

**Table I.B.4(1996) Number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 1996**

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	18,688,825	3,845,156	2,238,323	2,941,397	3,226,498	6,437,452	7,661,409	11,027,416
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	383,213	201,600	90,720	35,938*	44,775*	10,180*	319,947*	63,266
Mining	15,535	5,501*	6,688	1,245*	1,810*	291*	12,340*	3,195*
Construction	420,477*	222,975	78,833	68,853	32,893*	16,924*	348,207*	72,269
Manufacturing	589,363	105,679	90,507	87,688	100,616	204,873	257,531	331,832
Transp., commu., util.	620,913	75,572	84,750	62,670	185,545	212,376	197,080	423,832
Wholesale trade	389,235	117,773	54,758	72,075	51,347	93,281	216,411	172,824
Retail Trade	7,642,896	1,156,093	944,476	1,201,842	811,181	3,529,304	2,805,983	4,836,913
Fin., ins., real est.	752,936	215,375	48,412	79,532	174,181	235,435	296,989	455,947
Services	7,826,950	1,699,934	836,524	1,331,555	1,824,149	2,134,788	3,159,613	4,667,337
Unknown	47,308	44,653	2,655*	0	0	0	47,308	0
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	12,065,210	1,727,917	1,489,744	1,939,299	1,894,973	5,013,277	4,307,198	7,758,012
For profit, unincorporated	2,504,855	1,399,442	415,925	317,274	271,821	100,393	2,019,045	485,810
Nonprofit	3,437,483	482,062	277,827	633,782	986,974	1,056,838	1,027,222	2,410,261
Unknown	681,277	235,735	54,827	51,042	72,730	266,944	307,944	373,333
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	2,494,236	1,192,701	594,470	542,305	122,315	42,444*	2,132,114*	362,122
5-9 years	2,300,582	896,518	492,918	497,153	342,140	71,853	1,706,113	594,469
10-19 years	2,572,327	850,779	521,384	527,174	510,417	162,573	1,692,860	879,467
20 or more years	5,143,736	785,117	518,440	1,048,522	1,323,707	1,467,950	1,784,201	3,359,535
Unknown	6,177,945	120,040	111,111	326,244	927,919	4,692,631	346,120	5,831,824
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	8,798,020	69,760	135,367	680,876	1,833,901	6,078,115	428,620	8,369,400
1 location only	9,890,805	3,775,395	2,102,955	2,260,521	1,392,597	359,336*	7,232,789*	2,658,016
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	6,340,295	1,943,754	913,327	970,464	789,661	1,723,089	3,436,304	2,903,990
25-49 %	4,393,060	676,181	545,258	759,013	660,306	1,752,303	1,626,929	2,766,132
50-74 %	4,696,563	886,055	465,744	687,271	966,787	1,690,707	1,673,280	3,023,283
75% or more	3,258,907	339,165	313,994	524,650	809,744	1,271,353	924,896	2,334,011
Union presence								
No union employees	13,054,424	3,402,439	2,003,431	2,616,944	2,469,688	2,561,922	6,840,134	6,214,290
Has union employees	1,193,863	58,604	47,791	91,224	442,638	553,606	149,660	1,044,203
Unknown	4,440,538	384,112	187,100	233,229	314,172	3,321,924	671,615	3,768,923
Percent low wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	5,493,053	1,393,520	932,819	1,130,214	1,126,013	910,486	3,029,339	2,463,714
Less than 50% low wage	8,099,132	2,099,517	1,108,760	1,495,674	1,613,829	1,781,352	3,927,485	4,171,647
Unknown	5,096,641	352,119	196,743	315,510	486,656	3,745,613	704,585	4,392,056

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 1996 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.B.4(1996) Standard error for number of part-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 1996**

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	522,033	60,852	62,185	133,815	240,128	361,346	102,330	498,415
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	36,737	16,192	30,273	16,259 *	21,878 *	5,386 *	33,259 *	19,739
Mining	3,975	2,132 *	3,866	905 *	793 *	230 *	4,249 *	1,043 *
Construction	14,654 *	15,119	13,116	20,247	11,393 *	6,280 *	14,891 *	15,789
Manufacturing	50,986	15,224	12,441	11,628	20,047	51,863	17,945	54,207
Transp., commu., util.	86,401	6,308	10,826	14,801	56,332	44,292	18,457	76,298
Wholesale trade	32,766	17,398	8,404	11,008	13,430	26,648	20,247	25,762
Retail Trade	349,029	40,735	61,876	61,163	78,040	260,730	107,170	292,121
Fin., ins., real est.	91,137	17,025	7,791	16,741	48,691	40,270	17,204	83,024
Services	158,145	61,210	36,036	127,775	140,762	243,728	68,594	183,703
Unknown	13,863	12,711	1,409 *	0	0	0	13,863	0
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	458,940	35,639	63,181	65,465	187,131	297,908	77,141	448,411
For profit, unincorporated	108,163	60,859	36,828	35,362	37,289	22,220	78,918	59,943
Nonprofit	214,833	40,281	25,910	91,945	115,206	215,141	52,533	232,362
Unknown	74,925	22,921	10,985	9,640	15,330	71,355	19,097	68,955
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	89,497	35,934	47,267	51,917	33,468	22,504 *	58,129 *	49,842
5-9 years	157,974	36,898	40,597	64,328	65,762	23,203	92,017	78,570
10-19 years	115,395	20,585	41,174	32,870	67,548	40,041	61,585	79,536
20 or more years	238,767	38,667	33,042	76,746	158,024	221,420	50,319	268,686
Unknown	221,589	23,792	29,154	28,931	117,249	215,476	37,016	212,948
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	345,902	15,080	21,491	83,260	171,620	309,834	44,687	318,577
1 location only	244,476	59,568	63,827	69,735	179,379	129,163 *	96,426 *	210,820
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	476,809	64,024	52,302	95,154	115,436	332,434	99,291	451,036
25-49 %	321,603	29,501	32,991	44,261	96,645	228,026	49,439	302,995
50-74 %	264,035	17,336	20,193	64,569	99,616	280,466	41,925	271,632
75% or more	148,426	10,304	16,911	28,271	47,023	112,701	26,196	138,124
Union presence								
No union employees	333,166	63,819	58,220	122,060	174,902	240,495	100,287	288,850
Has union employees	155,357	9,156	10,828	22,474	79,780	121,885	19,623	139,848
Unknown	222,200	21,680	20,347	46,953	61,572	222,522	22,642	224,031
Percent low wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	129,088	57,520	30,646	68,874	113,427	81,072	81,735	102,677
Less than 50% low wage	276,427	56,031	55,308	92,684	116,256	229,501	71,051	271,806
Unknown	238,534	17,761	21,577	50,898	108,156	221,432	48,137	262,190

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