

Table I.A.1(2006) Number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2006

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	6,420,156	3,712,659	786,949	525,380	426,707	968,460	4,820,548	1,599,608
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	176,010	147,493	14,647	9,706	2,834	1,331 *	169,238	6,773
Mining and manufacturing	299,575	129,831	61,238	49,362	29,431	29,713	221,769	77,806
Construction	639,673	484,983	87,811	47,317	10,926	8,636	604,706	34,967
Utilities and transp.	172,417	86,850	19,854	14,468	13,013	38,232	115,229	57,188
Wholesale trade	361,720	188,702	50,059	34,971	33,690	54,298	262,578	99,142
Fin. svcs. and real estate	714,177	361,144	43,341	36,417	64,241	209,033	424,773	289,404
Retail trade	938,658	433,159	101,792	64,906	66,936	271,865	571,910	366,748
Professional services	1,509,396	922,113	177,962	121,668	111,487	176,167	1,168,788	340,609
Other services	1,608,529	958,385	230,246	146,564	94,149	179,186	1,281,558	326,971
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	4,417,622	2,314,370	582,900	391,967	292,516	835,869	3,138,109	1,279,513
For profit, unincorporated	1,513,870	1,147,116	140,620	71,693	48,693	105,749	1,336,254	177,617
Nonprofit	488,663	251,174	63,429	61,720	85,498	26,843	346,185	142,478
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	847,117	697,555	98,107	34,305	9,979	7,171	818,872	28,244
5-9 years	861,238	658,889	113,442	54,740	23,631	10,536	807,667	53,571
10-19 years	1,295,110	897,539	192,609	109,198	54,891	40,873	1,158,547	136,564
20 or more years	2,837,501	1,382,069	370,397	314,588	301,652	468,796	1,940,763	896,738
Unknown	579,189	76,607	12,394	12,549	36,555	441,084	94,699	484,490
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1,607,133	30,795	66,341	172,789	370,764	966,443	173,759	1,433,374
1 location only	4,813,022	3,681,864	720,607	352,591	55,943	2,017	4,646,789	166,234
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	797,233	566,947	93,233	42,741	40,308	54,003	687,372	109,861
25-49 %	443,413	226,489	57,173	42,874	30,766	86,111	312,208	131,205
50-74 %	983,814	617,556	120,104	68,377	46,271	131,506	777,161	206,653
75% or more	4,195,696	2,301,667	516,438	371,388	309,362	696,840	3,043,807	1,151,888
Union presence								
No union employees	5,740,348	3,524,840	746,365	487,874	382,253	599,016	4,570,921	1,169,427
Has union employees	377,751	94,078	24,006	28,007	31,198	200,463	132,617	245,134
Unknown	302,057	93,742	16,578	9,500	13,256	168,981	117,010	185,047
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	2,094,681	1,190,420	239,941	160,639	145,287	358,394	1,524,798	569,884
Less than 50% low wage	4,325,474	2,522,240	547,008	364,741	281,420	610,066	3,295,750	1,029,724

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2006 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.

** Definitions of industry groups and low-wage employees changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to IC data prior to 2000. See Technical Appendix.

Totals may not sum exactly because of rounding.

Table I.A.1(2006) Standard error for number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2006

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	24,625	18,806	13,543	6,240	15,023	20,195	16,463	20,080
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	4,855	3,852	986	1,513	705	523 *	4,297	1,314
Mining and manufacturing	9,199	6,331	4,230	2,853	1,467	2,075	8,353	3,446
Construction	16,206	14,539	7,071	3,382	1,209	2,350	17,607	2,689
Utilities and transp.	5,120	5,764	2,201	2,967	1,467	3,387	6,506	2,504
Wholesale trade	11,009	6,934	7,342	2,343	2,898	3,683	11,121	5,281
Fin. svcs. and real estate	10,698	9,101	4,249	3,152	3,755	7,368	11,869	7,623
Retail trade	11,227	6,838	4,515	5,130	5,480	10,794	8,323	9,203
Professional services	12,055	16,752	8,650	3,351	4,411	8,883	15,984	8,451
Other services	13,923	17,190	9,201	3,896	6,564	7,892	12,780	7,274
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	17,029	21,000	11,007	6,476	13,959	17,190	18,911	16,815
For profit, unincorporated	20,711	17,944	5,923	5,096	3,529	6,789	20,125	8,653
Nonprofit	9,949	7,544	4,040	5,504	2,359	3,506	6,921	4,080
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	22,565	20,609	8,372	3,508	1,530	2,073	23,101	2,395
5-9 years	25,916	21,464	8,018	3,673	2,089	1,863	24,229	3,864
10-19 years	24,169	19,415	6,693	6,987	3,281	4,519	23,609	6,469
20 or more years	26,171	17,710	9,285	7,901	11,934	15,799	19,952	18,939
Unknown	18,919	5,334	2,190	1,520	3,937	18,882	6,788	17,465
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	14,872	3,568	5,982	5,938	13,964	20,328	9,799	19,852
1 location only	16,875	17,791	13,889	6,161	2,588	491	17,257	4,419
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	12,477	14,095	5,669	3,339	3,646	4,006	12,554	4,895
25-49 %	12,685	9,469	4,421	2,822	2,944	4,661	12,578	6,467
50-74 %	6,859	9,857	3,099	4,965	2,861	6,065	10,124	7,699
75% or more	21,927	20,780	7,311	5,563	11,067	16,727	22,303	16,589
Union presence								
No union employees	21,582	14,856	12,358	6,747	14,444	15,402	14,058	13,534
Has union employees	14,975	4,577	2,180	3,804	3,281	12,670	5,529	13,142
Unknown	12,077	7,843	2,037	1,738	1,506	7,174	8,445	6,366
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low wage	26,698	16,631	9,479	6,485	8,740	14,443	20,738	17,686
Less than 50% low wage	24,177	30,315	9,732	7,647	10,860	12,180	22,953	13,912

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