 firmand State: United States, 1999 ( 40 States are shown separatel y)

|  |  | Onnershi p Type |  |  |  | Age of Firr |  |  |
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| Di vision and State | Tot al | For prof it I ncor por at ed | For pr of it Uni ncor por at ed | Nonpr of it | Unknown | Less than 5 years | $\begin{gathered} 5 \text { or more } \\ \text { years } \end{gathered}$ | Unknown |
| Uni ted States | 48. $2 \%$ | 47. 3\% | 55. $0 \%$ | 51. 0\% | 44. 3\% | 55. 3\% | 50. $5 \%$ | 42. $2 \%$ |
| New Engl and: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mai ne | 53. 0\% | 49. 6\% | 61. 5\% | 62. 9\% | 59.0\% | 63. 8\% | 54. 7\% | 47. 8\% |
| Massachusetts | 47. $4 \%$ | 46. 7\% | 59. 0\% | 47. 5\% | 47. 9\% | 57. 3\% | 49. 2\% | 41. 9\% |
| Connecti cut | 42. $0 \%$ | 40. 4\% | 42. 8\% | 50. 8\% | 40. 9\% | 49. 8\% | 41. 9\% | 41. 7\% |
| Rhode I sl and | 46. 2\% | 51. 8\% | 49. 2\% | 30. 0\% | 47. 3\% * | 45. 4\% | 46. 1\% | 46. 9\% |
| Ver nont | 50. $4 \%$ | 50. 3\% | 77. 5\% | 46. 1\% | 47. 5\% | 77. 0\% | 49.0\% | 49. 9\% |
| M ddl e Atlantic: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New York | 50. $4 \%$ | 49. 3\% | 55. 5\% | 52. $7 \%$ | 55. 0\% | 52. $0 \%$ | 51. 2\% | 47. 1\% |
| New J er sey | 42. 8\% | 42. 8\% | 51. 8\% | 40. 2\% | 45. $0 \%$ * | 45. 5\% | 44. 2\% | 39. $4 \%$ |
| Pennsyl vani a | 46. 6\% | 46. 1\% | 66. 2\% | 45. 8\% | 37. 3\% | 65. 3\% | 49.5\% | 40. 3\% |
| East North Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ohi o | 45. 3\% | 43. 9\% | 51. 2\% | 52. 9\% | 38. 3\% | 52. 1\% | 46. 2\% | 42. 6\% |
| I ndi ana | 43. 2\% | 42. 1\% | 43. 6\% | 47. 6\% | 54. 1\% | 40. 0\% | 43. 1\% | 44. 0\% |
| III i noi s | 46. 3\% | 45. 1\% | 52. 4\% | 51. 2\% | 45. 5\% | 64. 3\% | 47. 3\% | 43. 0\% |
| M chi gan | 42. 7\% | 42. 5\% | 52. 7\% | 44. 0\% | 23. 9\% | 49.6\% | 42. 6\% | 41. 8\% |
| W sconsi n | 41. 5\% | 41. 3\% | 47. 7\% | 42. 1\% | 36. 1\% | 49. 2\% | 43. 3\% | 34. 2\% |
| West North Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M nnesot a | 51. 4\% | 49. 2\% | 57. 8\% | 53. 3\% | 62. 8\% | 48. 4\% | 53. 0\% | 49. 3\% |
| I owa | 40. 6\% | 38. 6\% | 51. 4\% | 49. 7\% | 38. 9\% | 42.5\% | 45. 7\% | 33. 3\% |
| M ssouri | 47. 3\% | 46. $4 \%$ | 51. 9\% | 52. 3\% | 34. 5\% * | 50.9\% | 51. 1\% | 38. 1\% |
| Nebr aska | 43. 0\% | 43. 2\% | 38. 1\% | 54. 0\% | 39. 1\% | 37. 9\% | 48.9\% | 37. 4\% |
| Kansas | 43. 0\% | 41. 8\% | 41. 2\% | 56. 0\% | 45. 1\% | 48. 1\% | 43. 0\% | 40. 9\% |
| South Atl antic: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryl and | 46. 8\% | 46. 1\% | 59. 2\% | 47. 5\% | 36. 2\% | 45. 6\% | 47. 6\% | 45. 4\% |
| Virgi ni a | 49. 0\% | 49. 1\% | 57. 3\% | 55. 7\% | 32. 5\% | 47. 6\% | 51. 9\% | 43. 6\% |
| North Carol i na | 51. 7\% | 50. 3\% | 66. 8\% | 60. 1\% | 34. 7\% * | 66. 8\% | 55. 9\% | 41. 2\% |
| South Car ol i na | 49. $2 \%$ | 50. 3\% | 61. 5\% | 47. 3\% | 33. 7\% | 59. 1\% | 56. 2\% | 37. 9\% |
| Georgi a | 50. $3 \%$ | 50. 5\% | 56. 5\% | 45. $4 \%$ | 48. 9\% | 54. 1\% | 54. 7\% | 42. 9\% |
| Fl ori da | 50.6\% | 50. 3\% | 63. 3\% | 51. 2\% | 41. 6\% | 62. 0\% | 52. 9\% | 43. 5\% |
| East South Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kent ucky | 44. 3\% | 43. $4 \%$ | 68. $2 \%$ | 43. 8\% | 46. 0\% | 46. 1\% | 45. 8\% | 40. 5\% |
| Tennessee | 47. 6\% | 46. 2\% | 56. 0\% | 54. 2\% | 36. 9\% | 55. 6\% | 49. 4\% | 40. 9\% |
| Al abama | 41. 7\% | 41. 0\% | 52. 9\% | 37. $4 \%$ * | 54. 0\% | 41. 4\% | 43. 2\% | 39. 3\% |
| M ssi ssi ppi | 50. 0\% | 46. 5\% | 69. 2\% | 61. 0\% | 51. 6\% | 63. 5\% | 53. 3\% | 40. 4\% |
| West South Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ar kansas | 41. 7\% | 39. 4\% | 43. 1\% | 58. 0\% | 24. 8\% * | 62. 5\% | 46. 4\% | 32. 5\% |
| Loui si ana | 50. $4 \%$ | 47. 3\% | 54. 4\% | 60. 2\% | 44. 7\% | 68.5\% | 51. 0\% | 45. 3\% |
| OKl ahoma | 52. 9\% | 53. 1\% | 58. 1\% | 53. 1\% | 45. 3\% | 28. 6\% | 57. 9\% | 44. 0\% |
| Texas | 49. $4 \%$ | 47. 7\% | 58. 8\% | 51. 8\% | 50. 8\% | 56. 9\% | 51. 8\% | 44. 5\% |
| Mbunt ai n : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Col or ado | 48. 1\% | 49.6\% | 38.5\% | 44. 6\% | 38.9\% | 56. 8\% | 51. 0\% | 41. 3\% |
| Ari zona | 50.7\% | 48. 8\% | 60. 7\% | 63. 6\% | 53. 6\% | 74. 3\% | 53. 8\% | 42. 3\% |
| Nevada | 50. 0\% | 54.7\% | 39.5\% | 69. 3\% | 38. 1\% * | 38. $4 \%$ | 60. 8\% | 41. 2\% |
| Mbnt ana | 47. 9\% | 47. 4\% | 55. 1\% | 48. $4 \%$ | 44. 1\% | 53. 9\% | 50.0\% | 38. 3\% |
| Pacific: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washi ngt on | 52. 0\% | 52. 4\% | 68. 0\% | 42. 8\% | 53. $4 \%$ | 43. 4\% | 56. 6\% | 45. 3\% |
| Oregon | 52. 6\% | 51. 2\% | 60. 8\% | 55. 7\% | 53. $4 \%$ | 48. 7\% | 56. 0\% | 43. 9\% |
| Cal if or ni a | 53. 7\% | 53. 1\% | 53. 9\% | 61. 2\% | 41. 8\% | 66. 2\% | 56. 5\% | 44. 5\% |
| Hawai i | 58. 5\% | 58. 9\% | 66. 3\% | 54. 7\% | 55. 2\% | 74. 1\% | 56. 9\% | 59. 7\% |
| States not shown separ at el y | 45. 4\% | 43. 0\% | 56. 1\% | 52. 8\% | 41. 8\% | 63. 3\% | 50. 9\% | 35. 4\% |


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 type and age of firmand State: United States, 1999 ( 40 States are shown separatel y)

|  |  | Ownershi p Type |  |  |  | Age of Firn |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Di vision and State | Tot al | For prof it I ncor por at ed | For prof it Uni ncor por at ed | Nonpr of it | Unknown | Less than 5 years | $\begin{gathered} 5 \text { or more } \\ \text { years } \end{gathered}$ | Unknown |
| Uni ted St at es | 0. $51 \%$ | 0. $55 \%$ | 1. $26 \%$ | 1. $11 \%$ | 1. $06 \%$ | 1. $60 \%$ | 0. $44 \%$ | 0. $86 \%$ |
| New Engl and: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mai ne | 2. 07\% | 2. $58 \%$ | 6. $43 \%$ | 2. 02\% | 15. 95\% | 5. 73\% | 2. 11\% | 5. $24 \%$ |
| Massachusetts | 0. $80 \%$ | 1. $09 \%$ | 4. $51 \%$ | 2. $55 \%$ | 4. $58 \%$ | 2. $22 \%$ | 1. $35 \%$ | 1. $77 \%$ |
| Connecti cut | 2. $05 \%$ | 2. $56 \%$ | 4. $81 \%$ | 4. $44 \%$ | 8. $47 \%$ | 11. 52\% | 2. $15 \%$ | 2. $92 \%$ |
| Rhode I sl and | 2. $53 \%$ | 2. $20 \%$ | 3. $97 \%$ | 7. $61 \%$ | 14. $23 \%$ * | 6. 91\% | 3. $70 \%$ | 5. 13\% |
| Ver nont | 1. $84 \%$ | 2. $14 \%$ | 6. $70 \%$ | 4. $54 \%$ | 13. $46 \%$ | 12. 83\% | 2. $30 \%$ | 6. 01\% |
| M ddl e Atlantic: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New York | 1. $31 \%$ | 1. $35 \%$ | 4. $86 \%$ | 2. $58 \%$ | 9. 19\% | 3. 73\% | 1. $54 \%$ | 3. $40 \%$ |
| New J ersey | 1. $00 \%$ | 1. $23 \%$ | 7. 68\% | 4. $98 \%$ | 14. $62 \%$ * | 7. 72\% | 0. $86 \%$ | 2. $97 \%$ |
| Pennsyl vani a | 0. $82 \%$ | 1. $58 \%$ | 5. $08 \%$ | 4. 11\% | 9. 89\% | 9. 15\% | 1. $28 \%$ | 2. $09 \%$ |
| East North Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ohi o | 1. $38 \%$ | 1. $09 \%$ | 4. $39 \%$ | 2. $73 \%$ | 6. 95\% | 7. 08\% | 1. $75 \%$ | 2. $43 \%$ |
| I ndi ana | 1. $85 \%$ | 2. $54 \%$ | 6. $39 \%$ | 5. 09\% | 11. 75\% | 8. $38 \%$ | 2. 51\% | 2. $60 \%$ |
| Illi noi s | 1. $05 \%$ | 1. $38 \%$ | 3. $90 \%$ | 3. $22 \%$ | 8. 19\% | 6. $37 \%$ | 1. $65 \%$ | 2. 19\% |
| M chi gan | 1. $37 \%$ | 1. $87 \%$ | 8. 19\% | 4. 31\% | 6. 63\% | 9. $74 \%$ | 1. $56 \%$ | 4. $70 \%$ |
| W sconsi n | 1. $21 \%$ | 1. $46 \%$ | 7. 19\% | 2. $96 \%$ | 8. $80 \%$ | 6. 61\% | 1. $72 \%$ | 1. $50 \%$ |
| West North Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| M nnesota | 1. $00 \%$ | 1. $01 \%$ | 6. $98 \%$ | 3. $17 \%$ | 10. 11\% | 5. $36 \%$ | 1. $87 \%$ | 1. $99 \%$ |
| I owa | 2. $47 \%$ | 2. $79 \%$ | 9. $39 \%$ | 4. $49 \%$ | 10. 75\% | 11. 11\% | 3. 15\% | 2. $21 \%$ |
| M ssouri | 1. $36 \%$ | 2. $24 \%$ | 6. $89 \%$ | 3. $82 \%$ | 11. 16\% * | 12.09\% | 2. 04\% | 2. $93 \%$ |
| Nebr aska | 1. $28 \%$ | 1. $21 \%$ | 9. 66\% | 5. 04\% | 11. 36\% | 7. 12\% | 2. $37 \%$ | 2. $41 \%$ |
| Kansas | 2. $32 \%$ | 2. $25 \%$ | 7. $90 \%$ | 5. $44 \%$ | 9. $57 \%$ | 7. $34 \%$ | 3. $20 \%$ | 2. $48 \%$ |
| South Atlant c: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mar yl and | 1. $19 \%$ | 1. $16 \%$ | 6. $60 \%$ | 5. 76\% | 10. 16\% | 5. 78\% | 2. 19\% | 3. 11\% |
| Vi rgi ni a | 1. $90 \%$ | 1. $41 \%$ | 6. $10 \%$ | 6. 53\% | 9. $44 \%$ | 9. 59\% | 1. $53 \%$ | 2. $84 \%$ |
| North Carol i na | 1. $60 \%$ | 1. $83 \%$ | 10. 02\% | 5. $60 \%$ | 12. $46 \%$ * | 5. $46 \%$ | 1. $67 \%$ | 2. $42 \%$ |
| South Carol ina | 1. $62 \%$ | 1. $54 \%$ | 6. $37 \%$ | 5. $80 \%$ | 7. 16\% | 5. 56\% | 2. $03 \%$ | 3. $34 \%$ |
| Georgi a | 3. 56\% | 3. $74 \%$ | 9. 71\% | 7. $34 \%$ | 9. $49 \%$ | 8. 63\% | 3. $43 \%$ | 4. $97 \%$ |
| Fl ori da | 1. $56 \%$ | 1. $85 \%$ | 8. $72 \%$ | 3. 51\% | 7. $78 \%$ | 5. 37\% | 1. $73 \%$ | 3. $79 \%$ |
| East South Central : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kent ucky | 2. 06\% | 1. $99 \%$ | 10. 70\% | 4. $79 \%$ | 10. 15\% | 10. 96\% | 2. $82 \%$ | 3. $37 \%$ |
| Tennessee | 1. $73 \%$ | 1. $74 \%$ | 6. 64\% | 4. 32\% | 10. 00\% | 9. $01 \%$ | 2. $86 \%$ | 2. $52 \%$ |
| Al abama | 1. $90 \%$ | 2. 11\% | 7. $88 \%$ | 11. $39 \%$ * | 9. $28 \%$ | 7. 87\% | 2. $05 \%$ | 2. $33 \%$ |
| M ssi ssi ppi | 2. $39 \%$ | 2. $81 \%$ | 6. $84 \%$ | 7. 39\% | 12. $53 \%$ | 12. $49 \%$ | 2. $68 \%$ | 4. $43 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas | 1. $57 \%$ | 1. $97 \%$ | 8. $47 \%$ | 3. $53 \%$ | 9. $64 \%$ * | 9. $58 \%$ | 2. $55 \%$ | 2. $43 \%$ |
| Loui si ana | 1. $63 \%$ | 2. $61 \%$ | 8. 17\% | 3. $42 \%$ | 11. 72\% | 6. $49 \%$ | 2. $63 \%$ | 3. $08 \%$ |
| Okl ahoma | 3. 13\% | 3. 51\% | 11. 55\% | 6. $97 \%$ | 9. 72\% | 5. $24 \%$ | 3. $22 \%$ | 3. $13 \%$ |
| Texas | 1. $59 \%$ | 1. $87 \%$ | 5. 39\% | 5. $82 \%$ | 5. 97\% | 7. 96\% | 2. $05 \%$ | 2. $11 \%$ |
| Mbunt ai n : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Col or ado | 1. $73 \%$ | 2. $45 \%$ | 4. $91 \%$ | 5. $76 \%$ | 9. $47 \%$ | 8. 17\% | 2. $63 \%$ | 1. $64 \%$ |
| Ari zona | 2. $76 \%$ | 2. 65\% | 9. $44 \%$ | 5. $66 \%$ | 12. 39\% | 5. 87\% | 2. $32 \%$ | 4. $65 \%$ |
| Nevada | 3. $05 \%$ | 1. $89 \%$ | 10. 77\% | 9. $80 \%$ | 12. $40 \%$ * | 10. 96\% | 2. $56 \%$ | 1. $96 \%$ |
| Mbnt ana | 1. $64 \%$ | 2. $92 \%$ | 5. $81 \%$ | 6. 09\% | 12. $25 \%$ | 12. $56 \%$ | 2. $32 \%$ | 7. $67 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Washi ngt on | 2. $91 \%$ | 2. $57 \%$ | 4. 75\% | 7. $25 \%$ | 12. $75 \%$ | 9. $56 \%$ | 3. 35\% | 3. $02 \%$ |
| Oregon | 2. $29 \%$ | 3. 16\% | 10. 97\% | 5. 31\% | 13. 99\% | 10. 22\% | 1. $69 \%$ | 3. $62 \%$ |
| Cal i f or ni a | 1. $27 \%$ | 1. $70 \%$ | 5. $34 \%$ | 2. $28 \%$ | 4. 54\% | 2. 01\% | 1. $46 \%$ | 2. $22 \%$ |
| Hawai i | 2. 12\% | 2. $30 \%$ | 4. $32 \%$ | 5. 16\% | 13. 11\% | 3. 81\% | 2. $86 \%$ | 4. $19 \%$ |
| States not shown separ at el y | 1. $78 \%$ | 1. $55 \%$ | 3. $63 \%$ | 3. $57 \%$ | 7. 29\% | 5. 04\% | 1. $13 \%$ | 2. $32 \%$ |

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