

**Table I.B.4.a(2003) Percent of number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2003**

<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	23,219,440	17.6%	11.0%	14.1%	18.1%	39.2%	36.2%	63.8%
<b>Industry group **</b>								
Agric., fish., forest.	394,708	33.5%	12.3% *	11.4% *	19.4% *	23.3% *	53.6%	46.4%
Mining and manufacturing	420,947	23.3%	15.1%	20.7%	18.7%	22.2%	51.4%	48.6%
Construction	441,175	57.3%	22.9%	11.9%	7.1% *	0.8%	87.7%	12.3%
Utilities and transp.	702,104	9.4%	4.5% *	12.3% *	11.3% *	62.4%	18.7%	81.3%
Wholesale trade	408,904	28.5%	18.5%	17.3%	13.4%	22.3%	55.6%	44.4%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	1,184,251	24.3%	5.3%	11.5% *	15.3%	43.5%	35.3%	64.7%
Retail trade	5,023,392	14.4%	7.2%	6.0%	6.2%	66.2%	25.2%	74.8%
Professional services	5,327,019	16.1%	10.2%	12.4%	23.5%	37.8%	32.5%	67.5%
Other services	9,316,940	16.7%	13.6%	19.6%	22.9%	27.1%	40.9%	59.1%
<b>Ownership</b>								
For profit, incorporated	15,283,106	13.0%	11.1%	14.3%	16.5%	45.2%	31.7%	68.3%
For profit, unincorporated	3,278,961	39.2%	13.3%	16.2%	13.7%	17.6%	62.0%	38.0%
Nonprofit	3,445,351	10.2%	6.7%	11.1%	31.5%	40.6%	21.8%	78.2%
Unknown	1,212,022	39.1%	16.2%	14.1%	11.8%	18.8% *	64.1%	35.9%
<b>Age of firm</b>								
Less than 5 years	1,820,344	39.7%	18.8%	16.8%	16.5%	8.2%	68.3%	31.7%
5-9 years	2,448,374	32.7%	17.8%	21.0%	18.5%	9.9%	60.9%	39.1%
10-19 years	4,080,196	24.8%	18.7%	21.0%	22.3%	13.3%	55.1%	44.9%
20 or more years	11,612,841	13.4%	8.7%	13.4%	20.9%	43.5%	29.3%	70.7%
Unknown	3,257,685	0.0% *	0.1% *	1.1% *	3.3% *	95.5%	0.4% *	99.6%
<b>Multi/single status</b>								
2 or more locations	12,057,152	0.4% *	1.1%	5.6%	20.0%	72.9%	3.9%	96.1%
1 location only	11,162,289	36.2%	21.8%	23.2%	16.0%	2.8%	71.1%	28.9%
<b>Percent full-time employees</b>								
Less than 25%	8,266,242	22.9%	12.5%	14.5%	18.3%	31.8%	43.3%	56.7%
25-49 %	5,781,430	14.0%	11.1%	14.0%	17.5%	43.4%	33.3%	66.7%
50-74 %	5,686,952	17.8%	9.2%	12.9%	17.1%	43.0%	33.3%	66.7%
75% or more	3,484,816	10.8%	10.4%	15.2%	20.0%	43.6%	28.8%	71.2%
<b>Union presence</b>								
No union employees	18,346,790	21.4%	13.0%	16.9%	20.3%	28.3%	43.6%	56.4%
Has union employees	2,224,517	3.3%	3.6% *	4.7%	15.4%	73.1%	8.7%	91.3%
Unknown	2,648,134 *	3.3% *	3.4% *	2.7% *	4.7% *	86.0% *	7.6%	92.4% *
<b>Percent low-wage employees</b>								
50% or more low wage	9,575,302	21.6%	14.7%	18.9%	21.1%	23.7%	46.4%	53.6%
Less than 50% low wage	8,040,368	21.8%	12.4%	15.5%	22.7%	27.6%	42.8%	57.2%
Unknown	5,603,771	4.9%	2.7% *	3.7% *	6.3%	82.3%	9.2%	90.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2003 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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**Table I.B.4.a(2003) Standard error for percent of number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2003**

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	849,021	0.56%	0.67%	0.74%	0.89%	2.20%	1.32%	1.32%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	51,209	7.24%	4.38% *	4.46% *	8.34% *	9.05% *	9.51%	9.51%
Mining and manufacturing	23,890	2.22%	2.64%	2.00%	3.59%	3.10%	3.03%	3.03%
Construction	62,799	2.99%	2.70%	2.15%	2.64% *	0.21%	2.31%	2.31%
Utilities and transp.	120,577	2.12%	2.47% *	4.56% *	3.81% *	8.28%	5.42%	5.42%
Wholesale trade	20,155	2.92%	2.88%	2.72%	3.19%	3.58%	2.89%	2.89%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	87,014	2.21%	1.38%	3.48% *	2.49%	3.80%	2.12%	2.12%
Retail trade	677,371	1.95%	0.75%	1.01%	1.26%	3.98%	2.94%	2.94%
Professional services	173,967	0.94%	0.79%	1.14%	1.70%	2.12%	1.51%	1.51%
Other services	285,116	0.53%	1.06%	1.25%	1.85%	3.08%	1.66%	1.66%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	814,368	0.80%	0.82%	1.21%	1.19%	3.26%	1.97%	1.97%
For profit, unincorporated	123,212	2.20%	1.50%	1.27%	1.64%	3.40%	3.32%	3.32%
Nonprofit	106,037	1.26%	0.82%	1.55%	2.57%	2.34%	1.34%	1.34%
Unknown	121,616	2.90%	2.77%	1.80%	2.31%	3.41% *	4.22%	4.22%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	91,925	1.96%	1.77%	2.57%	3.87%	2.14%	3.17%	3.17%
5-9 years	196,547	2.73%	1.24%	1.54%	2.62%	2.40%	4.06%	4.06%
10-19 years	206,691	1.31%	1.21%	2.24%	2.03%	2.52%	2.30%	2.30%
20 or more years	760,591	0.61%	0.82%	0.93%	1.29%	2.85%	1.62%	1.62%
Unknown	425,212	0.03% *	0.05% *	0.50% *	1.22% *	1.24%	0.31% *	0.31%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	813,296	0.15% *	0.13%	0.75%	1.79%	2.39%	0.50%	0.50%
1 location only	236,161	0.88%	0.83%	0.66%	1.00%	0.46%	1.15%	1.15%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	728,191	1.62%	1.28%	2.00%	1.76%	4.99%	3.44%	3.44%
25-49 %	207,845	0.85%	1.08%	1.35%	2.13%	2.78%	1.35%	1.35%
50-74 %	297,741	1.13%	0.96%	0.82%	0.98%	2.06%	1.76%	1.76%
75% or more	79,223	0.52%	0.58%	0.84%	0.89%	1.01%	0.99%	0.99%
Union presence								
No union employees	489,619	0.60%	0.68%	0.68%	0.98%	1.70%	1.44%	1.44%
Has union employees	204,102	0.80%	1.30% *	1.06%	1.73%	2.10%	2.21%	2.21%
Unknown	841,400 *	1.58% *	1.39% *	1.89% *	1.26% *	2.88% *	2.25%	2.25% *
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	411,852	0.80%	0.89%	1.06%	1.64%	1.65%	2.07%	2.07%
Less than 50% low wage	257,126	0.84%	0.65%	0.45%	1.73%	2.10%	1.33%	1.33%
Unknown	1,011,105	0.95%	0.90% *	1.15% *	1.46%	3.26%	1.74%	1.74%

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