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PREFACE

This publication is generated from statistics produced by Maryland's ES-202 Program. It provides the reader with a basic industrial profile of Maryland's economy. The data are generated and published on a quarterly basis with totals for the state as well as each of its political subdivisions. Included are all workers covered by the Unemployment Insurance (UI) Law of Maryland and the unemployment compensation for federal employees (UCFE) program. Together these two account for over 91% of all civilian employment. The principle exclusions are cited in Appendix A of this report.

This report uses the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) to code establishments. All future releases will also be based on the NAICS. Prior to the reports for 2001, the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Manual was used for coding purposes. Although some titles remained the same, the content has changed from one system to the other and the series are not comparable.

For purposes of this report, NAICS sectors have been combined using the BLS standard for sector aggregation. The following page details this aggregation.

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BLS Standard for Sector Aggregation Titles for NAICS

Goods-Producing

Natural Resources and Mining

Sector 11 (Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting), *Sector 21* (Mining)

Construction

Sector 23 (Construction)

Manufacturing

Sectors 31, 32, 33 (Manufacturing)

Service-Providing

Trade, Transportation, and Utilities

Sector 42 (Wholesale Trade), *Sectors 44, 45* (Retail Trade), *Sectors 48, 49* (Transportation and Warehousing),
Sector 22 (Utilities)

Information

Sector 51 (Information)

Financial Activities

Sector 52 (Finance and Insurance) *Sector 53* (Real Estate and Rental and Leasing)

Professional and Business Services

Sector 54 (Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services), *Sector 55* (Management of Companies and Enterprises),
Sector 56 (Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services)

Education and Health Services

Sector 61 (Educational Services), *Sector 62* (Health Care and Social Assistance)

Leisure and Hospitality

Sector 71 (Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation), *Sector 72* (Accommodation and Food Services)

Other Services

Sector 81 (Other Services, except Public Administration)

Public Administration

Sector 92 (Public Administration)

Unclassified

Sector 99 (Unclassified)

**TABLE I
MAJOR INDUSTRY SERIES**

STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	160,442	2,521,548	2,532,204	2,539,769	2,531,174	\$29,939,228,253	\$910
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,151	461,311	465,138	463,825	463,425	6,133,643,525	1,018
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	948	125,571	125,965	126,402	125,979	2,404,637,835	1,468
STATE GOVERNMENT	384	98,574	99,402	98,090	98,689	1,150,520,687	897
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,819	237,166	239,771	239,333	238,757	2,578,485,003	831
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	157,291	2,060,237	2,067,066	2,075,944	2,067,749	23,805,584,728	886
GOODS-PRODUCING	23,665	333,275	333,907	333,129	333,437	4,406,476,388	1,017
Natural Resources and Mining	705	7,028	6,651	6,445	6,708	61,131,605	701
Crop production	227	2,147	1,967	1,790	1,968	15,043,191	588
Animal production	128	1,423	1,398	1,390	1,404	10,114,213	554
Forestry and logging	72	437	439	430	435	3,101,981	549
Fishing, hunting and trapping	30	181	193	202	192	1,774,055	711
Agriculture and forestry support activities	157	1,073	912	897	961	6,997,109	560
Oil and gas extraction	5	9	10	10	10	92,122	709
Mining, except oil and gas	55	1,359	1,328	1,313	1,333	19,561,975	1,129
Support activities for mining	31	399	404	413	405	4,446,959	845
Construction	18,762	186,763	187,543	186,766	187,024	2,396,348,439	986
Construction of buildings	6,593	44,726	44,994	45,209	44,976	671,973,335	1,149
Heavy and civil engineering construction	1,012	17,939	17,949	17,370	17,753	231,901,950	1,005
Specialty trade contractors	11,157	124,098	124,600	124,187	124,295	1,492,473,154	924
Manufacturing	4,198	139,484	139,713	139,918	139,705	1,948,996,344	1,073
Food manufacturing	370	16,139	16,270	16,237	16,215	154,255,009	732
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	71	4,398	4,414	4,416	4,409	47,592,047	830
Textile mills	41	1,589	1,576	1,448	1,538	15,105,172	755
Textile product mills	122	1,017	1,039	1,043	1,033	9,578,425	713
Apparel manufacturing	74	1,875	1,870	1,911	1,885	13,527,919	552
Leather and allied product manufacturing	18	533	532	552	539	7,194,320	1,027
Wood product manufacturing	149	3,885	3,845	3,831	3,854	37,771,971	754
Paper manufacturing	48	5,392	5,368	5,444	5,401	58,482,958	833
Printing and related support activities	674	13,511	13,494	13,503	13,503	159,316,888	908
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	34	983	983	971	979	15,214,302	1,195
Chemical manufacturing	228	12,256	12,286	12,264	12,269	211,630,913	1,327
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	121	7,625	7,648	7,643	7,639	87,263,298	879
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	197	5,301	5,295	5,293	5,296	61,486,070	893
Primary metal manufacturing	61	4,106	4,103	4,103	4,104	72,590,944	1,361
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	464	9,849	9,911	9,967	9,909	117,037,703	909
Machinery manufacturing	233	8,694	8,723	8,765	8,727	144,561,476	1,274
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	341	22,331	22,354	22,410	22,365	483,623,783	1,663
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	77	2,172	2,177	2,201	2,183	28,530,305	1,005
Transportation equipment manufacturing	155	8,811	8,855	8,848	8,838	131,405,620	1,144
Furniture and related product manufacturing	257	3,970	3,988	4,051	4,003	38,160,185	733

See note at end of table.

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STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	463	5,047	4,982	5,017	5,015	54,667,036	839
SERVICE PROVIDING	132,122	1,725,619	1,731,815	1,741,390	1,732,941	19,378,727,063	860
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,436	468,731	477,355	487,117	477,734	4,499,434,612	724
Utilities	143	9,653	9,719	9,697	9,690	198,518,179	1,576
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	4,835	53,000	52,931	53,378	53,103	915,737,324	1,327
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	2,167	30,802	30,710	30,642	30,718	395,194,763	990
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	2,996	10,583	10,719	10,894	10,732	222,331,343	1,594
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	1,786	39,018	38,805	38,845	38,889	428,632,138	848
Furniture and home furnishings stores	1,154	12,785	13,167	13,345	13,099	115,602,138	679
Electronics and appliance stores	1,077	11,935	13,208	13,527	12,890	123,083,363	735
Building material and garden supply stores	1,144	25,383	25,434	25,336	25,384	225,116,969	682
Food and beverage stores	3,635	59,669	59,696	60,320	59,895	360,843,941	463
Health and personal care stores	1,629	17,463	17,564	17,916	17,648	129,532,042	565
Gasoline stations	1,451	10,814	10,734	10,792	10,780	54,725,898	391
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	2,512	29,913	31,736	34,027	31,892	140,873,183	340
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,145	14,458	15,508	16,014	15,327	80,190,204	402
General merchandise stores	785	53,976	57,155	59,413	56,848	275,400,638	373
Miscellaneous store retailers	2,353	19,549	20,018	20,593	20,053	115,391,386	443
Nonstore retailers	629	5,415	5,486	5,715	5,539	53,422,578	742
Air transportation	78	4,641	4,591	4,599	4,610	72,895,660	1,216
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	35	533	515	516	521	8,102,351	1,196
Truck transportation	1,784	17,554	17,449	17,549	17,517	176,854,516	777
Transit and ground passenger transportation	762	9,228	9,308	9,493	9,343	53,633,750	442
Pipeline transportation	3	49	49	50	49	909,243	1,427
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	56	463	312	309	361	1,588,988	339
Support activities for transportation	725	10,279	10,240	10,278	10,266	128,629,056	964
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	324	11,515	12,141	13,626	12,427	117,271,094	726
Warehousing and storage	204	9,908	10,029	10,092	10,010	103,968,156	799
Information	2,827	51,654	51,414	51,545	51,538	812,960,896	1,213
Publishing industries, except Internet	711	12,790	12,859	12,926	12,858	179,057,575	1,071
Motion picture and sound recording industries	434	5,234	5,011	5,025	5,090	38,649,675	584
Broadcasting, except Internet	139	4,888	4,897	4,933	4,906	112,051,846	1,757
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	831	20,273	20,393	20,429	20,365	347,982,431	1,314
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	579	7,272	7,044	7,039	7,118	117,059,198	1,265
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	14,931	158,126	157,962	158,444	158,177	2,783,659,327	1,354
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	3,939	57,880	57,764	58,194	57,946	870,405,594	1,155

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,188	14,421	14,389	14,023	14,278	664,528,352	3,580
Insurance carriers and related activities	3,052	35,142	35,315	35,392	35,283	585,691,653	1,277
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	184	1,833	1,844	1,867	1,848	31,222,299	1,300
Real estate	5,472	34,457	34,431	34,770	34,553	486,735,103	1,084
Rental and leasing services	1,043	13,667	13,496	13,453	13,539	133,783,007	760
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	33,540	387,736	386,803	386,651	387,063	5,766,099,376	1,146
Professional and technical services	22,880	216,114	216,817	218,927	217,286	4,236,151,043	1,500
Management of companies and enterprises	366	13,841	13,823	13,841	13,835	255,108,733	1,418
Administrative and support services	9,801	150,742	149,238	147,005	148,995	1,198,384,334	619
Waste management and remediation services	493	7,039	6,925	6,878	6,947	76,455,266	847
Education and Health Services	16,048	344,208	345,790	346,778	345,592	3,783,911,136	842
Educational services	2,069	55,675	55,954	55,640	55,756	574,847,820	793
Ambulatory health care services	9,928	93,171	93,381	94,319	93,624	1,410,401,726	1,159
Hospitals	130	93,021	93,359	93,636	93,339	1,113,578,224	918
Nursing and residential care facilities	1,388	60,283	60,653	60,966	60,634	428,239,370	543
Social assistance	2,533	42,058	42,443	42,217	42,239	256,843,996	468
Leisure and Hospitality	12,491	226,491	223,462	221,373	223,775	1,046,582,117	360
Performing arts and spectator sports	700	7,804	7,579	7,470	7,618	103,912,726	1,049
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	100	1,903	1,911	1,913	1,909	12,556,738	506
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	1,476	25,131	23,353	22,647	23,710	113,163,442	367
Accommodation	729	25,030	24,134	23,685	24,283	191,729,565	607
Food services and drinking places	9,486	166,623	166,485	165,658	166,255	625,219,646	289
Other Services	18,849	88,673	89,029	89,482	89,061	686,079,599	593
Repair and maintenance	4,427	25,216	25,346	25,411	25,324	245,074,309	744
Personal and laundry services	3,897	30,105	30,282	30,451	30,279	172,222,585	438
Membership associations and organizations	2,563	24,613	24,719	24,888	24,740	227,468,823	707
Private households	7,962	8,739	8,682	8,732	8,718	41,313,882	365
UNCLASSIFIED	1,504	1,343	1,344	1,425	1,371	20,381,277	1,144

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	69,582	1,241,213	1,246,588	1,251,049	1,246,283	\$14,454,268,280	\$892
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,400	216,006	217,576	217,294	216,959	2,637,596,351	935
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	363	41,473	41,561	41,713	41,582	669,259,610	1,238
STATE GOVERNMENT	245	65,925	66,295	65,908	66,043	816,838,802	951
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	792	108,608	109,720	109,673	109,334	1,151,497,939	810
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,182	1,025,207	1,029,012	1,033,755	1,029,325	11,816,671,929	883
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,729	159,490	159,730	159,861	159,694	2,156,229,682	1,039
Natural Resources and Mining	240	1,844	1,726	1,706	1,759	13,775,048	602
Crop production	82	822	733	711	755	5,428,282	553
Animal production	45	266	259	264	263	1,681,708	492
Forestry and logging	8	124	122	113	120	1,080,775	693
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	70	301	293	298	297	2,140,176	554
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	13	231	223	220	225	2,745,996	939
Support activities for mining	11	42	42	45	43	417,628	747
Construction	8,381	82,973	83,267	83,112	83,117	1,070,585,737	991
Construction of buildings	2,921	17,942	18,079	18,350	18,124	279,992,570	1,188
Heavy and civil engineering construction	447	9,400	9,360	9,063	9,274	116,877,926	969
Specialty trade contractors	5,013	55,631	55,828	55,699	55,719	673,715,241	930
Manufacturing	2,108	74,673	74,737	75,043	74,818	1,071,868,897	1,102
Food manufacturing	191	8,540	8,626	8,693	8,620	92,187,048	823
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	35	2,254	2,254	2,272	2,260	26,851,972	914
Textile mills	19	639	650	645	645	5,898,501	703
Textile product mills	66	557	563	558	559	5,054,639	696
Apparel manufacturing	40	1,127	1,125	1,153	1,135	8,544,153	579
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	63	1,954	1,918	1,914	1,929	17,836,146	711
Paper manufacturing	30	3,107	3,128	3,162	3,132	31,957,388	785
Printing and related support activities	336	5,835	5,789	5,854	5,826	63,403,507	837
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Chemical manufacturing	118	8,220	8,222	8,191	8,211	136,697,441	1,281
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	72	3,678	3,680	3,676	3,678	36,504,556	763
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	83	2,646	2,634	2,625	2,635	30,417,613	888
Primary metal manufacturing	34	3,284	3,293	3,294	3,290	61,881,794	1,447
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	285	5,514	5,565	5,596	5,558	66,793,901	924
Machinery manufacturing	135	5,132	5,128	5,168	5,143	86,343,138	1,291
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	128	11,715	11,691	11,691	11,699	256,177,401	1,684
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	40	1,140	1,139	1,144	1,141	16,340,402	1,102
Transportation equipment manufacturing	73	4,619	4,642	4,650	4,637	75,384,487	1,251
Furniture and related product manufacturing	123	1,544	1,539	1,588	1,557	15,393,979	761

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	214	2,444	2,420	2,436	2,433	27,321,053	864
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,265	865,561	869,130	873,734	869,475	9,658,686,462	855
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	14,986	235,610	239,657	244,484	239,917	2,271,556,146	728
Utilities	38	5,334	5,332	5,379	5,348	121,543,804	1,748
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	2,184	28,690	28,679	28,860	28,743	471,376,381	1,262
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	965	17,625	17,632	17,679	17,645	224,489,071	979
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	611	3,394	3,423	3,498	3,438	73,851,117	1,652
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	862	18,574	18,479	18,460	18,504	202,248,423	841
Furniture and home furnishings stores	513	5,611	5,819	5,903	5,778	48,995,528	652
Electronics and appliance stores	500	5,680	6,371	6,521	6,191	59,746,939	742
Building material and garden supply stores	511	10,731	10,802	10,738	10,757	92,218,985	659
Food and beverage stores	1,857	30,653	30,650	30,799	30,701	183,076,457	459
Health and personal care stores	784	9,205	9,239	9,322	9,255	72,128,214	599
Gasoline stations	634	4,077	4,029	4,002	4,036	19,755,775	377
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	1,226	15,124	15,947	17,215	16,095	72,207,085	345
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	538	7,214	7,750	7,986	7,650	38,594,768	388
General merchandise stores	367	24,543	26,197	27,358	26,033	123,674,565	365
Miscellaneous store retailers	1,146	10,006	10,256	10,671	10,311	57,853,475	432
Nonstore retailers	283	2,694	2,725	2,949	2,789	26,128,617	721
Air transportation	45	4,169	4,079	4,075	4,108	68,901,770	1,290
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Truck transportation	838	8,971	8,917	9,032	8,973	94,381,884	809
Transit and ground passenger transportation	340	5,663	5,718	5,940	5,774	32,847,607	438
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	27	365	239	241	282	1,130,412	308
Support activities for transportation	417	6,099	6,053	6,113	6,088	72,121,522	911
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	164	4,485	4,617	4,979	4,694	48,325,332	792
Warehousing and storage	108	6,285	6,305	6,343	6,311	59,545,698	726
Information	1,004	20,320	20,508	20,505	20,444	287,547,646	1,082
Publishing industries, except Internet	248	5,692	5,745	5,761	5,733	77,387,473	1,038
Motion picture and sound recording industries	181	1,567	1,731	1,770	1,689	11,829,082	539
Broadcasting, except Internet	46	2,012	2,021	2,010	2,014	31,520,565	1,204
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	312	8,620	8,609	8,545	8,591	129,752,053	1,162
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	169	1,952	1,918	1,948	1,939	31,284,677	1,241
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	6,911	80,153	80,146	80,332	80,210	1,530,496,732	1,468
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,791	27,204	27,232	27,453	27,296	409,637,399	1,154

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	573	9,580	9,532	9,255	9,456	507,926,665	4,132
Insurance carriers and related activities	1,558	19,860	19,975	20,027	19,954	320,429,909	1,235
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	75	846	858	875	860	15,498,908	1,386
Real estate	2,400	14,898	14,843	15,004	14,915	196,202,841	1,012
Rental and leasing services	485	7,159	7,102	7,094	7,118	71,811,434	776
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	13,974	177,523	176,885	176,342	176,917	2,495,524,572	1,085
Professional and technical services	9,445	95,426	95,539	96,438	95,801	1,777,346,618	1,427
Management of companies and enterprises	167	4,903	4,838	4,872	4,871	107,568,303	1,699
Administrative and support services	4,121	73,389	72,784	71,318	72,497	570,699,144	606
Waste management and remediation services	241	3,805	3,724	3,714	3,748	39,910,507	819
Education and Health Services	7,351	201,043	202,149	202,695	201,962	2,253,783,742	858
Educational services	903	38,983	39,150	38,941	39,025	431,485,562	851
Ambulatory health care services	4,467	45,748	45,888	46,523	46,053	666,379,111	1,113
Hospitals	71	61,607	61,874	61,997	61,826	782,248,506	973
Nursing and residential care facilities	659	31,350	31,589	31,821	31,587	225,523,102	549
Social assistance	1,251	23,355	23,648	23,413	23,472	148,147,461	486
Leisure and Hospitality	6,057	110,494	109,210	108,505	109,403	515,605,761	363
Performing arts and spectator sports	295	3,318	3,262	3,160	3,247	76,160,850	1,804
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	52	1,329	1,342	1,360	1,344	9,245,600	529
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	726	12,978	12,116	11,548	12,214	55,052,085	347
Accommodation	240	9,603	9,475	9,303	9,460	53,739,578	437
Food services and drinking places	4,744	83,266	83,015	83,134	83,138	321,407,648	297
Other Services	6,982	40,418	40,575	40,871	40,621	304,171,863	576
Repair and maintenance	2,138	12,572	12,608	12,668	12,616	119,880,529	731
Personal and laundry services	1,942	14,984	15,112	15,193	15,096	82,873,337	422
Membership associations and organizations	1,149	10,948	10,948	11,102	10,999	92,495,144	647
Private households	1,753	1,914	1,907	1,908	1,910	8,922,853	359
UNCLASSIFIED	188	156	152	160	156	1,755,785	866

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INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	58,677	932,132	938,489	942,094	937,572	\$11,925,805,210	\$978
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	993	189,380	191,419	190,586	190,462	2,849,989,476	1,151
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	333	71,474	71,801	72,045	71,773	1,496,971,989	1,604
STATE GOVERNMENT	40	20,359	20,823	19,850	20,344	212,507,269	804
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	620	97,547	98,795	98,691	98,344	1,140,510,218	892
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	57,684	742,752	747,070	751,508	747,110	9,075,815,734	934
GOODS-PRODUCING	7,865	114,863	115,358	115,276	115,166	1,645,894,288	1,099
Natural Resources and Mining	139	1,610	1,571	1,551	1,577	17,567,731	857
Crop production	40	419	385	363	389	3,176,967	628
Animal production	31	430	426	424	427	2,887,610	520
Forestry and logging	9	60	58	54	57	331,617	448
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	39	168	170	173	170	1,358,963	615
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	10	392	391	393	392	8,173,631	1,604
Support activities for mining	7	118	118	118	118	1,402,076	914
Construction	6,558	79,496	79,861	79,720	79,692	1,083,006,486	1,045
Construction of buildings	2,347	20,292	20,381	20,366	20,346	327,273,281	1,237
Heavy and civil engineering construction	292	6,310	6,325	6,178	6,271	92,460,977	1,134
Specialty trade contractors	3,919	52,894	53,155	53,176	53,075	663,272,228	961
Manufacturing	1,168	33,757	33,926	34,005	33,896	545,320,071	1,238
Food manufacturing	86	2,337	2,398	2,427	2,387	20,490,353	660
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	21	1,408	1,417	1,408	1,411	14,462,525	788
Textile mills	10	237	235	231	234	4,696,510	1,544
Textile product mills	40	371	387	394	384	3,781,349	757
Apparel manufacturing	21	356	355	366	359	2,328,536	499
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	34	1,007	1,005	1,012	1,008	10,970,218	837
Paper manufacturing	7	203	200	199	201	3,228,457	1,236
Printing and related support activities	239	5,791	5,844	5,812	5,816	75,995,052	1,005
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	9	311	313	313	312	4,571,873	1,127
Chemical manufacturing	49	2,621	2,645	2,660	2,642	58,719,898	1,710
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	17	359	371	360	363	4,432,423	939
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	58	1,524	1,533	1,530	1,529	19,929,492	1,003
Primary metal manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	92	2,363	2,353	2,351	2,356	30,800,195	1,006
Machinery manufacturing	43	1,143	1,140	1,154	1,146	15,486,809	1,040
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	138	9,381	9,427	9,489	9,432	213,167,188	1,738
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	16	136	133	143	137	2,328,431	1,307
Transportation equipment manufacturing	30	1,559	1,543	1,523	1,542	27,400,112	1,367
Furniture and related product manufacturing	83	932	948	952	944	10,788,797	879

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INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	160	1,088	1,051	1,063	1,067	12,634,460	911
SERVICE PROVIDING	49,248	627,245	631,084	635,553	631,294	7,421,700,777	904
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,833	160,577	164,087	168,268	164,311	1,526,802,672	715
Utilities	48	3,136	3,196	3,139	3,157	57,625,560	1,404
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	1,330	17,520	17,466	17,601	17,529	324,244,242	1,423
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	522	7,443	7,366	7,377	7,395	92,809,824	965
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	335	1,783	1,807	1,830	1,807	32,910,962	1,401
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	546	15,355	15,300	15,327	15,327	181,202,962	909
Furniture and home furnishings stores	468	5,608	5,741	5,829	5,726	52,620,687	707
Electronics and appliance stores	410	5,229	5,760	5,918	5,636	55,725,978	761
Building material and garden supply stores	371	10,179	10,182	10,195	10,185	94,860,302	716
Food and beverage stores	1,201	21,384	21,368	21,686	21,479	141,202,635	506
Health and personal care stores	578	5,586	5,660	5,867	5,704	37,174,017	501
Gasoline stations	522	3,852	3,827	3,858	3,846	22,222,265	444
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	908	11,795	12,541	13,482	12,606	52,581,322	321
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	399	5,875	6,349	6,570	6,265	33,857,284	416
General merchandise stores	259	20,491	21,576	22,584	21,550	111,222,691	397
Miscellaneous store retailers	749	7,014	7,210	7,334	7,186	43,419,365	465
Nonstore retailers	192	1,424	1,424	1,417	1,422	16,138,797	873
Air transportation	10	132	128	128	129	1,110,249	662
Water transportation	9	222	217	227	222	2,942,158	1,019
Truck transportation	439	4,316	4,196	4,212	4,241	38,945,089	706
Transit and ground passenger transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	12	30	25	24	26	257,905	763
Support activities for transportation	172	1,932	1,936	1,946	1,938	28,368,216	1,126
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	110	5,531	5,957	6,903	6,130	56,612,026	710
Warehousing and storage	53	2,366	2,444	2,441	2,417	33,557,781	1,068
Information	1,071	24,258	24,333	24,428	24,340	447,642,293	1,415
Publishing industries, except Internet	267	5,446	5,450	5,484	5,460	83,656,746	1,179
Motion picture and sound recording industries	182	1,485	1,616	1,608	1,570	12,148,368	595
Broadcasting, except Internet	44	2,400	2,399	2,445	2,415	76,313,486	2,431
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	303	10,157	10,286	10,356	10,266	194,564,543	1,458
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	229	4,138	3,943	3,891	3,991	70,037,944	1,350
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	5,537	60,176	59,974	60,169	60,106	1,027,592,999	1,315
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,455	21,031	20,831	20,937	20,933	341,143,120	1,254
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	404	4,259	4,276	4,192	4,242	133,500,248	2,421

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INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Insurance carriers and related activities	987	12,618	12,679	12,688	12,662	228,997,675	1,391
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	60	887	873	881	880	14,087,780	1,231
Real estate	2,253	16,053	16,084	16,257	16,131	254,604,089	1,214
Rental and leasing services	361	5,215	5,119	5,100	5,145	53,131,408	794
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	12,587	163,700	163,683	163,925	163,769	2,591,621,351	1,217
Professional and technical services	8,912	97,141	97,536	98,337	97,671	1,966,846,659	1,549
Management of companies and enterprises	108	6,386	6,418	6,418	6,407	113,750,608	1,366
Administrative and support services	3,421	57,645	57,211	56,696	57,184	482,984,152	650
Waste management and remediation services	146	2,528	2,518	2,474	2,507	28,039,932	860
Education and Health Services	6,443	100,916	101,260	101,558	101,245	1,118,031,601	849
Educational services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Ambulatory health care services	4,208	35,420	35,433	35,629	35,494	568,652,383	1,232
Hospitals	36	18,825	18,862	18,965	18,884	211,404,061	861
Nursing and residential care facilities	490	19,326	19,416	19,480	19,407	138,252,651	548
Social assistance	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Leisure and Hospitality	4,149	80,657	80,683	80,061	80,467	401,270,325	384
Performing arts and spectator sports	251	3,639	3,465	3,459	3,521	21,541,391	471
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	24	386	396	385	389	2,207,796	437
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	415	8,184	7,572	7,330	7,695	41,589,156	416
Accommodation	191	9,501	9,526	9,545	9,524	109,242,683	882
Food services and drinking places	3,268	58,947	59,724	59,342	59,338	226,689,299	294
Other Services	9,628	36,961	37,064	37,144	37,056	308,739,536	641
Repair and maintenance	1,530	8,937	9,000	9,013	8,983	93,099,274	797
Personal and laundry services	1,407	11,889	11,926	11,955	11,923	72,525,359	468
Membership associations and organizations	872	9,971	10,020	10,014	10,002	114,343,373	879
Private households	5,819	6,164	6,118	6,162	6,148	28,771,530	360
UNCLASSIFIED	571	644	628	679	650	8,220,669	973

NOTE: D - indicates data does not meet agency disclosure standards.

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY SIZE OF REPORTING UNIT**

STATE OF MARYLAND - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FOURTH QUARTER 2005					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	157,291	2,060,237	2,067,066	2,075,944	\$23,805,584,728	\$886
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	20,419	12,979	7,405	0	80,013,209	906
Percent	13.0	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.3	1.02
1-4	73,485	142,148	141,157	142,690	1,707,649,569	925
Percent	46.7	6.9	6.8	6.9	7.2	1.04
5-9	25,720	168,264	168,674	170,134	1,759,810,466	801
Percent	16.4	8.2	8.2	8.2	7.4	0.90
10-19	17,667	235,747	236,825	238,944	2,573,115,003	835
Percent	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.5	10.8	0.94
20-49	12,249	366,498	368,671	371,345	3,939,007,141	822
Percent	7.8	17.8	17.8	17.9	16.5	0.93
50-99	4,414	299,084	301,665	302,695	3,268,508,739	835
Percent	2.8	14.5	14.6	14.6	13.7	0.94
100-249	2,542	373,761	377,894	380,293	4,220,307,391	860
Percent	1.6	18.1	18.3	18.3	17.7	0.97
250-499	549	178,245	179,674	181,590	2,166,493,243	927
Percent	0.3	8.7	8.7	8.7	9.1	1.05
500-999	156	100,390	101,066	102,638	1,321,104,428	1,003
Percent	0.1	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.5	1.13
1,000 & Over	90	183,121	184,035	185,615	2,769,575,539	1,156
Percent	0.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	11.6	1.30

See note at end of table.

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY SIZE OF REPORTING UNIT**

BALTIMORE MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FOURTH QUARTER 2005					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	68,182	1,025,207	1,029,012	1,033,755	\$11,816,671,929	\$883
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	7,792	5,658	3,077	0	32,399,457	856
Percent	11.4	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.97
1-4	30,529	61,257	60,819	61,730	683,003,301	858
Percent	44.8	6.0	5.9	6.0	5.8	0.97
5-9	11,798	77,136	77,501	78,251	771,180,213	764
Percent	17.3	7.5	7.5	7.6	6.5	0.87
10-19	8,291	110,543	110,851	112,122	1,132,453,194	784
Percent	12.2	10.8	10.8	10.8	9.6	0.89
20-49	5,856	175,022	175,728	177,260	1,881,614,077	822
Percent	8.6	17.1	17.1	17.1	15.9	0.93
50-99	2,236	151,292	152,911	153,621	1,617,164,054	815
Percent	3.3	14.8	14.9	14.9	13.7	0.92
100-249	1,282	188,831	190,749	191,979	2,136,065,723	862
Percent	1.9	18.4	18.5	18.6	18.1	0.98
250-499	267	86,195	87,449	87,851	1,073,975,203	948
Percent	0.4	8.4	8.5	8.5	9.1	1.07
500-999	81	52,196	52,557	53,314	711,805,211	1,039
Percent	0.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	6.0	1.18
1,000 & Over	50	117,077	117,370	117,627	1,777,011,496	1,165
Percent	0.1	11.4	11.4	11.4	15.0	1.32

**TABLE II
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY SIZE OF REPORTING UNIT**

MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FOURTH QUARTER 2005					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	57,684	742,752	747,070	751,508	\$9,075,815,734	\$934
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	7,274	4,116	2,791	0	30,817,993	1,030
Percent	12.6	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.3	1.10
1-4	27,585	51,876	51,605	52,339	636,352,297	942
Percent	47.8	7.0	6.9	7.0	7.0	1.01
5-9	9,117	59,288	59,551	60,230	671,334,331	865
Percent	15.8	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.4	0.93
10-19	6,330	84,279	84,893	85,792	984,701,263	891
Percent	11.0	11.3	11.4	11.4	10.8	0.95
20-49	4,462	133,846	135,139	136,070	1,543,491,070	879
Percent	7.7	18.0	18.1	18.1	17.0	0.94
50-99	1,634	111,263	111,938	112,114	1,304,572,766	898
Percent	2.8	15.0	15.0	14.9	14.4	0.96
100-249	972	142,107	143,579	144,730	1,721,446,431	923
Percent	1.7	19.1	19.2	19.3	19.0	0.99
250-499	227	72,696	73,595	74,712	916,390,921	957
Percent	0.4	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.1	1.02
500-999	53	35,001	35,123	35,513	481,281,731	1,051
Percent	0.1	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.3	1.13
1,000 & Over	30	48,280	48,856	50,008	785,426,931	1,232
Percent	0.1	6.5	6.5	6.7	8.7	1.32

NOTE: The percentages shown for the ten size classes are additive to the total in each column with the exception of the last column, average weekly wage per worker. In this column percentages relate size class averages to the averages of all sizes.

**TABLE III
EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES BY COUNTY**

TOTAL EMPLOYMENT

STATE BY COUNTY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND *****	160,442	2,521,548	2,532,204	2,539,769	2,531,174	\$29,939,228,253	\$910
ALLEGANY	1,729	30,858	30,854	30,762	30,825	239,078,443	597
ANNE ARUNDEL	14,213	225,644	226,211	226,959	226,271	2,509,425,384	853
BALTIMORE CITY	14,046	350,814	352,263	352,759	351,945	4,539,144,418	992
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,338	375,239	377,234	379,249	377,241	4,281,295,999	873
CALVERT	1,870	20,681	20,792	20,952	20,808	207,273,574	766
CAROLINE	701	8,762	8,792	8,848	8,801	65,904,497	576
CARROLL	4,746	54,665	55,003	54,996	54,888	464,818,029	651
CECIL	1,946	29,660	29,489	29,238	29,462	299,263,258	781
CHARLES	2,893	41,340	42,050	42,568	41,986	378,146,842	693
DORCHESTER	801	12,285	12,053	11,897	12,078	98,559,748	628
FREDERICK	5,770	92,103	92,357	92,479	92,313	935,150,662	779
GARRETT	977	11,359	11,288	11,513	11,387	75,703,434	511
HARFORD	5,520	82,073	82,363	82,718	82,385	794,873,911	742
HOWARD	8,273	139,641	140,439	141,243	140,441	1,755,826,826	962
KENT	737	8,183	8,124	8,088	8,132	66,043,557	625
MONTGOMERY	32,588	462,213	465,494	467,977	465,228	6,703,455,445	1,108
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,556	315,795	317,796	318,118	317,236	3,701,778,687	898
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,446	13,137	13,075	13,125	13,112	108,883,713	639
SAINT MARY'S	1,942	37,619	37,991	38,061	37,890	460,918,235	936
SOMERSET	466	7,176	7,096	7,071	7,114	59,955,773	648
TALBOT	1,733	19,193	19,220	19,133	19,182	162,330,497	651
WASHINGTON	3,404	66,401	66,926	67,186	66,838	601,298,466	692
WICOMICO	2,746	46,122	46,679	46,610	46,470	404,390,970	669
WORCESTER	2,273	24,009	22,264	21,510	22,594	161,084,326	548
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	12,728	46,576	46,351	46,709	46,545	864,623,559	1,429

BALTIMORE MSA	69,582	1,241,213	1,246,588	1,251,049	1,246,283	14,454,268,280	892
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	58,677	932,132	938,489	942,094	937,572	11,925,805,210	978

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GOVERNMENT SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	3,151	461,311	465,138	463,825	463,425	\$6,133,643,525	\$1018

ALLEGANY	78	6,427	6,416	6,474	6,439	63,925,551	764
ANNE ARUNDEL	307	35,292	35,532	35,185	35,336	394,730,030	859
BALTIMORE CITY	439	75,981	76,664	76,481	76,375	967,770,902	975
BALTIMORE COUNTY	274	59,905	60,239	60,561	60,235	775,462,151	990
CALVERT	59	3,854	3,876	3,855	3,862	44,302,230	882
CAROLINE	35	1,541	1,536	1,535	1,537	12,814,664	641
CARROLL	85	8,056	8,209	8,197	8,154	73,148,162	690
CECIL	77	7,413	7,498	7,409	7,440	101,785,731	1,052
CHARLES	86	8,523	8,515	8,586	8,541	104,144,778	938
DORCHESTER	49	2,261	2,250	2,275	2,262	22,671,098	771
FREDERICK	133	14,246	14,370	14,367	14,328	164,610,251	884
GARRETT	55	1,755	1,779	1,769	1,768	15,269,639	664
HARFORD	118	17,503	17,591	17,584	17,559	215,535,217	944
HOWARD	128	16,805	16,855	16,804	16,821	190,115,799	869
KENT	37	1,129	1,139	1,135	1,134	9,923,329	673
MONTGOMERY	345	78,991	79,800	79,942	79,578	1,366,759,479	1,321
PRINCE GEORGE'S	370	83,766	84,858	83,836	84,153	1,170,172,738	1,070
QUEEN ANNE'S	49	2,464	2,486	2,482	2,477	20,834,090	647
SAINT MARY'S	86	11,157	11,243	11,157	11,186	191,268,256	1,315
SOMERSET	41	2,940	3,023	3,015	2,993	28,499,758	732
TALBOT	44	1,822	1,846	1,839	1,836	18,090,004	758
WASHINGTON	107	8,496	8,484	8,491	8,490	80,760,246	732
WICOMICO	75	6,971	7,008	6,952	6,977	66,282,253	731
WORCESTER	68	4,007	3,907	3,877	3,930	34,638,782	678
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	6	6	14	17	12	128,387	823

BALTIMORE MSA	1,400	216,006	217,576	217,294	216,959	2,637,596,351	935
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	993	189,380	191,419	190,586	190,462	2,849,989,476	1,151

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PRIVATE SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	157,291	2,060,237	2,067,066	2,075,944	2,067,749	\$23,805,584,728	\$886

ALLEGANY	1,651	24,431	24,438	24,288	24,386	175,152,892	553
ANNE ARUNDEL	13,906	190,352	190,679	191,774	190,935	2,114,695,354	852
BALTIMORE CITY	13,607	274,833	275,599	276,278	275,570	3,571,373,516	997
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,064	315,334	316,995	318,688	317,006	3,505,833,848	851
CALVERT	1,811	16,827	16,916	17,097	16,947	162,971,344	740
CAROLINE	666	7,221	7,256	7,313	7,263	53,089,833	562
CARROLL	4,661	46,609	46,794	46,799	46,734	391,669,867	645
CECIL	1,869	22,247	21,991	21,829	22,022	197,477,527	690
CHARLES	2,807	32,817	33,535	33,982	33,445	274,002,064	630
DORCHESTER	752	10,024	9,803	9,622	9,816	75,888,650	595
FREDERICK	5,637	77,857	77,987	78,112	77,985	770,540,411	760
GARRETT	922	9,604	9,509	9,744	9,619	60,433,795	483
HARFORD	5,402	64,570	64,772	65,134	64,825	579,338,694	687
HOWARD	8,145	122,836	123,584	124,439	123,620	1,565,711,027	974
KENT	700	7,054	6,985	6,953	6,997	56,120,228	617
MONTGOMERY	32,243	383,222	385,694	388,035	385,650	5,336,695,966	1,064
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,186	232,029	232,938	234,282	233,083	2,531,605,949	835
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,397	10,673	10,589	10,643	10,635	88,049,623	637
SAINT MARY'S	1,856	26,462	26,748	26,904	26,705	269,649,979	777
SOMERSET	425	4,236	4,073	4,056	4,122	31,456,015	587
TALBOT	1,689	17,371	17,374	17,294	17,346	144,240,493	640
WASHINGTON	3,297	57,905	58,442	58,695	58,347	520,538,220	686
WICOMICO	2,671	39,151	39,671	39,658	39,493	338,108,717	659
WORCESTER	2,205	20,002	18,357	17,633	18,664	126,445,544	521
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	12,722	46,570	46,337	46,692	46,533	864,495,172	1,429

BALTIMORE MSA	68,182	1,025,207	1,029,012	1,033,755	1,029,325	11,816,671,929	883
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	57,684	742,752	747,070	751,508	747,110	9,075,815,734	934

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	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	160,442	2,521,548	2,532,204	2,539,769	2,531,174	\$29,939,228,253	\$910
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,151	461,311	465,138	463,825	463,425	6,133,643,525	1,018
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	948	125,571	125,965	126,402	125,979	2,404,637,835	1,468
STATE GOVERNMENT	384	98,574	99,402	98,090	98,689	1,150,520,687	897
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,819	237,166	239,771	239,333	238,757	2,578,485,003	831
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	157,291	2,060,237	2,067,066	2,075,944	2,067,749	23,805,584,728	886
GOODS-PRODUCING	23,665	333,275	333,907	333,129	333,437	4,406,476,388	1,017
Natural Resources and Mining	705	7,028	6,651	6,445	6,708	61,131,605	701
Construction	18,762	186,763	187,543	186,766	187,024	2,396,348,439	986
Manufacturing	4,198	139,484	139,713	139,918	139,705	1,948,996,344	1,073
SERVICE PROVIDING	132,122	1,725,619	1,731,815	1,741,390	1,732,941	19,378,727,063	860
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,436	468,731	477,355	487,117	477,734	4,499,434,612	724
Information	2,827	51,654	51,414	51,545	51,538	812,960,896	1,213
Financial Activities	14,931	158,126	157,962	158,444	158,177	2,783,659,327	1,354
Professional and Business Services	33,540	387,736	386,803	386,651	387,063	5,766,099,376	1,146
Education and Health Services	16,048	344,208	345,790	346,778	345,592	3,783,911,136	842
Leisure and Hospitality	12,491	226,491	223,462	221,373	223,775	1,046,582,117	360
Other Services	18,849	88,673	89,029	89,482	89,061	686,079,599	593
UNCLASSIFIED	1,504	1,343	1,344	1,425	1,371	20,381,277	1,144
BALTIMORE MSA							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	69,582	1,241,213	1,246,588	1,251,049	1,246,283	\$14,454,268,280	\$892
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,400	216,006	217,576	217,294	216,959	2,637,596,351	935
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	363	41,473	41,561	41,713	41,582	669,259,610	1,238
STATE GOVERNMENT	245	65,925	66,295	65,908	66,043	816,838,802	951
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	792	108,608	109,720	109,673	109,334	1,151,497,939	810
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,182	1,025,207	1,029,012	1,033,755	1,029,325	11,816,671,929	883
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,729	159,490	159,730	159,861	159,694	2,156,229,682	1,039
Natural Resources and Mining	240	1,844	1,726	1,706	1,759	13,775,048	602
Construction	8,381	82,973	83,267	83,112	83,117	1,070,585,737	991
Manufacturing	2,108	74,673	74,737	75,043	74,818	1,071,868,897	1,102
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,265	865,561	869,130	873,734	869,475	9,658,686,462	855
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	14,986	235,610	239,657	244,484	239,917	2,271,556,146	728
Information	1,004	20,320	20,508	20,505	20,444	287,547,646	1,082
Financial Activities	6,911	80,153	80,146	80,332	80,210	1,530,496,732	1,468
Professional and Business Services	13,974	177,523	176,885	176,342	176,917	2,495,524,572	1,085
Education and Health Services	7,351	201,043	202,149	202,695	201,962	2,253,783,742	858
Leisure and Hospitality	6,057	110,494	109,210	108,505	109,403	515,605,761	363
Other Services	6,982	40,418	40,575	40,871	40,621	304,171,863	576
UNCLASSIFIED	188	156	152	160	156	1,755,785	866

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	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
ALLEGANY COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,729	30,858	30,854	30,762	30,825	\$239,078,443	\$597
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	78	6,427	6,416	6,474	6,439	63,925,551	764
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	22	548	550	560	553	7,394,254	1,029
STATE GOVERNMENT	15	2,425	2,391	2,468	2,428	24,279,455	769
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	41	3,454	3,475	3,446	3,458	32,251,842	717
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,651	24,431	24,438	24,288	24,386	175,152,892	553
GOODS-PRODUCING	240	5,188	5,053	4,844	5,028	47,185,646	722
Natural Resources and Mining	18	210	205	204	206	1,857,891	694
Construction	155	1,447	1,390	1,326	1,388	11,979,117	664
Manufacturing	67	3,531	3,458	3,314	3,434	33,348,638	747
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,404	19,232	19,377	19,435	19,348	127,894,731	508
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	427	5,319	5,492	5,538	5,450	32,171,638	454
Information	26	446	441	444	444	3,494,872	605
Financial Activities	124	801	797	806	801	6,483,475	623
Professional and Business Services	183	2,268	2,200	2,191	2,220	13,906,523	482
Education and Health Services	253	6,021	6,076	6,122	6,073	57,127,258	724
Leisure and Hospitality	190	3,300	3,294	3,259	3,284	10,129,340	237
Other Services	201	1,077	1,077	1,075	1,076	4,581,625	328
UNCLASSIFIED	7	11	8	9	9	72,515	620
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,213	225,644	226,211	226,959	226,271	\$2,509,425,384	\$853
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	307	35,292	35,532	35,185	35,336	394,730,030	859
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	101	7,560	7,574	7,557	7,564	112,702,074	1,146
STATE GOVERNMENT	65	8,450	8,365	8,264	8,360	96,481,314	888
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	141	19,282	19,593	19,364	19,413	185,546,642	735
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,906	190,352	190,679	191,774	190,935	2,114,695,354	852
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,352	31,449	31,419	31,544	31,471	468,471,607	1,145
Natural Resources and Mining	31	209	211	205	208	1,696,279	627
Construction	1,968	17,304	17,331	17,388	17,341	211,972,033	940
Manufacturing	353	13,936	13,877	13,951	13,921	254,803,295	1,408
SERVICE PROVIDING	11,438	158,787	159,148	160,114	159,350	1,644,987,126	794
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,083	52,744	53,554	54,564	53,621	518,741,188	744
Information	224	4,345	4,390	4,392	4,376	56,042,313	985
Financial Activities	1,322	11,947	11,874	11,808	11,876	160,962,015	1,043
Professional and Business Services	3,017	33,894	33,782	33,807	33,828	492,987,876	1,121
Education and Health Services	1,161	21,788	21,894	21,963	21,882	236,871,943	833
Leisure and Hospitality	1,198	25,695	25,197	25,043	25,312	113,088,742	344
Other Services	1,433	8,374	8,457	8,537	8,456	66,293,049	603
UNCLASSIFIED	116	116	112	116	115	1,236,621	827

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
BALTIMORE CITY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,046	350,814	352,263	352,759	351,945	\$4,539,144,418	\$992
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	439	75,981	76,664	76,481	76,375	967,770,902	975
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	76	8,220	8,207	8,314	8,247	119,136,645	1,111
STATE GOVERNMENT	124	39,451	39,883	39,610	39,648	509,992,190	989
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	239	28,310	28,574	28,557	28,480	338,642,067	915
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,607	274,833	275,599	276,278	275,570	3,571,373,516	997
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,458	28,688	28,895	28,706	28,763	351,351,414	940
Natural Resources and Mining	8	44	40	42	42	723,676	1,325
Construction	905	11,260	11,405	11,260	11,308	143,061,574	973
Manufacturing	545	17,384	17,450	17,404	17,413	207,566,164	917
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,132	246,138	246,698	247,565	246,800	3,219,959,312	1,004
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,144	42,864	43,237	44,542	43,548	461,429,612	815
Information	208	6,316	6,288	6,273	6,292	95,925,584	1,173
Financial Activities	1,319	23,159	23,101	23,121	23,127	672,340,239	2,236
Professional and Business Services	2,467	45,944	45,879	45,639	45,821	653,096,625	1,096
Education and Health Services	1,693	90,617	90,967	91,169	90,918	1,109,092,805	938
Leisure and Hospitality	1,694	26,274	26,228	25,849	26,117	139,179,343	410
Other Services	1,607	10,964	10,998	10,972	10,978	88,895,104	623
UNCLASSIFIED	17	7	6	7	7	62,790	690
BALTIMORE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	21,338	375,239	377,234	379,249	377,241	\$4,281,295,999	\$873
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	274	59,905	60,239	60,561	60,235	775,462,151	990
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	68	17,090	17,128	17,155	17,124	299,577,090	1,346
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	12,396	12,419	12,424	12,413	150,223,859	931
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	184	30,419	30,692	30,982	30,698	325,661,202	816
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	21,064	315,334	316,995	318,688	317,006	3,505,833,848	851
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,946	53,632	53,736	53,853	53,740	761,615,211	1,090
Natural Resources and Mining	61	565	559	552	559	4,822,233	664
Construction	2,284	26,921	26,979	27,007	26,969	369,104,605	1,053
Manufacturing	601	26,146	26,198	26,294	26,213	387,688,373	1,138
SERVICE PROVIDING	18,105	261,698	263,255	264,832	263,262	2,744,195,166	802
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,537	72,048	73,687	75,111	73,615	635,263,808	664
Information	300	6,479	6,586	6,561	6,542	89,122,498	1,048
Financial Activities	2,395	30,846	30,828	30,982	30,885	482,021,591	1,201
Professional and Business Services	4,304	51,349	51,212	51,062	51,208	656,980,933	987
Education and Health Services	2,637	58,970	59,376	59,667	59,338	637,155,090	826
Leisure and Hospitality	1,789	30,330	29,889	29,656	29,958	162,822,140	418
Other Services	2,143	11,676	11,677	11,793	11,715	80,829,106	531
UNCLASSIFIED	13	4	4	3	4	23,471	451

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	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CALVERT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,870	20,681	20,792	20,952	20,808	\$207,273,574	\$766
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	59	3,854	3,876	3,855	3,862	44,302,230	882
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	24	147	143	148	146	2,327,170	1,226
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	221	221	220	221	2,017,765	702
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	29	3,486	3,512	3,487	3,495	39,957,295	879
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,811	16,827	16,916	17,097	16,947	162,971,344	740
GOODS-PRODUCING	489	3,013	3,031	3,036	3,027	39,158,084	995
Natural Resources and Mining	5	16	16	17	16	185,363	891
Construction	428	2,300	2,297	2,294	2,297	31,394,312	1,051
Manufacturing	56	697	718	725	713	7,578,409	818
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,322	13,814	13,885	14,061	13,920	123,813,260	684
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	347	4,641	4,720	4,755	4,705	48,624,075	795
Information	27	311	312	318	314	4,071,766	997
Financial Activities	161	797	783	789	790	10,377,243	1,010
Professional and Business Services	303	1,541	1,515	1,665	1,574	16,095,653	787
Education and Health Services	178	2,971	2,999	3,026	2,999	29,456,029	756
Leisure and Hospitality	151	2,808	2,804	2,750	2,787	10,351,184	286
Other Services	155	745	752	758	752	4,837,310	495
CAROLINE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	701	8,762	8,792	8,848	8,801	\$65,904,497	\$576
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	35	1,541	1,536	1,535	1,537	12,814,664	641
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	89	88	85	87	796,340	704
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	188	184	182	185	1,689,201	702
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	1,264	1,264	1,268	1,265	10,329,123	628
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	666	7,221	7,256	7,313	7,263	53,089,833	562
GOODS-PRODUCING	208	2,377	2,371	2,374	2,374	19,053,255	617
Natural Resources and Mining	28	156	153	149	153	976,771	491
Construction	147	722	742	720	728	6,066,705	641
Manufacturing	33	1,499	1,476	1,505	1,493	12,009,779	619
SERVICE PROVIDING	458	4,844	4,885	4,939	4,889	34,036,578	536
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	186	2,312	2,324	2,326	2,321	18,566,673	615
Information	4	12	12	12	12	119,335	765
Financial Activities	54	297	303	308	303	2,442,415	620
Professional and Business Services	79	352	367	431	383	3,226,803	648
Education and Health Services	40	1,162	1,167	1,158	1,162	7,016,506	464
Leisure and Hospitality	42	520	524	515	520	1,340,006	198
Other Services	53	189	188	189	189	1,324,840	539

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CARROLL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	4,746	54,665	55,003	54,996	54,888	\$464,818,029	\$651
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	85	8,056	8,209	8,197	8,154	73,148,162	690
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	20	322	322	320	321	3,634,802	871
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	1,239	1,258	1,260	1,252	13,141,701	807
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	57	6,495	6,629	6,617	6,580	56,371,659	659
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	4,661	46,609	46,794	46,799	46,734	391,669,867	645
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,281	12,363	12,384	12,321	12,356	138,254,714	861
Natural Resources and Mining	36	248	236	240	241	1,652,833	528
Construction	1,078	7,414	7,418	7,292	7,375	80,576,952	840
Manufacturing	167	4,701	4,730	4,789	4,740	56,024,929	909
SERVICE PROVIDING	3,380	34,246	34,410	34,478	34,378	253,415,153	567
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	952	11,423	11,577	11,639	11,546	82,121,651	547
Information	47	513	515	513	514	6,043,869	905
Financial Activities	400	1,683	1,718	1,704	1,702	19,363,916	875
Professional and Business Services	824	4,866	4,805	4,759	4,810	48,693,151	779
Education and Health Services	410	8,033	8,107	8,132	8,091	67,536,370	642
Leisure and Hospitality	308	5,474	5,433	5,464	5,457	16,303,573	230
Other Services	439	2,254	2,255	2,267	2,259	13,352,623	455
CECIL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,946	29,660	29,489	29,238	29,462	\$299,263,258	\$781
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	77	7,413	7,498	7,409	7,440	101,785,731	1,052
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	28	3,365	3,351	3,353	3,356	63,154,668	1,448
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	323	325	323	324	3,044,520	723
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	3,725	3,822	3,733	3,760	35,586,543	728
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,869	22,247	21,991	21,829	22,022	197,477,527	690
GOODS-PRODUCING	414	6,593	6,586	6,555	6,578	79,875,801	934
Natural Resources and Mining	38	613	601	556	590	5,109,262	666
Construction	307	1,569	1,578	1,556	1,568	14,180,496	696
Manufacturing	69	4,411	4,407	4,443	4,420	60,586,043	1,054
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,455	15,654	15,405	15,274	15,444	117,601,726	586
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	459	5,862	5,864	5,910	5,879	41,522,127	543
Information	15	252	253	260	255	2,787,402	841
Financial Activities	167	848	830	835	838	7,598,866	698
Professional and Business Services	253	1,751	1,708	1,656	1,705	21,074,741	951
Education and Health Services	175	2,826	2,853	2,828	2,836	27,682,677	751
Leisure and Hospitality	215	3,200	3,009	2,897	3,035	11,496,948	291
Other Services	171	915	888	888	897	5,438,965	466

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CHARLES COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,893	41,340	42,050	42,568	41,986	\$378,146,842	\$693
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	86	8,523	8,515	8,586	8,541	104,144,778	938
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	23	2,156	2,165	2,183	2,168	42,765,361	1,517
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	389	390	394	391	3,614,393	711
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	58	5,978	5,960	6,009	5,982	57,765,024	743
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,807	32,817	33,535	33,982	33,445	274,002,064	630
GOODS-PRODUCING	567	5,449	5,483	5,442	5,458	62,324,083	878
Natural Resources and Mining	17	125	133	122	127	1,313,465	796
Construction	480	4,138	4,145	4,127	4,137	46,882,161	872
Manufacturing	70	1,186	1,205	1,193	1,195	14,128,457	909
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,238	27,368	28,052	28,540	27,987	211,677,981	582
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	648	11,706	12,132	12,534	12,124	84,048,537	533
Information	37	491	513	519	508	5,372,282	813
Financial Activities	268	1,563	1,558	1,614	1,578	18,909,938	922
Professional and Business Services	436	3,069	3,099	3,116	3,095	37,972,970	944
Education and Health Services	335	4,179	4,165	4,208	4,184	39,515,731	726
Leisure and Hospitality	267	5,090	5,316	5,269	5,225	17,046,843	251
Other Services	247	1,270	1,269	1,280	1,273	8,811,680	532
UNCLASSIFIED	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
DORCHESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	801	12,285	12,053	11,897	12,078	\$98,559,748	\$628
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	49	2,261	2,250	2,275	2,262	22,671,098	771
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	16	133	133	133	133	1,491,255	862
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	785	783	785	784	8,708,784	854
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	25	1,343	1,334	1,357	1,345	12,471,059	713
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	752	10,024	9,803	9,622	9,816	75,888,650	595
GOODS-PRODUCING	187	3,865	3,902	3,758	3,842	33,680,970	674
Natural Resources and Mining	31	370	385	382	379	3,625,743	736
Construction	108	565	566	577	569	4,719,011	638
Manufacturing	48	2,930	2,951	2,799	2,893	25,336,216	674
SERVICE PROVIDING	565	6,159	5,901	5,864	5,975	42,207,680	543
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	207	1,952	1,952	1,922	1,942	13,965,384	553
Information	13	108	109	107	108	824,385	587
Financial Activities	60	417	407	411	412	4,297,755	802
Professional and Business Services	76	655	383	386	475	3,231,798	523
Education and Health Services	63	1,433	1,454	1,451	1,446	12,524,006	666
Leisure and Hospitality	70	1,264	1,252	1,244	1,253	5,673,779	348
Other Services	76	330	344	343	339	1,690,573	384

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
FREDERICK COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,770	92,103	92,357	92,479	92,313	\$935,150,662	\$779
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	133	14,246	14,370	14,367	14,328	164,610,251	884
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	56	3,244	3,250	3,268	3,254	52,097,487	1,232
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	642	644	646	644	6,415,278	766
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	70	10,360	10,476	10,453	10,430	106,097,486	782
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,637	77,857	77,987	78,112	77,985	770,540,411	760
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,319	17,839	17,808	17,745	17,797	206,164,091	891
Natural Resources and Mining	53	579	559	540	559	4,353,692	599
Construction	1,077	10,847	10,823	10,749	10,806	124,308,574	885
Manufacturing	189	6,413	6,426	6,456	6,432	77,501,825	927
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,316	60,018	60,179	60,367	60,188	564,376,320	721
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,101	16,921	17,217	17,398	17,179	136,874,916	613
Information	92	1,438	1,466	1,471	1,458	17,903,787	945
Financial Activities	527	7,771	7,694	7,721	7,729	93,883,174	934
Professional and Business Services	1,144	12,166	12,139	12,106	12,137	165,340,940	1,048
Education and Health Services	548	10,304	10,290	10,287	10,294	99,543,072	744
Leisure and Hospitality	428	8,265	8,220	8,184	8,223	29,272,433	274
Other Services	476	3,153	3,153	3,200	3,169	21,557,998	523
UNCLASSIFIED	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
GARRETT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	977	11,359	11,288	11,513	11,387	\$75,703,434	\$511
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	55	1,755	1,779	1,769	1,768	15,269,639	664
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	74	74	73	74	691,947	719
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	216	216	218	217	2,031,616	720
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	35	1,465	1,489	1,478	1,477	12,546,076	653
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	922	9,604	9,509	9,744	9,619	60,433,795	483
GOODS-PRODUCING	275	2,562	2,539	2,473	2,525	20,049,752	611
Natural Resources and Mining	39	557	538	536	544	5,894,476	833
Construction	185	1,145	1,123	1,046	1,105	7,475,044	520
Manufacturing	51	860	878	891	876	6,680,232	587
SERVICE PROVIDING	646	7,040	6,968	7,269	7,092	40,368,755	438
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	237	2,471	2,465	2,475	2,470	13,789,338	429
Information	13	136	139	134	136	996,153	563
Financial Activities	56	442	453	451	449	3,083,451	528
Professional and Business Services	104	814	809	796	806	6,114,781	584
Education and Health Services	63	1,356	1,354	1,365	1,358	9,411,245	533
Leisure and Hospitality	91	1,371	1,290	1,594	1,418	4,332,125	235
Other Services	82	450	458	454	454	2,641,662	448
UNCLASSIFIED	1	2	2	2	2	15,288	588

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
HARFORD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,520	82,073	82,363	82,718	82,385	\$794,873,911	\$742
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	118	17,503	17,591	17,584	17,559	215,535,217	944
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	53	7,560	7,612	7,649	7,607	123,849,972	1,252
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	481	479	474	478	4,467,039	719
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	59	9,462	9,500	9,461	9,474	87,218,206	708
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,402	64,570	64,772	65,134	64,825	579,338,694	687
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,189	12,443	12,424	12,394	12,420	137,162,206	850
Natural Resources and Mining	41	200	184	201	195	1,228,989	485
Construction	985	7,128	7,151	7,112	7,130	78,070,018	842
Manufacturing	163	5,115	5,089	5,081	5,095	57,863,199	874
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,209	52,124	52,345	52,736	52,402	442,160,726	649
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,210	18,540	18,911	19,168	18,873	139,272,765	568
Information	53	716	745	753	738	8,925,071	930
Financial Activities	517	3,320	3,341	3,365	3,342	37,287,481	858
Professional and Business Services	1,019	10,962	10,811	10,763	10,845	138,378,720	982
Education and Health Services	510	8,165	8,232	8,282	8,226	73,775,585	690
Leisure and Hospitality	407	7,700	7,563	7,630	7,631	25,369,877	256
Other Services	493	2,721	2,742	2,775	2,746	19,151,227	536
UNCLASSIFIED	4	3	3	4	3	15,762	404
HOWARD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	8,273	139,641	140,439	141,243	140,441	\$1,755,826,826	\$962
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	128	16,805	16,855	16,804	16,821	190,115,799	869
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	30	630	629	635	631	9,492,761	1,157
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	3,714	3,701	3,687	3,701	40,919,987	850
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	84	12,461	12,525	12,482	12,489	139,703,051	860
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	8,145	122,836	123,584	124,439	123,620	1,565,711,027	974
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,130	18,649	18,598	18,744	18,664	275,399,820	1,135
Natural Resources and Mining	34	398	324	306	343	2,491,066	559
Construction	866	11,659	11,677	11,737	11,691	172,867,798	1,137
Manufacturing	230	6,592	6,597	6,701	6,630	100,040,956	1,161
SERVICE PROVIDING	6,977	104,161	104,959	105,665	104,928	1,289,894,066	946
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,708	34,753	35,389	36,137	35,426	409,564,818	889
Information	153	1,807	1,837	1,867	1,837	29,900,382	1,252
Financial Activities	854	8,795	8,878	8,940	8,871	154,673,130	1,341
Professional and Business Services	2,106	29,490	29,401	29,309	29,400	490,215,039	1,283
Education and Health Services	877	12,805	12,895	12,777	12,826	123,358,800	740
Leisure and Hospitality	547	12,679	12,713	12,708	12,700	50,348,149	305
Other Services	732	3,832	3,846	3,927	3,868	31,833,748	633
UNCLASSIFIED	38	26	27	30	28	417,141	1,146

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
KENT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	737	8,183	8,124	8,088	8,132	\$66,043,557	\$625
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	37	1,129	1,139	1,135	1,134	9,923,329	673
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	80	78	80	79	790,579	770
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	287	289	290	289	2,759,611	735
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	762	772	765	766	6,373,139	640
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	700	7,054	6,985	6,953	6,997	56,120,228	617
GOODS-PRODUCING	150	1,546	1,539	1,517	1,534	13,695,250	687
Natural Resources and Mining	33	358	352	323	344	2,894,139	647
Construction	94	382	375	375	377	3,623,278	739
Manufacturing	23	806	812	819	812	7,177,833	680
SERVICE PROVIDING	549	5,508	5,446	5,436	5,463	42,424,978	597
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	158	1,127	1,134	1,126	1,129	7,348,739	501
Information	6	55	55	56	55	612,934	857
Financial Activities	50	416	413	404	411	4,325,729	810
Professional and Business Services	80	709	713	702	708	7,491,471	814
Education and Health Services	77	1,875	1,874	1,892	1,880	16,551,985	677
Leisure and Hospitality	94	1,072	1,003	999	1,025	4,602,281	345
Other Services	84	254	254	257	255	1,491,839	450
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
MONTGOMERY COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	32,588	462,213	465,494	467,977	465,228	\$6,703,455,445	\$1108
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	345	78,991	79,800	79,942	79,578	1,366,759,479	1,321
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	110	39,525	39,788	39,922	39,745	884,349,257	1,712
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,044	1,035	1,051	1,043	9,904,582	730
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	226	38,422	38,977	38,969	38,789	472,505,640	937
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	32,243	383,222	385,694	388,035	385,650	5,336,695,966	1,064
GOODS-PRODUCING	3,240	45,088	45,348	45,491	45,309	737,661,139	1,252
Natural Resources and Mining	42	678	653	657	663	9,116,567	1,058
Construction	2,711	29,912	30,141	30,175	30,076	443,998,640	1,136
Manufacturing	487	14,498	14,554	14,659	14,570	284,545,932	1,502
SERVICE PROVIDING	28,522	337,521	339,745	341,893	339,720	4,591,057,823	1,040
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,315	65,276	66,634	68,574	66,828	664,746,898	765
Information	643	15,549	15,467	15,466	15,494	317,094,526	1,574
Financial Activities	3,052	36,117	36,107	36,223	36,149	729,787,312	1,553
Professional and Business Services	7,749	102,849	103,112	103,335	103,099	1,753,695,340	1,308
Education and Health Services	3,547	57,224	57,433	57,625	57,427	690,438,763	925
Leisure and Hospitality	1,994	38,759	39,146	38,819	38,908	247,650,995	490
Other Services	7,222	21,747	21,846	21,851	21,815	187,643,989	662
UNCLASSIFIED	481	613	601	651	622	7,977,004	987

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	15,556	315,795	317,796	318,118	317,236	\$3,701,778,687	\$898
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	370	83,766	84,858	83,836	84,153	1,170,172,738	1,070
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	120	26,402	26,455	26,524	26,460	515,432,714	1,498
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	18,063	18,533	17,539	18,045	190,555,251	812
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	237	39,301	39,870	39,773	39,648	464,184,773	901
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	15,186	232,029	232,938	234,282	233,083	2,531,605,949	835
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,250	43,474	43,688	43,562	43,575	600,586,891	1,060
Natural Resources and Mining	22	212	210	215	212	2,598,644	943
Construction	1,862	32,299	32,455	32,375	32,376	436,422,799	1,037
Manufacturing	366	10,963	11,023	10,972	10,986	161,565,448	1,131
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,850	188,524	189,223	190,692	189,480	1,930,775,393	784
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,422	62,033	63,384	65,007	63,475	592,508,246	718
Information	272	6,469	6,575	6,654	6,566	103,199,932	1,209
Financial Activities	1,529	13,928	13,832	13,822	13,861	174,635,332	969
Professional and Business Services	2,955	44,075	43,818	43,703	43,865	618,516,448	1,085
Education and Health Services	1,835	26,238	26,373	26,412	26,341	259,078,006	757
Leisure and Hospitality	1,309	25,735	25,197	25,039	25,324	96,948,870	294
Other Services	1,528	10,046	10,044	10,055	10,048	85,888,559	658
UNCLASSIFIED	86	31	27	28	29	243,665	646
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,446	13,137	13,075	13,125	13,112	\$108,883,713	\$639
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	49	2,464	2,486	2,482	2,477	20,834,090	647
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	15	91	89	83	88	866,266	757
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	194	190	189	191	1,612,712	650
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	28	2,179	2,207	2,210	2,199	18,355,112	642
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,397	10,673	10,589	10,643	10,635	88,049,623	637
GOODS-PRODUCING	373	2,266	2,274	2,299	2,280	23,974,710	809
Natural Resources and Mining	29	180	172	160	171	1,159,972	522
Construction	295	1,287	1,306	1,316	1,303	14,932,757	882
Manufacturing	49	799	796	823	806	7,881,981	752
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,024	8,407	8,315	8,344	8,355	64,074,913	590
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	352	3,238	3,302	3,323	3,288	25,162,304	589
Information	19	144	147	146	146	1,587,929	837
Financial Activities	104	403	406	412	407	3,848,360	727
Professional and Business Services	237	1,018	995	1,003	1,005	15,172,228	1,161
Education and Health Services	63	665	678	705	683	5,993,149	675
Leisure and Hospitality	114	2,342	2,187	2,155	2,228	8,493,937	293
Other Services	135	597	600	600	599	3,817,006	490

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	FOURTH QUARTER 2005						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
SAINT MARY'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,942	37,619	37,991	38,061	37,890	\$460,918,235	\$936
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	86	11,157	11,243	11,157	11,186	191,268,256	1,315
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	40	6,826	6,826	6,829	6,827	147,643,808	1,664
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	825	828	765	806	8,087,867	772
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	38	3,506	3,589	3,563	3,553	35,536,581	769
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,856	26,462	26,748	26,904	26,705	269,649,979	777
GOODS-PRODUCING	388	2,438	2,449	2,444	2,444	25,399,410	799
Natural Resources and Mining	10	29	31	30	30	226,702	581
Construction	337	1,917	1,915	1,923	1,918	18,440,578	740
Manufacturing	41	492	503	491	495	6,732,130	1,046
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,467	24,024	24,299	24,460	24,261	244,250,569	774
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	442	6,436	6,524	6,592	6,517	46,740,222	552
Information	22	215	222	219	219	2,339,657	822
Financial Activities	137	934	930	936	933	8,769,870	723
Professional and Business Services	374	8,667	8,813	8,895	8,792	137,079,397	1,199
Education and Health Services	168	3,751	3,747	3,769	3,756	34,080,363	698
Leisure and Hospitality	172	3,151	3,160	3,154	3,155	9,485,909	231
Other Services	152	870	903	895	889	5,755,151	498
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOMERSET COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	466	7,176	7,096	7,071	7,114	\$59,955,773	\$648
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	41	2,940	3,023	3,015	2,993	28,499,758	732
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	69	66	71	69	610,241	680
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,957	2,017	2,023	1,999	19,528,330	751
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	914	940	921	925	8,361,187	695
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	425	4,236	4,073	4,056	4,122	31,456,015	587
GOODS-PRODUCING	111	1,122	965	966	1,018	8,338,434	630
Natural Resources and Mining	13	429	284	277	330	2,545,795	593
Construction	77	331	327	339	332	2,877,575	667
Manufacturing	21	362	354	350	355	2,915,064	632
SERVICE PROVIDING	314	3,114	3,108	3,090	3,104	23,117,581	573
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	110	1,295	1,325	1,322	1,314	13,317,464	780
Information	4	26	24	22	24	202,280	648
Financial Activities	36	232	237	233	234	1,449,924	477
Professional and Business Services	47	190	188	181	186	1,404,451	581
Education and Health Services	37	778	784	776	779	5,133,880	507
Leisure and Hospitality	41	503	460	466	476	1,096,512	177
Other Services	39	90	90	90	90	513,070	439

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TALBOT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,733	19,193	19,220	19,133	19,182	\$162,330,497	\$651
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	44	1,822	1,846	1,839	1,836	18,090,004	758
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	19	258	272	276	269	3,163,603	905
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	197	202	201	200	1,697,212	653
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	1,367	1,372	1,362	1,367	13,229,189	744
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,689	17,371	17,374	17,294	17,346	144,240,493	640
GOODS-PRODUCING	318	3,362	3,364	3,396	3,374	32,614,186	744
Natural Resources and Mining	17	76	73	71	73	611,172	644
Construction	252	1,703	1,691	1,700	1,698	17,581,455	796
Manufacturing	49	1,583	1,600	1,625	1,603	14,421,559	692
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,371	14,009	14,010	13,898	13,972	111,626,307	615
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	357	3,876	3,888	3,928	3,897	27,056,717	534
Information	24	314	325	327	322	3,177,418	759
Financial Activities	154	897	897	877	890	12,661,030	1,094
Professional and Business Services	270	2,191	2,190	2,160	2,180	21,395,086	755
Education and Health Services	170	3,244	3,268	3,307	3,273	30,579,659	719
Leisure and Hospitality	140	2,439	2,386	2,248	2,358	9,665,736	315
Other Services	256	1,048	1,056	1,051	1,052	7,090,661	518
WASHINGTON COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	3,404	66,401	66,926	67,186	66,838	\$601,298,466	\$692
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	107	8,496	8,484	8,491	8,490	80,760,246	732
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	33	649	638	653	647	6,347,941	755
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	2,492	2,482	2,511	2,495	25,599,939	789
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	63	5,355	5,364	5,327	5,349	48,812,366	702
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	3,297	57,905	58,442	58,695	58,347	520,538,220	686
GOODS-PRODUCING	664	13,360	13,375	13,228	13,321	150,424,669	869
Natural Resources and Mining	19	210	175	136	174	1,642,115	726
Construction	491	4,419	4,417	4,221	4,352	44,593,800	788
Manufacturing	154	8,731	8,783	8,871	8,795	104,188,754	911
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,623	44,521	45,042	45,441	45,001	369,954,315	632
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	960	16,010	16,418	16,755	16,394	125,927,732	591
Information	43	1,444	1,447	1,460	1,450	11,098,052	589
Financial Activities	269	6,471	6,494	6,544	6,503	65,339,653	773
Professional and Business Services	415	4,226	4,217	4,269	4,237	54,997,056	998
Education and Health Services	299	8,967	9,010	9,048	9,008	84,019,524	717
Leisure and Hospitality	331	5,647	5,700	5,591	5,646	18,248,886	249
Other Services	306	1,756	1,756	1,774	1,762	10,323,412	451
UNCLASSIFIED	10	24	25	26	25	159,236	490

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
WICOMICO COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,746	46,122	46,679	46,610	46,470	\$404,390,970	\$669
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	75	6,971	7,008	6,952	6,977	66,282,253	731
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	25	338	338	337	338	4,272,323	972
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	2,271	2,245	2,245	2,254	20,769,522	709
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	4,362	4,425	4,370	4,386	41,240,408	723
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,671	39,151	39,671	39,658	39,493	338,108,717	659
GOODS-PRODUCING	506	8,204	8,203	8,052	8,153	76,721,655	724
Natural Resources and Mining	37	398	390	346	378	2,878,891	586
Construction	373	3,446	3,457	3,402	3,435	34,641,574	776
Manufacturing	96	4,360	4,356	4,304	4,340	39,201,190	695
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,164	30,947	31,468	31,606	31,340	261,387,062	642
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	646	9,873	10,168	10,342	10,128	71,574,515	544
Information	31	796	796	825	806	8,390,044	801
Financial Activities	279	2,020	2,030	2,023	2,024	21,262,274	808
Professional and Business Services	404	4,659	4,836	4,694	4,730	49,824,202	810
Education and Health Services	318	7,177	7,169	7,200	7,182	83,675,538	896
Leisure and Hospitality	228	3,998	4,035	4,062	4,032	12,795,243	244
Other Services	258	2,424	2,434	2,460	2,439	13,865,246	437
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
WORCESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,273	24,009	22,264	21,510	22,594	\$161,084,326	\$548
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	68	4,007	3,907	3,877	3,930	34,638,782	678
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	16	195	189	194	193	2,049,277	817
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	320	319	317	319	2,925,167	705
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	46	3,492	3,399	3,366	3,419	29,664,338	667
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,205	20,002	18,357	17,633	18,664	126,445,544	521
GOODS-PRODUCING	392	3,191	3,179	3,193	3,188	26,890,944	649
Natural Resources and Mining	31	139	140	152	144	1,269,603	678
Construction	322	2,106	2,096	2,112	2,105	18,337,881	670
Manufacturing	39	946	943	929	939	7,283,460	597
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,813	16,811	15,178	14,440	15,476	99,554,600	495
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	516	3,951	3,866	3,820	3,879	25,270,854	501
Information	27	128	126	124	126	1,211,701	740
Financial Activities	276	1,204	1,174	1,192	1,190	11,079,594	716
Professional and Business Services	242	1,048	1,017	988	1,018	12,598,511	952
Education and Health Services	131	1,729	1,695	1,724	1,716	14,477,647	649
Leisure and Hospitality	463	8,054	6,612	5,912	6,859	31,249,453	350
Other Services	158	697	688	680	688	3,666,840	410

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	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
NONDISTRIBUTABLE							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	12,728	46,576	46,351	46,709	46,545	\$864,623,559	\$1429
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	6	6	14	17	12	128,387	823
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATE GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,218	5,114	5,294	5,192	5,200	70,422,446	1,042
Natural Resources and Mining	12	29	27	26	27	256,266	730
Construction	975	4,542	4,738	4,637	4,639	58,239,702	966
Manufacturing	231	543	529	529	534	11,926,478	1,718
SERVICE PROVIDING	10,780	40,950	40,514	40,951	40,805	783,914,942	1,478
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,912	12,060	12,191	12,309	12,187	263,824,391	1,665
Information	524	3,144	2,624	2,622	2,797	42,516,724	1,169
Financial Activities	821	2,818	2,877	2,923	2,873	76,775,560	2,056
Professional and Business Services	4,452	18,983	18,794	19,035	18,937	346,608,633	1,408
Education and Health Services	460	1,930	1,930	1,885	1,915	29,815,505	1,198
Leisure and Hospitality	208	821	844	866	844	9,589,813	874
Other Services	403	1,194	1,254	1,311	1,253	14,784,316	908
UNCLASSIFIED	724	506	529	549	528	10,157,784	1,480

APPENDIX A

SOURCE OF DATA

Data contained in this report represent all employers covered by the Unemployment Insurance (UI) law of Maryland as well as federal workers covered by 5 U.S.C. section 85 (Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees). The state-insured data are compiled from quarterly contributions reports submitted by employers subject to the Maryland law. Included are all reports received plus estimates for those known to be delinquent. Incomplete reports have missing data elements estimated as necessary to provide useful data. Employers known to have more than one physical location operating in Maryland are requested to "breakdown" the data submitted. A Multiple Worksite Report completed by an employer allows data to be disaggregated into reporting units. Employment data pertaining to the federal government are obtained from similarly required reports submitted by the various government installations located in Maryland.

SCOPE OF COVERAGE

An employer is subject to Maryland's UI law as soon as one or more workers are employed in the state. The following types of wage and salary employment are currently exempt from this coverage:

- ◆ *Railroad workers*
- ◆ *Agricultural labor where cash wages are less than \$20,000 or fewer than 10 workers are employed during the current or preceding quarter*
- ◆ *Domestic service unless during any quarter of the current or preceding calendar year the employer pays cash wages of at least \$1,000 to individuals performing the employment*
- ◆ *Crew members and officers of vessels having a capacity of 10 tons or less*
- ◆ *State and local government elected officials*
- ◆ *Religious organization workers except where employment is elected to be covered as provided for in the law*
- ◆ *Insurance and real estate agents that receive payment solely by commission*

In addition to the wage and salaried workers listed above, all self-employed and family workers are not covered by the law. A more complete definition of covered workers may be obtained by referring to the annotated code of Maryland.

Federal employment represents civilian employees only. A few installations are exempt because of national security.

APPENDIX B

EXPLANATION OF TERMS

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER - The total wages paid divided by thirteen (number of weeks in a quarter) then divided by the quarterly average employment. It should be noted that no attempt is made to standardize the workweek. Industries that employ a large number of part-time workers will normally have a downward bias while those that engage in extensive payment of overtime will normally have an upward bias.

BALTIMORE MSA - The Baltimore MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) consists of Baltimore City and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, Howard and Queen Anne's counties.

EMPLOYMENT - The number of workers earning wages during the pay period including the 12th of the month. Included are those on paid sick leave, paid holiday, paid vacation, etc. The count excludes those who did not earn wages during the entire pay period because of layoffs, work stoppages, illness or unpaid vacation. Individuals on more than one payroll are counted each time they are reported. Employment is by reporting unit and is included in the area in which the unit is located.

INDUSTRY - The type of activity(s) engaged in by an employer are classified according to the 2002 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Manual. Where more than one activity is involved the dominant activity is used for classification. When an employer has more than one reporting unit, each unit is assigned to an industry based on the activity of that specific unit. Included in the Unclassified category are those units for which no industry can be assigned.

MARYLAND PORTION OF D.C. MSA - The Maryland portion of the Washington, D.C. MSA (Metropolitan Statistical Area) consists of Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery, and Prince George's counties.

NONDISTRIBUTABLE - This is the area designation for reporting units that cannot be assigned to one specific area. This includes sales and other personnel with no permanent place of work or established place of business in the state.

EMPLOYER/REPORTING UNIT - An employer is the legal entity subject to the Unemployment Insurance law. In most cases the employer is equivalent to the establishment or reporting unit, while in some cases the employer will include several establishments or reporting units. A reporting unit is the economic unit for which data are submitted by an employer. Reporting units are, for the most part, individual establishments. An establishment is generally defined as a single physical location where primarily one type of economic activity is conducted. An employer may have more than one reporting unit; however, most employers operate only one place of business and therefore only have one reporting unit. In Maryland, approximately 1,900 employers have more than one reporting unit and account for approximately 17,700 of the total number of units.

SIZE CLASS - Each reporting unit is assigned to a category based on the employment reported for the third month of the quarter. Because of employment fluctuations within the quarter, the average employment per reporting unit may fall outside the indicated size class. For example, size zero shows employment for the first two months of the quarter and will result in an average quarterly employment figure greater than zero. Employment of zero is often reported one or more months for employers entering or leaving the market place as well as those that operate seasonally.

QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT - The result of summing the employment reported in each of the three months of the quarter and then dividing by three.

TOTAL WAGES - The sum of all compensation for services. This includes bonuses, commissions, tips and the cash value of all compensation in any medium other than cash such as the value of meals and lodging.

APPENDIX C

LIMITATIONS

Although these data represent the largest universe of employment and wage information regularly available, there are some limitations associated with the use of the data presented in this report. The user should be aware of the following in making use of the data presented here:

- Terms used in this report have specific meanings and may not be the same as in other publications even though the terms appear to be the same.
- All data represent the best available estimates at the time the report was prepared. Once the data are prepared, they are not revised based on later information.
- Data reported by employers are edited and corrected, however not all reporting errors are able to be discerned.
- Total wages are based on when the wages were paid and not when they were earned. Bonuses and different pay periods may cause the figures to fluctuate from quarter to quarter.
- Industry and area designations are updated once a year as necessary when additional information warrants a change. This occurs in the first quarter report and thus data from previous reports may not always be comparable.
- Employers may change the way they report if they have more than one establishment. Employers may begin to report by more than one reporting unit or may elect to revert back to reporting only one unit.