

# LABOR & WAGES

## *Salary Comparison*



### **Detroit Compared with Other Major Metropolitan Areas**

Atlanta, Chicago, San Francisco, Washington DC, Windsor Ontario

#### Annual Median Salaries

	<b>Low</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Detroit</b>
Administrative Assistant	\$42,196	\$52,000	\$46,910
Advertising Manager	\$86,031	\$102,332	\$95,394
Billing Clerk	\$33,726	\$41,766	\$37,637
Computer Programmer	\$68,061	\$81,235	\$71,771
Computer Software Engineer	\$85,189	\$101,401	\$89,834
Credit Analyst	\$50,552	\$61,033	\$55,895
Graphic Designer	\$52,438	\$63,634	\$57,366
Human Resource Analyst	\$53,938	\$64,962	\$59,490
Information Clerk	\$27,331	\$34,428	\$30,354
Laboratory Technician	\$39,997	\$49,053	\$42,935
Loan Officer	\$56,574	\$68,041	\$62,298
Physical Therapist	\$64,520	\$80,228	\$70,121
Public Relations Representative	\$54,200	\$65,694	\$59,223
Registered Nurse	\$62,767	\$78,106	\$68,226
Sales Account Manager	\$76,313	\$90,976	\$84,774
Sales Representatives	\$47,958	\$58,566	\$52,916
Secondary School Teacher	\$51,302	\$62,587	\$56,968
Systems Analyst	\$67,413	\$80,486	\$71,106
Teacher Extension Work	\$47,297	\$57,906	\$52,702
Technical Writer	\$61,945	\$75,056	\$67,440

Source: Economic Research Institute (metros defined as a 25-mile radius surrounding central city)  
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