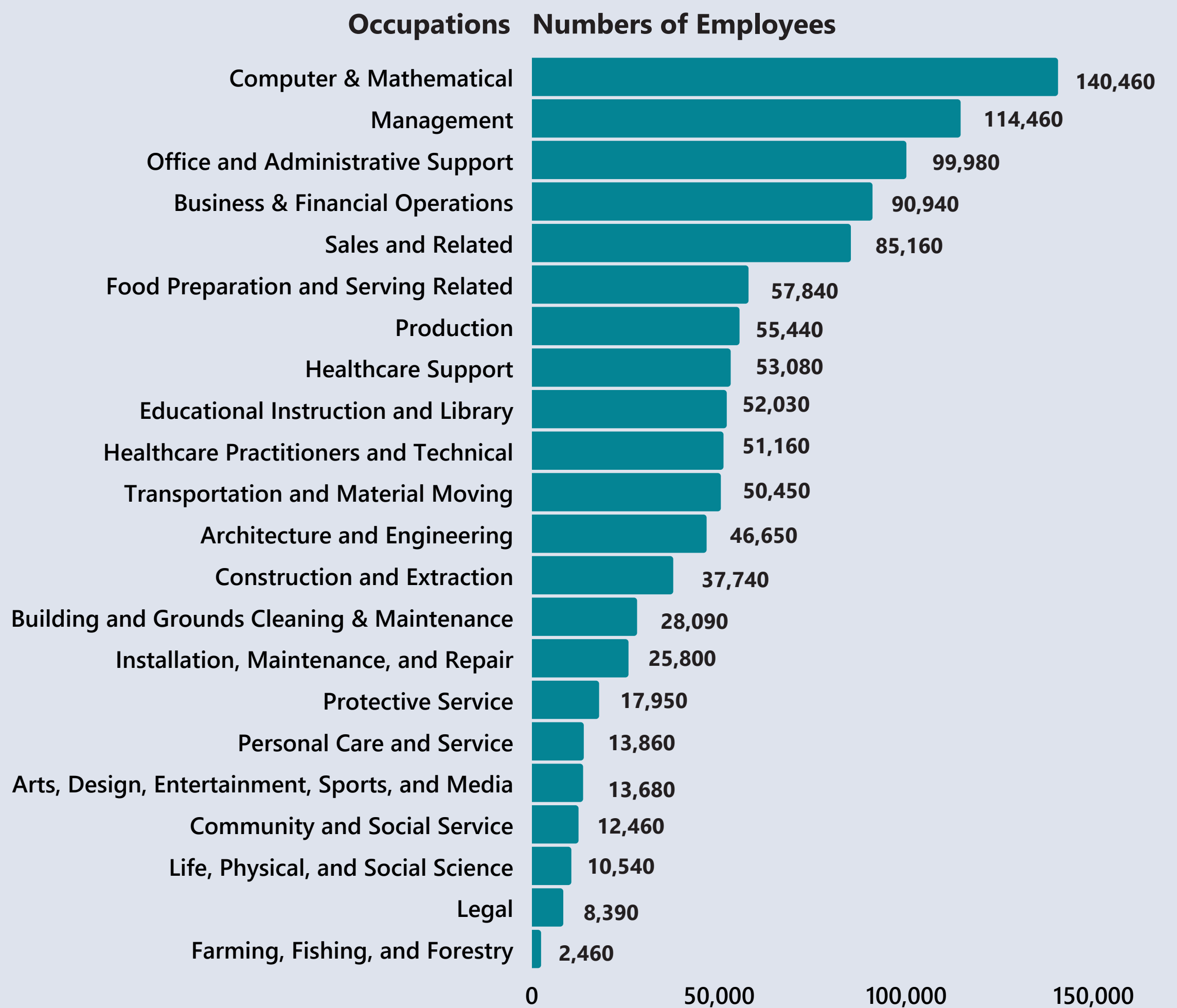
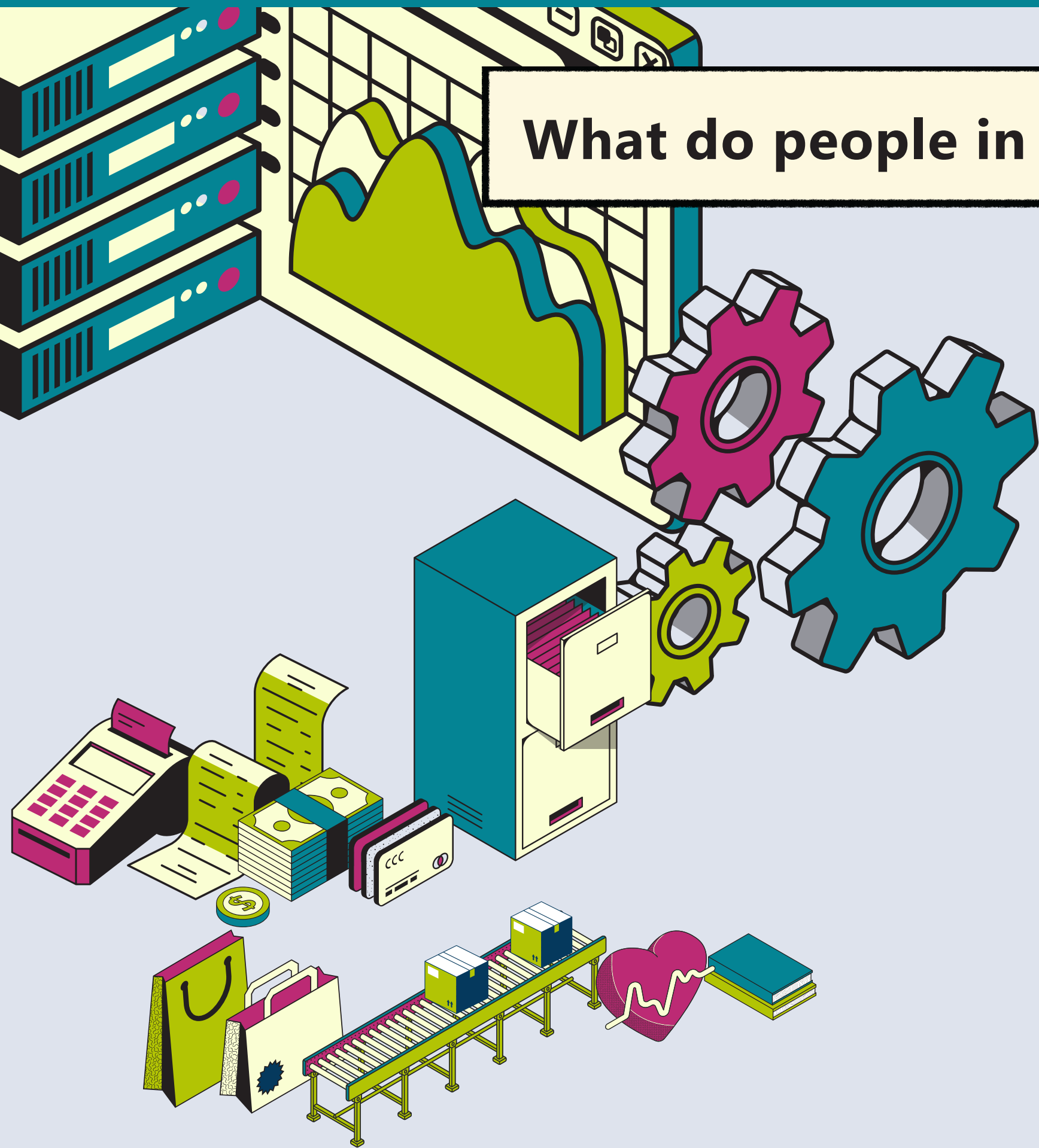


# 2021 Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics Estimates

## What do people in Santa Clara County do for a living?



Median Pay Salary <b>\$75,510</b> per year	Median Pay Rate <b>\$36.31</b> per hour	<b>1,068,620</b> Total Employed
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### Highest Paying Occupations Median Salary and Hourly Rate

<b>Management</b> <b>\$171,280 /yr</b> \$82.35/hr	<b>Legal</b> <b>\$166,650 /yr</b> \$80.12/hr	<b>Computer and Mathematical</b> <b>\$159,940 /yr</b> \$76.90/hr	<b>Architecture and Engineering</b> <b>\$128,560 /yr</b> \$61.81/hr	<b>Healthcare Practitioners and Technical</b> <b>\$127,570 /yr</b> \$61.33/hr
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### Lowest Paying Occupations Median Salary and Hourly Rate

<b>Healthcare Support</b> <b>\$35,340 /yr</b> \$16.99/hr	<b>Food Preparation and Serving Related</b> <b>\$36,580 /yr</b> \$17.59/hr	<b>Farming, Fishing and Forestry</b> <b>\$36,820 /yr</b> \$17.70/hr	<b>Personal Care and Service</b> <b>\$37,130 /yr</b> \$17.85/hr	<b>Building/Grounds, Cleaning and Maintenance</b> <b>\$38,210 /yr</b> \$18.37/hr
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