

**Table I.B.3.a(2002) Percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2002**

<b>Characteristics</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Less than 10 employees</b>	<b>10-24 employees</b>	<b>25-99 employees</b>	<b>100-999 employees</b>	<b>1000 or more employees</b>	<b>Less than 50 employees</b>	<b>50 or more employees</b>
United States	89,099,457	10.9%	8.0%	13.5%	19.0%	48.6%	25.5%	74.5%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	1,078,223	32.2%	10.0%	18.9%	17.0%	21.9% *	54.0%	46.0%
Mining and manufacturing	14,720,266	3.4%	5.1%	15.1%	21.8%	54.6%	14.8%	85.2%
Construction	5,398,756	25.4%	20.0%	28.9%	16.6%	9.1%	61.2%	38.8%
Utilities and transp.	3,864,368	6.3%	5.8%	9.9%	14.5%	63.5%	16.1%	83.9%
Wholesale trade	5,438,315	11.9%	11.7%	14.6%	26.5%	35.3%	30.4%	69.6%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	10,951,512	7.9%	4.4%	6.7%	13.1%	67.8%	15.3%	84.7%
Retail trade	9,954,940	13.0%	9.5%	13.3%	16.4%	47.8%	29.3%	70.7%
Professional services	20,772,791	11.4%	6.5%	10.4%	20.2%	51.5%	23.0%	77.0%
Other services	16,920,287	12.4%	9.1%	15.6%	19.8%	43.1%	29.3%	70.7%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	65,359,306	9.7%	8.6%	14.2%	17.4%	50.1%	25.2%	74.8%
For profit, unincorporated	7,678,923	33.8%	11.2%	14.2%	23.1%	17.7%	52.2%	47.8%
Nonprofit	11,211,733	7.2%	5.7%	14.3%	29.9%	42.9%	19.2%	80.8%
Unknown	4,849,495	0.3% *	0.1% *	0.7% *	8.6% *	90.2%	1.0% *	99.0%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	3,860,197	40.7%	16.1%	21.5%	14.6%	7.1%	66.9%	33.1%
5-9 years	6,491,785	28.4%	17.3%	20.3%	15.0%	19.0%	56.1%	43.9%
10-19 years	11,949,140	21.6%	16.0%	23.6%	25.8%	13.1%	50.3%	49.7%
20 or more years	45,094,870	8.3%	7.7%	15.5%	24.2%	44.4%	23.1%	76.9%
Unknown	21,703,466	0.1%	0.0% *	0.2%	6.4%	93.3%	0.2%	99.8%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	56,373,434	0.3%	0.8%	4.9%	19.3%	74.8%	3.0%	97.0%
1 location only	32,726,023	29.3%	20.5%	28.3%	18.4%	3.6%	64.2%	35.8%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	904,923	10.0%	10.5%	18.7%	16.7%	44.1%	30.4%	69.6%
25-49 %	3,538,387	11.3%	10.1%	14.9%	17.7%	46.0%	28.6%	71.4%
50-74 %	9,132,073	15.7%	8.7%	16.1%	19.6%	39.9%	32.3%	67.7%
75% or more	75,524,074	10.3%	7.8%	13.0%	19.0%	49.8%	24.4%	75.6%
Union presence								
No union employees	67,079,067	13.8%	9.9%	15.8%	20.5%	40.1%	31.3%	68.7%
Has union employees	14,456,063	1.5%	2.3%	8.0%	15.0%	73.3%	7.5%	92.5%
Unknown	7,564,327	3.4%	2.3%	3.5% *	13.5%	77.4%	7.6%	92.4%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	13,403,800	17.9%	11.8%	22.1%	27.2%	21.0%	40.1%	59.9%
Less than 50% low wage	45,404,041	15.0%	11.5%	18.9%	24.1%	30.4%	35.8%	64.2%
Unknown	30,291,616	1.7%	1.0%	1.6%	7.7%	88.1%	3.4%	96.6%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2002 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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**Table I.B.3.a(2002) Standard error for percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2002**

<b>Characteristics</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Less than 10 employees</b>	<b>10-24 employees</b>	<b>25-99 employees</b>	<b>100-999 employees</b>	<b>1000 or more employees</b>	<b>Less than 50 employees</b>	<b>50 or more employees</b>
United States	1,025,765	0.22%	0.24%	0.31%	0.61%	0.82%	0.47%	0.47%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	121,327	3.44%	2.41%	4.74%	3.95%	7.42% *	5.65%	5.65%
Mining and manufacturing	426,275	0.26%	0.50%	0.91%	2.03%	2.49%	0.88%	0.88%
Construction	193,883	1.66%	1.08%	1.11%	1.76%	1.78%	2.72%	2.72%
Utilities and transp.	357,329	0.87%	0.70%	0.73%	2.40%	3.01%	1.43%	1.43%
Wholesale trade	302,983	1.18%	0.93%	1.23%	3.15%	2.42%	2.07%	2.07%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	508,146	0.41%	0.58%	0.44%	1.23%	1.98%	0.89%	0.89%
Retail trade	284,365	0.41%	0.58%	0.62%	1.53%	1.75%	0.86%	0.86%
Professional services	501,326	0.35%	0.34%	0.81%	1.57%	1.89%	0.82%	0.82%
Other services	512,653	0.31%	0.51%	0.65%	1.12%	1.43%	0.72%	0.72%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	1,095,571	0.30%	0.29%	0.31%	0.59%	0.79%	0.64%	0.64%
For profit, unincorporated	179,667	1.11%	0.99%	1.43%	2.16%	1.97%	1.63%	1.63%
Nonprofit	435,325	0.44%	0.55%	1.35%	1.47%	2.45%	1.58%	1.58%
Unknown	417,059	0.21% *	0.09% *	0.63% *	1.75% *	1.93%	0.72% *	0.72%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	147,033	2.20%	1.27%	1.41%	1.45%	0.86%	2.46%	2.46%
5-9 years	297,716	1.20%	1.24%	0.88%	2.22%	2.65%	1.71%	1.71%
10-19 years	420,631	0.87%	0.72%	0.97%	1.57%	1.14%	1.19%	1.19%
20 or more years	803,543	0.38%	0.33%	0.47%	0.79%	1.04%	0.68%	0.68%
Unknown	850,976	0.01%	0.02% *	0.03%	1.06%	1.04%	0.04%	0.04%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	912,300	0.04%	0.07%	0.40%	0.77%	0.85%	0.36%	0.36%
1 location only	472,610	0.54%	0.52%	0.39%	0.64%	0.57%	0.63%	0.63%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	68,104	1.98%	0.94%	1.78%	1.40%	3.44%	2.84%	2.84%
25-49 %	119,004	0.55%	0.82%	0.56%	1.88%	2.20%	0.89%	0.89%
50-74 %	253,876	0.75%	0.54%	1.69%	1.19%	1.80%	0.97%	0.97%
75% or more	1,114,985	0.22%	0.28%	0.29%	0.77%	0.88%	0.45%	0.45%
Union presence								
No union employees	1,068,288	0.16%	0.25%	0.32%	0.76%	0.93%	0.37%	0.37%
Has union employees	885,488	0.23%	0.31%	1.36%	1.35%	2.35%	1.36%	1.36%
Unknown	475,280	0.34%	0.62%	1.09% *	3.10%	3.08%	1.43%	1.43%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	351,788	0.89%	0.79%	0.89%	1.48%	1.55%	1.28%	1.28%
Less than 50% low wage	843,423	0.53%	0.23%	0.53%	0.86%	0.96%	0.82%	0.82%
Unknown	921,968	0.12%	0.11%	0.20%	1.04%	0.93%	0.27%	0.27%

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