	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Florida	2.0%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Georgia	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Hawaii	1.9%	2.0%	3.0%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Idaho	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Illinois	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Indiana	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Iowa	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Kansas	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Kentucky	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Louisiana	2.2%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Maine	1.9%	2.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Maryland	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Massachusetts	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%

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FIGURE 7 Total Salary Budget Increases, by State (continued)

	Actua	al 2009	Project	ted 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ted 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Michigan	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Minnesota	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Mississippi	2.0%	2.3%	3.0%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Missouri	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Montana	2.0%	2.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Nebraska	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Nevada	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.8%	3.0%
New Hampshire	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
New Jersey	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	3.0%	3.0%
New Mexico	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
New York	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
North Carolina	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
North Dakota	2.1%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Ohio	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Oklahoma	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Oregon	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Pennsylvania	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	3.0%	3.0%
Rhode Island	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
South Carolina	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
South Dakota	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Tennessee	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Texas	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Utah	2.0%	2.3%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Vermont	2.0%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Virginia	2.0%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Washington	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
West Virginia	2.1%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Wisconsin	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Wyoming	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE 8 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Major Metropolitan Area

	Actua	2009	Project	ted 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ed 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
National	2.2%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Atlanta	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Baltimore	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Boston	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Chicago	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Cincinnati	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.8%	3.0%
Cleveland	1.7%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Dallas	1.8%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Denver	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Detroit	1.6%	1.9%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Houston	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Los Angeles	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Miami	1.7%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Minneapolis	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
New York	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Philadelphia	2.0%	2.1%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Phoenix	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Pittsburgh	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Portland	2.0%	2.3%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
San Diego	1.9%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
San Francisco	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
San Jose	1.6%	1.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Seattle	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%
St. Louis	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Tampa	2.0%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Washington, D.C.	2.2%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%

FIGURE 9 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Major Industry Grouping

Summary data are presented this year for all major industries in which data were reported. Detailed information about these industries and additional subindustries can

be accessed through the Online Reporting Tool. See page 86 for details.

	Actua	1 2009	Project	ted 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ed 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
All Industries	2.2%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Accommodation and Food Services	1.9%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	2.5%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.6%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	2.2%	2.5%	2.2%	2.5%	2.1%	2.8%	2.7%	3.0%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	1.6%	0.0%	2.6%	3.0%	2.7%	2.9%	3.1%	3.0%
Construction	1.9%	1.0%	3.3%	3.5%	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.5%
Consulting, Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	2.8%	3.0%	3.3%	3.3%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
Educational Services	1.8%	2.0%	1.9%	2.0%	1.7%	2.0%	2.1%	2.0%
Finance and Insurance	2.4%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%	2.7%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2.7%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Information	1.7%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.1%	3.0%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	3.1%	3.5%	2.7%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.6%	3.0%
Manufacturing	1.8%	2.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Mining	2.4%	2.8%	3.5%	3.5%	2.9%	3.0%	3.6%	3.5%
Public Administration	2.4%	2.5%	1.8%	1.0%	1.3%	0.0%	1.6%	0.0%
Real Estate, Rental and Leasing	1.4%	1.4%	2.6%	2.9%	2.1%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Retail Trade	1.9%	2.3%	2.7%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Telecommunications	1.8%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.2%	2.5%	3.1%	3.0%
Transportation	1.5%	1.1%	2.3%	3.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%
Utilities	3.0%	3.0%	3.3%	3.1%	2.4%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Wholesale Trade	1.4%	0.0%	3.0%	3.0%	2.7%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2.3%	3.0%	2.4%	3.0%	2.3%	2.8%	3.1%	3.0%

FIGURE 10 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Organization Size

	Actual 2009		Project	Projected 2010		al 2010	Projected 2011	
Number of Employees	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
1-499	2.6%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
500-2,499	2.3%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
2,500-9,999	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
10,000-19,999	1.9%	2.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
20,000+	1.9%	2.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE 11 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Revenue

	Actua	al 2009	Project	ed 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ed 2011
2009 Revenue	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Up to \$30 million	2.6%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%
More than \$30 million to \$100 million	2.4%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%
More than \$100 million to \$300 million	2.4%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
More than \$300 million to \$600 million	2.4%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
More than \$600 million to \$1 billion	2.1%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
More than \$1 billion to \$3 billion	2.1%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
More than \$3 billion to \$5 billion	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
More than \$5 billion to \$8 billion	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.1%	3.0%
More than \$8 billion to \$10 billion	2.1%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%
More than \$10 billion	1.9%	2.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%

Promotional Increases

FIGURE 12 Promotional Increase Budgets

	2008 n=2,321	2009 n=2,467	2010 n=2,338
Percent of organizations with a separate promotional increase budget	32%	33%	33%
Percent of organizations without a separate promotional increase budget	68%	67%	67%

FIGURE 13 Salary Budget Increases, by Existence of Separate Promotional Increase Budget

	All Res _l	oondents		Increases Are Budget Item	Promotional Increases Are NOT a Separate Budget Item		
	Actual 2010 Projected 2011		Actual 2010	Projected 2011	Actual 2010	Projected 2011	
General Increase/COLA	1.4%	1.8%	1.4%	1.9%	1.4%	1.7%	
Merit Increase	2.3%	2.8%	2.3%	2.8%	2.2%	2.7%	
Other Increase (not promotional)	0.9%	1.0%	0.8%	0.8%	1.1%	1.1%	
Total Increase	2.5%	2.9%	2.6%	3.1%	2.4%	2.8%	

FIGURE 14 Promotional Increases

	20	008	20	009	2010	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Percentage of employees receiving promotional increases	7.1% n=1	6.0% ,829	5.9% n=1	5.0%	_	_
Budgeted percent of total base salaries	1.4% n=	1.0% 626	1.1% n=	0.5% 649	1.1% n=	0.6%
Percentage of promoted employee's base salary	8.0% n=1	8.0% ,850	7.6% n=1	7.3%	_	_

⁻Question was not an option in the survey questionnaire.

Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase

FIGURE 15 Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase in 2010, by Employee Category

		oyees Receiving se in 2010	Percent of Employees Receiving an Increase in 2010 is than 2009			
	Mean Median		Larger	Similar	Smaller	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	85%	96%	34%	58%	9%	
Nonexempt Salaried	86%	97%	37%	53%	10%	
Exempt Salaried	86%	96%	39%	52%	9%	
Officers/Executives	85%	100%	42%	51%	7%	

FIGURE 16 Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase in 2010, by Employee Category and Region

	Central		Eas	Eastern		Southern		Western	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	85%	95%	85%	95%	84%	95%	83%	95%	
Nonexempt Salaried	86%	95%	86%	96%	85%	95%	84%	95%	
Exempt Salaried	86%	95%	86%	95%	85%	95%	84%	95%	
Officers/Executives	84%	99%	85%	99%	84%	99%	83%	99%	

Merit Increase Awards

FIGURE 17 Merit Increase Awards, by Performance Category

	High Performers		Middle Performers		Low Performers	
2009	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Percentage of employees rated in this category for 2009	25%	21%	68%	70%	7%	5%
Average merit increase awarded to this 2009 performance category	3.2%	3.5%	2.1%	2.5%	0.7%	0.0%
2010						
Percentage of employees estimated to be rated in this category for 2010	24%	20%	69%	70%	8%	5%
Average merit increase estimated for this 2010 performance category	3.7%	4.0%	2.4%	2.5%	0.7%	0.0%

Note: The mean distribution of the percent of employees in each performance category will total 100% or, as a result of rounding, may be very close. However, by definition, the median value for each category will move depending on the frequency of values in the data set. Therefore, the median distribution of the percent of employees in each category does not equal 100%.

Compensation Philosophy

Figure 18 reveals data regarding the compensation philosophy of responding organizations. For the purpose of the survey, an organization's compensation philosophy is defined as a statement regarding where the organization prefers to pay its employees in relation to the market rate of pay.

FIGURE 18 Compensation Philosophy, by Employee Category

	To Pay Below the Market	To Pay At the Market	To Pay Above the Market	No Formal Compensation Philosophy
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	3%	84%	6%	7%
Nonexempt Salaried	3%	85%	7%	6%
Exempt Salaried	2%	84%	8%	6%
Officers/Executives	2%	77%	14%	7%

Lump-Sum Awards

A lump-sum award is defined as an increase in pay that is made in the form of a single cash payment. Lump-sum awards often are used in one of three circumstances:

- When an employer does not want to increase the employee's base pay due to budget constraints
- When an employee is reaching or exceeding the maximum of his/her salary range
- When an employer is trying to give the employee more buying power at a specific point in time.

FIGURE 19 Lump-Sum Awards, by Employee Category

	Percent of Companies Giving Lump-Sum Awards	Percent of Employees Receiving Lump-Sum Awards
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	40%	12%
Nonexempt Salaried	44%	11%
Exempt Salaried	46%	11%
Officers/Executives	31%	19%

Salary Structure Adjustments

An organization's salary structure is a hierarchy of pay ranges with established minimums and maximums. Organizations frequently apply control points (often the midpoint) within each salary range. The collection of those

control points determines the pay line. As a general rule, the numbers displayed in Figure 20 refer to the percent increase in the salary structure pay line encompassing all salary range control points.

FIGURE 20 Salary Structure Increases, by Employee Category

	Actua	Actual 2009		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	1.5% n=1,	1.5% 458	1.8% n=1	2.0% ,227	1.1% n=	0.8% 1,291	1.9% n=	2.0% 1,141	
Nonexempt Salaried	1.5% n=1,	2.0%	1.8%	2.0% 845	1.3%	1.5% =893	2.0%	2.0%	
Exempt Salaried	1.5% n=1,	1.9% ,875	1.8% n=1	2.0% ,555	1.2% n=	1.0% 1,714	2.0%	2.0% 1,490	
Officers/Executives	1.4% n=1,	0.0%	1.8% n=1	2.0%	1.2% n=	0.0% 1,325	2.0% n=	2.0% 1,164	

FIGURE 20A Actual 2010 Salary Structure Increase Data, Most Common Responses

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion Mean: 1.1%	Nonexempt Salaried Mean: 1.3%	Exempt Salaried Mean: 1.2%	Officers/Executives Mean: 1.2%
3.0% increase	6%	6%	6%	6%
2.5% increase	5%	8%	6%	5%
2.0% increase	16%	19%	16%	15%
0.0% increase	50%	44%	48%	52%

FIGURE 20B Projected 2011 Salary Structure Increase Data, Most Common Responses

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion Mean: 1.9%	Nonexempt Salaried Mean: 2.0%	Exempt Salaried Mean: 2.0%	Officers/Executives Mean: 2.0%
3.0% increase	17%	19%	17%	18%
2.5% increase	11%	14%	12%	11%
2.0% increase	34%	33%	33%	31%
0.0% increase	18%	14%	16%	19%

FIGURE 21 Organizations Reporting No Salary Structure Increase (0%), by Employee Category

	Actua	Actual 2009		ıl 2010	Projected 2011	
	%	n	%	n	%	n
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	46%	1,458	50%	1,291	18%	1,141
Nonexempt Salaried	43%	1,012	44%	893	14%	772
Exempt Salaried	45%	1,875	48%	1,714	16%	1,490
Officers/Executives	52%	1,464	52%	1,325	19%	1,164

FIGURE 22 Number of Months Since Last Increase if No Increase Was Reported (0% or Blank) and Most Common Responses

				Frequency of Responses				
	n	Mean	Median	12 months	18 months	24 months	36 months	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	563	21.5	24.0	33%	6%	35%	8%	
Nonexempt Salaried	344	21.0	22.5	33%	5%	36%	7%	
Exempt Salaried	713	21.4	24.0	32%	6%	35%	8%	
Officers/Executives	608	20.9	22.0	35%	6%	36%	7%	

FIGURE 23 Salary Structure Increase Trends

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
1993	_	2.7%	2.8%	2.7%
1994	_	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%
1995	_	2.3%	2.4%	2.4%
1996	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
1997	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.6%
1998	2.6%	2.7%	2.9%	2.7%
1999	2.6%	2.7%	2.9%	2.7%
2000	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%	2.9%
2001	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%
2002	2.3%	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%
2003	2.0%	2.3%	2.1%	2.2%
2004	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%
2005	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%
2006	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.7%

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FIGURE 23 Salary Structure Trends (continued)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
2007	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
2008	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.6%
2009	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%
2010	1.1%	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%
2011 Projected	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%

FIGURE 24 Salary Structure Increases, by Region and Employee Category

	Central				Eastern				
	Actual 2010		Project	Projected 2011		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	1.2% n=	1.0% 742	1.9% n=	2.0%	1.2% n=	1.0%	2.0% n=	2.0%	
Nonexempt Salaried	1.3% n=	1.5% 532	2.0% n=	2.0%	1.3% n=	1.5%	2.1% n=	2.0%	
Exempt Salaried	1.2% n=	1.0% 990	2.0% n=	2.0%	1.2% n=	1.0%	2.0% n=	2.0%	
Officers/Executives	1.2% n=	0.0% 774	2.0% n=	2.0%	1.2% n=	0.0%	2.0% n=	2.0%	

	Southern				Western				
	Actual 2010		Projected 2011		Actual 2010		Projected 2011		
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	1.2% n=	0.6%	1.9% n=	2.0%	1.1% n=	0.0%	1.9% n=	2.0% 582	
Nonexempt Salaried	1.3% 1.3% n=519		2.0% n=	2.0% 2.0% n=449		1.3% 1.5% n=495		2.0% 409	
Exempt Salaried	1.2% n=	0.5%	2.0% n=	2.0%	1.1% n=	0.0%	1.9% n=	2.0%	
Officers/Executives	1.2% 0.0% n=727		1.9% n=	2.0%	1.1% n=	0.0%	1.9% n=	2.0% 597	

FIGURE 25 10-Year Perspective: Salary Budget and Structure Increases

3.3%

1.6%

· · · · · Consumer Price Index (CPI)

	Salary Budget Increases										
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projected
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	4.3%	3.7%	3.5%	3.5%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	2.3%	2.4%	2.9%
Nonexempt Salaried	4.4%	3.7%	3.4%	3.4%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	2.1%	2.4%	2.9%
Exempt Salaried	4.6%	3.9%	3.6%	3.6%	3.7%	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%	2.2%	2.5%	2.9%
Officers/Executives	4.7%	4.0%	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	3.9%	4.1%	4.0%	2.0%	2.5%	3.0%

	Salary Structure Increases										
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projecte
- Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	3.0%	2.3%	2.0%	1.9%	2.1%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	1.5%	1.1%	1.9%
Nonexempt Salaried	3.1%	2.4%	2.3%	2.0%	2.2%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	1.5%	1.3%	2.0%
Exempt Salaried	3.2%	2.5%	2.1%	2.0%	2.2%	2.6%	2.6%	2.5%	1.5%	1.2%	2.0%
- Officers/Executives	3.0%	2.4%	2.2%	2.0%	2.2%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%	1.4%	1.2%	2.0%
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projecte

Note: The Figure 25 tables and corresponding graph show the relationship between salary structure increases, salary budget increases and the U.S. CPI for each employment category from 2001 to 2010. (CPI as reported by U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics for all urban consumers for 12 months ending April 2010, www.bls.gov.)

3.5%

3.5%

2.6%

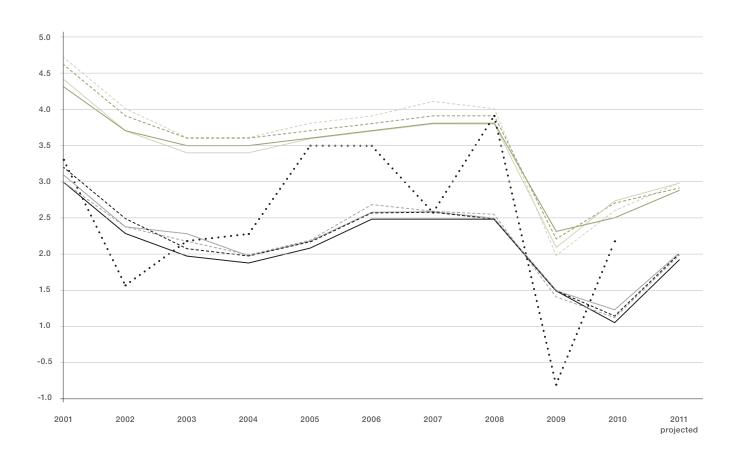
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2.2%

2.3%

2.2%



Variable Pay

Variable pay is the percentage of payroll established by management to grant to employees for performancebased, lump-sum, short-term cash awards during the year. Included in this calculation are payments provided under a formal plan, such as organizationwide awards,

unit/strategic business unit (SBU) awards and/or individual incentive awards. (Specific salesforce incentive awards and cash awards for recognition are excluded from the variable pay data.)

FIGURE 26 Use of Variable Pay

Percent of organizations	2008	2009	2010
Using variable pay	81%	80%	80%
Not using variable pay	19%	20%	20%

FIGURE 27 Types of Variable Pay Programs

Combination awards based on both organization/unit success and individual performance	70%
Organizationwide awards	28%
Individual incentive awards	26%
Unit/strategic business unit awards	17%

FIGURE 28 Impact of Variable Pay on Base Salary Budget Recommendations

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
No impact	83%	77%	70%	67%
Some impact	15%	21%	27%	25%
Significant impact	2%	2%	3%	8%

FIGURE 29 Variable Pay Programs, 2009-2011

		Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		Nonexempt Salaried		Exempt Salaried		Officers/Executives	
National	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
2009									
Average percent budgeted	5.2%	5.0%	5.5%	5.0%	11.7%	11.0%	33.0%	30.0%	
Average percent paid	4.8%	4.0%	5.3%	4.5%	11.0%	10.0%	33.0%	30.0%	
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	90%	100%	93%	100%	81%	100%	95%	100%	
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	77%	98%	79%	98%	74%	96%	84%	100%	
2010									
Average percent budgeted	5.3%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	12.1%	11.6%	34.7%	33.0%	
Projected percent paid	5.1%	5.0%	5.6%	5.0%	12.2%	11.0%	35.7%	32.5%	
2011									
Projected percent budgeted	5.5%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	12.3%	12.0%	35.0%	34.0%	

FIGURE 30 2009-2011 Variable Pay Programs, by Region

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		Nonexempt Salaried		Exempt Salaried		Officers/Executives	
Central	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
2009								
Average percent budgeted	5.1%	5.0%	5.6%	5.0%	12.2%	12.0%	35.7%	35.0%
Average percent paid	4.8%	4.0%	5.4%	5.0%	11.4%	10.0%	34.7%	30.0%
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	89%	100%	93%	100%	81%	100%	96%	100%
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	77%	97%	81%	98%	76%	96%	85%	100%
2010								
Average percent budgeted	5.1%	5.0%	5.8%	5.0%	12.7%	12.0%	37.4%	35.0%
Projected percent paid	5.1%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	12.8%	12.0%	38.1%	35.0%
2011								
Projected percent budgeted	5.2%	5.0%	5.6%	5.0%	12.9%	12.0%	37.4%	35.0%

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FIGURE 30 2009-2011 Variable Pay Programs, by Region (continued)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		Nonexempt Salaried		Exempt Salaried		Officers/Executives	
Eastern	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
2009								
Average percent budgeted	5.1%	5.0%	5.4%	5.0%	12.3%	12.0%	35.8%	35.0%
Average percent paid	4.7%	4.0%	5.2%	4.7%	11.6%	10.0%	35.4%	30.0%
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	88%	100%	92%	100%	81%	100%	95%	100%
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	76%	97%	78%	98%	75%	95%	85%	100%
2010								
Average percent budgeted	5.2%	5.0%	5.5%	5.0%	12.9%	12.0%	38.2%	35.0%
Projected percent paid	5.0%	5.0%	5.5%	5.0%	13.0%	12.0%	38.7%	35.0%
2011								
Projected percent budgeted	5.2%	5.0%	5.3%	5.0%	12.9%	12.0%	38.1%	35.0%

		Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		Nonexempt Salaried		Salaried	Officers/Executives	
Southern	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
2009								
Average percent budgeted	5.2%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	12.3%	12.0%	36.5%	35.0%
Average percent paid	4.9%	4.0%	5.5%	5.0%	11.6%	10.0%	35.9%	30.0%
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	89%	100%	92%	100%	81%	100%	96%	100%
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	78%	97%	80%	98%	76%	96%	85%	100%
2010								
Average percent budgeted	5.4%	5.0%	5.9%	5.0%	13.0%	12.0%	38.6%	35.0%
Projected percent paid	5.3%	5.0%	5.8%	5.0%	13.1%	12.0%	39.1%	35.0%
2011								
Projected percent budgeted	5.4%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	13.1%	12.4%	38.6%	37.5%

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FIGURE 30 2009-2011 Variable Pay Programs, by Region (continued)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		Nonexempt Salaried		Exempt Salaried		Officers/Executives	
Western	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
2009								
Average percent budgeted	5.4%	5.0%	5.7%	5.0%	12.6%	12.4%	36.3%	35.0%
Average percent paid	4.8%	4.0%	5.6%	5.0%	11.6%	10.0%	35.5%	30.3%
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	90%	100%	92%	100%	81%	100%	95%	100%
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	77%	97%	81%	98%	74%	95%	84%	100%
2010								
Average percent budgeted	5.5%	5.0%	5.9%	5.0%	13.2%	12.7%	38.4%	36.0%
Projected percent paid	5.1%	5.0%	5.9%	5.0%	13.2%	12.0%	39.0%	35.0%
2011								
Projected percent budgeted	5.6%	5.0%	5.8%	5.0%	13.5%	13.0%	38.8%	40.0%

Cost Containment/Reduction and Recovery Strategies

FIGURE 31 Recovery Status

No negative effects of recession experienced	22%
Still in a recession; not considering recovery actions yet	15%
Recovering but not considering or implementing recovery actions yet	25%
Recovering and considering or implementing recovery actions	37%

FIGURE 32 Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies Used in Past 12 Months

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/ Executives	Organizations That Have or Are Considering Resuming Normal Practices
Wage freeze/no pay increases	36%	24%	50%	50%	90%*
Mandatory reduction in force	39%	25%	48%	23%	n/a
Increase employee share of health-care premiums	32%	20%	40%	37%	n/a
Hiring freeze	27%	18%	36%	23%	58%
Limit/eliminate overtime	45%	23%	6%	4%	35%

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FIGURE 32 Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies Used in Past 12 Months (continued)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/ Executives	Organizations That Have or Are Considering Resuming Normal Practices
Reduce/suspend 401(k) or 403(b) matches	16%	9%	20%	18%	31%
Voluntary reduction in force	10%	7%	12%	7%	n/a
Furloughs	12%	6%	11%	7%	21%
Reduction in pay/pay cuts	6%	4%	10%	10%	n/a**
Voluntary unpaid time off	10%	4%	8%	5%	10%
Freeze or close pension plans	5%	4%	7%	6%	0%

^{*} See Figure 33. ** See Figure 34.

Note: Respondents were asked to check all strategies used in their organization by employee category. Not all organizations have all types of employees, and not all strategies typically apply to every employee group.

FIGURE 33 Recovery Actions Considered or Implemented if Pay Freezes Imposed in Past 12 Months

Resume normal pay increases practices in 2010 (or next fiscal year)	90%
Lump-sum payment equivalent to pay increases that would have otherwise been awarded	6%
Award pay increases that would have otherwise been awarded during recession	5%
Increase in noncompensation benefits	2%
Other	8%

FIGURE 34 Recovery Actions Considered or Implemented if Pay Cuts Imposed in Past 12 Months

Restore pay to previous rates in full	70%
Pay cuts will remain permanent; future pay actions to be determined	20%
Restore pay using staggered approach	5%
Restore pay based on individual performance	5%
Provide lump-sum payment equal to amount of pay cut	4%
Increase in noncompensation benefits	1%
Other	5%

FIGURE 35 Most Common Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies Used in Past 12 Months, by Selected Industries

	All Respondents	Finance and Insurance	Manufacturing	Health Care	Retail	Transportation	Information	Consulting, Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunio	n							
Limit/eliminate overtime	45%	33%	46%	69%	56%	48%	35%	37%
Mandatory reduction in force	39%	28%	47%	38%	33%	57%	44%	40%
Hiring freeze	27%	14%	31%	25%	20%	38%	31%	28%
Wage freeze/ no pay increases	36%	16%	40%	35%	39%	55%	46%	32%
Nonexempt Salaried								
Mandatory reduction in force	25%	25%	38%	8%	18%	24%	26%	25%
Hiring freeze	18%	10%	27%	7%	9%	29%	18%	19%
Wage freeze/ no pay increases	24%	12%	38%	7%	19%	33%	24%	23%
Exempt Salaried								
Mandatory reduction in force	48%	45%	58%	36%	38%	57%	59%	54%
Hiring freeze	36%	23%	40%	26%	26%	60%	39%	40%
Wage freeze/ no pay increases	50%	33%	57%	39%	47%	71%	59%	48%
Officers/ Executives								
Mandatory reduction in force	23%	28%	24%	16%	22%	26%	28%	24%
Hiring freeze	23%	16%	26%	14%	11%	36%	29%	25%
Wage freeze/ no pay increases	50%	40%	54%	42%	59%	67%	58%	45%

FIGURE 36 2010 Actual Total Salary Budget Increases for Those Who Reported the Use of Common Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies in the Past 12 Months

	Mandatory Reduction in Force	Hiring Freeze	Wage Freeze
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	2.3%	2.2%	1.9%
Nonexempt Salaried	2.2%	2.1%	1.9%
Exempt Salaried	2.3%	2.2%	1.9%
Officers/Executives	2.4%	2.2%	2.0%

Attraction and Retention Practices

FIGURE 37 Programs Used to Attract and Retain Employees

	2006 n=2,251	2007 n=2,136	2008 n=2,288	2009 n=2,209	2010 n=2,111
Career development	-	-	_	_	60%
Employee referral bonus	65%	66%	69%	66%	55%
Flexible work schedules	_	62%	63%	59%	54%
Flex time	_	_	51%	46%	44%
Telecommuting/telework	_	30%	42%	39%	34%
Compressed workweek	_	_	27%	26%	24%
Job sharing	12%	14%	13%	11%	9%
Sign-on/hiring bonus	69%	70%	70%	64%	50%
Noncash recognition and rewards	_	_	_	_	38%
Spot bonus (individual)	45%	46%	45%	39%	36%
Market adjustments/increase to base salary	64%	65%	65%	37%	35%
Retention/stay bonus	35%	38%	38%	34%	26%
Part-time employment with benefits	28%	32%	37%	33%	25%
Stock grant programs	16%	21%	20%	20%	18%
Stock option program	24%	23%	22%	20%	17%
Paying above market	30%	29%	31%	21%	14%
Special cash bonus/group incentives	20%	20%	19%	15%	12%
Project milestone/completion bonus	18%	21%	18%	15%	12%
Exempt overtime pay or time off	13%	14%	14%	11%	9%
Separate salary structures	13%	15%	15%	11%	7%
Phased retirement	4%	6%	6%	5%	4%
Larger merit increase budgets	10%	11%	9%	3%	4%
Paid sabbaticals	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%

⁻ Program was not an option in the survey questionnaire.

Global Comparison: Salary Increases vs. Rates of Inflation

The salary budget survey does not collect information about salary budget increases in countries other than the United States and Canada. The following table was provided by Strategic Rewards Group and includes global comparisons of average increase and inflation information for 68 countries within four major regions.

The information was collected from more than 7,800 Strategic Rewards Group clients and includes increases that were awarded in 2010 and projections for 2011 in four categories: executive, management, professional and employee.

FIGURE 38 International Remuneration: 2010-2011 Increase Projections

	2	2010		2011 Increases Planned				
	Average Increase	Inflation (2nd Quarter)	Inflation Projected	Executive	Management	Professional	Employee	
Europe								
Austria	2.8	1.4	1.7	3.5	2.9	2.5	2.3	
Belgium	2.8	1.5	1.4	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.2	
Cyprus	4.2	2.2	3.5	5.4	5.1	4.7	4.2	
Czech Republic	3.0	1.6	1.4	4.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	
Denmark	3.6	1.9	2.2	4.2	3.6	3.5	3.1	
Estonia	2.9	1.5	1.8	4.1	3.2	3.0	2.8	
Euro Zone	2.8	1.6	1.8	3.8	3.4	3.2	3.0	
Finland	3.0	1.4	1.6	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.2	
France	3.5	1.6	1.9	4.0	3.4	3.2	3.1	
Germany	3.3	1.1	1.7	4.4	3.9	3.7	3.5	
Greece	3.5	2.6	2.7	4.0	3.6	3.4	3.3	
Hungary	5.2	4.1	4.5	6.2	5.5	5.4	5.0	
Iceland	7.8	6.6	7.3	9.5	8.8	8.7	8.3	
Irish Republic	1.8	(0.9)	(0.4)	2.6	1.9	1.5	1.3	
Italy	3.4	1.5	1.8	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.1	
Latvia	4.3	3.1	2.9	5.2	4.1	4.5	4.0	
Lithuania	3.6	1.3	1.4	4.6	3.9	4.1	3.7	
Luxembourg	3.5	2.1	2.0	3.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	
Netherlands	2.8	1.2	1.5	3.5	2.8	2.9	2.5	
Norway	3.9	2.6	2.3	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.3	
Poland	4.0	2.7	2.8	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.1	
Portugal	1.8	0.6	0.7	2.6	2.1	2.0	1.8	
Russia	8.9	6.7	6.9	9.6	8.5	8.2	7.9	
Slovak Republic	3.6	1.9	2.1	4.5	3.7	3.4	3.2	
Slovenia	3.2	1.8	2.1	4.3	3.6	3.4	3.2	
Spain	3.2	1.5	1.6	4.1	3.3	3.1	3.0	
Sweden	3.4	1.5	1.8	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.5	

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FIGURE 38 International Remuneration: 2010-2011 Increase Projections (continued)

	2	010	2011 Increases Planned					
	Average Increase	Inflation (2nd Quarter)	Inflation Projected	Executive	Management	Professional	Employee	
Switzerland	3.2	1.2	1.3	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4	
Ukraine	13.4	11.6	11.2	13.5	13.2	12.3	12.0	
United Kingdom	4.5	2.8	2.9	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.1	
Asia Pacific								
Australia	4.5	2.6	2.8	4.8	4.6	4.4	4.1	
Bangladesh	8.2	6.1	6.2	8.5	8.0	7.8	6.8	
China	5.8	3.7	4.1	7.2	6.3	6.0	5.8	
Hong Kong	4.5	2.2	2.4	5.0	4.6	4.1	3.8	
India	14.5	12.1	12.4	15.5	14.6	13.1	12.1	
Indonesia	7.2	5.5	5.8	8.5	7.4	6.7	6.4	
Japan	1.5	(1.1)	(0.6)	2.5	1.8	1.6	1.4	
Korea (South)	5.9	4.1	4.4	6.5	6.0	7.8	7.4	
Malaysia (Pen.)	3.7	1.8	1.9	4.4	3.6	3.4	3.3	
New Zealand	4.3	2.1	2.3	5.0	4.2	4.1	4.0	
Pakistan	12.8	11.4	11.7	13.5	12.9	12.4	12.1	
Philippines	6.3	4.9	5.0	7.0	6.4	6.4	6.2	
Singapore	4.3	2.4	2.7	5.3	4.4	4.6	4.1	
Sri Lanka	6.8	5.4	5.6	7.0	6.7	5.7	5.4	
Taiwan	4.6	2.2	2.4	5.5	4.8	4.2	4.1	
Thailand	5.1	3.4	3.6	6.2	5.2	5.1	4.8	
Vietnam	12.4	10.6	11.2	14.0	13.4	13.2	12.8	
Africa/Middle East								
Bahrain	3.0	1.7	1.9	3.5	2.8	2.6	2.4	
Egypt	13.7	12.4	12.6	14.5	13.8	13.6	12.3	
Israel	4.4	2.1	2.5	5.0	4.5	4.2	3.8	
Kenya	23.5	22.2	18.4	21.5	20.3	19.1	18.8	
Nigeria	14.9	13.1	12.4	15.3	14.4	13.2	12.1	
Saudi Arabia	5.1	3.6	3.7	6.5	5.2	5.1	4.5	
South Africa	8.2	5.9	6.1	8.6	8.3	7.9	7.5	
Turkey	12.2	10.1	10.5	13.5	12.7	12.3	11.8	
UAE	3.2	1.3	1.4	4.5	3.2	3.0	2.8	
Zimbabwe*	16.0	15.2*	15.4*	17.0	16.4	16.0	15.2	
Latin America								
Argentina	14.1	12.2	12.8	15.2	14.2	14.1	13.7	
Brazil	7.1	5.4	5.8	8.5	7.0	6.6	5.0	
Chile	4.5	2.6	2.8	5.5	4.6	4.2	3.9	

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FIGURE 38 International Remuneration: 2010-2011 Increase Projections (continued)

	20	010		2011 Increases Planned					
	Average Increase	Inflation (2nd Quarter)	Inflation Projected	Executive	Management	Professional	Employee		
Colombia	5.3	3.2	3.5	6.3	5.5	5.3	4.8		
Costa Rica	6.4	4.8	5.1	7.3	6.5	6.2	5.8		
Ecuador	4.8	3.1	3.3	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.5		
Guatemala	7.4	5.6	6.1	8.1	7.5	7.1	6.8		
Mexico	7.4	5.8	5.9	8.5	7.4	7.3	6.1		
Panama	5.2	3.1	3.8	6.4	5.8	5.5	5.2		
Peru	3.1	1.6	1.8	4.4	3.4	3.2	3.1		
Puerto Rico	4.1	2.2	2.7	5.6	4.7	4.8	4.2		
Venezuela	33.2	30.2	31.6	34.3	33.6	30.1	29.7		

Notes:

- Strategic Reward Group's annual survey is issued in June.
- Merit salary survey data for 2010 and 2011 (newly projected) were obtained from more than 7,800 clients and general survey participants.
- \blacksquare In higher-inflation countries, increases may be given more frequently than annually.
- CPI data provided by The World Bank, IMF, the London School of Economics, Barclays Bank and the Economist Intelligence Unit.
- Sector-specific increases are available upon request for a nominal fee (e.g., biological technology, engineering and construction, high technology, nongovernmental, pharmaceutical, professional services).
- A total of 68 countries are listed, but data are available for an additional 62 countries. Specific labor markets and/or sectors are available for \$150 per location (e.g., Brazil-Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo, Brazilia).
- * Zimbabwe: Because rampant inflation has been driven by the softening of the Z\$, this year inflation is dollarized (USD).



Aggregating all Canadian employee categories, regions and industries, the average actual salary budget increase is 2.6 percent in 2010 (median: 2.7 percent), up from 2.4 percent in 2009. *The WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey* reports data for more than 575,000 Canadian employees from 227 organizations. Collected in April 2010, the data represent a broad range of industries across all provinces of Canada. Although WorldatWork reports aggregated data for as few as five organizations, data corresponding to larger sample sizes will have stronger statistical power and validity. Because of possible statistical weakness, some caution should be exercised when using data points contained in this report that have been aggregated from relatively few respondents.

Salary Budget Increases

FIGURE C1 Salary Budget Increases, by Type of Increase

	Actua	Actual 2008		Actual 2009		ed 2010	Actua	l 2010	Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
General Increase/COLA	2.4% n=	2.5%	1.8% n=	2.0%	1.8% n=	2.0% 154	1.4% n=	1.5%	1.8% n=	2.0%
Merit Increase	3.4% n=	3.5% 726	2.1% n=	2.4%	2.4% n=	2.5% 446	2.4% n=	2.5% 618	2.7% n=	3.0% 510
Other Increase (not promotional)	1.1% n=	0.5%	1.0% n=	0.4%	1.6% n=	1.0% =72	1.2% n=	0.5% 172	1.0% n=	0.5%
Total Increase	3.9% n=	3.6% 801	2.4% n=	2.8% 690	2.7% n=	3.0% 542	2.6% n=	2.7% 730	3.0% n=	3.0%

Note: "General Increase/COLA," "Merit" and "Other" do not add to the "Total Increase" because not every organization provides all three types of increase. The n's represent the number of responses for each type of increase, which may include multiple responses if each respondent reports for more than one employee category for that type of increase.

FIGURE C2 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Employee Category

Salary Budget Increases (zeros included)

	Actua	Actual 2008		Actual 2009		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		ted 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	3.8%	3.6%	2.5%	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Nonmanagement Salaried	3.8%	3.6%	2.5%	3.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%
Management Salaried	3.9%	3.7%	2.4%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	2.7%	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%
Officers/Executives	3.9%	3.6%	2.2%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%	3.0%

Salary Budget Increases (zeros not included)

		,				,						
	Actua	Actual 2008		Actual 2009 F		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011		
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median		
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	3.8%	3.6%	3.4%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.7%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%		
Nonmanagement Salaried	4.0%	3.7%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%		
Management Salaried	4.0%	3.8%	3.3%	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%		
Officers/Executives	4.1%	3.7%	3.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%		

FIGURE C3 Number of Months Between Increases

	Actual 2009		Project	Projected 2010		Actual 2010		ted 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	12.0	12.0	12.5	12.0	13.3	12.0	12.4	12.0
Nonmanagement Salaried	12.0	12.0	12.4	12.0	13.4	12.0	12.6	12.0
Management Salaried	12.0	12.0	12.4	12.0	13.4	12.0	12.5	12.0
Officers/Executives	12.1	12.0	12.4	12.0	13.5	12.0	12.7	12.0

FIGURE C4 Salary Budget Trends

1983 — 6.8% 5.5% 1984 — 5.7% 5.8% 1985 — 5.2% 5.5% 5.8% 1986 — 5.1% 5.6% 5.8% 1987 — 4.9% 5.1% 5.2% 1988 — 5.4% 5.8% 6.0% 1989 — 5.8% 5.9% 6.0% 1990 — 6.2% 6.3% 6.4% 1991 — 5.5% 5.5% 5.5% 1992 — 3.7% 3.6% 3.3% 1993 — 2.5% 2.4% 2.3% 1994 — 2.1% 2.1% 2.1% 1995 — 2.4% 2.3% 2.5% 1996 2.7% 3.0% 3.0% 3.3% 1997 2.8% 3.0% 3.0% 3.3% 1998 3.3% 3.7% 3.6% 3.6% 2000 3.5% 3.8% 3.9% 4.1% 2001 3.5% 4.1% 4.2%		Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/Executives
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2.55	2005	3.4%	3.5%	3.4%	3.5%
2006 3.7% 3.8% 3.8% 4.0%	2006	3.7%	3.8%	3.8%	4.0%
2007 3.6% 4.0% 4.0% 4.1%	2007	3.6%	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%

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FIGURE C4 Salary Budget Trends (continued)

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/Executives
2008	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	3.9%
2009	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	2.2%
2010	2.5%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%
2011 Projected	2.9%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE C5 Salary Budget Increases, by Province

	Actua	al 2009	Project	ed 2010	Actua	l 2010	Project	ed 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
National	2.4%	2.8%	2.7%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Alberta	2.2%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	2.6%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
British Columbia	2.2%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Manitoba	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
New Brunswick	2.2%	2.5%	2.2%	2.5%	2.2%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Newfoundland	2.0%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Northwest Territories	1.9%	2.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	3.1%	3.0%
Nova Scotia	2.3%	2.8%	2.4%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Nunavut	2.3%	2.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.6%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%
Ontario	2.1%	2.5%	2.6%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%
Prince Edward Island	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Quebec	2.0%	2.3%	2.5%	3.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Saskatchewan	2.3%	2.5%	2.4%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%
Yukon	1.7%	1.5%	2.3%	2.8%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE C6 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Major Metropolitan Area

	Actua	ป 2009	Project	ted 2010	Actua	al 2010	Project	ted 2011
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
National	2.4%	2.8%	2.7%	3.0%	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
Calgary	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.6%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
Edmonton	2.1%	2.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%
Hamilton	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%	2.8%	2.5%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%
Montreal	1.9%	2.0%	2.4%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Ottawa	2.0%	2.0%	2.4%	2.6%	2.4%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Quebec	1.9%	2.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Toronto	2.0%	2.3%	2.4%	3.0%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%
Vancouver	2.1%	2.5%	2.3%	2.6%	2.4%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%
Winnipeg	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%	3.0%	2.4%	2.5%	2.9%	3.0%

FIGURE C7 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Organization Size

	Actual 2009		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
Number of Employees	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
1-499	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%
500-2,499	2.7%	3.0%	2.7%	3.0%	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%
2,500-9,999	2.3%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
10,000-19,999	1.8%	2.0%	2.2%	2.5%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
20,000+	1.8%	2.0%	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%

Note: 2009 and projected 2010 data were incorrectly reported in the 2009-2010 report. The figures listed above have been revised.

FIGURE C8 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Revenue

	Actua	Actual 2009		ted 2010	Actua	al 2010	Projected 2011	
2009 Revenue	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Up to \$30 million	2.7%	3.0%	3.2%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%
More than \$30 million to \$100 million	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.0%	3.1%	2.5%	3.2%	3.0%
More than \$100 million to \$300 million	2.6%	2.8%	2.7%	3.0%	2.8%	3.0%	3.1%	3.5%
More than \$300 million to \$600 million	2.6%	3.0%	3.2%	3.1%	2.6%	2.6%	2.9%	3.0%
More than \$600 million to \$1 billion	2.0%	2.0%	2.6%	2.5%	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%
More than \$1 billion to \$3 billion	2.1%	2.7%	2.2%	2.8%	2.5%	2.7%	3.0%	3.0%
More than \$3 billion to \$5 billion	2.3%	3.0%	3.1%	3.0%	2.5%	2.8%	2.4%	3.0%

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FIGURE C8 Total Salary Budget Increases, by Revenue (continued)

	Actua	Actual 2009		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		ted 2011
2009 Revenue	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
More than \$5 billion to \$8 billion	2.1%	3.0%	2.5%	3.0%	3.6%	3.0%	3.4%	3.0%
More than \$8 billion to \$10 billion	2.4%	2.0%	2.8%	2.0%	2.4%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%
More than \$10 billion	1.7%	1.5%	2.3%	2.5%	2.4%	2.5%	2.8%	3.0%

Note: 2009 and projected 2010 data were incorrectly reported in the 2009-2010 report. The figures listed above have been revised.

Promotional Increases

FIGURE C9 Promotional Increases

	20	2008		009	20	010
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Percentage of employees receiving promotional increases	8.0% n=	7.3% =186	6.9% n=	5.0%	_	_
Budgeted percent of total base salaries	1.6%	0.6%	0.8% n=	0.5% =75	0.9% n:	0.7%
Percentage of promoted employee's base salary	7.9% n=	8.0% =187	7.0% n=	7.0% :131	_	_

 $^{-\}mbox{\it Question}$ was not an option in the survey questionnaire.

Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase

FIGURE C10 Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase in 2010, by Employee Category

		loyees Receiving use in 2010		g an Increase 09	
	Mean	Median	Larger	Similar	Smaller
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	89%	99%	26%	67%	7%
Nonmanagement Salaried	89%	97%	35%	59%	6%
Management Salaried	86%	97%	36%	58%	6%
Officers/Executives	87%	100%	37%	60%	4%

FIGURE C11 Percent of Employees Receiving a Base Salary Increase in 2010, by Province

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion		Nonmanagement Salaried		Management Salaried		Officers/Executives	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
Alberta	87%	98%	88%	95%	86%	95%	83%	100%
British Columbia	85%	98%	84%	95%	82%	95%	81%	100%
Manitoba	84%	97%	87%	95%	84%	95%	83%	100%
New Brunswick	84%	95%	84%	90%	83%	90%	84%	98%
Newfoundland	77%	86%	86%	95%	81%	90%	77%	95%
Northwest Territories	87%	100%	83%	99%	81%	96%	68%	89%
Nova Scotia	81%	98%	86%	95%	84%	95%	82%	99%
Nunavut	86%	100%	88%	99%	89%	99%	88%	100%
Ontario	88%	99%	89%	96%	86%	96%	85%	100%
Prince Edward Island	82%	86%	88%	90%	88%	90%	84%	99%
Quebec	89%	99%	87%	95%	85%	95%	85%	100%
Saskatchewan	82%	95%	86%	95%	84%	95%	81%	100%
Yukon	89%	100%	90%	99%	87%	98%	74%	99%

Merit Increase Awards

FIGURE C12 Merit Increase Awards, by Performance Category

	High Performers		Middle P	erformers	Low Performers		
2009	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Percentage of employees rated in this category for 2009	22%	20%	71%	75%	7%	5%	
Average merit increase awarded to this 2009 performance category	3.5% 3.8%		2.2%	2.2% 2.5%		0.3%	
2010							
Percentage of employees estimated to be rated in this category for 2010	20%	20%	73%	75%	7%	5%	
Average merit increase estimated for this 2010 performance category	4.2%	4.0%	2.6%	2.8%	0.8%	0.5%	

Note: The mean distribution of the percent of employees in each performance category will total 100% or, as a result of rounding, may be very close. However, by definition, the median value for each category will move depending on the frequency of values in the data set. Therefore, the median distribution of the percent of employees in each category does not equal 100%.

Compensation Philosophy

Figure C13 reveals data regarding the compensation philosophy of responding organizations. For the purpose of the survey, an organization's compensation philosophy is defined as a statement regarding where the organization prefers to pay its employees in relation to the market rate of pay.

FIGURE C13 Compensation Philosophy, by Employee Category

	To Pay Below the Market	To Pay at the Market	To Pay Above the Market	No Formal Compensation Philosophy
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	2%	91%	4%	3%
Nonmanagement Salaried	2%	85%	9%	4%
Management Salaried	2%	84%	11%	4%
Officers/Executives	2%	80%	13%	5%

Lump-Sum Awards

A lump-sum award is defined as an increase in pay that is made in the form of a single cash payment. Lump-sum awards are often used in one of three circumstances:

- When an employer does not want to increase the employee's base pay due to budget constraints
- When an employee is reaching or exceeding the maximum of his/her salary range
- When an employer is trying to give the employee more buying power at a specific point in time.

FIGURE C14 Lump-Sum Awards, by Employee Category

	Percent of Companies Giving Lump-Sum Awards	Percent of Employees Receiving Lump-Sum Awards
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	27%	28%
Nonmanagement Salaried	33%	18%
Management Salaried	33%	25%
Officers/Executives	25%	33%

Salary Structure Adjustments

An organization's salary structure is a hierarchy of pay ranges with established minimums and maximums. Organizations frequently apply control points (often the midpoint) within each salary range, and the collection of

those control points determines the pay line. As a general rule, the numbers displayed in Figure C15 refer to the percent increase in the salary structure pay line encompassing all salary range control points.

FIGURE C15 Salary Structure Increases, by Employee Category

	Actua	Actual 2009		Projected 2010		Actual 2010		Projected 2011	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	1.9%	2.0%	1.9%	2.0%	1.4%	1.5% =78	1.9%	2.0%	
Nonmanagement Salaried	1.7% n=	2.0%	1.8%	2.0% =117	1.3%	1.5%	1.8%	2.0%	
Management Salaried	1.7%	2.0%	1.8%	2.0%	1.3%	1.5% =154	1.8%	2.0%	
Officers/Executives	1.7%	2.0%	1.8%	2.0%	1.3%	1.0%	1.8%	2.0%	

FIGURE C16 Number of Months Since Last Salary Structure Increase if No Increase Was Reported (0% or Blank)

	n	Mean	Median
Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	21	26.2	24.0
Nonmanagement Salaried	54	22.1	21.5
Management Salaried	52	21.7	18.5
Officers/Executives	43	21.9	19.0

FIGURE C17 Salary Structure Increase Trends

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/Executives
1993	_	1.4%	1.3%	1.8%
1994	_	1.0%	0.9%	0.8%
1995	_	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%
1996	2.2%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%
1997	1.6%	1.7%	1.8%	1.8%
1998	1.8%	2.3%	2.6%	2.8%

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FIGURE C17 Salary Structure Increase Trends (continued)

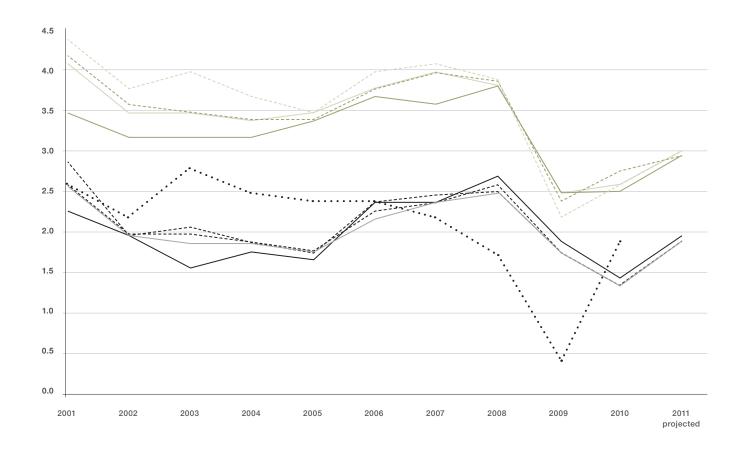
	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/Executives
1999	1.7%	1.8%	1.9%	1.8%
2000	1.6%	2.1%	2.2%	2.3%
2001	2.3%	2.6%	2.6%	2.9%
2002	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%
2003	1.6%	1.9%	2.0%	2.1%
2004	1.8%	1.9%	1.9%	1.9%
2005	1.7%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%
2006	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.4%
2007	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.5%
2008	2.7%	2.5%	2.6%	2.5%
2009	1.9%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%
2010	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%
2011 Projected	1.9%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%

FIGURE C18 10-Year Perspective: Salary Budget and Structure Increases

		Salary Budget Increases									
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projected
— Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	3.5%	3.2%	3.2%	3.2%	3.4%	3.7%	3.6%	3.8%	2.5%	2.5%	2.9%
Nonexempt Salaried	4.1%	3.5%	3.5%	3.4%	3.5%	3.8%	4.0%	3.8%	2.5%	2.6%	3.0%
Exempt Salaried	4.2%	3.6%	3.5%	3.4%	3.4%	3.8%	4.0%	3.9%	2.4%	2.7%	2.9%
Officers/Executives	4.4%	3.8%	4.0%	3.7%	3.5%	4.0%	4.1%	3.9%	2.2%	2.6%	3.0%

			Salary Structure Increases									
		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projected
	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	2.3%	2.0%	1.6%	1.8%	1.7%	2.4%	2.4%	2.7%	1.9%	1.4%	1.9%
	Nonexempt Salaried	2.6%	2.0%	1.9%	1.9%	1.8%	2.2%	2.4%	2.5%	1.7%	1.3%	1.8%
	Exempt Salaried	2.6%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	1.8%	2.3%	2.4%	2.6%	1.7%	1.3%	1.8%
	Officers/Executives	2.9%	2.0%	2.1%	1.9%	1.8%	2.4%	2.5%	2.5%	1.7%	1.3%	1.8%
		2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 projected
••••	Consumer Price Index (CPI)	2.6%	2.2%	2.8%	2.5%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	1.7%	0.4%	1.8%	_

Note: The Figure C18 tables and corresponding graph show the relationship between salary structure increases, salary budget increases and the Canadian CPI for each employment category from 2001 to 2010. (CPI as reported by Statistics Canada for the 12 months ending April 2010, www.statcan.ca)



Variable Pay

Variable pay is the percentage of payroll established by management to grant to employees for performance-based, lump-sum, short-term cash awards during the year. Included in this calculation are payments provided under a formal plan, such as organizationwide awards,

unit/strategic business unit (SBU) awards and/or individual incentive awards. (Specific salesforce incentive awards and cash awards for recognition are excluded from the variable pay data.)

FIGURE C19 Use of Variable Pay

Percent of organizations	2008	2009	2010
Using variable pay	88%	86%	86%
Not using variable pay	12%	14%	14%

FIGURE C20 Types of Variable Pay Programs

Combination awards based on both organization/unit success and individual performance	80%
Organizationwide awards	15%
Individual incentive awards	16%
Unit/strategic business unit awards	9%

FIGURE C21 Impact of Variable Pay on Base Salary Budget Recommendations

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/Executives
No impact	85%	77%	71%	70%
Some impact	14%	20%	25%	24%
Significant impact	1%	3%	3%	6%

FIGURE C22 Variable Pay Programs, 2009-2011

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion		Nonmanagement Salaried		Management Salaried		Officers/Executives	
	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median	Mean	Median
2009								
Average percent budgeted	5.3%	5.0%	7.0%	7.0%	13.0%	13.0%	30.8%	30.0%
Average percent paid	4.9%	5.0%	7.0%	7.0%	14.5%	15.0%	33.1%	32.0%
Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	90%	100%	88%	100%	88%	100%	92%	100%
Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009	79%	98%	82%	98%	82%	99%	86%	100%
2010								
Average percent budgeted	5.3%	5.0%	7.4%	7.0%	13.5%	15.0%	32.0%	30.0%
Projected percent paid	4.9%	5.0%	7.2%	7.0%	15.0%	15.0%	33.7%	32.5%
2011								
Projected percent budgeted	5.3%	5.0%	7.3%	7.0%	13.7%	15.0%	31.8%	30.0%

Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies

FIGURE C23 Cost Containment/Reduction Strategies Used in Past 12 Months

	Nonmanagement Hourly Nonunion	Nonmanagement Salaried	Management Salaried	Officers/ Executives
Wage freeze/no pay increases	22%	42%	49%	47%
Mandatory reduction in force	17%	33%	34%	12%
Increase employee share of health-care premiums	13%	17%	18%	14%
Hiring freeze	22%	38%	40%	22%
Limit/eliminate overtime	22%	26%	9%	6%
Reduce/suspend 401(k) or 403(b) matches	3%	5%	6%	4%
Voluntary reduction in force	4%	8%	10%	5%
Furloughs	7%	10%	9%	3%
Reduction in pay/pay cuts	3%	6%	7%	8%
Voluntary unpaid time off	9%	14%	15%	8%
Freeze or close pension plans	1%	3%	3%	3%

Note: Respondents were asked to check all strategies used in their organization by employee category. Not all organizations have all types of employees, and not all strategies typically apply to every employee group.

Attraction and Retention Practices

FIGURE C24 Programs Used to Attract and Retain Employees

	2006 n=207	2007 n=195	2008 n=227	2009 n=182	2010 n=190
Career development	_	_	_	_	72%
Employee referral bonus	48%	51%	61%	61%	54%
Flexible work schedules	_	62%	64%	54%	54%
Flex time	_	_	58%	48%	48%
Compressed workweek	_	_	30%	24%	28%
Telecommuting/telework	_	25%	40%	30%	29%
Job sharing	12%	17%	19%	16%	16%
Noncash recognition and rewards	_	_	_	_	48%
Market adjustments/increase to base salary	65%	64%	66%	42%	41%
Sign-on/hiring bonus	51%	50%	51%	49%	34%
Part-time employment with benefits	34%	32%	38%	42%	30%
Spot bonus (individual)	30%	30%	34%	31%	26%
Retention/stay bonus	30%	37%	37%	34%	25%
Stock option program	23%	28%	23%	26%	17%
Project milestone/completion bonus	23%	42%	23%	19%	16%
Stock grant programs	9%	13%	13%	16%	14%
Special cash bonus/group incentives	16%	17%	14%	15%	12%
Exempt overtime pay or time off	20%	18%	19%	13%	11%
Phased retirement	6%	8%	8%	13%	9%
Paying above market	30%	31%	25%	20%	8%
Separate salary structures	10%	9%	13%	9%	6%
Larger merit increase budgets	12%	16%	16%	7%	5%
Paid sabbaticals	3%	4%	5%	3%	3%

⁻ Program was not an option in the survey questionnaire.

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Ohio Mutual Insurance Group

Ohio National Financial Services
OneAmerica Financial Partners Inc.

OneBeacon Insurance

Pacific Life Insurance Co.
Pennsylvania National Mutual

Casualty Insurance Co.
Permanent General

Companies Inc.
Pinnacol Assurance

The PMI Group Inc.
Premera Blue Cross

Principal Financial Group

Priority Health
The Progressive Corp.

Protective Life Corp.

Prudential Financial Radian Group Inc.

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The Regence Group RGA Reinsurance Co. Sammons Financial Group SCF Arizona SECURA Insurance Securian Financial Group Selective Insurance Co. of America Sentry Insurance The Seibels Bruce Group Inc. SIAALLC Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Co. StanCorp Financial Group State Farm Mutual Insurance Co. Sun Life Financial Surplus Lines Stamping Office of Texas

Swiss Re America Holding Symetra Financial Corp.

Texas Mutual Insurance Co.

Thrivent Financial for Lutherans

The Travelers Companies Inc.

TriWest Healthcare Alliance

Trustmark Companies

Tufts Health Plan

UNIFI Cos.

UnitedHealth Group

Unum

USAble Life

USI Insurance Services

ValueOptions

VSP Global

Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield

WellPoint Inc.

Wells Fargo

Western & Southern Financial Group

Westfield Group

Wisconsin Physicians Service Insurance Corp.

Woodmen of the World

XL America

Zurich North America

Finance & Insurance

Securities, Commodity Contracts, & Other Financial Investments

American Century Investments Brown Brothers Harriman & Co. Calamos Investments Chicago Board Options

Exchange (CBOE)

CME Group

DST Systems Inc.

Franklin Templeton Investments

Freddie Mac

Gavilon

Invesco

Macquarie Group

National Futures Association

New York Life Investment Management LLC

Putnam Investments

Raymond James & Associates

RBC US Wealth Management

Robert W. Baird & Co. Inc.

Securities America Financial Corp.

Security Benefit Corp.

Umpqua Bank

Waddell & Reed

Wehster Rank

William Blair & Co. LLC

Health Care & Social Assistance

Ambulatory Health Care, Nursing & Residential Care, & Social Assistance

American HomePatient

APS Healthcare

Black Hills Orthopedic

& Spine Center

Blood Systems Inc.

Bonfils Blood Center

Brookdale Senior Living Inc.

Children's Home Society of Florida

Classic Residence by Hyatt

Consolidated Health Services Inc.

Correctional Medical Services Inc.

Covenant Management Systems

DaVita Inc.

Dean Health Systems

Education Management Corp.

Emeritus Senior Living

Frickson Retirement Communities

Fallon Clinic

Franciscan Medical Group

Genesis HealthCare Inc.

Genomic Health Inc.

Golden Livina

Group Health Cooperative

Group Health Cooperative of South Central Wisconsin

Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center GW Medical Faculty Associates

Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates

Healthways

HR Dynamics Inc.

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan

of Ohio

Kaiser Permanente

Kaiser Permanente: Hawaii Region

Kelsey-Seybold Clinic

Kindred Healthcare

Laboratory Corp. of America

Life Line Screening

March of Dimes

Marshfield Clinic

Miami Jewish Health Systems

Montefiore Medical Center

Oakwood Lutheran Homes Assn Inc.

Physiotherapy Associates

The Polyclinic

Rebound Orthopedics

& Neurosurgery

RehabCare Group Inc. Rotech Healthcare Inc.

SavaSeniorCare

St. Jude Medical

Sun Healthcare Group

Surgical Care Affiliates LLC

Take Care Health Systems TLC Vision Corp.

University of Minnesota Physicians

UNM Medical Group Inc.

Urology of Indiana

UW Medical Foundation

The Vancouver Clinic

Virginia United Methodist

Visiting Nurse Service of New York

VITAS Healthcare Corp.

Volunteers of America Texas

WellMed Medical Management Inc.

Health Care & Social Assistance

Hospitals

Abrazo Health Care Affinity Health System

Agnesian HealthCare

Akron General Medical Center Alexian Brothers Health System

Allegiance Health

Allina Hospitals & Clinics

Altru Health System

Antelope Valley Hospital

Aptium Oncology Inc.

Asante Health Systems

Ascension Health

Atlantic Health

AtlantiCare Regional Medical Center

Atria Senior Living

Aurora Health Care Inc.

Baptist Easley

Baptist Health Care

Baptist Health System

Bay Area Hospital

Baylor Health Care System

Baystate Health

Berkshire Health Systems BJC HealthCare

Bronson Healthcare Group BryanLGH Health System

Capital Health

Catholic Health Initiatives

Centra Health

Central DuPage Hospital

The Children's Hospital - Denver

Children's Medical Center of Dallas

The Children's Medical Center of Davton

The Children's Mercy Hospital

Children's National Medical Center Christiana Care Health System

Cincinnati Children's Hospital

Medical Center

Clarian Health Partners Inc.

Cleveland Clinic

Columbia St. Mary's Community Health Systems

Community Hospital Corp.

Cottage Health System

Covenant Health

Danbury Health Systems

Denver Health and

Hospital Authority

Detroit Medical Center Doylestown Hospital

Duke University Health System

Evangelical Community Hospital

Franciscan Missionaries

of Our Lady Health System Franciscan Skemp Healthcare

Froedtert & Community Health Gila River Health Care

Glens Falls Hospital

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Saint Luke's Health System

Saint Thomas Health Services

Saint Mary's Hospital

Salem Health Sanford USD Medical Center Sarah Bush Lincoln Health Center Scott & White Health Care Scottsdale Healthcare Seton Family of Hospitals Shriners Hospitals for Children International HQ Signature Healthcare Sisters of Mercy Health System Southern New Hampshire Health System Spectrum Health SSM Health Care - St. Louis St. John Providence Health System St. Francis Hospital St. John Health System St. Luke's Episcopal Health System St. Luke's Health System St. Mary's Good Samaritan Inc. St. Vincent Health St. Vincent Hospital St. Vincent's Health System St. Vincent's HealthCare Inc. Stamford Hospital Stanford Hospital and Clinics Summa Western Reserve Hospital Sutter Medical Center Sacramento TeamHealth Tenet Healthcare Texas Children's Hospital Texas Health Resources TriHealth Inc. Trinity Health Tuality Healthcare UC Irvine Medical Center **UCSF Medical Center** UMass Memorial Medical Center UMC in Tucson United Hospital Center Unity Health System University Hospitals Health Systems University of Maryland Medical Center University of Michigan Health System

University of Missouri

University of Pittsburgh

University of Wisconsin

Hospital & Clinics

Health System

Medical Center

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Mercy Hospital

and Medical Center

Mercy Memorial Hospital System

U.S. Firms

enetrix

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Fiserv Inc.

Fox Networks Group

The Go Daddy Group Inc.

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IMS Health

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Lawson Software

MarketPay

Marshall & Swift/Boeckh LLC

Mitchell International

MySpace

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On-line Computer Library Center

Orbitz Worldwide

ProQuest LLC

Razorfish

Rovi Corp

SAS Institute Inc.

SunGard Data Systems Inc.

Telvent DTN Inc.

Towers Watson Data Services

Wolters Kluwer

Yahoo!

Information

Motion Picture & Sound Recording, Broadcasting (except Internet), & Other Information Services

20th Century Fox

Filmed Entertainment

Acxiom Corp.

ADP Dealer Services

Alliance Data

athenahealth Inc.

Autodesk Inc.

Blackboard Inc.

Broadcom

Broadridge Financial Solutions Inc.

Cegedim Dendrite

Cincom Systems Inc.

Citrix Systems Inc.

Cox Enterprises

Discovery Communications

ESPN Inc

Experian

Federal Reserve

Information Technology

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Iron Mountain

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NICE Systems Inc.

The Nielsen Co.

Novell Inc

PBS

PTC

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Radiant Systems

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Red Hat Inc.

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Sabre Holdings

Sage North America

SAP Americas

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TruePosition Inc.

Turner Broadcasting System Inc.

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Vertrue Inc.

Viacom Inc.

ViaWest Inc.

Vistaprint

The Walt Disney Co.

Management of Companies & Enterprises

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PDS

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Manufacturing

Chemical Manufacturing

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CF Industries

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Ferro Corp.

Foamex Innovations

Forest Laboratories Inc. Galderma Laboratories LP

Genentech

Genzyme

Georgia Gulf Corp.

GlaxoSmithKline

H.B. Fuller

Hexcel

HollisterStier Laboratories LLC

Hospira Inc.

International Partnership for

Microbicides International Specialty Products

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The Linde Group

Lord Corp.

The Lubrizol Corp.

LyondellBasell Industries

Martek Biosciences Corp.

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Merck

Millennium Inorganic Chemicals

A Cristal Global Co.

Millennium Pharmaceuticals: The Takeda Oncology Co.

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Nalco Co.

Nammo Talley

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Novo Nordisk Inc.

Nycomed US Inc.

Ono Pharma USA Inc.

Onyx Pharmaceuticals **Optimer Pharmaceuticals**

PolyOne Corp.

PPG Industries Inc. Purdue Pharma LP

Rhodia

Sanofi-Aventis US

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Solvay North America Stepan Co.

Sterling Chemicals Inc.

Takeda Pharmaceuticals

North America Taminco Higher Amines Inc.

TPC Group

Umicore USA Inc.

USANA Health Sciences The Valspar Corp.

W. R. Grace & Co. Westlake Chemical Corp.

Manufacturing Computer & Electronic **Product Manufacturing**

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Apple Inc.

Argon ST

U.S. Firms

Avicenna Technology Inc.

BlueArc Corp.

Bose Corp.

Cabot Microelectronics Corp.

Cadence Design Systems

Checkpoint Systems Inc.

Cisco

Cummins-Allison Corp.

Dell Inc

Digi International Inc.

Dionex Corp.

Electronics For Imaging

Emulex

Ericsson Silicon Valley

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Freescale Semiconductor Inc.

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International Rectifier

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Keithley Instruments Inc.

KRONOS

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Lattice Semiconductor Corp.

Lexmark International

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National Semiconductor

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Northrop Grumman

NXP Semiconductors

Oce North America Inc.

ON Semiconductor

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Pitney Bowes

Plexus Corp.

QLogic Corp.

QLogic Corp.

Raytheon Co.
Ricoh Americas Corp.

Ricoh Electronics Inc.

SanDisk Corp.

Sharp Electronics Corp.

Silver Spring Network Inc.

SMSC

SONO-TEK Corp.

Sony Computer

Entertainment America

Sony Electronics

STMicroelectronics Inc.

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Synaptics

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Texas Instruments

Toshiba America Business Solutions Inc.

Toshiba America Information

Systems Inc.

TowerJazz

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TriQuint Semiconductor

TTM Technologies

Tyco Electronics

Ultra Clean Technology

WaferTech LLC

Western Digital

Xilinx Inc

Xyratex International

Zebra Technologies Corp.

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Electrical Equipment, Appliance & Component Manufacturing

ABB US

Analog Devices

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CTS Corp.

Danfoss Inc.

Hamilton Beach Brands Inc.

Herley Industries Inc.

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Mitsubishi Electric & Electronics USA Inc.

Molex

Osram Sylvania

PerkinElmer Inc.

Sanmina-SCI

Schneider Flectric

Sensata Technologies

Siemens Corp.

Skyworks Solutions Inc.

Toppan Photomasks

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Xicom Technology

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Food, Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing

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Agropur Cooperative

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Anheuser-Busch InBev

Barry Callebaut USA LLC

Brown-Forman Corp.

Bunge North America Inc.

Bush Brothers & Co.

Cadhury

Campbell Soup Co.

Chiquita Brands International

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Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

Consolidated

The Coca-Cola Co.

Compass Group — North America

Community Coffee Co. LLC

ConAgra Foods Inc.
Corn Products International Inc.

Dawn Food Products Inc.

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Dean Foods

Del Monte Foods Co.

Diageo Dr Pepper Snapple Group

E. & J. Gallo Winery

Fresh Start Bakeries

General Mills

Gruma Corp.

Gruma Corp.

Guida Seibert Dairy Co. Heineken USA

Heinz North America

The Hershey Co.

Hormel Foods Corp.

Hostess Brands

HP Hood LLC

The J.M. Smucker Co.

J.R. Simplot Co.: Food Group

Jackson Family Enterprises

Johnsonville Sausage LLC Kellogg Co.

Kerry Ingredients and Flavours

Keystone Foods LLC Kraft Foods Inc.

Lance Inc.

Land O'Lakes Inc.

Leprino Foods Co.

Little Lady Foods Inc.

Lorillard Inc.

Malt-O-Meal

Mars Inc.

McCain Foods USA

McCormick & Co. Inc.

MillerCoors

Nature's Sunshine Products

Ocean Spray Cranberries Inc.

Nestle USA Inc.

Nestle Purina PetCare

New Natural Bakers Inc.

Oberto Brands

OSI Industries LLC

Peet's Coffee & Tea
Pepsi Bottling Ventures

PepsiCo Inc.

Pernod Ricard USA

Ralcorp Holdings Reynolds American

Rich Products Corp.

Sara Lee Corp. Schreiber Foods Inc.

The Schwan Food Co.

Seaboard Corp.

Solae LLC Ventura Foods LLC

Wells Dairy Inc.

Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co.

Manufacturing

Machinery Manufacturing

ASML

Bucyrus International Inc.

Canon
Carestream Health Inc.

CNH America LLC

Deere & Co.

Deere-Hitachi Construction

Machinery Corp.

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Flowserve Corp.

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Hypertherm Inc.

IDEX Corp.

JBT Corp.

Joy Mining Machinery

KLA-Tencor

Komatsu America Corp.

KONE Inc.

U.S. Firms

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Navistar Inc.

Nordson-PSD Corp.

Parker Hannifin

Philadelphia Mixing Solutions LTD

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StandardAero

Tennant Co.

Terex Corp.

Varian Semiconductor Equipment

Vermeer Corp.

Visteon Corp.

Manufacturing

Metal Manufacturing

ArcelorMittal Tubular Products

ArcelorMittal USA

BAE Systems Inc.

(U.S. Combat Systems)

BALL Corp.

Barnes Group Inc.

The Bilco Co.

Carpenter Technology Corp.

Chevron Phillips Chemical Co. LP

Columbus McKinnon Corp.

De Nora Tech Inc.

Emerson Climate Technologies Inc.

Hilti Inc.

Lennox International

Metso Automation

Midmark Corp.

Modine Manufacturing Co.

NSK Corp.

Ryerson Inc.

Snap-on Inc.

Spartan Light Metal Products

SSAB Americas

Tenaris

The Timken Co.

Tower Automotive Inc.

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Worthington Industries

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Manufacturing

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A.T. Cross Co.

Abbott Laboratories

A-dec Inc. AGA Medical

Agilent Technologies

Alberto Culver

Alcan Packaging Beauty US

Alcoa Inc.

American Greetings Corp.

American Medical Systems Inc.

AMETEK Inc.

Amway

Andersen Corp.

Angiotech Pharmaceuticals

Apogee Enterprises Inc.

Applied Materials

Applied Precision Inc.

Armstrong World Industries

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Avon Products Inc.

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Callaway Golf Co.

Canon Virginia Inc.

CaridianBCT

Carl Zeiss Vision

CEMEX Inc.

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The Colman Group Inc.

Coloplast Corp.

Creative Memories

Crown Cork & Seal USA Inc. CSL Plasma

CSS Industries Inc.

Cummins Inc.

Dal-Tile

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DFB Pharmaceuticals Inc.

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EnPro Industries Inc.

Enrichment Technology US Inc.

Essilor of America

Estee Lauder Companies Inc.

Fender Musical Instruments Corp.

Fenwal Inc.

First Solar

Formica Corp.

Fortune Brands

Fresenius Medical Care North

America

GAF Materials Corp.

Goodrich Corp.

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.

Greatbatch Inc.

Harley-Davidson Motor Co.

Hasbro Inc.

Haworth Inc.

Henkel of America

Herbalife International

of America Inc.

Herman Miller Inc. Hitachi Automotive Products

Holcim (US) Inc.

Hollister Inc.

Honeywell International Inc.

Hunter Douglas Inc. Broomfield

Impax Laboratories

Ingersoll Rand

Security Technologies

International Imaging Materials Inc.

Intertape Polymer Group Columbia Invacare Corp.

Inverness Medical Innovations

ITT Corp.

Johns Manville

Johnson Controls Inc.

Jostens

JTEKT North America

Kinetic Concepts Inc. L-3 Communications

Headquarters

L-3 Communications

Integrated Systems

L-3 Communications Narda East L-3 Link Simulation & Training

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Masco Corp.

Matthews International

Medtronic: Tempe Campus

Musculoskeletal Transplant Foundation

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Nautilus Inc. NBTY Inc.

Northrop Grumman Shipbuilding

Novartis Consumer Health Inc.

Olin Corp. — Winchester Division

OMNOVA Solutions Inc.

Orscheln Products

Owens Illinois

PACCESSS

Paddock Laboratories

Pella Corp.

Pharmavite LLC

Philips North America

Precor

Quanex Building Products Corp.

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Roche Diagnostics

RTC

RTI Biologics

Sensus USA Inc.

Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics

Spectrum Brands Sperian Protection

SPX Corp.

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Straumann USA Stryker Corp.

Sunoco Inc.

Synthes USA Teknion LLC

Terumo Medical Corp.

Textron Systems

ThermoFisher Scientific

TherOx Inc. The Toro Co.

Unilever US

United Technologies Corp.

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Verigy Ltd.

Vision-Ease Lens

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Welch Allyn Western Refining

Weyerhaeuser Co.

The Yankee Candle Co. Inc. YKK Corp. of America

Manufacturing

Paper Manufacturing, Printing & Related Support Activities

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Appleton

U.S. Firms

Boise Inc.
CPS Printing

Deluxe Corp.

Dolano Golpi

Fraser Papers Inc.

Glatfelter

Liberty Diversified International

Little Rapids Corp.

Media General

Merrill Corp.

NewPage Corp.

Sappi Fine Paper NA

Smead Manufacturing

Temple-Inland

Transcontinental Inc.

The United States

Pharmacopeial Convention

UPM-Kymmene Inc.

Manufacturing

Plastics & Rubber Products Manufacturing

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Bemis Manufacturing Co.

Berry Plastics - Victoria, Texas

Cascade Engineering

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Hunter Industries Inc.

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Nike Inc.

Nypro Inc.

Pactiv

Printpack Inc.

Quadion Corp.

Rogers Corp.

Solo Cup Co.

Tekni-Plex Inc.

Uponor

Manufacturing

Textile Mills, Apparel, Leather & Allied Product Manufacturing

Columbia Sportswear

G&K Services

Guilford

Hanesbrands Inc.

Jockey International Inc.

Levi Strauss & Co.

Mohawk Industries

New Balance Athletic Shoe Inc.

Pfizer Inc.

VF Corp.

Manufacturing

Transportation Equipment Manufacturing

AAM

Aerojet - GenCorp

Altec Industries Inc.

B/E Aerospace Inc.

Bell Helicopter

The Boeing Co.

Bombardier Aerospace

BorgWarner Inc.

BorgWarner Turbo Systems

Cooper Industries

Curtiss-Wright Corp.

Delphi Corp.

DENSO Manufacturing Michigan Inc.

DENSO Manufacturing Tennessee Inc.

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Gulfstream Aerospace Corp.

Hendrickson

Honda of South Carolina Mfg. Inc.

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Mitsubishi Motors North America Inc. — Mfg. Division

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The NORDAM Group

Northrop Grumman

Technical Services

PACCAR Inc.

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Polaris Industries Inc.

Remy International Inc.

Robert Bosch LLC

Rockwell Collins

TRW

United Launch Alliance

Volvo Group North America

Vought Aircraft Industries Inc.

ZF Group

Mining

Anadarko Petroleum Corp.

Apache Corp.

Aramco Services Co.

Arch Coal Inc.

Atwood Oceanics

Barrick Gold of North America Inc.

BG US Services

Boart Longyear

BreitBurn Management Co. LLC

CGGVeritas

ConocoPhillips

DCP Midstream

The Doe Run Co.

Dresser-Rand

Drummond Co. Inc.

Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.

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EXCO Resources Inc.

Exterran

Forest Oil Corp.

Freeport McMoRan Copper

& Gold

Global Industries

Halliburton

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Hess Corp.

Hilcorp Energy Co.

Hunt Consolidated

Imerys Clays Inc.

Luck Stone Corp.

Marathon Oil Co.

Newmont Mining Corp.

Patriot Coal Corp. Peabody Energy

Plains Exploration

& Production Co.

Regency Energy Partners

Rio Tinto

Salt River Materials Group

Samson Investment Co.

Shell Oil Co.

Superior Energy Services LLC

Transocean Ltd.

Vulcan Materials Co.

Williams Cos.

Public Administration

Ada County

Allegany County Commissioners

Alliant Techystems Inc.
Anoka County

B&W Y-12 LLC

Ball Aerospace & Technology Corp.

Broward County, Fla.

Bryan Cave LLP

Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

City & County of Denver

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City of Boise, Idaho

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City of Chattanooga, Tenn.

City of Fairfax, Va.

City of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

City of Fulton, Mo.

City of Gainesville, Fla.

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City of Greenville, S.C.

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City of Las Vegas

City of Loveland, Texas

City of Overland Park, Kan. City of Portland, Ore.

City of Seattle

City of Slidell, La.

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Commonwealth of Virginia
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County of Kent, Mich.
County of Los Angeles

Dakota County, Minn.

Department of Defense

ERC
Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

Federal Deposit Ins

Global Aeronautica

Hamilton County Government (Ohio)

Hamilton County, Ohio

Idaho National Laboratory

Institute for Defense Analyses

Judicial Council of California Knox County Government (Tenn.)

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

Lockheed Martin Corp.

Maryland Department of Transportation

Mecklenburg County (N.C.) Metropolitan Washington

Airports Authority
Missouri Department

of Conservation

Missouri Department

of Transportation Montgomery County Government (Md.)

Multnomah County (Ore.)

N.C. Office of State Personnel

U.S. Firms

N.C. Administrative Office of the Courts

New Mexico State Personnel Office

Northrop Grumman Aerospace Systems

Oakland County Government

Ohio Police and Fire Pension Fund

Orange County BCC

Orbital Sciences Corp.

Personnel Board of Jefferson County

Pinellas County Govt. (Fla.)

The Port Authority of New York and New Jersev

Port of Portland

Port of Seattle

Pueblo County Government (Colo.)

Salt Lake City Corp.

San Diego County Regional Airport Authority

Sarasota, Fla., County Government

Sedgwick County, Kan.

SOC Los Alamos

Springfield Housing Authority

St. Johns River Water Management District

St. Louis County Government

State of Colorado

State of Hawaii

State of Missouri

State of Nevada Department

of Personnel

State of North Dakota

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State of Wisconsin

Town of Hilton Head Island

Travis County

U.S. Office of Personnel

Management

Union County

United Space Alliance

VA Housing Development Authority

Virginia State Corp. Commission

Wake County Government

Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati

Wyoming Business Council

Real Estate & Rental & Leasing

Alliance Residential LLC
AMB Property Corp.
American National Insurance

Amstar Group LLC

Archstone

Associated Estates Realty Corp.

AvalonBay Communities Inc.

Avis Budget Group

Bluegreen Corp.
Carmel Partners

Cartus

The Community Preservation Corp.

Concord Management Ltd.

Corporate Office Properties Trust

Cushman & Wakefield

Dollar Thrifty Automotive

Group Inc.

Duke Realty Corp. Equity Residential

Farm Credit West

First Multiple Listing Service

First Quadrant

Forest City Enterprises

FTI Schonbraun McCann Group

GATX Corp. Heitman LLC

The Hertz Corp.

Jones Lang LaSalle

Mike Albert Leasing Inc.

MLS Property Information Network

PHH Arval

PHH Mortgage Corp.

Realogy

Regency Centers

The Rockefeller Group

RSC Equipment Rental

Satellite Shelters Inc.

Simon Property Group

The St. Joe Co.

The Taubman Co.

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Terrus Real Estate Group

Title Resource Group

United Rentals Inc.

Wheels Inc.

Williams Scotsman Inc.

Retail Trade

Ace Hardware Corp.

Advance Auto Parts

Aeropostale Inc.

Amazon.com
American Eagle Outfitters Inc.

Ann Taylor

The Apothecary Shops

AutoNation Inc.

Backcountry.com

Belk Inc.

Big Lots Inc.

Big Y Foods Inc.

BI-LO LLC

BJ's Wholesale Club Inc.

Blockbuster Inc.

Briggs & Stratton Corp.

Brown Shoe Co. Inc.

Burlington Coat Factory

Warehouse Corp.

CHANEL Inc.

The Cheesecake Factory

Chico's FAS Inc.

The Children's Place

Coach Inc.

Coinstar Inc.

CVS Caremark

Daymon Interactions/Club
Demonstration Services

DFS Group LP

Dollar General Corp.

EXPRESS

Fossil

Furniture Brands International

Gander Mountain

Gap Inc.

General Nutrition Centers Inc.

(GNC)

Giant Eagle Inc.

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea

ne Great . Co. Inc.

Group 1 Automotive

Group I Automot

Half Price Books

Harbor Freight Tools

Harris Teeter

Helzberg Diamonds

Hennes and Mauritz LP

Hot Topic Inc.

HSNi

J. Crew

JCPenney

The Kroger Co.

L.L.Bean Inc.

Lands' End The Limited

Limited Brands

Lowe's Companies Inc.

Market America

Medco Health Solution Inc.

Meijer Inc.

Michaels Stores Inc.

Michaels Stores: Stores Division

Miles Klmball Co.

MonierLifetile LLC

Navy Exchange Service Command

(NEXCOM)

Nordstrom

OfficeMax Inc.

Oriental Trading Co. Inc.

Owens Corning

Pamida Stores Operating Co. LLC

The Pantry Inc.

Papa John's International Inc.

PartyLite Worldwide Inc.

Pep Boys Auto

PETCO Animal Supplies Inc.

PetSmart
Phillips-Van Heusen Corp.

Pier 1

Polo Ralph Lauren
Princess House Inc.

Raley's

Recreational Equipment Inc.

Redcats USA
Reebok International Ltd.

Rent-A-Center

Roundy's Supermarkets Inc. Safelite Auto Glass

Saks Fifth Avenue

Savers Inc.
The Scooter Store

Select Comfort Corp.

Shoe Carnival Inc.

Spartan Stores Inc.

Starbucks Coffee Co.

Stop & Shop Supermarket Co. Inc. SUPERVALU Inc.

Talbots Inc.

Target Corp.
Tiffany & Co.

The TJX Companies Inc.

Turn5 Inc. Ulta Beauty Walgreen Co.

Walmart Stores US

Wegmans Food Markets Inc.
Winn-Dixie Stores Inc.

Zale Corp.

Telecommunications

ADC Telecommunications

ADTRAN Inc.

Asurion AT&T

Avaya Inc.

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Participant Listing

U.S. Firms

Bresnan Communications Bright House Networks Cablevision Systems Corp. **Cbeyond Communications LLC** CenturyLink Inc. **Charter Communications** Clearwire

Comcast Corp. Cox Communications

Cricket Communications

Crown Castle DIRECTV

Emerson Network Power Energy Systems

EMS Technologies Inc.

Fujitsu Network Communications

Global Crossing

HickoryTech Corp.

Hughes Network Systems

i wireless

JDS Uniphase

Level 3 Communications

MetroPCS MobiTV Inc.

Motorola Inc.

National Exchange Carriers Association (NECA)

Nokia **NTELOS** Polycom Inc.

Powerwave Technologies Inc.

Qualcomm

Qwest Communications

RCN

SeaChange International

SES Engineering Speakeasy Inc. Sprint Nextel

SureWest Communications

Syniverse Technologies

TDS Telecom

Telcordia Technologies

Telephone and Data Systems Inc.

Tellabs

Time Warner Cable

T-Mobile US

Trimble

tw telecom

Verizon Communications

Verizon Wireless

Windstream Communications

Transportation

Air Transportation

Alaska Airlines American Airlines Embraer Aircraft FedEx Express

Greater Orlando Aviation Authority QVC Inc.

US Airways

Transportation

All Other Transportation

Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. Americold Logistics AmeriGas Propane Inc.

Amtrak

Bendix Commercial Vehicle Systems

BNSF Railway Co.

Boardwalk Pipeline Partners LP Brightpoint North America LP

Brink's Inc.

Colonial Pipeline Co.

Crosstex Energy Services

DSC Logistics Inc.

Enterprise Products

Exel Inc.

FedEx SupplyChain

GENCO

The Kansas City Southern Railway Livingston International Inc.

Los Angeles Metro

Maersk Inc.

MARTA

Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County Texas

Metropolitan Transportation **Authority Headquarters**

New Jersey Transit

Orange County Transportation

The Pasha Group

Penske Truck Leasing

SemGroup Corp.

Southern California Regional Rail Authority

Southern Union Co.

Spectra Energy Corp.

TransCanada Corp.

Union Tank Car Co.

UPS

US Foodservice

Utah Transit Authority

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

Utilities

AEP

AGL Resources

Albemarle County Service Authority

Allegheny Energy

ALLETE Inc.

Alliant Energy

Ameren Corp.

American Transmission Co.

Arizona Public Service Co.

Associated Electric Cooperative Inc.

Avista Corp.

Basin Electric Power Cooperative

Berkeley County Public Service

Sewer District

Brookfield Renewable Power

Calpine Corp.

CenterPoint Energy

Central Arizona Project

Chelan County PUD

Citizens Energy Group City Utilities of Springfield, Mo.

Cleco Corp.

Coast Electric Power Association

Colorado Springs Utilities

Colquitt EMDC

Consolidated Edison

DC Water and Sewer Authority

Dominion Resources

DTE Energy

Duke Energy

Duquesne Light Holdings

Dynegy Inc.

DynMcDermott Petroleum Operations

E.ON U.S.

East Kentucky Power Cooperative Inc.

Edison International Edison Mission Energy

Energen Corp

Energy Future Holdings

Entegra Power Services LLC

Entergy Corp.

Exelon Corp.

Ferrellgas

FirstEnergy Corp.

FPL Group Inc.

GDF SUEZ Energy North America

Great River Energy

Holland BPW

Horizon Wind Energy

Huntsville Utilities

Idaho Power Co.

Integrys Energy Group Inc.

ISO New England

ITC Holdings Corp.

Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District

Kinder Morgan

Knoxville Utilities Board

Laclede Group

Lower Colorado River Authority

Madison Gas and Electric Co. Marquette Board of Light

and Power

Memphis Light Gas

& Water Division Metropolitan Water District

of Salt Lake & Sandy

MidAmerican Energy Co.

Middlesex Water Co.

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Nashville Flectric Service

National Fuel Gas Co.

Nebraska Public Power District

New Mexico Gas Co.

New York Power Authority

Nicor Gas Northeast Utilities

NorthWestern Energy

NRG Energy Inc.

NSTAR Electric & Gas **NV Energy**

OGE Energy Corp. Oglethorpe Power Co.

Old Dominion Electric Cooperative Omaha Public Power District Oncor Electric Delivery

Pacific Gas & Electric

PacifiCorp Palmetto Electric Cooperative

Pepco Holdings Inc.

Con-way

Holland America Line

Magellan Midstream Partners

Norfolk Southern Corp. North Texas Tollway Authority

Authority (OCTA)

Schneider National Inc.

Southeastern Freight Lines

U.S. Firms

Piedmont EMC
Piedmont Natural Gas
PJM Interconnection
PNM Resources Inc.
Portland General Electric Co.
Progress Energy Inc.

Public Service Enterprise Group
Puget Sound Energy
Outstar Corp.

Questar Corp.
RRI Energy
Salt River Project
San Antonio Water System

Santa Margarita Water

Santee Cooper SCANA

Sempra Energy
Severn Trent Services

Snohomish County PUD Southern Co.

Southwest Gas Corp.
Structural Integrity Associates Inc.

Suburban Propane TECO Energy Inc.

Tennessee Valley Authority

Tucson Electric Power Co.
UGI Utilities Inc

United Illuminating Unitil

USEC Inc. Vectren Corp.

Vermont Gas Systems Inc.

We Energies

Xcel Energy Inc.

Wholesale Trade

ACCO Brands Corp.

AmerisourceBergen Corp.

Arrow Electronics Inc.

Associated Food Stores

Avnet Inc.

BMW of North America LLC

Brownells Inc.

C&S Wholesale Grocers Inc.

Canon USA Inc. CDW LLC

Culligan International Co.

Cutter & Buck Inc.
Deckers Outdoor Corp.
Edward Don & Co.

Epicurean Foods
Epson America Inc.

FHLBank Atlanta

Fluke Corp.

Friedkin Companies Inc.

Gerdau Ameristeel

Hallmark Cards Inc.

HD Supply

Hyundai Motor America

Independent Pharmacy Cooperative

Ingram Content Group

Ingram Micro

Insight Enterprises

International Electric Supply Corp.

Isuzu North America Corp.

ITOCHU International Inc.

Jarden Consumer Solutions

JM Family Enterprises Inc.

Kaman Industrial Technologies

Katun Corp.

Kawasaki Motors Corp. USA

Kohler Co.

LEGO System Inc.

Manheim

Mattel Inc.

Mazda North American Operations

Medtronic Inc.

Mercedes Benz USA LLC Merit Medical Systems

Mine Safety Appliance Co. Mitsubishi International Corp.

Mitsui & Co. (USA) Inc.

Morinda

MSC Industrial Direct

National Premium Inc.

Navarre Corp.

Newark

Owens & Minor

The Pampered Chef

Patterson Cos.

ProBuild Holdings Inc.

Red Bull North America Inc.

Red Bull North America ind

Reynolds Packaging

Saab North America Inc.

Silver Eagle Distributors

Subaru of America Inc. SYNNEX Corp.

Sysco Corp.

Tech Data Corp.

Toyota Motor Sales Inc. USA

Tupperware Brands Corp.

U.S. Oil Co. Inc.

Unisource Worldwide Inc.

United Stationers

Univar USA

VWR International LLC W.W. Grainger Inc.

Other Services (except Public Administration)

AmeriPride Services Inc. Northrop Grumman AMSEC Toshiba America Medical Systems Inc.

Other Services (except Public Administration)

Religious, Grantmaking, Civic, Professional, & Similar Organizations

AAA - National Office

AAA Mid-Atlantic Inc.

ALSAC — St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons

American Academy of Pediatrics

The American Board of Radiology

American Cancer Society

American Cancer Society
Pennsylvania Division

American Chemical Society

American Dental Association

American Diabetes Association

American Heart Association

American Red Cross

American Society for Quality

American Society
of Clinical Oncology

American Urological Association

Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks of the USA

Bible League

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Boy Scouts of America

Boys & Girls Clubs of America

CFA Institute

College of American Pathologists

Compassion International

CPCU Society

Credit Union Executives Society

Fermi National Accelerator

Laboratory

General Board of Pension and Health Benefits

Harvest Hope Food Bank

Heifer International

Investment Company Institute

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

LDS Church

National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

The Nature Conservancy

Nuclear Energy Institute Inc.

PATH

Plan International Inc.

The Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation Inc.

Save the Children Federation Inc.

NEE

Susan G. Komen for the Cure

U.S. Civilian Research & Development

University HealthSystem Consortium

The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation

W.K. Kellogg Foundation YMCA of Greater Houston

Young Life

Canadian Firms

Accommodation & Food Services

Cara Operations Ltd.
Fairmont Raffles Hotels
International
Sodexo Canada Ltd.
Tim Hortons Inc.

Administrative & Support & Waste Management & Remediation Services

Canadian Blood Services

Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting

GROWMARK Inc. Viterra Inc.

Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation

Cirque du Soleil Great Canadian Gaming Corp. Loto-Quebec

Construction

Holcim (Canada) Inc.: Construction Division Ledcor Group of Companies PCL Constructors Inc. Strone

Consulting, Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services

Avanade Inc.
Calgary Laboratory Services
Canadian Medical
Protective Association
Ceridian Canada Ltd.
Computer Sciences Canada Inc.
Convergys Corp.
Corel
Ernst & Young LLP
Hewitt Associates
KPMG
MacDonald Dettwiler

Mercer
Osler Hoskin & Harcourt LLP
PCI — Perrault Consulting Inc.
People First HR Services
PriceWaterhouseCoopers LLP

and Associates Ltd.

Satcon

Stantec VWR International WeirFoulds LLP

Educational Services

Fairleigh Dickinson University — Vancouver The Law Society of Upper Canada

McMaster University

Finance & Insurance

Bank of Montreal
The Bank of New York
Mellon Corp.
Business Development Bank
of Canada (BDC)
Franklin Templeton Investments
Healthcare of Ontario
Pension Plan
Macquarie Group
Mouvement Desjardins
OMERS Administration Corp.
Ontario Teachers'
Pension Plan Board

Finance & Insurance

RBC Dexia Investor Services

Credit Intermediation & Related Activities

Otéra Capital

TMX Group Inc.

ATB Financial
Canadian Tire Financial Services
Credit Union Central of Manitoba
DCFS Canada Corp.
First Calgary Savings
National Bank Financial Group
Scotiabank
TD Bank Financial Group
Wells Fargo Financial Canada

Finance & Insurance

Insurance Carriers & Related Activities

Foresters

AXIS Insurance
CAA South Central Ontario
Commonwealth Insurance
The Co-operators General
Insurance Co.
Federated Insurance
First Canadian Title

Industrial Alliance Insurance and Financial Services Inc.

Insurance Corporation of British Columbia

Intact Financial Corp. Standard Life Canada

Sun Life Financial

Workplace Safety & Insurance Board Zurich Canada

Health Care & Social Assistance Amcal Family Services

CML Healthcare Inc.
LifeLabs
London Health Sciences Centre
Ontario Hospital Association

Information

ADP Canada
Algorithmics
IFDS Canada Ltd.
John Wiley & Sons Canada Ltd.
Moneris Solutions Corp.

Information

Motion Picture & Sound Recording, Broadcasting (except Internet), & Other Information Services

ATCO I-Tek
Celero Solutions
Chubb Canada
Quest Software
Sony Pictures Entertainment

Management of Companies & Enterprises

The Wynford Group

Manufacturing

Apple Inc.

Lear Corp.

BRP Inc.

Cervelo
General Dynamics
Land Systems — Canada
Hendrickson
Hewlett-Packard Company
Canada
Husky Injection Molding
Systems Ltd.
Intel Corp.

Lennox International
Lockheed Martin Canada
Michelin North America
(Canada) Inc.
StandardAero
Uponor
Xerox Canada I td

Manufacturing

Chemical Manufacturing

Agrium Inc.
Air Products Canada Ltd.
Apotex Inc.
Canexus Ltd.
CF Chemicals Ltd.
The Dow Chemical Co.
DSM NP: Manufacturing Division
ERCO Worldwide
MDS Inc.
Methanex Corp.
Mylan Pharmaceuticals VLC
NOVA Chemicals
Nycomed Canada Inc.
Roche Canada

Manufacturing

Food, Beverage & Tobacco Product Manufacturing

Barry Callebaut Canada
Cadbury
General Mills
Imperial Tobacco Canada
The J.M. Smucker Co.
J.R. Simplot Co.:
Portage Plant
Kellogg Canada Inc.
Kraft Foods Inc.
Maple Leaf Consumer Foods
McCormick Canada
Parmalat Canada
PepsiCo Canada

Manufacturing

Paper Manufacturing, Printing & Related Support Activities

The DATA Group of Cos. Fraser Papers Inc. NewPage Corp. Transcontinental Inc. Worldcolor

Participant Listing

Canadian Firms

Manufacturing

Wood, Petroleum, Furniture, & Nonmetallic Mineral Products & Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing

Angiotech Pharmaceuticals
Boeing Canada Operations Ltd.
Boeing Canada Operations Ltd.:

COM DEV Ltd.

General Dynamics Canada Ltd.

Manufacturing Division

Holcim (Canada) Inc.

Johnson & Johnson

Johnson Controls Inc.

L3 Wescam

MDA Corp.

Teknion Corp.

Waters Corp.

Mining

CCS Corp.

Devon Energy

Encana Corp.

Husky Energy

Pengrowth Corp.

Shell Canada

Sherritt International Corp.

Syncrude Canada Ltd.

Vale Inco

Public Administration

City of Burlington

City of Edmonton

City of Ottawa

Energy Resources Conservation Board (ERCB)

Government of British Columbia

Government of the

Northwest Territories

Office of Human Resources Province of Nova Scotia

Region of Niagara

Regional Municipality of Durham

Regional Municipality

of Woodbuffalo

Workers' Compensation

Board - Alberta

Real Estate & Rental & Leasing

Brookfield Residential Property Services

The Minto Group

Sorin Group Canada Inc.

Retail Trade

Canadian Tire Corp. Ltd.

Home Depot of Canada

Katz Group Canada (Rexall Pharma Plus)

Limited Brands Canada

Loblaw Companies Ltd.

Societe des Alcools du Quebec

Tiffany & Co.

UFA Co-operative Ltd.

Winners

Zale Corp.

Telecommunications

Avaya Inc.

Bell Canada

Ericsson Canada Inc.

Mitel Networks

MTS Allstream Inc.

PIKA Technologies Inc.

Rogers Communications Inc.

SaskTel

Shaw Communications Inc.

Transportation

CHC Helicopter WestJet Airlines

Transportation

All Non-Air Transportation

Canadian Pacific

Exel Inc.

FedEx Express Canada Ltd.

Halifax Port Authority

Kinder Morgan Canada

Livingston International

Purolator Courier Ltd.

VIA Rail Canada Inc.

Utilities

BC Hydro Power Authority

EPCOR Utilities Inc.

Hydro-Québec

NB Power Holding Corp.

Pacific Northern Gas

SaskEnergy Inc.

Spectra Energy Transmission

Toronto Hydro

TransAlta Corp.

TransCanada Corp.

Wholesale Trade

Culligan International Co.

Eli Lilly Canada Inc.

NSK Canada Inc.

SKF Canada Ltd.

Other Services (except Public Admin.)

Alberta Medical Association

BC Medical Association

Canadian Medical Association

The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada

YMCA of Greater Toronto

Survey Definitions

bonus: an after-the-fact reward or payment based on the performance of an individual; a group of workers operating as a unit, a division or business unit; or an entire workforce.

compensation philosophy: a written statement of what the organization believes about how people should be paid as well as supporting the business strategy and fitting within the organizational culture. A key component is how the organization intends to pay its people relative to its competitors, i.e., the desired market position.

excluding salesforce incentives: include base salaries for eligible salesforce employees, but do not include salesforce incentives.

exempt salaried: all other salaried employees, except officers and executives, not subject to the overtime pay provisions of FLSA.

frequency: the number of times or percentage of times a value appears in a data set or in a category.

general increase/cost-of-living allowance (COLA):

an identical pay raise either in a flat rate such as cents per hour or as a percentage of salary given to all eligible employees. Also known as an across-the-board increase.

incentive: any form of variable payment tied to performance. The payment is a monetary award. Incentives are contrasted with bonuses in that performance goals for incentives are predetermined.

lump-sum award: an award that is paid in a single cash payment.

management salaried (Canada): all other salaried employees, except officers and executives.

mean: a simple arithmetic average obtained by adding a set of numbers and then dividing the sum by the number of items in the set.

median: the middle item in a set of ranked data points containing an odd number of items. When an even number of items are ranked, the average of the two middle items is the median.

merit increase: an adjustment to an individual's base pay rate based on performance or some other individual measure.

n: number of responses.

nonexempt hourly nonunion: hourly employees who are not exempt from the minimum wage and overtime pay provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA). Excludes hourly union employees.

nonexempt salaried: salaried (compensation paid by the week, month or year rather than by the hour) employees who are not exempt from the minimum wage and overtime pay provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA). Excludes hourly employees, both union and nonunion.

nonmanagement hourly nonunion (Canada): hourly nonunion employees. Excludes hourly union employees.

nonmanagement salaried (Canada): salaried nonunion employees. Excludes hourly employees, both union and nonunion.

officers/executives: top and/or senior management that have significant responsibility for the management of the company as well as influence on the results of the company.

other increase: may include internal equity adjustments, salary range adjustments, skill-based pay increases. (For more examples, refer to question 9a in survey questionnaire.)

promotional increase: an increase in a salary or wage rate provided to a person because of a promotion to a higher-level job.

salary range structure change: the percent change in the control points (or the midpoints) of a formal salary range, band or wage rate that are adjusted to reflect movements in the marketplace.

total base salaries: total salaries for all eligible employees (base salaries only).

total increase: the total amount of any combination of the above increases (general, COLA, merit, other) expressed as a percentage of payroll to be granted as increases during the year. The budget percentage is calculated by totaling the amount of general increases, cost-of-living increases, merit increases and other increases granted or scheduled to be granted in the year, and dividing the total salaries of all eligible employees whether or not they received a salary increase.

variable pay: compensation that is contingent on discretion, performance or results achieved. It may be referred to as pay at risk.

2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey



WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey

United States

The deadline to submit the survey is May 3, 2010

Fax or mail your completed survey to:
WorldatWork Survey Team
Fax 480-483-8352 • Toll-free fax 866-816-2962
14040 N. Northsight Blvd. • Scottsdale, AZ 85260

If your organization operates in multiple industries or if pay practices differ across divisions, regions, business units or subsidiaries, please complete a separate questionnaire for each.

Demographic Profile

1*.	How should your company be listed on the participant list in the report? Company name:
2*.	The organizational unit you are reporting data for is: Headquarters (skip to 3) Subsidiary/group/division Regional headquarters Plant/branch Independent consultant Consulting firm Public sector Educational
	f. Please describe the division, subsidiary, region, etc., for which you are reporting data for in this estionnaire (e.g., Southern region, manufacturing division, etc.):
	Please indicate the industry that best describes your organization using the three-digit North perican Industry Classification System (NAICS) code.

^{*} Mandatory section/question

Questionnaire

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* Mandatory section/question

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6*. How many full-time equivalent (FTE) employees does your company employ worldwide? (Please report your worldwide headcount, even though you will be reporting only U.S. budget data.)

- o 1 499
- \circ 500 -2,499
- o 2,500 9,999
- o 10,000 19,999
- 0 20,000+

7. What was the total revenue (money generated by your company from sales of goods or services on a worldwide basis) for your organization at the end of 2009? (Report in U.S. dollars)

- o Up to \$30 million
- o More than \$30 million to \$100 million
- o More than \$100 million to \$300 million
- More than \$300 million to \$600 million
- More than \$600 million to \$1 billion
- o More than \$1 billion to \$3 billion
- o More than \$3 billion to \$5 billion
- More than \$5 billion to \$8 billion
- o More than \$8 billion to \$10 billion
- More than \$10 billion

Base Salary Increase

8. What is your organization's current base pay compensation philosophy for each employee category?

Employee group	To pay below the market	To pay at the market	To pay above the market	No formal compensation philosophy
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion				
Nonexempt Salaried				
Exempt Salaried				
Officers/Executives				

9*. What is your organization's actual base salary budget program for 2010?

Note: Fill in "0" (zero) **only** if there is no increase budgeted where one typically is budgeted. If a particular type of increase program or employee category is not used/applicable in your organization, please leave the field blank.

Number of covered employees	Employee group	Number of months between increases	General increase /COLA	Merit increase	Other increase (not promotional)	Total increase
	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		%	%	%	%
	Nonexempt Salaried		%	%	%	%
	Exempt Salaried		%	%	%	%
	Officers/Executives		%	%	%	%
	← TOTAL					

^{*} Mandatory section/question

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- 9a. If you have included an increase in the "Other increase" column, what is the nature of this increase? (Check all that apply.)
 - Accelerated increase cycle to move employee closer to midpoint (salary progression)
 - □ Compression
 - □ Internal equity
 - □ Market adjustment/competitive adjustment
 - □ Retention/critical skill adjustment
 - □ Salary range adjustment
 - □ Skill-based pay increase
 - □ Step rate
 - Other increase not listed above
- 10. Does your organization give lump-sum awards? If so, what percentage of employees received an award in 2009?

		e lump-sum rds?	If so, what percentage of
Employee group	Yes	No	employees
			received an award
			in 2009?
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion			%
Nonexempt Salaried			%
Exempt Salaried			%
Officers/Executives			%

11. What percentage of your organization's employees, by category, will be receiving a base salary increase (i.e., general increase/COLA, merit or other) in 2010? Does this represent a larger, similar or smaller percentage of employees than in 2009?

Employee group	Percent receiving increase in 2010	Percentage is larger than 2009	Percentage is similar to 2009	Percentage is smaller than 2009
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	%			
Nonexempt Salaried	%			
Exempt Salaried	%			
Officers/Executives	%			

12. What is the projection/estimate for the organization's base salary budget program for 2011?

Note: Fill in "0" (zero) only if there is no increase budgeted where one is typically budgeted. If a particular type of increase program or employee category is not used/applicable in your organization, please leave the field blank.

Employee group	Number of months between increases	General increase/ COLA	Merit increase	Other increase (not promotional)	Total increase
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		%	%	%	%
Nonexempt Salaried		%	%	%	%
Exempt Salaried		%	%	%	%
Officers/Executives		%	%	%	%

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- 12a. If you have included an increase in the "Other increase" column, what is the nature of this increase? (Check all that apply.)
 - Accelerated increase cycle to move employee closer to midpoint (salary progression)
 - □ Compression
 - □ Internal equity
 - □ Market adjustment/competitive adjustment
 □ Retention/critical skill adjustment

 - □ Salary range adjustment
 - □ Skill-based pay increase
 - □ Step rate
 - Other increase not listed above
- 13. Please complete the following table based only on those employees eligible for a merit increase:

	20	09	2010		
	What percentage of your workforce was rated in this performance category for 2009?	What was the average merit increase awarded for this 2009 performance category?	What percentage of your workforce is estimated to be rated in this performance category for 2010?	What is the average merit increase award estimate for this 2010 performance category?	
High Performance					
Middle Performance					
Low Performance					
Total*	100%		100%		

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Salary Structures

14. If your organization uses a formal salary range structure, by what percentage did you increase the structure in 2010? Note: Fill in "0" (zero) only if there is no increase planned where one typically is given.

Employee group	2010 salary range structure change
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	%
Nonexempt Salaried	%
Exempt Salaried	%
Officers/Executives	%

14a. If no increase was reported (e.g., responded with a zero or blank for any of the employee categories in question 14 above), did the structure remain the same or did you make a negative adjustment?

Employee group	Number of months since last structure increase	Structure remained the same in 2010	Made a negative structure adjustment in 2010
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion			
Nonexempt Salaried			
Exempt Salaried			
Officers/Executives			

15. By what percentage does your organization plan to increase the salary range structure for 2011?

Employee group	2011 salary range structure change
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	%
Nonexempt Salaried	%
Exempt Salaried	%
Officers/Executives	%

Promotions

- 16. Are promotional increases a separate budget item in your organization?
 - o Yes
 - o No (skip to question 17)

16a. What is your organization's 2010 promotional increase budget as a percent of total base salaries?



17. In 2009, what percentage of the total employee population received a promotional increase?



18. In 2009, what was the average promotional increase as a percent of the promoted employee's base salary (prior to promotion)?



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Variable Pay

For purposes of this survey, variable pay is defined as short-term cash awards that are contingent upon performance, discretion or results achieved. Variable pay types include:

- Profit sharing
- Performance sharing (e.g., gain sharing or goal sharing)
- Individual incentives
- Bonuses

The following pay types should not be included:

- Sales commission plans
- Long-term incentives, such as stock plans or multi-year cash performance plans
- Non-cash based awards such as merchandise, trips, plaques or trophies
- Plans that require cash awards to be placed in accounts that are not readily accessible to employees (e.g., 401(k) accounts, pension plans, deferred compensation plans)
- · Cash awards for recognition
- 19. Does your organization currently use variable pay as defined above?
 - o Yes
 - o No (skip to question 25)
- 20. Which of the following formal plan award types does your organization use? (Check all that apply.)
 - Organization-wide awards based solely on the success of the entire organization (e.g., cash profit sharing)
 - □ Unit/strategic business unit awards based solely on the success of the unit/strategic business unit (e.g., department incentive programs, manufacturing goal sharing, call-center incentives)
 - Individual incentive awards based on employees' performance in designated jobs (other than sales)
 - Combination awards based on **both** organization-wide/unit/strategic business unit success and individual performance
- 21. For 2009, please indicate the percentage of employees eligible to receive variable pay and the percentage of those employees who actually received an award.

Employee Group	21a. Was employee category eligible for variable pay in 2009?	21b. Percent of employees eligible in 2009 for variable pay	21c. Percent of eligible employees actually paid variable pay for 2009 plan year
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	o Yes o No		
Nonexempt Salaried	o Yes o No		
Exempt Salaried	o Yes o No		
Officers/Executives	o Yes o No		

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22. Does your organization have a formal process for determining the budget for variable pay plans? If so, please indicate the average percentage of base pay budgeted for variable pay in each employee category.

NOTE: If variable pay for an employee category is not typically budgeted, or an employee category is not eligible for variable pay, please select "No" in question 22a and leave the remainder of the row blank. Fill in "0" (zero) **only** if your organization typically budgets for variable pay for that employee group, but has/will not budget for the program in the respective year.

Employee Group	22a. Does your organization budget for variable pay?		22b.2009 average % budgeted for variable pay	22c.2010 average % budgeted for variable pay	22d.2011 projected average % budgeted for variable pay	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	o Yes	o No				
Nonexempt Salaried	o Yes	o No				
Exempt Salaried	o Yes	o No				
Officers/Executives	o Yes	o No				

23. Please provide the average percentage of base pay your variable pay plans actually paid for 2009 and the average percentage projected to be paid for 2010.

	23a. Average % paid	23b. Projected %
Employee Group	for variable pay for	paid for variable pay
	2009 plan year	for 2010 plan year
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion		
Nonexempt Salaried		
Exempt Salaried		
Officers/Executives		

24. What impact does your variable pay program have on base salary budget recommendations?

Employee Group	No impact	Some impact	Significant impact	
Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	0	0	0	
Nonexempt Salaried	0	0	0	
Exempt Salaried	0	0	0	
Officers/Executives	0	0	0	

Health Care Cost Impact

- 25. Does the size of health-care cost increases impact your base salary budget recommendations?
 - o Yes
 - o No

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Cost Containment

26. Which of the following cost containment and/or reduction strategies has your organization implemented or continued in the past 12 months? (Check all that apply.)

	Nonexempt Hourly Nonunion	Nonexempt Salaried	Exempt Salaried	Officers/Executives
Hiring freeze				
Wage freeze/no pay increases				
Reduction in pay/pay cuts				
Limit/eliminate overtime				
Voluntary unpaid time off (e.g. employees volunteer in lieu of other cuts, unpaid sabbaticals)			0	
Furloughs (e.g. temporary layoffs, mandatory unpaid time off)				
Voluntary reduction-in-force (RIF)				
Mandatory reduction-in-force (RIF)				
Increase employee share of health-care premiums				
Reduce/suspend 401(k) or 403(b) matches				
Freeze or close pension plans				

Recovery Actions

26a. If the recent recession affected your organization's total rewards programs, please indicate whether your organization has/is experiencing a recovery.

- o Our organization did not experience any negative effects of the recent recession. (skip to question 27)
- o Our organization is still in a recession; we are not considering recovery actions yet. (skip to question 27)
- o Our organization is recovering but we are not considering or implementing recovery actions. (skip to question 27)
- o Our organization is recovering and we are considering or implementing recovery actions.

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months, f considered L L V	for whited for Hiring for the Hiring	anization implemented (or continued) any of the cost contains ich strategies has your organization resumed normal practices 2010)? (Check all that apply.) freeze iminate overtime ary unpaid time off (e.g., employees volunteer in lieu of other of the content of	s as	part of your recovery (or are being			
 26c. If your organization implemented pay freezes during the recent recession, what action(s) has your organization taken (or is being considered for 2010) as part of its recovery plan? (Check all that apply.) Award pay increases that would have otherwise been awarded during recession Resume normal pay increase programs in 2010 (or next fiscal year) Lump-sum payment equivalent to pay increases that would have otherwise been awarded Increase in noncompensation benefits (e.g., reduce employee contribution to health-care premiums, increase flexibility options, increase retirement contributions, and so on.) Other, please explain: 							
26d. If your organization implemented pay cuts during the past 12 months, what action(s) has your organization taken (or is considering for 2010) as part of its recovery plan? (Check all that apply.) Restore pay to previous pay rates in full Restore pay using a staggered approach (e.g., some percent restoration every quarter until at previous pay rate) Restore pay based on individual performance (not all employees will be restored to previous pay rate) Provide lump-sum payment equal to amount of pay cut Increase in noncompensation benefits (e.g., reduce employee contribution to health-care premiums, increase flexibility options, increase retirement contributions, etc.) Pay cuts will remain permanent; future pay actions to be determined Other, please explain:							
Attraction	on &	Retention Practices					
	apply.)	e following has your organization used in the past 12 months Career development opportunities Employee referral bonus Exempt overtime pay or time off exible work schedules Flextime Compressed work week Telecommuting/telework Job sharing Larger merit increase budgets Market adjustments/increase to base salary Non-cash recognition and rewards	to a	Paid sabbaticals Paying above market Part-time employment with benefits Phased retirement Project milestone/completion bonus Retention/stay bonus Separate salary structures Sign-on/hiring bonus Special cash bonus/group incentives (not organization wide) Spot bonus (individual) Stock grant programs			

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28*. As a survey participant, you will receive the Executive Report & Analysis and a two- year-subscription to the Online Reporting Tool that will allow you to customize your survey data. In what format would you prefer to receive your complimentary copy of the Executive Report & Analysis?

- Electronic (.pdf) copy
- Hard copy

29*. Please provide the name and the contact information of the person completing this survey and that person's contact
information. You must be a WorldatWork member to participate in the WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey. (If
you are completing this survey on behalf of a member, please note that the survey results will be sent directly to the
member's address on file.)

WorldatWork	Member Number:				
Name:		 	 	 	
Title:		 	 	 	
Company:		 	 	 	
Phone:		 	 	 	
E-mail:		 	 	 	

30*. By submitting this survey form, I understand that if mandatory (*) sections of the survey are not completed correctly, I will not be eligible as a participant to receive a complimentary copy of the survey report.

o I understand and agree to the statement above.

If you have a question about how to complete the survey, please call WorldatWork Customer Relationship Services at 877-951-9191.

> The deadline to submit the survey is May 3, 2010 Fax or mail your completed survey to: WorldatWork Survey Team • Fax 480-483-8352 • Toll-free fax 866-816-2962 14040 N. Northsight Blvd. • Scottsdale, AZ 85260

^{*} Mandatory section/question

Visit the Online Reporting Tool for More Detailed Information

As mentioned in the Introduction, the WorldatWork 2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey is split into two components: this book and the customizable Online Reporting Tool.

For no additional charge, users have the ability to customize reports to specific geographic region, industry, state and other ways that are relevant to organizations. Users may run an unlimited number of reports during the subscription period as well as save or print the reports. Use the folders at the end of this book to organize and store these reports, keeping all salary budget increase data together in one package.

Get Started Now

Go to http://www.worldatwork.org/salarybudgetsurvey and login with your eight-digit identification number and password. If you do not know your login information, you may:

- Click "Get" under "Password."
- Look on the mailing panel of any WorldatWork catalog, periodical, invoice or receipt.
- Check your member identification card.
- Contact WorldatWork Customer Relationship Services by calling 877-951-9191 or 480-922-2020, or e-mailing customerrelations@worldatwork.org.

After you have logged in, select the "2010-2011 Salary Budget Survey" subscription. After reviewing and accepting the terms and conditions, you will be redirected to the *Online Reporting Tool*.

- Choose the type(s) of data to be included in the report (i.e., salary budget increases, salary structure adjustments, promotions and/or variable pay).
- Choose one statistical method of calculation. Separate reports need to be run to compare various statistics (i.e., mean/average, median/50th percentile, 25th percentile or 75th percentile).
- Choose the layers that define the demographic slice of data (i.e., country, industry, number of employees, revenue).
- Select the regions, states, provinces and/or major metropolitan areas of interest.
- Click "Generate Report."

If the report meets your needs, click "print to PDF" in the top right-hand corner to save or print. To look at different or additional data, repeat the steps as needed.

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