

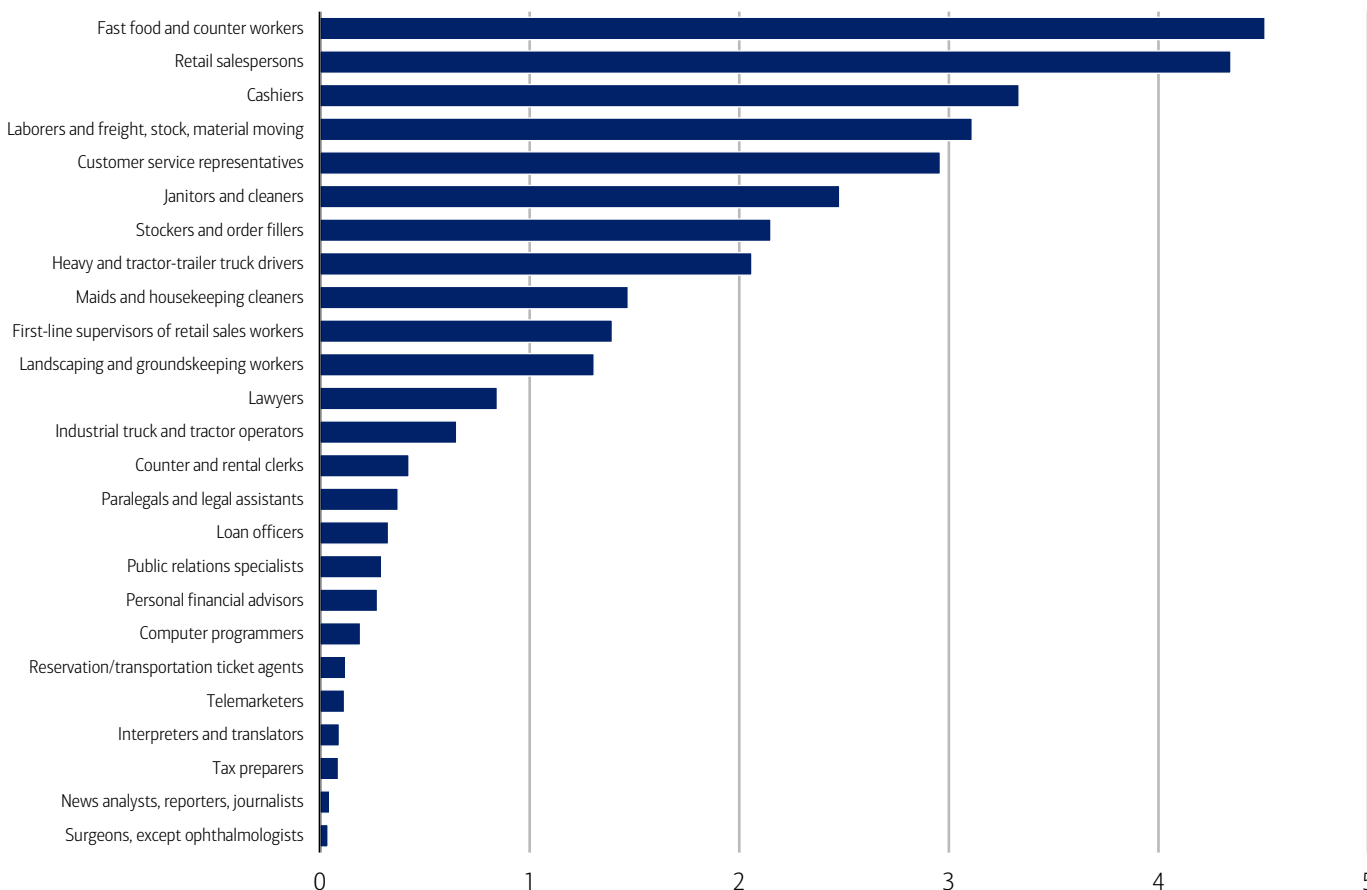
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Which jobs are most at risk from AI?

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Retail and logistic jobs are most at risk from AI and automation

US jobs considered as high risk for automation (number of jobs in millions, 2009-2029)



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)

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AI-based automation can manage resource allocation, freeing up human workers for higher-value tasks. According to BofA Global Research, certain sectors like manufacturing will benefit from automation of assembly, and financial services, for instance, is incorporating AI in fraud detection.

However, AI's ability to automate both routine cognitive and manual tasks puts many jobs at risk, especially in industries where repetition, predictability, and access to large datasets interrelate. For example, fast food kiosks could replace cashiers (and already are in some places). And although in many scenarios AI is expected to complement rather than fully replace human labor, automation and AI is not without risk for a fair transition.

For more, read: [Addressing the "AI" in sustainability](#).

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