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PREFACE

This publication is generated from statistics produced by Maryland's ES-202 Program. It provides the reader with a basic industrial profile of Maryland's economy. The data are generated and published on a quarterly basis with totals for the state as well as each of its political subdivisions. Included are all workers covered by the Unemployment Insurance (UI) Law of Maryland and the unemployment compensation for federal employees (UCFE) program. Together these two account for over 91% of all civilian employment. The principle exclusions are cited in Appendix A of this report.

This report uses the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) to code establishments. All future releases will also be based on the NAICS. Prior to the reports for 2001, the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual was used for coding purposes. Although some titles remained the same, the content has changed from one system to the other and the series are not comparable.

For purposes of this report, NAICS sectors have been combined using the BLS standard for sector aggregation. The following page details this aggregation.

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BLS Standard for Sector Aggregation Titles for NAICS

Goods-Producing

Natural Resources and Mining

Sector 11 (Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting), *Sector 21* (Mining)

Construction

Sector 23 (Construction)

Manufacturing

Sectors 31, 32, 33 (Manufacturing)

Service-Providing

Trade, Transportation, and Utilities

Sector 42 (Wholesale Trade), *Sectors 44, 45* (Retail Trade), *Sectors 48, 49* (Transportation and Warehousing),
Sector 22 (Utilities)

Information

Sector 51 (Information)

Financial Activities

Sector 52 (Finance and Insurance) *Sector 53* (Real Estate and Rental and Leasing)

Professional and Business Services

Sector 54 (Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services), *Sector 55* (Management of Companies and Enterprises),
Sector 56 (Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services)

Education and Health Services

Sector 61 (Educational Services), *Sector 62* (Health Care and Social Assistance)

Leisure and Hospitality

Sector 71 (Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation), *Sector 72* (Accommodation and Food Services)

Other Services

Sector 81 (Other Services, except Public Administration)

Public Administration

Sector 92 (Public Administration)

Unclassified

Sector 99 (Unclassified)

**TABLE I
MAJOR INDUSTRY SERIES**

STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	161,143	2,497,416	110,806,264,624	\$853
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,140	448,627	23,155,453,968	993
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	940	125,737	9,396,409,735	1,437
STATE GOVERNMENT	379	96,707	4,216,706,243	839
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,821	226,183	9,542,337,990	811
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	158,003	2,048,789	87,650,810,656	823
GOODS-PRODUCING	23,829	330,435	16,310,808,405	949
Natural Resources and Mining	721	6,891	229,490,806	640
Crop production	236	2,120	57,779,982	524
Animal production	131	1,408	39,636,785	541
Forestry and logging	72	439	11,822,710	518
Fishing, hunting and trapping	30	181	6,482,203	689
Agriculture and forestry support activities	159	1,011	26,465,015	503
Oil and gas extraction	5	10	369,704	711
Mining, except oil and gas	58	1,347	71,440,691	1,020
Support activities for mining	30	375	15,493,716	795
Construction	18,786	182,878	8,395,612,156	883
Construction of buildings	6,546	44,009	2,304,657,733	1,007
Heavy and civil engineering construction	1,025	17,398	804,713,325	889
Specialty trade contractors	11,215	121,471	5,286,241,098	837
Manufacturing	4,322	140,666	7,685,705,443	1,051
Food manufacturing	374	15,944	597,543,970	721
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	72	4,431	194,669,989	845
Textile mills	45	1,617	53,234,759	633
Textile product mills	126	1,069	35,699,188	642
Apparel manufacturing	79	1,868	52,244,687	538
Leather and allied product manufacturing	18	684	30,079,958	846
Wood product manufacturing	154	3,900	138,898,070	685
Paper manufacturing	50	5,312	222,754,009	806
Printing and related support activities	690	13,699	620,877,743	872
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	35	955	55,746,553	1,123
Chemical manufacturing	230	12,342	828,777,467	1,291
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	123	7,763	354,626,728	879
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	197	5,262	230,634,546	843
Primary metal manufacturing	61	4,140	273,432,771	1,270
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	480	9,897	429,165,319	834
Machinery manufacturing	242	8,772	581,102,324	1,274
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	358	22,627	1,987,087,087	1,689
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	83	2,211	113,899,273	991
Transportation equipment manufacturing	158	9,159	531,465,624	1,116
Furniture and related product manufacturing	274	3,985	141,636,393	684

See note at end of table.

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STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Miscellaneous manufacturing	473	5,029	212,128,985	811
SERVICE PROVIDING	132,358	1,716,583	71,246,896,165	798
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,673	466,162	16,874,385,689	696
Utilities	144	9,754	869,187,099	1,714
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	4,965	53,341	3,317,071,910	1,196
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	2,217	30,602	1,496,433,706	940
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	2,882	10,316	767,738,509	1,431
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	1,791	39,108	1,660,213,437	816
Furniture and home furnishings stores	1,150	12,662	419,145,183	637
Electronics and appliance stores	1,091	11,681	426,810,164	703
Building material and garden supply stores	1,167	25,292	825,003,713	627
Food and beverage stores	3,640	59,101	1,408,997,817	458
Health and personal care stores	1,638	17,202	536,250,679	600
Gasoline stations	1,468	10,823	209,197,797	372
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	2,500	29,562	512,231,546	333
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,173	14,306	297,336,663	400
General merchandise stores	794	53,919	1,028,842,764	367
Miscellaneous store retailers	2,399	19,592	418,221,053	411
Nonstore retailers	625	5,375	191,162,893	684
Air transportation	76	4,720	272,169,880	1,109
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	37	548	31,469,535	1,104
Truck transportation	1,780	17,402	663,018,056	733
Transit and ground passenger transportation	769	8,825	197,837,602	431
Pipeline transportation	5	50	3,559,740	1,369
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	59	390	6,586,102	325
Support activities for transportation	732	10,420	494,006,848	912
Postal service	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	336	11,169	413,913,280	713
Warehousing and storage	210	9,868	404,521,929	788
Information	2,867	50,368	3,122,708,697	1,192
Publishing industries, except Internet	708	12,763	684,910,809	1,032
Motion picture and sound recording industries	430	4,531	114,379,654	485
Broadcasting, except Internet	145	4,858	421,930,460	1,670
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	851	19,912	1,388,070,090	1,341
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	597	7,107	438,041,551	1,185
Other information services	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	14,734	158,234	10,162,025,929	1,235
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	3,919	57,619	3,327,849,729	1,111

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STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,192	14,381	2,182,217,346	2,918
Insurance carriers and related activities	3,041	35,766	2,284,276,117	1,228
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	173	1,840	117,733,144	1,230
Real estate	5,307	34,061	1,689,968,770	954
Rental and leasing services	1,050	13,834	517,986,073	720
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	33,604	383,250	20,524,155,644	1,030
Professional and technical services	22,893	213,924	14,751,912,842	1,326
Management of companies and enterprises	368	13,539	1,044,154,007	1,483
Administrative and support services	9,836	148,848	4,438,094,678	573
Waste management and remediation services	507	6,939	289,994,117	804
Education and Health Services	16,100	340,182	13,759,869,593	778
Educational services	2,079	54,087	2,212,318,879	787
Ambulatory health care services	9,927	92,505	4,803,356,881	999
Hospitals	133	92,309	4,122,016,702	859
Nursing and residential care facilities	1,421	59,788	1,644,272,826	529
Social assistance	2,540	41,493	977,904,305	453
Leisure and Hospitality	12,429	229,246	4,196,244,699	352
Performing arts and spectator sports	706	7,259	388,881,808	1,030
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	102	1,876	47,867,536	491
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	1,475	26,559	451,500,017	327
Accommodation	737	25,047	859,851,526	660
Food services and drinking places	9,409	168,505	2,448,143,812	279
Other Services	18,951	89,141	2,607,505,914	563
Repair and maintenance	4,481	25,334	920,777,886	699
Personal and laundry services	3,861	30,233	653,745,448	416
Membership associations and organizations	2,576	24,856	875,141,306	677
Private households	8,033	8,718	157,841,274	348
UNCLASSIFIED	1,816	1,771	93,106,086	1,011

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	69,702	1,229,724	\$53,476,256,208	\$836
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,398	210,348	9,937,007,261	908
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	362	41,332	2,712,304,187	1,262
STATE GOVERNMENT	244	65,482	3,013,078,976	885
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	792	103,534	4,211,624,098	782
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,304	1,019,376	43,539,248,947	821
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,745	158,199	8,040,039,922	977
Natural Resources and Mining	243	1,742	52,423,691	579
Crop production	83	736	19,466,560	509
Animal production	46	260	6,174,702	457
Forestry and logging	7	120	4,039,876	647
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	73	308	8,259,040	516
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	14	225	12,071,773	1,032
Support activities for mining	9	37	1,331,480	692
Construction	8,343	81,195	3,749,267,908	888
Construction of buildings	2,885	17,542	938,052,338	1,028
Heavy and civil engineering construction	450	9,087	418,470,369	886
Specialty trade contractors	5,008	54,566	2,392,745,201	843
Manufacturing	2,159	75,262	4,238,348,323	1,083
Food manufacturing	191	8,380	353,673,981	812
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	36	2,255	108,548,841	926
Textile mills	21	656	21,185,465	621
Textile product mills	71	581	19,405,775	642
Apparel manufacturing	42	1,096	29,450,176	517
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	64	1,958	67,865,598	667
Paper manufacturing	31	3,160	122,870,892	748
Printing and related support activities	345	5,882	248,408,472	812
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	D	D	D	D
Chemical manufacturing	120	8,327	558,350,513	1,289
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	71	3,777	147,928,038	753
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	82	2,633	117,821,345	861
Primary metal manufacturing	37	3,305	229,484,768	1,335
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	290	5,537	245,023,621	851
Machinery manufacturing	140	5,282	370,543,442	1,349
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	132	11,697	1,025,503,370	1,686
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	43	1,139	62,130,250	1,049
Transportation equipment manufacturing	73	4,868	310,409,001	1,226
Furniture and related product manufacturing	128	1,572	57,891,652	708

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Miscellaneous manufacturing	218	2,436	103,046,465	814
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,291	860,952	35,491,945,697	793
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	15,048	233,773	8,524,863,817	701
Utilities	40	5,346	542,871,478	1,953
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	2,207	28,429	1,686,610,752	1,141
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	975	17,647	842,628,218	918
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	605	3,335	228,406,176	1,317
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	853	18,501	778,159,895	809
Furniture and home furnishings stores	504	5,526	180,307,067	627
Electronics and appliance stores	510	5,599	210,911,233	724
Building material and garden supply stores	518	10,724	343,406,943	616
Food and beverage stores	1,861	30,224	714,174,624	454
Health and personal care stores	790	9,087	305,727,665	647
Gasoline stations	638	4,017	75,578,210	362
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	1,222	14,833	264,694,345	343
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	549	7,088	144,355,357	392
General merchandise stores	365	24,547	458,978,873	360
Miscellaneous store retailers	1,160	10,071	212,372,176	406
Nonstore retailers	280	2,748	95,054,780	665
Air transportation	45	4,120	254,562,327	1,188
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	D	D	D	D
Truck transportation	831	8,904	355,517,515	768
Transit and ground passenger transportation	348	5,492	124,576,955	436
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	29	310	5,126,672	318
Support activities for transportation	415	6,202	271,211,122	841
Postal service	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	165	4,439	174,378,350	755
Warehousing and storage	111	6,169	231,195,109	721
Information	1,021	20,470	1,152,261,312	1,083
Publishing industries, except Internet	249	5,668	288,825,745	980
Motion picture and sound recording industries	181	1,768	41,894,653	456
Broadcasting, except Internet	50	2,016	130,809,265	1,248
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	326	8,636	554,085,430	1,234
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	168	1,928	113,301,558	1,130
Other information services	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	6,847	80,555	5,465,398,007	1,305
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,790	27,218	1,584,369,300	1,119

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INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	559	9,528	1,571,368,067	3,172
Insurance carriers and related activities	1,557	20,272	1,259,556,542	1,195
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	69	862	60,177,463	1,343
Real estate	2,358	14,803	676,620,890	879
Rental and leasing services	486	7,263	280,512,834	743
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	13,952	175,680	8,964,734,570	981
Professional and technical services	9,405	94,450	6,270,701,286	1,277
Management of companies and enterprises	171	4,776	440,358,082	1,773
Administrative and support services	4,130	72,732	2,098,348,259	555
Waste management and remediation services	246	3,722	155,326,943	803
Education and Health Services	7,382	198,299	8,219,545,312	797
Educational services	911	37,812	1,671,430,314	850
Ambulatory health care services	4,471	45,329	2,271,712,697	964
Hospitals	73	60,976	2,827,313,688	892
Nursing and residential care facilities	680	31,006	879,452,817	545
Social assistance	1,247	23,176	569,635,796	473
Leisure and Hospitality	6,038	111,468	2,011,945,664	347
Performing arts and spectator sports	296	3,226	287,941,748	1,716
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	52	1,365	35,177,239	496
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	727	13,502	223,024,231	318
Accommodation	242	9,534	214,502,425	433
Food services and drinking places	4,721	83,841	1,251,300,021	287
Other Services	7,003	40,707	1,153,197,015	545
Repair and maintenance	2,154	12,608	452,310,573	690
Personal and laundry services	1,918	15,123	311,906,670	397
Membership associations and organizations	1,154	11,053	354,515,986	617
Private households	1,777	1,923	34,463,786	345
UNCLASSIFIED	268	225	7,263,328	621

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	58,843	923,965	\$44,316,157,860	\$922
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	987	184,338	10,845,953,003	1,131
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	327	71,704	5,798,725,923	1,555
STATE GOVERNMENT	39	19,036	757,580,883	765
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	621	93,598	4,289,646,197	881
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	57,856	739,627	33,470,204,857	870
GOODS-PRODUCING	7,906	114,020	6,005,686,737	1,013
Natural Resources and Mining	144	1,652	60,352,303	703
Crop production	42	475	12,791,697	518
Animal production	31	436	11,705,317	516
Forestry and logging	9	51	1,192,330	450
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	40	171	5,123,932	576
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	11	386	24,136,627	1,203
Support activities for mining	8	108	4,509,867	803
Construction	6,569	78,161	3,799,074,117	935
Construction of buildings	2,334	20,069	1,137,461,930	1,090
Heavy and civil engineering construction	296	6,018	305,101,552	975
Specialty trade contractors	3,939	52,074	2,356,510,635	870
Manufacturing	1,193	34,207	2,146,260,317	1,207
Food manufacturing	86	2,329	74,782,267	617
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	19	1,419	59,299,844	804
Textile mills	10	230	11,559,018	966
Textile product mills	40	396	13,937,668	677
Apparel manufacturing	23	362	8,944,460	475
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	34	992	41,976,347	814
Paper manufacturing	7	193	8,888,120	886
Printing and related support activities	247	5,856	291,083,451	956
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	9	294	17,459,107	1,142
Chemical manufacturing	46	2,606	205,921,626	1,520
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	19	361	15,728,178	838
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	58	1,506	70,095,902	895
Primary metal manufacturing	D	D	D	D
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	97	2,370	112,665,492	914
Machinery manufacturing	45	1,137	55,138,145	933
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	146	9,714	905,246,464	1,792
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	16	178	13,765,969	1,487

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Transportation equipment manufacturing	29	1,572	112,766,489	1,380
Furniture and related product manufacturing	90	958	39,726,097	797
Miscellaneous manufacturing	160	1,077	49,455,059	883
SERVICE PROVIDING	49,280	624,790	27,431,966,325	844
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,923	160,304	5,698,811,497	684
Utilities	50	3,232	252,082,007	1,500
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	1,359	17,933	1,166,391,481	1,251
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	534	7,240	351,308,736	933
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	339	1,756	117,644,943	1,288
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	553	15,408	702,585,812	877
Furniture and home furnishings stores	470	5,560	189,149,891	654
Electronics and appliance stores	413	5,091	186,571,056	705
Building material and garden supply stores	376	10,131	347,166,523	659
Food and beverage stores	1,198	21,244	551,873,436	500
Health and personal care stores	577	5,498	148,018,740	518
Gasoline stations	533	3,905	84,915,451	418
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	892	11,647	189,865,637	314
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	408	5,864	124,795,084	409
General merchandise stores	264	20,629	419,995,839	392
Miscellaneous store retailers	763	6,982	152,811,989	421
Nonstore retailers	194	1,346	56,899,823	813
Air transportation	10	133	4,165,152	602
Water transportation	10	236	11,743,943	957
Truck transportation	429	4,323	145,387,947	647
Transit and ground passenger transportation	D	D	D	D
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	12	27	650,937	464
Support activities for transportation	171	1,961	114,036,983	1,118
Postal service	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	119	5,501	197,601,295	691
Warehousing and storage	55	2,440	129,851,048	1,023
Information	1,096	23,895	1,702,522,726	1,370
Publishing industries, except Internet	267	5,445	331,445,354	1,171
Motion picture and sound recording industries	185	1,610	42,504,458	508
Broadcasting, except Internet	46	2,372	274,665,664	2,227
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	309	9,828	741,180,814	1,450
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	243	3,984	266,677,187	1,287
Other information services	D	D	D	D

**TABLE I
MAJOR INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
Financial Activities	5,398	59,983	3,882,079,422	1,245
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,438	20,812	1,304,093,350	1,205
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	410	4,272	533,381,671	2,401
Insurance carriers and related activities	981	12,826	887,565,238	1,331
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	53	881	51,223,370	1,118
Real estate	2,133	15,785	895,214,550	1,091
Rental and leasing services	365	5,288	202,022,983	735
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	12,625	162,142	9,280,940,720	1,101
Professional and technical services	8,946	96,322	6,914,587,429	1,381
Management of companies and enterprises	107	6,326	475,516,884	1,446
Administrative and support services	3,423	56,946	1,784,401,011	603
Waste management and remediation services	149	2,548	106,435,396	803
Education and Health Services	6,449	100,020	4,026,835,968	774
Educational services	D	D	D	D
Ambulatory health care services	4,202	35,216	1,929,611,290	1,054
Hospitals	37	18,904	833,297,586	848
Nursing and residential care facilities	501	19,200	516,181,361	517
Social assistance	D	D	D	D
Leisure and Hospitality	4,101	81,432	1,661,945,054	392
Performing arts and spectator sports	255	3,176	78,519,329	475
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	24	325	8,299,713	491
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	413	8,918	162,183,118	350
Accommodation	193	9,596	531,415,031	1,065
Food services and drinking places	3,216	59,417	881,527,863	285
Other Services	9,688	37,014	1,178,830,938	612
Repair and maintenance	1,554	8,976	348,454,487	747
Personal and laundry services	1,392	11,875	278,987,015	452
Membership associations and organizations	880	10,029	441,609,901	847
Private households	5,862	6,134	109,779,535	344
UNCLASSIFIED	670	817	32,551,795	766

NOTE: D - indicates data do not meet agency disclosure standards.

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY COUNTY**

TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	STATE BY COUNTY	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES
STATE OF MARYLAND	161,143	2,497,416	110,806,264,624	\$853

ALLEGANY	1,744	30,284	870,076,258	553
ANNE ARUNDEL	14,199	222,106	9,399,812,935	814
BALTIMORE CITY	14,121	349,980	16,680,400,336	917
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,323	371,371	15,699,771,611	813
CALVERT	1,889	20,810	756,586,785	699
CAROLINE	717	8,744	256,379,658	564
CARROLL	4,740	54,082	1,728,458,765	615
CECIL	1,955	29,203	1,127,051,675	742
CHARLES	2,919	40,769	1,409,525,822	665
DORCHESTER	798	12,035	366,054,612	585
FREDERICK	5,802	91,079	3,512,717,232	742
GARRETT	984	11,489	290,727,580	487
HARFORD	5,543	80,479	3,035,441,558	725
HOWARD	8,297	138,778	6,545,593,657	907
KENT	753	8,106	246,857,624	586
MONTGOMERY	32,577	458,668	24,845,237,503	1,042
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,656	312,639	13,792,090,518	848
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,479	12,928	386,777,346	575
SAINT MARY'S	1,949	37,591	1,730,404,281	885
SOMERSET	468	6,973	218,554,259	603
TALBOT	1,787	19,124	605,171,740	609
WASHINGTON	3,444	65,957	2,216,344,793	646
WICOMICO	2,782	45,364	1,469,298,693	623
WORCESTER	2,272	24,479	610,351,682	480
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	12,945	44,378	3,006,577,701	1,303

BALTIMORE MSA	69,702	1,229,724	53,476,256,208	836
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	58,843	923,965	44,316,157,860	922

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY COUNTY - CONTINUED**

GOVERNMENT SECTOR				
STATE BY COUNTY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
STATE OF MARYLAND	3,140	448,627	\$23,155,453,968	\$993

ALLEGANY	76	6,141	227,529,071	713
ANNE ARUNDEL	307	33,835	1,539,032,572	875
BALTIMORE CITY	436	74,913	3,562,105,914	914
BALTIMORE COUNTY	275	58,741	2,882,345,800	944
CALVERT	60	3,796	163,220,168	827
CAROLINE	36	1,483	51,029,312	662
CARROLL	85	7,812	292,508,319	720
CECIL	77	7,068	368,277,600	1,002
CHARLES	88	8,253	406,388,800	947
DORCHESTER	49	2,183	83,194,230	733
FREDERICK	133	13,566	614,914,980	872
GARRETT	55	1,703	55,029,920	621
HARFORD	118	16,257	876,074,525	1,036
HOWARD	128	16,400	700,394,498	821
KENT	37	1,102	38,805,649	677
MONTGOMERY	339	77,946	5,266,090,180	1,299
PRINCE GEORGE'S	367	80,777	4,395,338,875	1,046
QUEEN ANNE'S	49	2,390	84,545,633	680
SAINT MARY'S	83	11,092	708,942,172	1,229
SOMERSET	41	2,860	101,733,782	684
TALBOT	44	1,845	70,081,559	730
WASHINGTON	108	8,234	299,172,711	699
WICOMICO	76	6,572	237,681,851	696
WORCESTER	68	3,643	130,413,811	688
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	5	15	602,036	772

BALTIMORE MSA	1,398	210,348	9,937,007,261	908
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	987	184,338	10,845,953,003	1,131

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY COUNTY - CONTINUED**

PRIVATE SECTOR STATE BY COUNTY	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
STATE OF MARYLAND *****	158,003	2,048,789	\$87,650,810,656	\$823
ALLEGANY	1,668	24,143	642,547,187	512
ANNE ARUNDEL	13,892	188,271	7,860,780,363	803
BALTIMORE CITY	13,685	275,067	13,118,294,422	917
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,048	312,630	12,817,425,811	788
CALVERT	1,829	17,014	593,366,617	671
CAROLINE	681	7,261	205,350,346	544
CARROLL	4,655	46,270	1,435,950,446	597
CECIL	1,878	22,135	758,774,075	659
CHARLES	2,831	32,516	1,003,137,022	593
DORCHESTER	749	9,852	282,860,382	552
FREDERICK	5,669	77,513	2,897,802,252	719
GARRETT	929	9,786	235,697,660	463
HARFORD	5,425	64,222	2,159,367,033	647
HOWARD	8,169	122,378	5,845,199,159	919
KENT	716	7,004	208,051,975	571
MONTGOMERY	32,238	380,722	19,579,147,323	989
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,289	231,862	9,396,751,643	779
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,430	10,538	302,231,713	552
SAINT MARY'S	1,866	26,499	1,021,462,109	741
SOMERSET	427	4,113	116,820,477	546
TALBOT	1,743	17,279	535,090,181	596
WASHINGTON	3,336	57,723	1,917,172,082	639
WICOMICO	2,706	38,792	1,231,616,842	611
WORCESTER	2,204	20,836	479,937,871	443
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	12,940	44,363	3,005,975,665	1,303

BALTIMORE MSA	68,304	1,019,376	43,539,248,947	821
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	57,856	739,627	33,470,204,857	870

**TABLE III
COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES**

	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
STATE OF MARYLAND				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	161,143	2,497,416	110,806,264,624	\$853
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,140	448,627	23,155,453,968	993
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	940	125,737	9,396,409,735	1,437
STATE GOVERNMENT	379	96,707	4,216,706,243	839
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,821	226,183	9,542,337,990	811
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	158,003	2,048,789	87,650,810,656	823
GOODS-PRODUCING	23,829	330,435	16,310,808,405	949
Natural Resources and Mining	721	6,891	229,490,806	640
Construction	18,786	182,878	8,395,612,156	883
Manufacturing	4,322	140,666	7,685,705,443	1,051
SERVICE PROVIDING	132,358	1,716,583	71,246,896,165	798
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,673	466,162	16,874,385,689	696
Information	2,867	50,368	3,122,708,697	1,192
Financial Activities	14,734	158,234	10,162,025,929	1,235
Professional and Business Services	33,604	383,250	20,524,155,644	1,030
Education and Health Services	16,100	340,182	13,759,869,593	778
Leisure and Hospitality	12,429	229,246	4,196,244,699	352
Other Services	18,951	89,141	2,607,505,914	563
UNCLASSIFIED	1,816	1,771	93,106,086	1,011
BALTIMORE MSA				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	69,702	1,229,724	\$53,476,256,208	\$836
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,398	210,348	9,937,007,261	908
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	362	41,332	2,712,304,187	1,262
STATE GOVERNMENT	244	65,482	3,013,078,976	885
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	792	103,534	4,211,624,098	782
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,304	1,019,376	43,539,248,947	821
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,745	158,199	8,040,039,922	977
Natural Resources and Mining	243	1,742	52,423,691	579
Construction	8,343	81,195	3,749,267,908	888
Manufacturing	2,159	75,262	4,238,348,323	1,083
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,291	860,952	35,491,945,697	793
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	15,048	233,773	8,524,863,817	701
Information	1,021	20,470	1,152,261,312	1,083
Financial Activities	6,847	80,555	5,465,398,007	1,305
Professional and Business Services	13,952	175,680	8,964,734,570	981
Education and Health Services	7,382	198,299	8,219,545,312	797
Leisure and Hospitality	6,038	111,468	2,011,945,664	347
Other Services	7,003	40,707	1,153,197,015	545
UNCLASSIFIED	268	225	7,263,328	621

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COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
ALLEGANY COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,744	30,284	\$870,076,258	\$553
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	76	6,141	227,529,071	713
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	22	559	29,407,070	1,012
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	2,385	89,014,913	718
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	42	3,197	109,107,088	656
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,668	24,143	642,547,187	512
GOODS-PRODUCING	242	4,933	180,863,353	705
Natural Resources and Mining	18	182	5,941,772	628
Construction	158	1,350	44,569,583	635
Manufacturing	66	3,401	130,351,998	737
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,421	19,205	461,550,338	462
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	439	5,280	118,444,628	431
Information	25	448	14,557,937	625
Financial Activities	124	766	23,622,079	593
Professional and Business Services	186	2,274	51,642,071	437
Education and Health Services	253	6,037	197,519,663	629
Leisure and Hospitality	188	3,311	38,363,566	223
Other Services	206	1,089	17,400,394	307
UNCLASSIFIED	5	5	133,496	513
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,199	222,106	\$9,399,812,935	\$814
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	307	33,835	1,539,032,572	875
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	101	7,492	439,481,768	1,128
STATE GOVERNMENT	65	8,616	365,299,857	815
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	141	17,727	734,250,947	797
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,892	188,271	7,860,780,363	803
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,336	30,824	1,787,382,639	1,115
Natural Resources and Mining	30	168	6,347,417	727
Construction	1,950	16,715	747,679,673	860
Manufacturing	356	13,941	1,033,355,549	1,425
SERVICE PROVIDING	11,427	157,316	6,069,041,190	742
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,083	52,200	1,918,859,305	707
Information	226	4,340	220,623,602	978
Financial Activities	1,302	11,724	598,493,353	982
Professional and Business Services	3,017	33,647	1,799,114,133	1,028
Education and Health Services	1,167	21,469	844,609,747	757
Leisure and Hospitality	1,197	25,484	439,641,426	332
Other Services	1,435	8,452	247,699,624	564
UNCLASSIFIED	129	131	4,356,534	640

**TABLE III
COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
BALTIMORE CITY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,121	349,980	\$16,680,400,336	\$917
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	436	74,913	3,562,105,914	914
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	74	8,195	477,721,641	1,121
STATE GOVERNMENT	123	39,223	1,875,490,086	920
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	239	27,495	1,208,894,187	846
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,685	275,067	13,118,294,422	917
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,482	29,024	1,380,685,495	915
Natural Resources and Mining	7	46	3,192,579	1,335
Construction	914	11,167	524,542,062	903
Manufacturing	561	17,811	852,950,854	921
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,166	246,022	11,737,200,856	917
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,148	42,820	1,811,176,834	813
Information	210	6,373	395,504,165	1,193
Financial Activities	1,318	23,404	2,228,968,891	1,832
Professional and Business Services	2,476	46,248	2,263,455,330	941
Education and Health Services	1,716	89,497	4,101,532,518	881
Leisure and Hospitality	1,689	26,563	594,140,860	430
Other Services	1,609	11,117	342,422,258	592
UNCLASSIFIED	37	21	408,071	374
BALTIMORE COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	21,323	371,371	\$15,699,771,611	\$813
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	275	58,741	2,882,345,800	944
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	69	17,068	1,206,079,230	1,359
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	11,952	549,795,679	885
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	184	29,721	1,126,470,891	729
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	21,048	312,630	12,817,425,811	788
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,953	53,029	2,794,710,555	1,014
Natural Resources and Mining	65	569	17,982,883	608
Construction	2,269	26,144	1,247,857,066	918
Manufacturing	619	26,316	1,528,870,606	1,117
SERVICE PROVIDING	18,080	259,598	10,022,627,330	742
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,551	71,037	2,347,400,909	635
Information	308	6,531	352,585,272	1,038
Financial Activities	2,370	31,227	1,846,088,988	1,137
Professional and Business Services	4,274	50,528	2,312,172,005	880
Education and Health Services	2,648	58,041	2,275,829,908	754
Leisure and Hospitality	1,783	30,565	579,412,849	365
Other Services	2,146	11,669	309,137,399	509
UNCLASSIFIED	15	3	87,926	564

**TABLE III
COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
CALVERT COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,889	20,810	\$756,586,785	\$699
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	60	3,796	163,220,168	827
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	25	139	8,452,215	1,169
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	224	7,634,596	655
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	29	3,433	147,133,357	824
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,829	17,014	593,366,617	671
GOODS-PRODUCING	493	3,043	122,380,033	773
Natural Resources and Mining	5	18	681,922	729
Construction	435	2,300	94,350,968	789
Manufacturing	53	725	27,347,143	725
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,335	13,971	470,984,684	648
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	351	4,704	197,774,951	809
Information	28	316	15,102,303	919
Financial Activities	162	756	39,843,815	1,014
Professional and Business Services	310	1,599	59,050,210	710
Education and Health Services	180	2,979	104,362,068	674
Leisure and Hospitality	152	2,849	37,388,123	252
Other Services	152	768	17,463,214	437
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	1,900	0
CAROLINE COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	717	8,744	\$256,379,658	\$564
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	36	1,483	51,029,312	662
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	89	3,219,540	696
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	188	6,475,556	662
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	1,206	41,334,216	659
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	681	7,261	205,350,346	544
GOODS-PRODUCING	205	2,421	76,706,681	609
Natural Resources and Mining	27	197	4,316,466	421
Construction	146	720	21,579,846	576
Manufacturing	32	1,504	50,810,369	650
SERVICE PROVIDING	475	4,840	128,639,238	511
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	193	2,279	69,563,360	587
Information	3	11	421,843	737
Financial Activities	55	304	9,341,427	591
Professional and Business Services	82	384	10,598,850	531
Education and Health Services	41	1,150	28,865,065	483
Leisure and Hospitality	44	518	5,313,876	197
Other Services	57	194	4,534,817	450
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	4,427	0

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COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	CALENDAR YEAR 2005			
	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
CARROLL COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	4,740	54,082	\$1,728,458,765	\$615
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	85	7,812	292,508,319	720
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	20	321	14,441,100	865
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	1,272	49,237,795	744
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	57	6,219	228,829,424	708
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	4,655	46,270	1,435,950,446	597
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,275	12,286	493,807,270	773
Natural Resources and Mining	36	240	6,384,547	512
Construction	1,069	7,345	279,663,593	732
Manufacturing	170	4,701	207,759,130	850
SERVICE PROVIDING	3,375	33,983	942,076,352	533
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	960	11,407	315,723,062	532
Information	52	524	23,617,383	867
Financial Activities	391	1,652	71,234,356	829
Professional and Business Services	829	4,703	169,870,058	695
Education and Health Services	408	7,810	248,120,333	611
Leisure and Hospitality	301	5,637	63,415,488	216
Other Services	434	2,250	50,095,672	428
UNCLASSIFIED	5	1	66,824	1,285
CECIL COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,955	29,203	\$1,127,051,675	\$742
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	77	7,068	368,277,600	1,002
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	28	3,391	226,599,744	1,285
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	324	11,264,428	669
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	3,353	130,413,428	748
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,878	22,135	758,774,075	659
GOODS-PRODUCING	416	6,545	313,790,494	922
Natural Resources and Mining	38	621	20,131,072	623
Construction	308	1,585	50,697,710	615
Manufacturing	70	4,339	242,961,712	1,077
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,461	15,590	444,983,581	549
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	471	5,786	159,930,642	532
Information	14	257	11,069,599	828
Financial Activities	165	825	27,487,449	641
Professional and Business Services	248	1,725	78,429,054	874
Education and Health Services	176	2,807	102,433,361	702
Leisure and Hospitality	217	3,221	45,065,470	269
Other Services	170	969	20,568,006	408
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	0	0

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	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
CHARLES COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,919	40,769	\$1,409,525,822	\$665
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	88	8,253	406,388,800	947
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	24	2,168	159,574,867	1,415
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	391	13,036,437	641
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	59	5,694	233,777,496	790
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,831	32,516	1,003,137,022	593
GOODS-PRODUCING	572	5,361	222,287,134	797
Natural Resources and Mining	17	121	5,471,899	870
Construction	483	4,013	164,244,367	787
Manufacturing	72	1,227	52,570,868	824
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,257	27,155	780,839,338	553
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	658	11,485	314,874,897	527
Information	38	507	21,363,680	810
Financial Activities	267	1,549	67,572,687	839
Professional and Business Services	442	3,044	133,702,093	845
Education and Health Services	336	4,112	142,111,892	665
Leisure and Hospitality	264	5,184	68,282,841	253
Other Services	252	1,274	32,931,248	497
UNCLASSIFIED	2	0	10,550	0
DORCHESTER COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	798	12,035	\$366,054,612	\$585
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	49	2,183	83,194,230	733
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	16	133	5,935,152	858
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	801	32,309,713	776
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	25	1,249	44,949,365	692
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	749	9,852	282,860,382	552
GOODS-PRODUCING	185	3,793	125,749,403	638
Natural Resources and Mining	31	378	14,159,550	720
Construction	104	566	17,598,868	598
Manufacturing	50	2,849	93,990,985	634
SERVICE PROVIDING	562	6,058	157,066,957	499
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	210	1,905	50,140,739	506
Information	13	104	3,237,919	599
Financial Activities	60	412	14,994,169	700
Professional and Business Services	73	538	12,469,863	446
Education and Health Services	63	1,470	47,762,469	625
Leisure and Hospitality	67	1,280	21,836,401	328
Other Services	76	349	6,625,397	365
UNCLASSIFIED	2	1	44,022	847

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	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
FREDERICK COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,802	91,079	\$3,512,717,232	\$742
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	133	13,566	614,914,980	872
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	56	3,236	209,675,672	1,246
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	636	23,522,859	711
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	70	9,694	381,716,449	757
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,669	77,513	2,897,802,252	719
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,323	17,784	776,863,611	840
Natural Resources and Mining	52	566	16,934,317	575
Construction	1,075	10,722	455,668,932	817
Manufacturing	196	6,496	304,260,362	901
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,329	59,715	2,120,567,430	683
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,113	16,527	515,769,861	600
Information	97	1,532	71,129,259	893
Financial Activities	519	7,785	366,074,755	904
Professional and Business Services	1,142	12,139	605,758,199	960
Education and Health Services	551	10,252	366,164,123	687
Leisure and Hospitality	428	8,346	113,152,629	261
Other Services	479	3,134	82,518,604	506
UNCLASSIFIED	17	14	371,211	510
GARRETT COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	984	11,489	\$290,727,580	\$487
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	55	1,703	55,029,920	621
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	73	2,773,218	731
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	217	7,600,252	674
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	35	1,413	44,656,450	608
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	929	9,786	235,697,660	463
GOODS-PRODUCING	282	2,571	80,011,643	598
Natural Resources and Mining	40	560	25,109,023	862
Construction	190	1,087	28,371,851	502
Manufacturing	52	924	26,530,769	552
SERVICE PROVIDING	644	7,209	155,578,440	415
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	240	2,507	52,475,182	403
Information	13	135	3,822,357	545
Financial Activities	53	498	11,345,573	438
Professional and Business Services	103	799	23,094,324	556
Education and Health Services	63	1,321	36,693,644	534
Leisure and Hospitality	87	1,459	17,439,528	230
Other Services	85	490	10,707,832	420
UNCLASSIFIED	3	6	107,577	345

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	AVERAGE NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
HARFORD COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,543	80,479	\$3,035,441,558	\$725
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	118	16,257	876,074,525	1,036
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	53	7,537	533,851,178	1,362
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	475	16,450,551	666
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	59	8,245	325,772,796	760
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,425	64,222	2,159,367,033	647
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,188	12,318	502,757,182	785
Natural Resources and Mining	40	196	4,732,175	464
Construction	979	7,033	276,553,387	756
Manufacturing	169	5,089	221,471,620	837
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,214	51,882	1,656,087,666	614
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,220	18,371	527,714,360	552
Information	54	688	33,223,144	929
Financial Activities	504	3,317	131,862,186	764
Professional and Business Services	1,015	10,778	516,654,692	922
Education and Health Services	511	8,069	274,500,515	654
Leisure and Hospitality	408	7,928	100,009,428	243
Other Services	502	2,731	72,123,341	508
UNCLASSIFIED	23	22	522,185	456
HOWARD COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	8,297	138,778	\$6,545,593,657	\$907
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	128	16,400	700,394,498	821
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	30	631	37,207,216	1,134
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	3,749	150,717,919	773
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	84	12,020	512,469,363	820
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	8,169	122,378	5,845,199,159	919
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,134	18,417	996,819,145	1,041
Natural Resources and Mining	35	343	9,383,813	526
Construction	863	11,497	624,281,496	1,044
Manufacturing	236	6,577	363,153,836	1,062
SERVICE PROVIDING	6,982	103,917	4,846,655,844	897
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,724	34,758	1,515,641,150	839
Information	151	1,874	120,978,933	1,241
Financial Activities	854	8,852	575,546,140	1,250
Professional and Business Services	2,102	28,779	1,858,962,326	1,242
Education and Health Services	869	12,766	455,808,327	687
Leisure and Hospitality	542	12,995	201,587,070	298
Other Services	740	3,893	118,131,898	584
UNCLASSIFIED	53	44	1,724,170	754

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KENT COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	753	8,106	\$246,857,624	\$586
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	37	1,102	38,805,649	677
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	80	3,145,117	756
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	284	10,160,258	688
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	738	25,500,274	664
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	716	7,004	208,051,975	571
GOODS-PRODUCING	153	1,528	50,590,703	637
Natural Resources and Mining	35	340	11,614,621	657
Construction	93	385	12,039,226	601
Manufacturing	25	803	26,936,856	645
SERVICE PROVIDING	561	5,474	157,424,755	553
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	159	1,121	27,657,766	474
Information	6	54	2,472,965	881
Financial Activities	53	419	16,202,216	744
Professional and Business Services	82	668	25,157,758	724
Education and Health Services	79	1,841	61,874,048	646
Leisure and Hospitality	97	1,124	18,697,258	320
Other Services	85	247	5,362,744	418
UNCLASSIFIED	2	2	36,517	351
MONTGOMERY COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	32,577	458,668	\$24,845,237,503	1,042
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	339	77,946	5,266,090,180	1,299
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	105	39,968	3,419,622,619	1,645
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	1,043	36,641,446	676
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	226	36,935	1,809,826,115	942
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	32,238	380,722	19,579,147,323	989
GOODS-PRODUCING	3,259	44,867	2,736,486,668	1,173
Natural Resources and Mining	45	709	27,547,330	747
Construction	2,721	29,444	1,552,080,546	1,014
Manufacturing	493	14,714	1,156,858,792	1,512
SERVICE PROVIDING	28,499	335,237	16,816,020,204	965
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,344	64,990	2,483,191,545	735
Information	655	15,105	1,186,577,932	1,511
Financial Activities	2,943	36,127	2,775,579,949	1,477
Professional and Business Services	7,758	101,111	6,174,869,111	1,174
Education and Health Services	3,547	56,698	2,417,924,192	820
Leisure and Hospitality	1,985	39,505	1,061,145,926	517
Other Services	7,267	21,701	716,731,549	635
UNCLASSIFIED	480	618	26,640,451	829

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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	15,656	312,639	\$13,792,090,518	\$848
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	367	80,777	4,395,338,875	1,046
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	117	26,193	2,001,400,550	1,469
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	16,742	676,745,545	777
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	237	37,842	1,717,192,780	873
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	15,289	231,862	9,396,751,643	779
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,259	42,965	2,147,669,291	961
Natural Resources and Mining	25	238	9,716,835	785
Construction	1,855	31,682	1,532,729,304	930
Manufacturing	379	11,045	605,223,152	1,054
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,860	188,712	7,243,554,669	738
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,457	62,598	2,187,200,243	672
Information	278	6,435	408,349,552	1,220
Financial Activities	1,507	13,766	633,008,216	884
Professional and Business Services	2,973	44,249	2,307,561,107	1,003
Education and Health Services	1,835	25,979	996,273,693	737
Leisure and Hospitality	1,272	25,548	381,975,535	288
Other Services	1,538	10,137	329,186,323	625
UNCLASSIFIED	170	185	5,527,683	575
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,479	12,928	\$386,777,346	\$575
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	49	2,390	84,545,633	680
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	15	88	3,522,054	770
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	195	6,087,089	600
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	28	2,107	74,936,490	684
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,430	10,538	302,231,713	552
GOODS-PRODUCING	377	2,301	83,877,636	701
Natural Resources and Mining	30	180	4,400,277	470
Construction	299	1,294	48,690,631	724
Manufacturing	48	827	30,786,728	716
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,047	8,234	218,256,459	510
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	362	3,180	88,348,197	534
Information	20	140	5,728,813	787
Financial Activities	108	379	13,204,093	670
Professional and Business Services	239	997	44,506,026	858
Education and Health Services	63	647	19,143,964	569
Leisure and Hospitality	118	2,296	33,738,543	283
Other Services	137	595	13,586,823	439
UNCLASSIFIED	6	3	97,618	626

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SAINT MARY'S COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,949	37,591	\$1,730,404,281	\$885
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	83	11,092	708,942,172	1,229
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	37	6,858	547,946,937	1,537
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	778	29,583,398	731
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	38	3,456	131,411,837	731
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,866	26,499	1,021,462,109	741
GOODS-PRODUCING	385	2,376	90,266,979	731
Natural Resources and Mining	11	29	863,602	573
Construction	333	1,860	64,774,762	670
Manufacturing	41	487	24,628,615	973
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,479	24,123	931,195,130	742
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	447	6,458	184,827,405	550
Information	25	226	9,483,539	807
Financial Activities	132	942	33,363,068	681
Professional and Business Services	385	8,655	515,008,459	1,144
Education and Health Services	168	3,742	130,986,623	673
Leisure and Hospitality	172	3,224	36,058,643	215
Other Services	150	876	21,467,393	471
UNCLASSIFIED	2	0	0	0
SOMERSET COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	468	6,973	\$218,554,259	\$603
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	41	2,860	101,733,782	684
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	61	2,454,991	774
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,948	70,355,534	695
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	851	28,923,257	654
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	427	4,113	116,820,477	546
GOODS-PRODUCING	109	1,029	29,259,453	547
Natural Resources and Mining	13	351	9,120,596	500
Construction	76	324	9,043,999	537
Manufacturing	20	354	11,094,858	603
SERVICE PROVIDING	318	3,084	87,561,024	546
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	110	1,307	50,151,827	738
Information	4	22	744,564	651
Financial Activities	38	235	5,461,845	447
Professional and Business Services	47	181	5,482,453	583
Education and Health Services	40	766	19,359,347	486
Leisure and Hospitality	42	480	4,320,493	173
Other Services	37	93	2,040,495	422
UNCLASSIFIED	0	0	0	0

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TALBOT COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,787	19,124	\$605,171,740	\$609
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	44	1,845	70,081,559	730
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	18	267	12,813,041	923
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	203	6,478,211	614
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	20	1,375	50,790,307	710
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,743	17,279	535,090,181	596
GOODS-PRODUCING	326	3,373	119,459,234	681
Natural Resources and Mining	17	82	2,103,306	493
Construction	259	1,699	62,645,308	709
Manufacturing	50	1,592	54,710,620	661
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,411	13,901	415,345,404	575
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	369	3,789	100,824,215	512
Information	24	326	12,043,297	710
Financial Activities	162	902	43,162,478	920
Professional and Business Services	280	2,131	74,202,190	670
Education and Health Services	173	3,259	118,404,654	699
Leisure and Hospitality	142	2,434	38,845,053	307
Other Services	261	1,060	27,863,517	506
UNCLASSIFIED	6	5	285,543	1,098
WASHINGTON COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	3,444	65,957	\$2,216,344,793	\$646
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	108	8,234	299,172,711	699
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	34	650	25,369,304	751
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	2,494	93,651,568	722
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	63	5,090	180,151,839	681
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	3,336	57,723	1,917,172,082	639
GOODS-PRODUCING	682	13,371	560,385,097	806
Natural Resources and Mining	20	149	5,895,084	761
Construction	502	4,202	151,636,985	694
Manufacturing	160	9,020	402,853,028	859
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,636	44,320	1,355,842,359	588
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	964	15,570	457,510,383	565
Information	46	1,461	42,130,338	555
Financial Activities	272	6,523	264,127,413	779
Professional and Business Services	420	4,236	164,137,033	745
Education and Health Services	299	8,893	317,237,327	686
Leisure and Hospitality	331	5,854	71,715,753	236
Other Services	304	1,783	38,984,112	420
UNCLASSIFIED	18	32	944,626	568

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WICOMICO COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,782	45,364	\$1,469,298,693	\$623
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	76	6,572	237,681,851	696
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	26	339	17,188,644	975
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	2,236	77,986,860	671
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	3,997	142,506,347	686
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,706	38,792	1,231,616,842	611
GOODS-PRODUCING	514	8,136	285,822,152	676
Natural Resources and Mining	37	398	11,274,270	545
Construction	377	3,348	116,828,688	671
Manufacturing	100	4,390	157,719,194	691
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,186	30,649	945,486,764	593
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	664	9,880	273,613,387	533
Information	33	817	34,481,502	812
Financial Activities	279	1,979	77,795,565	756
Professional and Business Services	407	4,554	170,066,405	718
Education and Health Services	314	6,968	287,447,269	793
Leisure and Hospitality	227	4,019	48,616,095	233
Other Services	262	2,432	53,466,541	423
UNCLASSIFIED	6	7	307,926	846
WORCESTER COUNTY				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,272	24,479	\$610,351,682	\$480
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	68	3,643	130,413,811	688
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	16	201	8,526,867	816
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	327	10,935,148	643
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	46	3,115	110,951,796	685
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,204	20,836	479,937,871	443
GOODS-PRODUCING	398	3,236	98,262,048	584
Natural Resources and Mining	33	152	4,003,863	507
Construction	322	2,086	62,399,004	575
Manufacturing	43	998	31,859,181	614
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,802	17,597	381,573,730	417
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	516	4,056	96,108,785	456
Information	27	125	4,565,582	702
Financial Activities	266	1,206	38,037,877	607
Professional and Business Services	243	1,091	35,435,896	625
Education and Health Services	131	1,762	53,432,567	583
Leisure and Hospitality	460	8,643	139,173,004	310
Other Services	159	714	14,820,019	399
UNCLASSIFIED	4	3	102,093	654

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NONDISTRIBUTABLE				
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	12,945	44,378	\$3,006,577,701	1,303
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	5	15	602,036	772
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0
STATE GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	0	0	0	0
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,281	4,904	253,914,506	996
Natural Resources and Mining	14	58	2,181,587	723
Construction	1,006	4,310	205,084,301	915
Manufacturing	261	536	46,648,618	1,674
SERVICE PROVIDING	10,831	38,791	2,700,736,423	1,339
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,920	12,147	1,009,462,056	1,598
Information	517	2,017	128,893,217	1,229
Financial Activities	830	2,685	249,607,341	1,788
Professional and Business Services	4,471	18,192	1,112,755,998	1,176
Education and Health Services	469	1,847	111,472,276	1,161
Leisure and Hospitality	216	779	36,908,841	911
Other Services	408	1,124	51,636,694	883
UNCLASSIFIED	828	668	51,324,736	1,478

APPENDIX A

SOURCE OF DATA

Data contained in this report represent all employers covered by the Unemployment Insurance (UI) law of Maryland as well as federal workers covered by 5 U.S.C. section 85 (Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees). The state-insured data are compiled from quarterly contributions reports submitted by employers subject to the Maryland law. Included are all reports received plus estimates for those known to be delinquent. Incomplete reports have missing data elements estimated as necessary to provide useful data. Employers known to have more than one physical location operating in Maryland are requested to "breakdown" the data submitted. A Multiple Worksite Report completed by an employer allows data to be disaggregated into reporting units. Employment data pertaining to the federal government are obtained from similarly required reports submitted by the various government installations located in Maryland.

SCOPE OF COVERAGE

An employer is subject to Maryland's UI law as soon as one or more workers are employed in the state. The following types of wage and salary employment are currently exempt from this coverage:

- ◆ *Railroad workers*
- ◆ *Agricultural labor where cash wages are less than \$20,000 or fewer than 10 workers are employed during the current or preceding quarter*
- ◆ *Domestic service unless during any quarter of the current or preceding calendar year the employer pays cash wages of at least \$1,000 to individuals performing the employment*
- ◆ *Crew members and officers of vessels having a capacity of 10 tons or less*
- ◆ *State and local government elected officials*
- ◆ *Religious organization workers except where employment is elected to be covered as provided for in the law*
- ◆ *Insurance and real estate agents that receive payment solely by commission*

In addition to the wage and salaried workers listed above, all self-employed and family workers are not covered by the law. A more complete definition of covered workers may be obtained by referring to the annotated code of Maryland.

Federal employment represents civilian employees only. A few installations are exempt because of national security.

APPENDIX B

EXPLANATION OF TERMS

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER - The total wages paid divided by thirteen (number of weeks in a quarter) then divided by the quarterly average employment. It should be noted that no attempt is made to standardize the workweek. Industries that employ a large number of part-time workers will normally have a downward bias while those that engage in extensive payment of overtime will normally have an upward bias.

BALTIMORE MSA - The Baltimore MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) consists of Baltimore City and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, Howard and Queen Anne's counties.

EMPLOYMENT - The number of workers earning wages during the pay period including the 12th of the month. Included are those on paid sick leave, paid holiday, paid vacation, etc. The count excludes those who did not earn wages during the entire pay period because of layoffs, work stoppages, illness or unpaid vacation. Individuals on more than one payroll are counted each time they are reported. Employment is by reporting unit and is included in the area in which the unit is located.

INDUSTRY - The type of activity(s) engaged in by an employer are classified according to the 2002 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Manual. Where more than one activity is involved the dominant activity is used for classification. When an employer has more than one reporting unit, each unit is assigned to an industry based on the activity of that specific unit. Included in the Unclassified category are those units for which no industry can be assigned.

MARYLAND PORTION OF D.C. MSA - The Maryland portion of the Washington, D.C. MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) consists of Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, and Prince George's counties.

NONDISTRIBUTABLE - This is the area designation for reporting units that cannot be assigned to one specific area. This includes sales and other personnel with no permanent place of work or established place of business in the state.

EMPLOYER/REPORTING UNIT - An employer is the legal entity subject to the Unemployment Insurance law. In most cases the employer is equivalent to the establishment or reporting unit, while in some cases the employer will include several establishments or reporting units. A reporting unit is the economic unit for which data are submitted by an employer. Reporting units are, for the most part, individual establishments. An establishment is generally defined as a single physical location where primarily one type of economic activity is conducted. An employer may have more than one reporting unit; however, most employers operate only one place of business and therefore only have one reporting unit. In Maryland, approximately 1,900 employers have more than one reporting unit and account for approximately 17,700 of the total number of units.

ANNUAL AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT - The result of summing the employment reported in each of the three months of the quarter and then dividing by three.

TOTAL WAGES - The sum of all compensation for services. This includes bonuses, commissions, tips and the cash value of all compensation in any medium other than cash such as the value of meals and lodging.

APPENDIX C

LIMITATIONS

Although these data represent the largest universe of employment and wage information regularly available, there are some limitations associated with the use of the data presented in this report. The user should be aware of the following in making use of the data presented here:

- Terms used in this report have specific meanings and may not be the same as in other publications even though the terms appear to be the same.
- All data represent the best available estimates at the time the report was prepared. Once the data are prepared, they are not revised based on later information.
- Data reported by employers are edited and corrected, however not all reporting errors are able to be discerned.
- Total wages are based on when the wages were paid and not when they were earned. Bonuses and different pay periods may cause the figures to fluctuate from quarter to quarter.
- Industry and area designations are updated once a year as necessary when additional information warrants a change. This occurs in the first quarter report and thus data from previous reports may not always be comparable.
- Employers may change the way they report if they have more than one establishment. Employers may begin to report by more than one reporting unit or may elect to revert back to reporting only one unit.