

TABLE 9.—Average ratio of apprentices per 100 active journeymen for selected occupations 1950-1964 ¹

Occupation	Average 1950-64
Bricklayers.....	7. 4
Carpenters.....	4. 3
Electricians.....	13. 2
Iron Workers.....	5. 0
Painters, paperhangers, and glaziers.....	3. 3
Plasterers and cement masons.....	6. 8
Plumbers and pipefitters.....	10. 2
Roofers.....	12. 3
Sheet metal workers.....	12. 7

¹ Based on the number of journeymen working or available for work, to the number of persons working under apprenticeship agreements.

Source: Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training, based on data collected by the Bureau of Labor Statistics from building trades unions in 52 cities with 1950 populations of 100,000 or more.

TABLE 10.—Registered apprentices in training, new registrations, completions, and cancellations, 1952-64

Year	In training on Jan. 1—	New regis- trations ¹	Completions	Cancellations ²	In training on Dec. 31—
1952.....	77, 920	33, 316	15, 679	18, 756	76, 801
1953.....	76, 801	37, 102	13, 523	18, 393	81, 987
1954.....	81, 987	34, 238	15, 537	18, 951	81, 737
1955.....	81, 737	47, 238	13, 444	14, 632	109, 899
1956.....	100, 899	42, 873	14, 588	16, 565	112, 619
1957 ³	114, 166	38, 506	17, 344	24, 466	110, 862
1958.....	110, 862	34, 485	20, 255	16, 278	103, 814
1959.....	108, 814	37, 894	21, 067	18, 942	106, 699
1960.....	106, 699	33, 939	16, 656	21, 019	102, 963
1961.....	102, 963	33, 446	17, 251	18, 407	109, 751
1962.....	100, 751	36, 994	16, 477	18, 222	103, 046
1963.....	103, 046	36, 763	15, 559	17, 337	106, 913
1964.....	106, 913	33, 556	16, 286	19, 347	109, 836
1965.....	109, 836				

¹ Includes reinstatements.

² Cancellations are not synonymous with "dropouts," since they included layoffs, discharges, out-of-State transfers, upgrading within certain trades, and suspensions for military service, as well as voluntary "quits."

³ Lathers included for the 1st time, no prior reports for this trade.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

TABLE 11.—Apprenticeship completions and cancellations in selected building trades, 1964

Occupations	Completions	Cancellations ¹
Construction trades.....	16, 286	19, 347
Brick, stone, and tile workers.....	1, 369	1, 692
Carpenters.....	2, 882	6, 255
Cement masons.....	222	276
Electricians.....	3, 887	2, 526
Glaziers.....	266	182
Iron workers.....	732	755
Lathers.....	240	502
Painters.....	770	1, 711
Plasterers.....	267	223
Plumbers and pipefitters.....	3, 101	1, 697
Roofers.....	282	1, 500
Sheet metal workers.....	1, 742	1, 340
Construction workers, not elsewhere classified.....	526	688

¹ Cancellations are not synonymous with "dropouts," since they include layoffs, discharges, out-of-State transfers, upgrading within certain trades, and suspensions for military service, as well as voluntary "quits."