

Occupational Title	Employment		Total Openings	Median Wage	Training Codes
	2010	2020			
Customer Service Representatives Telecommunications Line	680	801	314	\$15.76	7
Installers & Repairers	949	888	175	\$31.64	7
Retail Salespersons	275	349	155	\$10.70	8
Computer Systems Analysts	241	305	109	\$39.23	3
Bookkeeping, Accounting, & Auditing Clerks	330	401	107	\$17.84	7
Financial Managers	243	305	106	\$53.71	3
Computer Support Specialists	241	283	105	\$22.98	6
Advertising Sales Agents	316	306	97	\$22.33	7
Producers and Directors	213	241	91	\$25.59	3
Library Assistants, Clerical	147	161	80	\$12.52	7
First-Line Supervisors:Office & Administrative					
Support Workers	187	217	80	\$26.74	7
Information Security Analysts, Web					
Developers, & Computer Network Architects	279	312	74	\$35.53	3
Software Developers, Systems Software	141	186	60	\$45.88	3
Software Developers, Applications	138	182	58	\$45.67	3
Computer & Information Systems Managers	160	193	57	\$55.45	3
Reporters & Correspondents	152	134	54	\$22.19	3
Financial Analysts	101	129	49	\$31.73	3
Office Clerks, General	208	217	46	\$14.33	7
Library Technicians	80	89	43	\$18.26	5
Editors	149	136	42	\$28.96	3
Librarians	122	131	41	\$27.96	2
Computer Programmers	105	121	40	\$34.86	3
Network and Computer Systems Administrators	87	112	40	\$36.03	3
Sales Representatives:					
Wholesale & Manufacturing	96	110	37	\$29.71	7
Telecommunications Equipment Installers	216	215	34	\$31.39	5
Market Research Analysts	54	73	33	\$27.23	5

<i>Training Codes:</i>	<i>3 - Bachelor's Degree</i>	<i>6 - Some College - No Degree</i>
<i>1 - Professional Degree</i>	<i>4 - Associate Degree</i>	<i>7 - High School Diploma or equivalent</i>
<i>2 - Master's Degree</i>	<i>5 - Postsecondary - Non Degree</i>	<i>8 - Less Than High School</i>

**Wage rate reflects the median wage paid by all RI employers during May 2011*

Opportunities in



Information

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Rhode Island employment is expected to increase by more than 52,000 jobs during the 2010-2020 projection period as the state's economy continues to recover from recessionary losses. Employment in 2020 is projected to reach 540,550, an increase of 52,372 (10.7%) from the 2010 employment level.

Job openings result from the creation of new jobs due to industry growth and the need to replace workers who have left an existing position due to job change, retirement, or other personal reasons. During the 2010-2020 projection period, it is estimated that employers will need to fill over 170,000 total job openings statewide. Nearly one-third of the projected openings are attributed to growth that is expected to occur during the projection period, while the remainder will exist due to replacement needs.

Employment in Rhode Island's Information sector has a projected growth rate of 10.4 percent, on par with the 10.7 percent projected for all industries. Employment in this sector is expected to increase by more than 1,000 jobs

over the projection period, reaching the 11,000 level or 2 percent of total employment.

The greatest number of openings is projected in the Data Processing, Hosting, and Related Services subsector (782). Employment within this subsector is expected to grow by 26.8 percent over the projection period, more than double the statewide average. Along with above average employment, the annual average wage in this subsector was \$63,943 in 2010, well above the statewide average of \$44,651. Above average growth is also expected in both the Motion Picture & Sound Recording and Other Information Services subsectors.

The largest number of openings in this sector is expected for Customer Service Representatives (314), Telecommunications Line Installers & Repairers (175), Retail Salespersons (155) and Computer Systems Analysts (109). Computer Systems Analyst is among the fastest growing occupations within the Information sector and has a relatively high number of total projected openings for the sector (109) as well as a relatively high median hourly wage (\$39.23).

Information Fastest Growing Jobs*

Software Developers, Systems Software

Software Developers, Applications

Retail Salespersons

Computer Systems Analysts

Financial Managers

Bookkeeping, Accounting, &
Auditing Clerks

Computer & Information Systems Managers

Customer Service Representatives

Computer Support Specialists

Supervisors of Office &
Administrative Support Workers

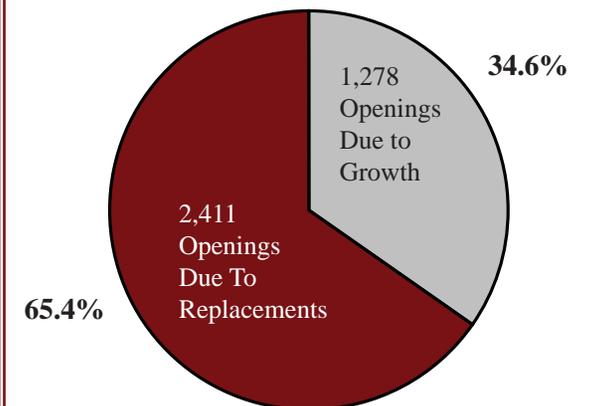
*Jobs with a minimum projected growth rate of 10 percent and generate a minimum of 100 openings during the projection period.

Rhode Island 2020 Projections

Employment in Information

	2010	2020	Net Change	2010 Annual Average Wage
Totals	9,989	11,030	1,042	\$61,341
Publishing Industries (Except Internet)	2,150	2,230	80	\$64,640
Motion Picture & Sound Recording	812	900	88	\$33,072
Broadcasting (except Internet)	655	660	5	\$51,427
Telecommunications	2,918	2,930	12	\$71,688
Data Processing, Hosting, and Related Services	2,918	3,700	782	\$63,943
Other Information Services	535	610	75	\$32,612

Distribution of Openings in Information



Job openings result from two major factors: the need to replace workers who leave an occupation and the need to fill vacancies created by economic expansion. During the projection period employers in the Information sector will need to fill nearly 3,700 positions..