by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2004


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| Division and State | Total |  |  |  | Percent Low-Wage $50 \%$ or more | Employees ** <br> Less than 50\% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| United States | 0.56\% | 0.57\% | 1.87\% | 1.07\% | 0.79\% | 0.53\% |
| New England: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Connecticut | 2.65\% | 2.69\% | 10.12\% | 7.33\% | 8.46\% | 3.13\% |
| Maine | 2.10\% | 2.67\% | 5.15\% | 9.59\% | 6.07\% | 2.18\% |
| Massachusetts | 2.74\% | 3.62\% | 6.89\% | 9.33\%* | 8.07\%* | 2.35\% |
| New Hampshire | 3.29\% | 4.73\% | 9.17\% | 6.28\%* | 5.18\% | 4.03\% |
| Rhode Island | 2.97\% | 4.05\% | 9.38\%* | 5.69\%* | 6.66\% | 3.50\% |
| Vermont | 3.64\% | 5.93\% | 5.25\%* | 6.32\% | 6.41\% | 4.57\% |
| Middle Atlantic: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Jersey | 2.41\% | 2.37\% | 6.61\%* | 5.87\% | 6.07\% | 2.52\% |
| New York | 1.47\% | 2.61\% | 5.72\% | 6.13\% | 4.70\% | 1.61\% |
| Pennsylvania | 2.06\% | 2.59\% | 13.03\%* | 5.07\% | 4.95\% | 2.42\% |
| East North Central: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illinois | 1.68\% | 1.97\% | 6.24\% | 9.39\% | 7.06\% | 2.15\% |
| Indiana | 2.98\% | 2.95\% | 13.49\% | 11.72\% | 9.68\% | 4.02\% |
| Michigan | 3.01\% | 5.39\% | 9.45\% | 8.18\%* | 5.74\% | 3.46\% |
| Ohio | 4.02\% | 4.50\% | 7.22\% | 10.19\%* | 6.74\% | 4.00\% |
| Wisconsin | 4.15\% | 5.23\% | 4.01\% | 6.58\%* | 5.61\%* | 5.32\% |
| West North Central: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| lowa | 3.71\% | 4.98\% | 6.93\%* | 10.18\% | 6.73\% | 4.50\% |
| Kansas | 2.22\% | 3.91\% | 5.90\%* | 7.21\%* | 4.79\% | 3.20\% |
| Minnesota | 3.74\% | 4.38\% | 6.54\% | 11.63\%* | 6.87\% | 3.82\% |
| Missouri | 3.87\% | 3.31\% | 6.99\% | 13.21\%* | 9.46\%* | 3.25\% |
| Nebraska | 3.92\% | 5.28\% | 4.18\%* | 4.19\%* | 5.79\%* | 5.20\% |
| North Dakota | 3.41\% | 3.52\% | 9.99\%* | 7.41\%* | 6.06\%* | 5.31\% |
| South Dakota | 3.72\% | 4.39\% | 5.93\%* | 4.05\% | 2.54\% | 5.75\% |
| South Atlantic: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Delaware | 3.70\% | 4.56\% | 11.68\% | 13.11\% | 10.97\% | 3.99\% |
| District of Columbia | 3.77\% | 3.85\% | 10.96\% | 15.17\%* | 13.80\% | 3.24\% |
| Florida | 2.30\% | 3.12\% | 10.10\% | 11.00\% | 6.64\% | 3.66\% |
| Georgia | 2.05\% | 2.99\% | 6.26\% | 9.40\% | 7.84\% | 3.43\% |
| Maryland | 2.03\% | 2.92\% | 7.45\% | 12.07\% | 9.86\% | 3.01\% |
| North Carolina | 4.16\% | 4.11\% | 10.35\%* | 7.78\% | 6.52\% | 4.85\% |
| South Carolina | 4.08\% | 4.68\% | 9.37\% | 10.69\% | 6.76\% | 4.28\% |
| Virginia | 2.73\% | 3.95\% | 8.26\% | 11.40\%* | 6.06\% | 3.29\% |
| West Virginia | 2.71\% | 3.41\% | 13.01\%* | 10.09\%* | 5.88\% | 4.36\% |
| East South Central: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabama | 2.54\% | 3.11\% | 11.74\%* | 10.79\% | 5.25\% | 3.96\% |
| Kentucky | 3.92\% | 3.48\% | 11.43\%* | 12.56\%* | 6.82\% | 4.44\% |
| Mississippi | 5.63\% | 5.71\% | 7.91\% | 16.54\%* | 8.83\% | 7.64\% |
| Tennessee | 4.32\% | 4.93\% | 9.09\% | 12.15\% | 5.77\% | 5.46\% |
| West South Central: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas | 2.46\% | 1.81\% | 15.12\%* | 8.71\% | 7.29\% | 2.82\% |
| Louisiana | 5.27\% | 6.63\% | 10.17\%* | 14.91\% | 8.90\%* | 5.24\% |
| Oklahoma | 4.15\% | 5.49\% | 9.51\% | 9.43\%* | 5.59\% | 3.79\% |
| Texas | 1.41\% | 1.93\% | 9.09\% | 12.91\% | 4.08\% | 2.32\% |
| Mountain: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arizona | 3.16\% | 3.47\% | 10.39\%* | 13.64\%* | 9.33\% | 3.37\% |
| Colorado | 2.66\% | 2.76\% | 10.04\% | 5.02\%* | 8.19\% | 2.44\% |
| Idaho | 2.98\% | 3.85\% | 11.56\%* | 11.09\% | 6.93\% | 5.61\% |
| Montana | 3.93\% | 6.01\% | 10.53\%* | 10.93\%* | 7.94\%* | 5.41\% |
| Nevada | 3.70\% | 3.44\% | 15.76\%* | 14.52\%* | 11.24\% | 3.77\% |
| New Mexico | 3.39\% | 3.79\% | 6.56\% | 8.86\% | 5.92\% | 4.30\% |
| Utah | 2.51\% | 3.68\% | 9.23\%* | 11.73\%* | 7.51\% | 3.41\% |
| Wyoming | 2.00\% | 2.99\% | 9.72\%* | 9.86\%* | 4.94\% | 3.43\% |
| Pacific: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alaska | 3.71\% | 4.35\% | 6.20\%* | 6.56\%* | 5.37\%* | 3.59\% |
| California | 2.08\% | 2.43\% | 4.84\% | 5.05\% | 5.68\% | 1.67\% |
| Hawaii | 1.77\% | 2.19\% | 4.60\% | 10.00\% | 6.79\% | 1.99\% |
| Oregon | 3.98\% | 3.63\% | 8.03\%* | 8.97\%* | 6.27\% | 4.83\% |
| Washington | 3.39\% | 3.23\% | 7.58\%* | 11.71\% | 8.47\% | 3.01\% |

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