Rush County, Indiana



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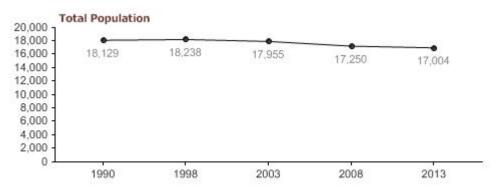
Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.



Population Over Time

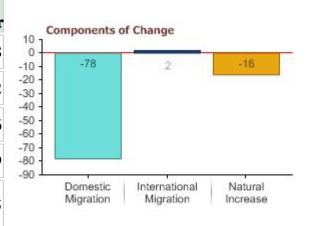
	1990	1998	2003	2008	2013
Total Population	18,129	18,238	17,955	17,250	17,004
Change Since 1990		109	-174	-879	-1,125
Pct. Change Since 1990		0.6%	-1.0%	-4.8%	-6.2%



Source: US Census Bureau

Components of Population Change 2012 to 2013

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	-78
International Migration	2
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	-16
Births	169
Deaths	185



Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Age in 2012

A	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool (0 to 4)	909	5.3%

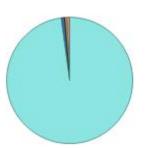
School Age (5 to 17)	3,157	18.4%
College Age (18 to 24)	1,399	8.2%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	3,901	22.8%
Older Adult (45 to 64)	4,861	28.4%
Older (65 plus)	2,868	16.7%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	34	0.2%
Asian Alone	56	0.3%
Black Alone	144	0.8%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	5	0.0%
White Alone	16,722	97.6%
Two or More Race Groups	134	0.8%

Population by Race





Hispanic or Latino

Non-Hispanic or Latino	16,893	98.6%
Hispanic or Latino	202	1.2%

Source: US Census Bureau

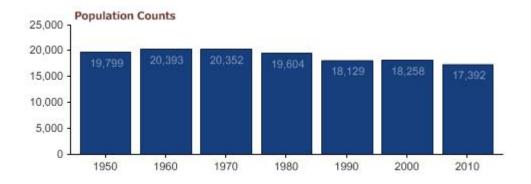
Households in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	6,798	100.0%
Family Households	4,957	72.9%
Married with Children	1,457	21.4%
Married without Children	2,416	35.5%
Single Parents	673	9.9%
Other	411	6.0%
Non-family Households	1,841	27.1%
Living Alone	1,549	22.8%
Average Household Size	2.52	
Average Family Household Size	3.46	

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

Population Counts by Decade

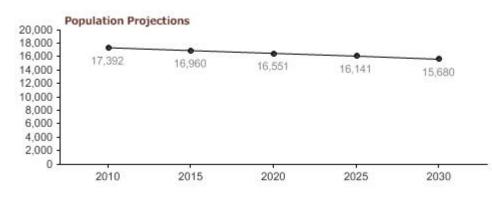
	Population	Numerical Chg.	Pct. Chg.
1950	19,799	NA	NA
1960	20,393	594	3.0%
1970	20,352	-41	-0.2%
1980	19,604	-748	-3.7%
1990	18,129	-1,475	-7.5%
April 2000	18,258	129	0.7%
April 2010	17,392	-866	-4.7%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population Projections

	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030
Population Projections	17,392	16,960	16,551	16,141	15,680
Change Since 2010		-432	-841	-1,251	-1,712
Pct. Change Since 2010		-2.5%	-4.8%	-7.2%	-9.8%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center.

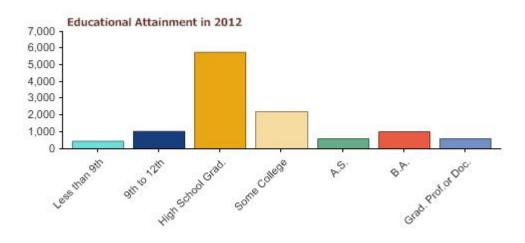
Note: 2010 data are census counts from the U.S. Census Bureau

Education

The level of education of our workforce is a critical factor for economic and community development. It often provides insight into the skill levels of a local area. The metrics provided here focus on the attainment of degrees and high school graduates' higher education intent. The type of work (occupations) residents perform can also assist in understanding skill levels.

Educational Attainment

	1970	1980	1990	2000	2012
Total Population 25 and Older	10,982	11,185	11,404	12,020	11,719
Less than 9th Grade	3,082	2,041	963	782	463
9th to 12th, No Diploma	2,349	2,152	2,049	1,665	1,043
High School Graduate (incl. equiv.)	4,280	5,237	5,491	6,123	5,763
Some College, No Degree			1,436	1,696	2,221
Associate Degree			473	515	602
Bachelors Degree			548	870	1,027
Graduate or Professional Degree*			444	369	600

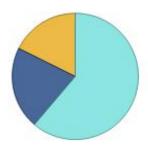


Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates *2011 data includes Doctorate Degrees

High School Graduates Going on to Higher Education

	2005	2006	2007	2008
Total Graduates	159	145	171	166
Total to Higher Education	145	134	151	147
Four-Year Institution	93	103	91	90
Two-Year Institution	32	18	38	31
Vocational/Tech.	20	13	22	26
Military	5	3	8	7

2008 Higher Education Intent



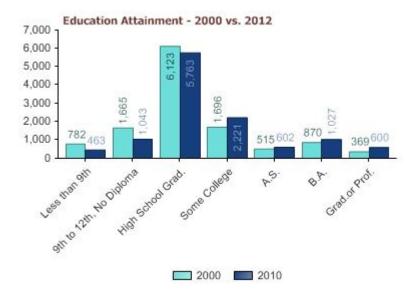


Source: Indiana Department of Education

Educational Attainment in 2000 and 2012

2000	Pct. of Pop. 25+	Pct. of Pop. 25+

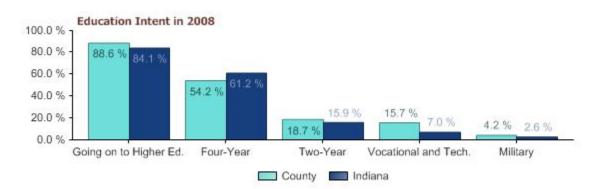
Total Population 25+	12,020	100.0%	11,719	100.0%
Less than 9th Grade	782	6.5%	463	4.0%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	1,665	13.9%	1,043	8.9%
High School Graduate (incl. equivalency)	6,123	50.9%	5,763	49.2%
Some College, No Degree	1,696	14.1%	2,221	19.0%
Associate's Degree	515	4.3%	602	5.1%
Bachelor's Degree	870	7.2%	1,027	8.8%
Graduate or Professional Degree**	369	3.1%	600	5.1%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 year estimates. **2011 Graduate or Professional Degree data include Doctorate Degrees

High School Graduates Higher Education Intent

	2008 Pct. Dist.	Indiana Pct. Dist.
Graduates	100.0%	100.0%
Total Going on to Higher Education	88.6%	84.1%
Four-Year Institution	54.2%	61.2%
Two-Year Institution	18.7%	15.9%
Vocational and Tech.	15.7%	7.0%
Military	4.2%	2.6%



Commuting

In Indiana, most workers commute to a job, either within their home county or beyond. Patterns of commuting are significant in showing the labor supply. The county *labor force* represents workers who reside in the county no matter where they work. Two types of commuting patterns are provided here - the Census 2000 *benchmark* and the annual data tabulated from state income tax returns that can help provide a more current view.

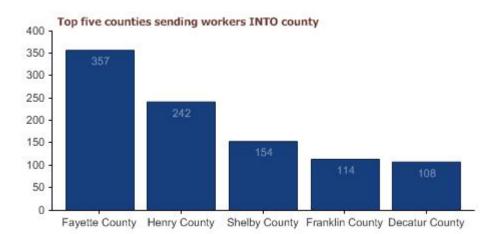
Commuting Data, 2012

	Number
Number of tax filers who live in county and work	11,491
Number of tax filers who work in the county	9,318
Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county	7,865
Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county	1,453

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Commuting Patterns: Top five counties sending workers INTO county, 2012

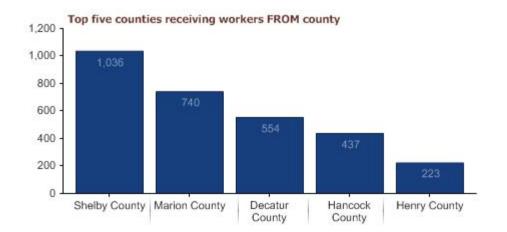
County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Fayette County	357	36.6%
Henry County	242	24.8%
Shelby County	154	15.8%
Franklin County	114	11.7%
Decatur County	108	11.1%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Commuting Patterns: Top five counties receiving workers FROM county, 2012

County	Number	Pct. Five County Total
Shelby County	1,036	34.6%
Marion County	740	24.7%
Decatur County	554	18.5%
Hancock County	437	14.6%
Henry County	223	7.5%



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

Travel To Work in 2012

	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Workers Age 16 and Over	7,934	100.0%
Travel To Work	7,572	95.4%
Car, Truck, or Van	7,394	93.2%
Traveled Alone	6,569	82.8%
Carpooled	825	10.4%
Used Public Transportation	41	0.5%
Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other	137	1.7%
Worked At Home	362	4.6%
Average Travel Time (Minutes)	26.8	
Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)	16.8	

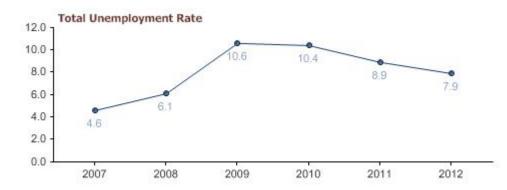
Source: U.S. Census Bureau & American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

Labor Force

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2012

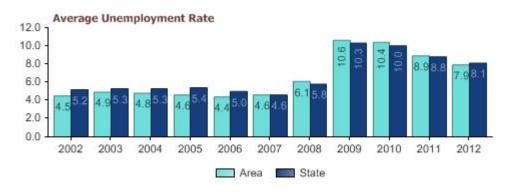
	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000
Labor Force	8,812	-7.4%
Employed	8,113	-12.5%
Unemployed	699	190.0%
Rate	7.9	216.0%



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Labor Force Estimates

	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate
2002	9,522	9,092	430	4.5	5.2
2003	9,229	8,775	454	4.9	5.3
2004	9,247	8,801	446	4.8	5.3
2005	9,541	9,100	441	4.6	5.4
2006	9,502	9,080	422	4.4	5.0
2007	9,515	9,080	435	4.6	4.6
2008	9,272	8,706	566	6.1	5.8
2009	9,107	8,145	962	10.6	10.3
2010	8,990	8,057	933	10.4	10.0
2011	8,986	8,189	797	8.9	8.8
2012	8,812	8,113	699	7.9	8.1



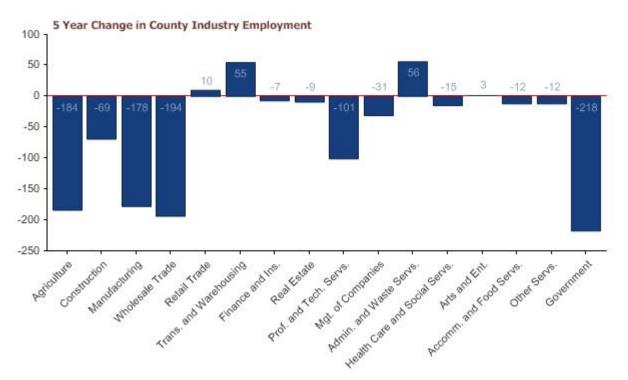
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Employment

Industry employment is tabulated as jobs by place-of-work. Keep in mind that people may hold multiple jobs and that each job is counted by its industry.

Average Employment by Sector							
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	5 Year Change	5 Year % Change

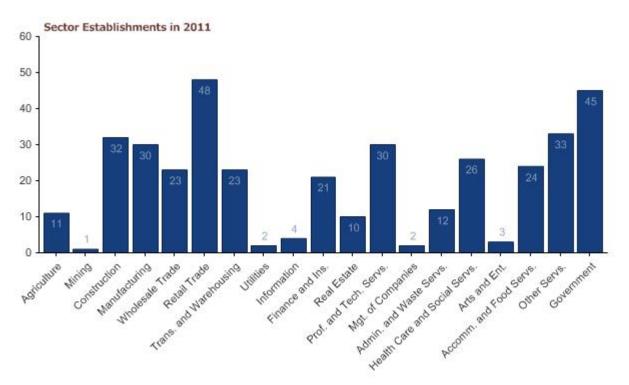
Total Employment	4,992	4,705	4,589	4,614	4,576	-416	-8.33%
Total Private Employment	3,709	3,519	3,488	3,539	3,511	-198	-5.34%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunt	184	213	191	195	D	-184	-100.00%
Mining			D	D	D	N/A	N/A
Construction	243	229	178	170	174	-69	-28.40%
Manufacturing	1,106	930	931	915	928	-178	-16.09%
Wholesale Trade	194	179	179	163	D	-194	-100.00%
Retail Trade	487	485	510	513	497	10	2.05%
Transport. and Warehousing	236	217	237	267	291	55	23.31%
Utilities			66	61	D	N/A	N/A
Information			58	41	45	N/A	N/A
Finance and Insurance	127	127	126	121	120	-7	-5.51%
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	27	25	18	20	18	-9	-33.33%
Professional and Tech. Servs.	101	95	101	106	D	-101	-100.00%
Mgmt. of Companies	31	31	33	D	D	-31	-100.00%
Admin. and Waste Services	94	129	143	170	150	56	59.57%
Educational Services	0	0			0	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	293	284	270	270	278	-15	-5.12%
Arts, Entertain., and Recreation	14	15	15	18	17	3	21.43%
Accommodation and Food Service	333	339	291	323	321	-12	-3.60%
Other Services	145	131	135	143	133	-12	-8.28%
Federal, State, & Local Govt.	1,283	1,186	1,101	1,075	1,065	-218	-16.99%



Note: Total employment represents the sum of total private sector and total government sector employment. State and local government schools and hospitals are included in the government total. Sectors may not sum to the total (or agree with BLS published total employment) due to suppression issues. D = non-discloseable in compliance with the Bureau of Labor Statistics and/or State of Indiana confidentiality guidelines. Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, as of July 2013.

Establishments by Sector							
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	5 Year Change	5 Year % Change

Total Establishments	408	400	391	389	380	-28	-6.86%
Total Private Establishments	364	359	349	347	335	-29	-7.97%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunt	14	14	14	14	D	-3	-21.43%
Mining	1	1	D	D	D	0	0.00%
Construction	47	47	38	36	32	-15	-31.91%
Manufacturing	34	32	31	31	30	-4	-11.76%
Wholesale Trade	24	24	23	21	D	-1	-4.17%
Retail Trade	48	47	47	49	48	0	0.00%
Transport. and Warehousing	23	24	20	21	23	0	0.00%
Utilities	4	4	4	3	D	-2	-50.00%
Information	2	2	4	4	4	2	100.00%
Finance and Insurance	24	25	22	21	21	-3	-12.50%
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	12	13	12	11	10	-2	-16.67%
Professional and Tech. Servs.	25	25	28	29	D	5	20.00%
Mgmt. of Companies	3	3	3	D	D	-1	-33.33%
Admin. and Waste Services	11	11	10	12	12	1	9.09%
Educational Services	0	0			0	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	25	24	26	26	26	1	4.00%
Arts, Entertain., and Recreation	3	3	3	3	3	0	0.00%
Accommodation and Food Service	25	24	23	26	24	-1	-4.00%
Other Services	40	39	40	37	33	-7	-17.50%
Federal, State, & Local Govt.	44	41	42	42	45	1	2.27%



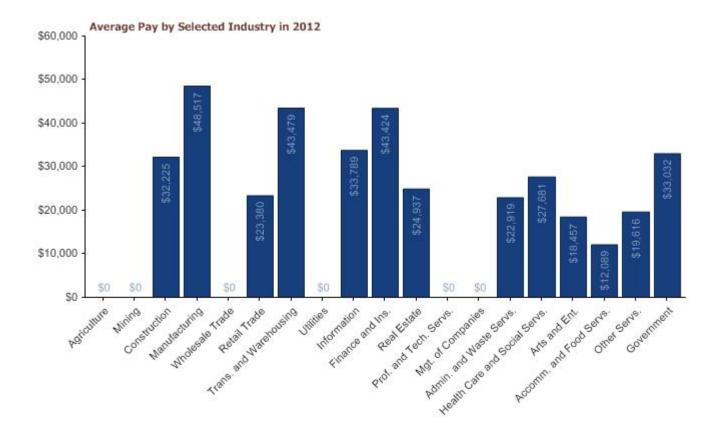
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Earnings and Income

Industry employment is tabulated as jobs by place-of-work. Keep in mind that people may hold multiple jobs and that each job is counted by its industry. Note: The income figures and changes are not adjusted for inflation.

Average Annual Earnings by Industry

	2008	2012	5 Year	5 Year % Change	Indiana 2012	% of State
All Industries	\$30,171	\$33,876	\$3,704	12.3%	\$41,240	82.1%
Ag., For., Fishing, & Hunt.	\$26,888	D	-\$26,888	-100.0%	\$32,336	0.0%
Mining		D	N/A	N/A	\$64,335	0.0%
Construction	\$30,379	\$32,225	\$1,846	6.1%	\$54,083	59.6%
Manufacturing	\$39,572	\$48,517	\$8,945	22.6%	\$56,312	86.2%
Wholesale Trade	\$34,056	D	-\$34,056	-100.0%	\$56,978	0.0%
Retail Trade	\$20,602	\$23,380	\$2,778	13.5%	\$24,322	96.1%
Trans. & Warehousing	\$36,961	\$43,479	\$6,519	17.6%	\$40,187	108.2%
Utilities		D	N/A	N/A	\$81,714	0.0%
Information		\$33,789	N/A	N/A	\$52,519	64.3%
Finance & Insurance	\$36,759	\$43,424	\$6,665	18.1%	\$59,913	72.5%
Real Est., Rent., Leasing	\$17,642	\$24,937	\$7,295	41.3%	\$36,768	67.8%
Prof. & Tech. Svcs.	\$32,204	D	-\$32,204	-100.0%	\$58,827	0.0%
Mgt.of Companies	\$27,879	D	-\$27,879	-100.0%	\$83,538	0.0%
Admin. & Waste Svcs.	\$22,235	\$22,919	\$685	3.1%	\$27,508	83.3%
Education Svcs.	0	0	N/A	N/A	\$35,388	N/A
Health Care & Social Assist.	\$22,542	\$27,681	\$5,140	22.8%	\$42,076	65.8%
Arts, Ent. &, Rec.	\$27,122	\$18,457	-\$8,665	-31.9%	\$29,368	62.8%
Accom. & Food Svcs.	\$10,426	\$12,089	\$1,663	16.0%	\$13,955	86.6%
Other Svcs.	\$21,323	\$19,616	-\$1,707	-8.0%	\$27,569	71.2%
Fed.l, State & Local Govt.	\$30,882	\$33,032	\$2,150	7.0%	\$40,520	81.5%



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Average Compensation Per Job Over Time

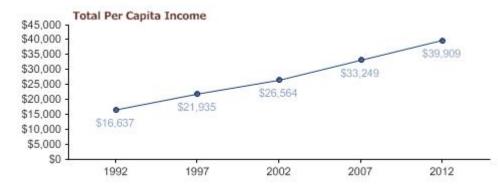
	2009	2010	2011	2011	2012
Avg. Compensation per Job	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pct. Change Since 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

No Data

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Per Capita Income Over Time

	1992	1997	2002	2007	2012
Total Per Capita Income	\$16,637	\$21,935	\$26,564	\$33,249	\$39,909
Change Since 1991		\$5,298	\$9,927	\$16,612	\$23,272
Pct. Change Since 1991		31.8%	59.7%	99.8%	139.9%



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis

Income & Wage

	Number
Median family income in 2012 (ACS)	\$55,552
Median household income in 2012 (ACS)	\$46,125
Average Wage Per Job in 2012 (BLS)	\$33,871
Wage Growth since 2000 (BLS)	34.5%

Source: US Census Bureau, ACS 5 Year Estimates & Bureau of Labor Statistics

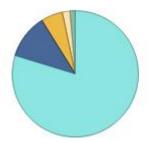
Firms and Employment by Size

Firm data are available for most counties by the size of the firms and average employment by business unit size.

County Business Patterns, 2011

	Establishments	Number Chg. 06 to 11	Pct.Chg. 06 to 11	Pct. of Total
1-9 employees	287	-48	-14.3%	79.7%
10-19 employees	41	-8	-16.3%	11.4%
20-49 employees	20	-5	-20.0%	5.6%
50-99 employees	7	-1	-12.5%	1.9%
100 plus employees	5	-3	-37.5%	1.4%
TOTAL	360	-65	-15.3%	100.0%

County Business Patterns



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11.39	% 📖	10 to 19
5.56	% 📃	20 to 49
1.94	% 🗔	50 to 99
1.39	% 📖	100 plus

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Establishments by Sector and Size

	Total	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees	Employees
Total All Sectors	360	207	80	41	20	7	5
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, Hunting	3	2	0	0	0	1	0
Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Manufacturing	36	24	8	3	1	0	0
Wholesale Trade	27	12	4	5	4	0	2
Retail Trade	22	11	4	2	4	0	1
Transportation and Warehousing	51	19	21	7	2	2	0
Utilities	23	14	4	3	1	0	1
Information	6	3	2	0	0	1	0
Finance and Insurance	23	15	5	1	2	0	0
Real Estate, Rental, Leasing	11	11	0	0	0	0	0
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	30	20	8	2	0	0	0
Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Administrative and Support and Waste Mgmt. Remediation Svcs.	14	7	4	2	1	0	0
Educational Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Health Care and Social Assistance	30	17	5	5	0	2	1
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	6	3	2	1	0	0	0
Accommodation and Food Services	26	10	4	6	5	1	0
Other Services (except Public Administration)	49	37	9	3	0	0	0
Unclassified	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Note: Source: U.S. Census Bureau