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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 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	152,358	2,452,763	2,459,766	2,466,005	2,459,511	\$26,573,644,358	\$831
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,849	454,126	454,683	453,954	454,254	5,503,108,196	932
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	882	127,623	127,407	127,676	127,569	2,128,932,970	1,284
STATE GOVERNMENT	405	95,720	94,556	94,726	95,001	1,035,797,480	839
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	562	230,783	232,720	231,552	231,685	2,338,377,746	776
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	150,509	1,998,637	2,005,083	2,012,051	2,005,257	21,070,536,162	808
GOODS-PRODUCING	22,568	323,820	323,007	321,998	322,942	4,016,702,188	957
Natural Resources and Mining	679	6,635	6,393	6,315	6,448	52,799,644	630
Crop production	231	2,228	2,014	1,963	2,068	15,107,773	562
Animal production	130	1,381	1,388	1,390	1,386	9,009,625	500
Forestry and logging	67	343	342	327	337	1,944,277	444
Fishing, hunting and trapping	29	199	197	203	200	1,838,632	707
Agriculture and forestry support activities	144	1,048	1,029	1,016	1,031	6,120,510	457
Oil and gas extraction	3	5	5	3	4	114,353	2,199
Mining, except oil and gas	55	1,251	1,233	1,229	1,238	16,821,021	1,045
Support activities for mining	20	180	185	184	183	1,843,453	775
Construction	17,567	172,398	171,811	171,037	171,749	2,026,197,522	907
Construction of buildings	5,996	41,199	41,086	41,256	41,180	547,320,574	1,022
Heavy and civil engineering construction	1,057	17,693	17,462	17,089	17,415	206,810,640	913
Specialty trade contractors	10,514	113,506	113,263	112,692	113,154	1,272,066,308	865
Manufacturing	4,322	144,787	144,803	144,646	144,745	1,937,705,022	1,030
Food manufacturing	361	16,622	16,585	16,653	16,620	155,966,652	722
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	75	4,524	4,478	4,442	4,481	47,850,816	821
Textile mills	58	1,809	1,800	1,749	1,786	14,678,253	632
Textile product mills	131	1,150	1,159	1,146	1,152	10,217,704	682
Apparel manufacturing	68	2,045	2,078	2,112	2,078	14,063,679	521
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	156	3,840	3,808	3,809	3,819	35,195,165	709
Paper manufacturing	50	5,229	5,264	5,145	5,213	58,819,853	868
Printing and related support activities	705	14,474	14,483	14,553	14,503	161,426,233	856
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Chemical manufacturing	224	13,448	13,476	13,476	13,467	215,379,475	1,230
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	115	7,860	7,974	8,020	7,951	93,651,340	906
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	188	4,991	5,011	5,046	5,016	58,651,032	899
Primary metal manufacturing	65	4,485	4,442	4,066	4,331	64,001,454	1,137
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	483	9,792	9,700	9,783	9,758	108,890,136	858
Machinery manufacturing	234	8,684	8,615	8,627	8,642	131,004,595	1,166
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	386	24,673	24,764	24,853	24,763	505,175,620	1,569
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	82	2,023	2,021	2,038	2,027	26,959,605	1,023
Transportation equipment manufacturing	148	8,614	8,609	8,561	8,595	124,030,732	1,110
Furniture and related product manufacturing	286	3,855	3,835	3,837	3,842	35,193,847	705

See note at end of table.

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STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	457	4,669	4,695	4,715	4,693	52,883,796	867
SERVICE PROVIDING	126,210	1,672,896	1,680,143	1,688,045	1,680,361	17,029,028,988	780
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	32,073	462,768	473,068	480,162	471,999	4,176,204,854	681
Utilities	136	9,725	9,729	9,690	9,715	179,371,285	1,420
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	5,430	53,850	53,801	53,815	53,822	833,645,838	1,191
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	2,353	29,613	29,787	29,813	29,738	377,603,912	977
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	2,052	7,360	7,338	7,385	7,361	132,683,448	1,387
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	1,679	39,032	39,048	39,025	39,035	422,575,013	833
Furniture and home furnishings stores	1,033	11,879	12,273	12,644	12,265	102,438,953	642
Electronics and appliance stores	1,031	10,933	12,219	12,513	11,888	109,560,079	709
Building material and garden supply stores	1,133	23,371	23,497	23,727	23,532	182,718,804	597
Food and beverage stores	3,275	64,770	65,443	65,804	65,339	410,515,853	483
Health and personal care stores	1,280	18,330	18,856	19,241	18,809	140,188,448	573
Gasoline stations	1,489	11,798	11,853	11,846	11,832	57,581,237	374
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	2,275	27,684	29,421	30,941	29,349	124,926,168	327
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,185	14,704	15,855	16,696	15,752	77,762,367	380
General merchandise stores	790	50,721	54,600	56,567	53,963	245,959,474	351
Miscellaneous store retailers	2,502	21,319	21,678	22,139	21,712	120,350,689	426
Nonstore retailers	584	5,227	5,431	5,677	5,445	52,017,313	735
Air transportation	64	4,500	4,511	4,616	4,542	54,976,001	931
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	37	606	608	603	606	10,565,348	1,341
Truck transportation	1,674	17,446	17,218	17,134	17,266	162,564,381	724
Transit and ground passenger transportation	786	8,566	8,580	8,575	8,574	45,606,092	409
Pipeline transportation	3	52	52	52	52	856,068	1,266
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	48	340	228	249	272	1,189,394	336
Support activities for transportation	668	10,175	10,093	10,156	10,141	124,677,394	946
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	362	11,845	11,926	12,139	11,970	110,174,506	708
Warehousing and storage	182	8,814	8,915	9,005	8,911	94,411,499	815
Information	2,834	49,411	49,898	49,799	49,703	738,750,905	1,143
Publishing industries, except Internet	618	12,503	12,511	12,535	12,516	163,004,206	1,002
Motion picture and sound recording industries	413	3,674	3,841	4,212	3,909	25,332,202	498
Broadcasting, except Internet	151	4,871	4,931	4,919	4,907	80,060,160	1,255
Internet publishing and broadcasting	40	591	587	574	584	8,534,959	1,124
Telecommunications	864	19,911	20,123	19,682	19,905	339,319,892	1,311
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	669	6,720	6,726	6,716	6,721	108,911,988	1,247
Other information services	79	1,141	1,179	1,161	1,160	13,587,498	901
Financial Activities	13,315	156,097	156,458	156,801	156,452	2,333,347,137	1,147
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	3,374	55,536	55,963	56,054	55,851	754,124,960	1,039

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,079	13,649	13,683	13,762	13,698	484,209,175	2,719
Insurance carriers and related activities	2,975	37,747	37,773	37,798	37,773	558,327,414	1,137
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	149	1,851	1,845	1,863	1,853	26,446,521	1,098
Real estate	4,658	32,910	32,893	33,241	33,015	380,871,688	887
Rental and leasing services	1,036	13,662	13,555	13,352	13,523	118,899,010	676
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	32,257	365,686	364,812	366,195	365,564	4,881,949,312	1,027
Professional and technical services	22,104	202,742	203,498	205,332	203,857	3,579,809,976	1,351
Management of companies and enterprises	329	9,108	9,088	9,152	9,116	162,978,525	1,375
Administrative and support services	9,348	146,420	144,801	144,279	145,167	1,065,386,768	565
Waste management and remediation services	476	7,416	7,425	7,432	7,424	73,774,043	764
Education and Health Services	15,200	329,422	330,898	331,641	330,654	3,287,577,762	765
Educational services	1,916	51,813	52,184	52,050	52,016	504,394,473	746
Ambulatory health care services	9,502	89,400	89,628	90,261	89,763	1,218,619,494	1,044
Hospitals	125	89,390	89,880	90,155	89,808	938,327,662	804
Nursing and residential care facilities	1,295	57,770	58,021	58,037	57,943	384,159,827	510
Social assistance	2,362	41,049	41,185	41,138	41,124	242,076,306	453
Leisure and Hospitality	11,822	220,522	216,183	214,083	216,929	968,169,020	343
Performing arts and spectator sports	664	7,299	6,162	6,898	6,786	77,001,409	873
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	98	1,751	1,734	1,707	1,731	10,388,483	462
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	1,336	24,542	22,743	21,538	22,941	100,658,805	338
Accommodation	725	25,002	24,259	23,768	24,343	215,582,991	681
Food services and drinking places	8,999	161,928	161,285	160,172	161,128	564,537,332	270
Other Services	18,709	88,990	88,826	89,364	89,060	643,029,998	555
Repair and maintenance	4,338	25,156	25,050	25,086	25,097	225,361,314	691
Personal and laundry services	3,685	29,579	29,599	29,729	29,636	158,842,657	412
Membership associations and organizations	2,635	25,570	25,439	25,765	25,591	220,129,419	662
Private households	8,051	8,685	8,738	8,784	8,736	38,696,608	341
UNCLASSIFIED	1,731	1,921	1,933	2,008	1,954	24,804,986	976

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	66,130	1,209,948	1,214,972	1,217,815	1,214,245	\$12,881,306,799	\$816
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	756	214,690	215,142	213,915	214,582	2,393,329,397	858
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	332	41,957	41,843	42,095	41,965	615,787,820	1,129
STATE GOVERNMENT	252	64,978	64,975	64,112	64,688	742,350,689	883
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	172	107,755	108,324	107,708	107,929	1,035,190,888	738
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	65,374	995,258	999,830	1,003,900	999,663	10,487,977,402	807
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,221	154,244	154,062	153,778	154,028	1,974,356,179	986
Natural Resources and Mining	233	1,731	1,627	1,612	1,657	12,221,418	567
Crop production	84	824	720	707	750	5,524,063	567
Animal production	48	260	264	265	263	1,492,772	437
Forestry and logging	7	37	37	37	37	170,407	354
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	63	297	298	295	297	2,019,970	523
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	13	209	201	203	204	2,258,590	852
Support activities for mining	7	37	38	35	37	318,996	663
Construction	7,789	74,146	74,201	74,045	74,131	893,042,979	927
Construction of buildings	2,615	16,198	16,167	16,410	16,258	230,831,153	1,092
Heavy and civil engineering construction	465	8,238	8,121	8,108	8,156	100,030,100	943
Specialty trade contractors	4,709	49,710	49,913	49,527	49,717	562,181,726	870
Manufacturing	2,199	78,367	78,234	78,121	78,241	1,069,091,782	1,051
Food manufacturing	187	8,573	8,575	8,616	8,588	93,485,658	837
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	42	2,684	2,655	2,632	2,657	31,172,656	902
Textile mills	24	688	692	680	687	6,197,146	694
Textile product mills	75	650	655	646	650	5,670,705	671
Apparel manufacturing	42	1,208	1,247	1,298	1,251	8,168,890	502
Leather and allied product manufacturing	7	178	175	182	178	1,384,450	598
Wood product manufacturing	64	1,841	1,820	1,828	1,830	16,812,062	707
Paper manufacturing	36	3,222	3,218	3,190	3,210	33,746,268	809
Printing and related support activities	348	6,327	6,342	6,363	6,344	66,689,772	809
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	21	637	648	641	642	9,560,674	1,146
Chemical manufacturing	119	9,536	9,511	9,512	9,520	150,625,691	1,217
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	69	3,804	3,806	3,858	3,823	39,965,744	804
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	85	2,524	2,539	2,549	2,537	29,464,750	893
Primary metal manufacturing	43	3,608	3,562	3,190	3,453	52,889,503	1,178
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	295	5,563	5,493	5,548	5,535	63,080,232	877
Machinery manufacturing	135	5,457	5,433	5,460	5,450	82,076,138	1,158
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	137	12,240	12,289	12,341	12,290	246,520,245	1,543
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	43	1,041	1,050	1,055	1,049	14,128,590	1,036
Transportation equipment manufacturing	76	4,581	4,565	4,535	4,560	73,269,464	1,236
Furniture and related product manufacturing	139	1,675	1,633	1,637	1,648	15,195,532	709

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	212	2,330	2,326	2,360	2,339	28,987,612	953
SERVICE PROVIDING	54,772	840,610	845,377	849,709	845,232	8,510,197,990	774
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	14,378	232,786	237,796	241,531	237,371	2,093,147,545	678
Utilities	45	5,174	5,185	5,180	5,180	98,134,885	1,457
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	2,291	28,829	28,786	28,844	28,820	430,495,652	1,149
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	971	16,506	16,554	16,558	16,539	203,741,776	948
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	575	3,365	3,349	3,349	3,354	57,678,796	1,323
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	790	17,771	17,755	17,702	17,743	192,824,530	836
Furniture and home furnishings stores	456	5,692	5,927	6,170	5,930	47,224,140	613
Electronics and appliance stores	458	5,188	5,847	5,994	5,676	49,627,485	673
Building material and garden supply stores	507	10,557	10,627	10,727	10,637	79,503,463	575
Food and beverage stores	1,675	33,016	33,186	33,248	33,150	211,260,044	490
Health and personal care stores	582	10,117	10,352	10,507	10,325	82,508,552	615
Gasoline stations	630	4,552	4,550	4,587	4,563	21,426,692	361
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	1,093	14,835	15,807	16,622	15,755	68,391,059	334
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	531	7,126	7,713	8,203	7,681	37,837,522	379
General merchandise stores	343	22,427	24,326	25,456	24,070	103,663,504	331
Miscellaneous store retailers	1,212	11,033	11,288	11,475	11,265	58,038,955	396
Nonstore retailers	273	2,506	2,635	2,826	2,656	26,020,443	754
Air transportation	36	3,919	3,938	4,045	3,967	50,755,877	984
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Truck transportation	822	9,452	9,361	9,304	9,372	90,566,490	743
Transit and ground passenger transportation	363	5,701	5,700	5,701	5,701	29,770,089	402
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	25	259	185	185	210	954,007	349
Support activities for transportation	406	5,890	5,774	5,775	5,813	66,230,596	876
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	178	4,468	4,506	4,600	4,525	43,894,279	746
Warehousing and storage	91	3,981	4,022	4,052	4,018	36,164,321	692
Information	1,039	20,019	20,394	20,465	20,293	292,343,923	1,108
Publishing industries, except Internet	225	5,298	5,332	5,319	5,316	62,117,916	899
Motion picture and sound recording industries	174	1,792	1,858	2,259	1,970	12,500,136	488
Broadcasting, except Internet	49	1,634	1,657	1,644	1,645	26,930,709	1,259
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	358	8,955	9,167	8,907	9,010	156,796,535	1,339
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	188	1,941	1,964	1,931	1,945	29,039,182	1,148
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	6,215	80,575	80,854	80,916	80,782	1,278,558,629	1,217
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,558	25,963	26,133	26,120	26,072	358,278,873	1,057

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	512	9,067	9,105	9,169	9,114	360,427,151	3,042
Insurance carriers and related activities	1,503	21,326	21,392	21,414	21,377	304,706,224	1,096
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	67	948	935	954	946	14,437,802	1,174
Real estate	2,071	15,443	15,408	15,550	15,467	167,913,461	835
Rental and leasing services	483	7,216	7,262	7,099	7,192	65,181,159	697
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	13,530	168,454	167,747	168,166	168,122	2,184,674,318	1,000
Professional and technical services	9,134	88,419	88,577	89,513	88,836	1,535,555,957	1,330
Management of companies and enterprises	150	3,065	3,066	3,160	3,097	80,561,667	2,001
Administrative and support services	4,022	72,789	71,884	71,280	71,984	528,158,592	564
Waste management and remediation services	224	4,181	4,220	4,213	4,205	40,398,102	739
Education and Health Services	7,005	191,734	192,635	193,172	192,514	1,926,200,213	770
Educational services	842	36,666	36,941	36,844	36,817	384,497,899	803
Ambulatory health care services	4,323	43,531	43,770	44,086	43,796	574,049,942	1,008
Hospitals	68	58,857	59,056	59,328	59,080	628,813,381	819
Nursing and residential care facilities	603	30,060	30,180	30,271	30,170	204,865,567	522
Social assistance	1,169	22,620	22,688	22,643	22,650	133,973,424	455
Leisure and Hospitality	5,692	107,125	106,033	105,402	106,187	453,146,622	328
Performing arts and spectator sports	262	2,595	2,585	2,681	2,620	51,535,157	1,513
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	50	1,418	1,396	1,389	1,401	8,427,844	463
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	639	13,028	11,945	11,494	12,156	50,932,392	322
Accommodation	228	9,954	9,846	9,738	9,846	54,561,294	426
Food services and drinking places	4,513	80,130	80,261	80,100	80,164	287,689,935	276
Other Services	6,913	39,917	39,918	40,057	39,964	282,126,740	543
Repair and maintenance	2,084	12,397	12,328	12,392	12,372	110,408,481	686
Personal and laundry services	1,822	14,442	14,498	14,532	14,491	74,063,178	393
Membership associations and organizations	1,168	11,061	11,025	11,055	11,047	88,470,469	616
Private households	1,839	2,017	2,067	2,078	2,054	9,184,612	344
UNCLASSIFIED	381	404	391	413	403	3,423,233	653

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	55,890	913,013	915,556	920,256	916,275	\$10,660,014,228	\$895
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	466	184,587	184,361	184,997	184,648	2,526,281,290	1,052
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	302	72,780	72,662	72,695	72,712	1,302,114,120	1,378
STATE GOVERNMENT	46	17,917	16,825	17,794	17,512	176,324,382	775
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	118	93,890	94,874	94,508	94,424	1,047,842,788	854
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	55,424	728,426	731,195	735,259	731,627	8,133,732,938	855
GOODS-PRODUCING	7,587	113,346	113,150	112,889	113,128	1,507,532,904	1,025
Natural Resources and Mining	136	1,515	1,494	1,487	1,499	14,738,635	756
Crop production	41	423	398	404	408	2,953,620	557
Animal production	30	440	443	437	440	2,869,801	502
Forestry and logging	8	40	47	37	41	234,648	440
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	41	213	208	211	211	1,610,140	587
Mining, except oil and gas	12	342	338	339	340	6,430,716	1,455
Support activities for mining	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Construction	6,252	76,711	76,414	76,078	76,401	944,092,767	951
Construction of buildings	2,156	19,201	19,010	18,969	19,060	265,297,632	1,071
Heavy and civil engineering construction	313	6,984	7,000	6,763	6,916	84,764,144	943
Specialty trade contractors	3,783	50,526	50,404	50,346	50,425	594,030,991	906
Manufacturing	1,199	35,120	35,242	35,324	35,229	548,701,502	1,198
Food manufacturing	78	2,106	2,137	2,165	2,136	16,788,502	605
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	14	1,120	1,108	1,096	1,108	11,468,269	796
Textile mills	14	218	216	211	215	2,533,638	906
Textile product mills	38	401	411	406	406	3,697,980	701
Apparel manufacturing	16	360	361	360	360	2,337,113	499
Leather and allied product manufacturing	5	18	20	20	19	114,176	462
Wood product manufacturing	41	968	962	954	961	10,032,047	803
Paper manufacturing	5	149	153	152	151	2,356,381	1,200
Printing and related support activities	269	6,004	6,014	6,049	6,022	73,099,941	934
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Chemical manufacturing	46	2,575	2,606	2,601	2,594	50,248,635	1,490
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	19	622	640	641	634	6,284,423	762
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	49	1,355	1,366	1,379	1,367	17,922,630	1,009
Primary metal manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	96	2,519	2,515	2,519	2,518	30,077,726	919
Machinery manufacturing	38	949	960	974	961	11,124,007	890
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	159	10,845	10,841	10,900	10,862	240,581,515	1,704
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	20	278	272	273	274	5,360,145	1,505
Transportation equipment manufacturing	24	1,774	1,773	1,769	1,772	30,877,927	1,340
Furniture and related product manufacturing	97	1,043	1,053	1,053	1,050	11,274,547	826
Miscellaneous manufacturing	158	970	984	952	969	10,261,807	815

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
SERVICE PROVIDING	47,255	614,317	617,286	621,582	617,728	6,618,941,704	824
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,380	161,984	166,151	169,166	165,767	1,470,118,912	682
Utilities	42	3,350	3,344	3,324	3,339	60,586,306	1,396
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	1,375	17,680	17,670	17,620	17,657	284,436,478	1,239
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	507	6,893	6,993	7,107	6,998	89,542,103	984
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	324	1,724	1,716	1,721	1,720	28,097,479	1,257
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	526	16,278	16,258	16,266	16,267	184,349,995	872
Furniture and home furnishings stores	428	4,989	5,154	5,263	5,135	45,627,612	684
Electronics and appliance stores	403	4,853	5,415	5,539	5,269	51,495,818	752
Building material and garden supply stores	338	8,847	8,864	8,994	8,902	74,917,175	647
Food and beverage stores	1,063	23,735	24,132	24,454	24,107	160,010,957	511
Health and personal care stores	451	5,373	5,584	5,783	5,580	33,103,919	456
Gasoline stations	541	4,192	4,212	4,195	4,200	23,135,845	424
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	821	10,157	10,834	11,445	10,812	44,533,090	317
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	435	6,123	6,590	6,882	6,532	32,897,559	387
General merchandise stores	269	20,138	21,656	22,416	21,403	106,569,406	383
Miscellaneous store retailers	786	7,107	7,173	7,387	7,222	43,594,803	464
Nonstore retailers	181	1,483	1,472	1,483	1,479	15,486,490	805
Air transportation	6	74	71	69	71	468,440	508
Water transportation	11	223	224	223	223	4,865,455	1,678
Truck transportation	345	4,141	4,038	4,028	4,069	35,977,894	680
Transit and ground passenger transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	9	28	15	28	24	89,341	286
Support activities for transportation	139	2,045	2,066	2,112	2,074	28,460,162	1,056
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	136	6,298	6,328	6,421	6,349	55,172,674	668
Warehousing and storage	51	4,215	4,274	4,333	4,274	53,286,803	959
Information	1,114	24,934	24,950	24,869	24,918	394,343,578	1,217
Publishing industries, except Internet	245	5,656	5,637	5,658	5,650	87,765,878	1,195
Motion picture and sound recording industries	193	1,681	1,680	1,734	1,698	11,707,709	530
Broadcasting, except Internet	51	2,643	2,669	2,664	2,659	47,410,431	1,372
Internet publishing and broadcasting	16	553	549	534	545	8,037,042	1,134
Telecommunications	318	9,614	9,625	9,472	9,570	163,258,773	1,312
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	267	4,095	4,079	4,090	4,088	68,416,285	1,287
Other information services	24	692	711	717	707	7,747,460	843
Financial Activities	4,914	58,428	58,555	58,793	58,592	874,080,743	1,148
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,242	20,540	20,712	20,737	20,663	306,078,952	1,139
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	375	4,055	4,041	4,052	4,049	108,797,630	2,067
Insurance carriers and related activities	986	13,487	13,520	13,615	13,541	216,775,881	1,231
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	46	825	834	829	829	10,954,456	1,016

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Real estate	1,879	14,173	14,212	14,326	14,237	183,392,982	991
Rental and leasing services	367	5,222	5,112	5,116	5,150	45,276,427	676
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	12,250	154,556	154,442	155,260	154,753	2,184,131,191	1,086
Professional and technical services	8,778	92,249	92,633	93,821	92,901	1,689,545,232	1,399
Management of companies and enterprises	95	3,552	3,537	3,507	3,532	52,067,954	1,134
Administrative and support services	3,227	56,129	55,659	55,307	55,698	415,122,915	573
Waste management and remediation services	150	2,626	2,613	2,625	2,621	27,395,090	804
Education and Health Services	6,108	97,125	97,357	97,595	97,359	997,024,221	788
Educational services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Ambulatory health care services	4,009	34,606	34,558	34,833	34,666	498,389,362	1,106
Hospitals	35	18,401	18,489	18,503	18,464	193,998,905	808
Nursing and residential care facilities	461	18,072	18,162	18,070	18,101	120,978,756	514
Social assistance	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Leisure and Hospitality	3,941	79,518	78,200	77,857	78,525	403,155,367	395
Performing arts and spectator sports	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	372	7,749	7,380	6,880	7,336	35,307,493	370
Accommodation	199	9,846	9,850	9,753	9,816	138,971,619	1,089
Food services and drinking places	3,088	57,854	57,962	57,544	57,787	207,645,162	276
Other Services	9,548	37,772	37,631	38,042	37,815	296,087,692	602
Repair and maintenance	1,512	9,029	9,038	9,024	9,030	87,206,445	743
Personal and laundry services	1,334	12,139	12,103	12,220	12,154	70,609,754	447
Membership associations and organizations	923	10,719	10,581	10,852	10,717	112,102,309	805
Private households	5,779	5,885	5,909	5,946	5,913	26,169,184	340
UNCLASSIFIED	582	763	759	788	770	7,258,330	725

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 2003					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	150,509	1,998,637	2,005,083	2,012,051	\$21,070,536,162	\$808
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	22,361	10,947	5,467	0	83,129,504	1,169
Percent	14.9	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.4	1.45
1-4	68,003	133,227	131,827	133,012	1,438,585,032	834
Percent	45.2	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.8	1.03
5-9	24,367	159,945	159,595	161,007	1,532,414,436	736
Percent	16.2	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.3	0.91
10-19	16,651	223,773	224,517	225,613	2,195,466,407	752
Percent	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.4	0.93
20-49	11,618	349,779	351,550	352,959	3,414,896,209	747
Percent	7.7	17.5	17.5	17.5	16.2	0.92
50-99	4,225	285,891	287,911	288,818	2,921,603,944	782
Percent	2.8	14.3	14.4	14.4	13.9	0.97
100-249	2,495	368,157	374,204	376,494	3,807,120,147	785
Percent	1.7	18.4	18.7	18.7	18.1	0.97
250-499	544	178,639	181,162	183,216	1,930,829,189	821
Percent	0.4	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.2	1.02
500-999	150	98,795	99,756	99,985	1,193,718,614	923
Percent	0.1	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.7	1.14
1,000 & Over	95	189,484	189,094	190,947	2,552,772,680	1,034
Percent	0.1	9.5	9.4	9.5	12.1	1.28

See note at end of table.

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

BALTIMORE MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FOURTH QUARTER 2003					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	65,374	995,258	999,830	1,003,900	\$10,487,977,402	\$807
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	8,749	4,577	2,424	0	44,345,791	1,462
Percent	13.4	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.4	1.81
1-4	28,284	57,274	56,795	57,657	582,133,569	782
Percent	43.3	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	0.97
5-9	11,284	74,024	73,989	74,631	695,383,912	721
Percent	17.3	7.4	7.4	7.4	6.6	0.89
10-19	7,750	103,745	104,017	104,659	995,589,238	735
Percent	11.9	10.4	10.4	10.4	9.5	0.91
20-49	5,520	166,537	167,560	168,285	1,632,567,252	750
Percent	8.4	16.7	16.8	16.8	15.6	0.93
50-99	2,124	144,603	146,131	146,990	1,492,165,574	787
Percent	3.2	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.2	0.98
100-249	1,266	186,965	189,457	190,707	1,905,537,166	775
Percent	1.9	18.8	18.9	19.0	18.2	0.96
250-499	265	87,292	88,678	89,759	946,566,392	822
Percent	0.4	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	1.02
500-999	78	51,352	51,677	51,608	618,548,714	923
Percent	0.1	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.9	1.14
1,000 & Over	54	118,889	119,102	119,604	1,575,139,794	1,016
Percent	0.1	11.9	11.9	11.9	15.0	1.26

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

MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FOURTH QUARTER 2003					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	55,424	728,426	731,195	735,259	\$8,133,732,938	\$855
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	7,917	3,863	1,895	0	24,537,929	984
Percent	14.3	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.3	1.15
1-4	25,685	48,695	48,363	48,934	527,743,127	834
Percent	46.3	6.7	6.6	6.7	6.5	0.98
5-9	8,603	56,101	56,204	56,937	582,878,127	795
Percent	15.5	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.2	0.93
10-19	6,058	81,839	82,136	82,475	867,999,818	813
Percent	10.9	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.7	0.95
20-49	4,308	129,449	130,146	130,913	1,353,235,587	800
Percent	7.8	17.8	17.8	17.8	16.6	0.94
50-99	1,586	106,047	106,482	107,111	1,145,958,935	827
Percent	2.9	14.6	14.6	14.6	14.1	0.97
100-249	958	140,873	143,845	144,650	1,552,001,445	834
Percent	1.7	19.3	19.7	19.7	19.1	0.98
250-499	227	73,958	74,997	75,516	836,162,554	860
Percent	0.4	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.3	1.01
500-999	51	33,724	34,171	34,496	445,292,483	1,004
Percent	0.1	4.6	4.7	4.7	5.5	1.17
1,000 & Over	31	53,877	52,956	54,227	797,922,933	1,143
Percent	0.1	7.4	7.2	7.4	9.8	1.34

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 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND *****	152,358	2,452,763	2,459,766	2,466,005	2,459,511	\$26,573,644,358	\$831
ALLEGANY	1,720	29,870	30,035	29,742	29,882	220,113,684	567
ANNE ARUNDEL	13,247	207,660	208,809	209,502	208,657	2,159,535,934	796
BALTIMORE CITY	14,242	368,192	368,068	368,966	368,409	4,174,003,118	872
BALTIMORE COUNTY	20,217	359,275	361,676	361,903	360,951	3,785,285,619	807
CALVERT	1,709	19,931	19,983	20,039	19,984	179,813,212	692
CAROLINE	668	8,490	8,554	8,590	8,545	63,915,424	575
CARROLL	4,357	51,108	51,401	51,495	51,335	409,422,267	613
CECIL	1,785	27,796	27,900	27,640	27,779	277,827,974	769
CHARLES	2,782	38,934	39,405	39,618	39,319	332,006,830	650
DORCHESTER	750	11,793	11,753	11,756	11,767	88,332,383	577
FREDERICK	5,323	88,081	88,274	88,446	88,267	832,593,478	726
GARRETT	920	11,010	10,993	10,849	10,951	67,271,041	473
HARFORD	5,000	74,204	74,441	74,721	74,455	692,731,278	716
HOWARD	7,713	136,721	137,785	138,461	137,656	1,562,282,949	873
KENT	735	7,845	7,810	7,786	7,814	57,732,188	568
MONTGOMERY	31,284	451,078	453,455	455,705	453,413	5,925,459,759	1,005
PRINCE GEORGE'S	14,792	314,989	314,439	316,448	315,292	3,390,140,949	827
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,354	12,788	12,792	12,767	12,782	98,045,634	590
SAINT MARY'S	1,844	37,398	37,612	37,641	37,550	408,435,425	837
SOMERSET	447	7,308	7,210	7,104	7,207	53,353,428	569
TALBOT	1,693	19,004	19,019	18,846	18,956	156,180,432	634
WASHINGTON	3,229	64,622	65,029	65,228	64,960	529,213,546	627
WICOMICO	2,608	42,746	43,175	43,357	43,093	351,887,321	628
WORCESTER	2,182	24,040	22,127	21,480	22,549	149,268,379	509
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	11,757	37,880	38,021	37,915	37,939	608,792,106	1,234

BALTIMORE MSA	66,130	1,209,948	1,214,972	1,217,815	1,214,245	12,881,306,799	816
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	55,890	913,013	915,556	920,256	916,275	10,660,014,228	895

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GOVERNMENT SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	1,849	454,126	454,683	453,954	454,254	\$5,503,108,196	\$932

ALLEGANY	52	6,449	6,517	6,486	6,484	60,713,091	720
ANNE ARUNDEL	189	35,407	35,499	35,133	35,346	394,978,098	860
BALTIMORE CITY	253	79,004	78,756	78,914	78,891	904,947,580	882
BALTIMORE COUNTY	108	56,947	57,607	56,807	57,120	627,536,985	845
CALVERT	35	3,632	3,683	3,666	3,660	39,797,785	836
CAROLINE	29	1,550	1,556	1,563	1,556	12,638,772	625
CARROLL	46	7,587	7,648	7,529	7,588	64,263,190	651
CECIL	47	7,343	7,340	7,268	7,317	100,320,265	1,055
CHARLES	52	8,222	8,340	8,262	8,275	89,895,798	836
DORCHESTER	35	2,183	2,240	2,272	2,232	20,592,844	710
FREDERICK	77	13,606	13,775	13,818	13,733	148,669,744	833
GARRETT	38	1,761	1,780	1,767	1,769	13,616,876	592
HARFORD	71	16,910	16,793	16,746	16,816	221,140,057	1,012
HOWARD	59	16,511	16,491	16,451	16,484	160,441,574	749
KENT	31	1,123	1,148	1,153	1,141	10,037,003	677
MONTGOMERY	134	78,621	79,155	79,225	79,000	1,227,259,401	1,195
PRINCE GEORGE'S	168	80,506	79,408	80,026	79,980	1,020,658,562	982
QUEEN ANNE'S	30	2,324	2,348	2,335	2,336	20,021,913	659
SAINT MARY'S	76	10,990	11,072	11,084	11,049	156,289,794	1,088
SOMERSET	44	3,036	3,019	2,996	3,017	25,068,995	639
TALBOT	47	1,888	1,908	1,901	1,899	16,760,627	679
WASHINGTON	113	8,404	8,445	8,416	8,422	76,010,665	694
WICOMICO	53	6,699	6,734	6,803	6,745	60,923,604	695
WORCESTER	55	3,395	3,393	3,310	3,366	30,219,604	691
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	7	28	28	23	26	305,369	903

BALTIMORE MSA	756	214,690	215,142	213,915	214,582	2,393,329,397	858
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	466	184,587	184,361	184,997	184,648	2,526,281,290	1,052

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PRIVATE SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	150,509	1,998,637	2,005,083	2,012,051	2,005,257	\$21,070,536,162	\$808

ALLEGANY	1,668	23,421	23,518	23,256	23,398	159,400,593	524
ANNE ARUNDEL	13,058	172,253	173,310	174,369	173,311	1,764,557,836	783
BALTIMORE CITY	13,989	289,188	289,312	290,052	289,517	3,269,055,538	869
BALTIMORE COUNTY	20,109	302,328	304,069	305,096	303,831	3,157,748,634	799
CALVERT	1,674	16,299	16,300	16,373	16,324	140,015,427	660
CAROLINE	639	6,940	6,998	7,027	6,988	51,276,652	564
CARROLL	4,311	43,521	43,753	43,966	43,747	345,159,077	607
CECIL	1,738	20,453	20,560	20,372	20,462	177,507,709	667
CHARLES	2,730	30,712	31,065	31,356	31,044	242,111,032	600
DORCHESTER	715	9,610	9,513	9,484	9,536	67,739,539	546
FREDERICK	5,246	74,475	74,499	74,628	74,534	683,923,734	706
GARRETT	882	9,249	9,213	9,082	9,181	53,654,165	450
HARFORD	4,929	57,294	57,648	57,975	57,639	471,591,221	629
HOWARD	7,654	120,210	121,294	122,010	121,171	1,401,841,375	890
KENT	704	6,722	6,662	6,633	6,672	47,695,185	550
MONTGOMERY	31,150	372,457	374,300	376,480	374,412	4,698,200,358	965
PRINCE GEORGE'S	14,624	234,483	235,031	236,422	235,312	2,369,482,387	775
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,324	10,464	10,444	10,432	10,447	78,023,721	575
SAINT MARY'S	1,768	26,408	26,540	26,557	26,502	252,145,631	732
SOMERSET	403	4,272	4,191	4,108	4,190	28,284,433	519
TALBOT	1,646	17,116	17,111	16,945	17,057	139,419,805	629
WASHINGTON	3,116	56,218	56,584	56,812	56,538	453,202,881	617
WICOMICO	2,555	36,047	36,441	36,554	36,347	290,963,717	616
WORCESTER	2,127	20,645	18,734	18,170	19,183	119,048,775	477
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	11,750	37,852	37,993	37,892	37,912	608,486,737	1,235

BALTIMORE MSA	65,374	995,258	999,830	1,003,900	999,663	10,487,977,402	807
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	55,424	728,426	731,195	735,259	731,627	8,133,732,938	855

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	152,358	2,452,763	2,459,766	2,466,005	2,459,511	\$26,573,644,358	\$831
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,849	454,126	454,683	453,954	454,254	5,503,108,196	932
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	882	127,623	127,407	127,676	127,569	2,128,932,970	1,284
STATE GOVERNMENT	405	95,720	94,556	94,726	95,001	1,035,797,480	839
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	562	230,783	232,720	231,552	231,685	2,338,377,746	776
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	150,509	1,998,637	2,005,083	2,012,051	2,005,257	21,070,536,162	808
GOODS-PRODUCING	22,568	323,820	323,007	321,998	322,942	4,016,702,188	957
Natural Resources and Mining	679	6,635	6,393	6,315	6,448	52,799,644	630
Construction	17,567	172,398	171,811	171,037	171,749	2,026,197,522	907
Manufacturing	4,322	144,787	144,803	144,646	144,745	1,937,705,022	1,030
SERVICE PROVIDING	126,210	1,672,896	1,680,143	1,688,045	1,680,361	17,029,028,988	780
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	32,073	462,768	473,068	480,162	471,999	4,176,204,854	681
Information	2,834	49,411	49,898	49,799	49,703	738,750,905	1,143
Financial Activities	13,315	156,097	156,458	156,801	156,452	2,333,347,137	1,147
Professional and Business Services	32,257	365,686	364,812	366,195	365,564	4,881,949,312	1,027
Education and Health Services	15,200	329,422	330,898	331,641	330,654	3,287,577,762	765
Leisure and Hospitality	11,822	220,522	216,183	214,083	216,929	968,169,020	343
Other Services	18,709	88,990	88,826	89,364	89,060	643,029,998	555
UNCLASSIFIED	1,731	1,921	1,933	2,008	1,954	24,804,986	976
BALTIMORE MSA							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	66,130	1,209,948	1,214,972	1,217,815	1,214,245	\$12,881,306,799	\$816
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	756	214,690	215,142	213,915	214,582	2,393,329,397	858
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	332	41,957	41,843	42,095	41,965	615,787,820	1,129
STATE GOVERNMENT	252	64,978	64,975	64,112	64,688	742,350,689	883
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	172	107,755	108,324	107,708	107,929	1,035,190,888	738
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	65,374	995,258	999,830	1,003,900	999,663	10,487,977,402	807
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,221	154,244	154,062	153,778	154,028	1,974,356,179	986
Natural Resources and Mining	233	1,731	1,627	1,612	1,657	12,221,418	567
Construction	7,789	74,146	74,201	74,045	74,131	893,042,979	927
Manufacturing	2,199	78,367	78,234	78,121	78,241	1,069,091,782	1,051
SERVICE PROVIDING	54,772	840,610	845,377	849,709	845,232	8,510,197,990	774
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	14,378	232,786	237,796	241,531	237,371	2,093,147,545	678
Information	1,039	20,019	20,394	20,465	20,293	292,343,923	1,108
Financial Activities	6,215	80,575	80,854	80,916	80,782	1,278,558,629	1,217
Professional and Business Services	13,530	168,454	167,747	168,166	168,122	2,184,674,318	1,000
Education and Health Services	7,005	191,734	192,635	193,172	192,514	1,926,200,213	770
Leisure and Hospitality	5,692	107,125	106,033	105,402	106,187	453,146,622	328
Other Services	6,913	39,917	39,918	40,057	39,964	282,126,740	543
UNCLASSIFIED	381	404	391	413	403	3,423,233	653

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
ALLEGANY COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,720	29,870	30,035	29,742	29,882	\$220,113,684	\$567
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	52	6,449	6,517	6,486	6,484	60,713,091	720
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	23	598	596	601	598	7,650,075	984
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	2,500	2,499	2,497	2,499	23,729,730	730
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	3,351	3,422	3,388	3,387	29,333,286	666
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,668	23,421	23,518	23,256	23,398	159,400,593	524
GOODS-PRODUCING	240	4,923	4,892	4,670	4,828	43,790,936	698
Natural Resources and Mining	20	166	167	166	166	1,214,401	563
Construction	160	1,386	1,370	1,280	1,345	10,244,503	586
Manufacturing	60	3,371	3,355	3,224	3,317	32,332,032	750
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,426	18,497	18,625	18,585	18,569	115,607,287	479
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	442	5,409	5,503	5,496	5,469	31,218,660	439
Information	19	299	297	290	295	2,716,539	708
Financial Activities	125	1,029	1,045	1,042	1,039	7,469,485	553
Professional and Business Services	194	2,178	2,183	2,200	2,187	13,734,066	483
Education and Health Services	260	5,596	5,637	5,666	5,633	48,471,550	662
Leisure and Hospitality	177	2,846	2,788	2,743	2,792	7,398,476	204
Other Services	209	1,140	1,172	1,148	1,153	4,598,511	307
UNCLASSIFIED	2	1	1	1	1	2,370	182
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	13,247	207,660	208,809	209,502	208,657	\$2,159,535,934	\$796
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	189	35,407	35,499	35,133	35,346	394,978,098	860
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	96	7,911	7,892	7,871	7,891	104,216,432	1,016
STATE GOVERNMENT	69	9,241	9,059	8,972	9,091	99,753,567	844
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	24	18,255	18,548	18,290	18,364	191,008,099	800
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,058	172,253	173,310	174,369	173,311	1,764,557,836	783
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,174	28,168	28,100	28,292	28,187	389,957,626	1,064
Natural Resources and Mining	29	192	174	171	179	1,541,420	662
Construction	1,794	14,623	14,594	14,805	14,674	167,148,423	876
Manufacturing	351	13,353	13,332	13,316	13,334	221,267,783	1,276
SERVICE PROVIDING	10,813	143,994	145,127	145,996	145,039	1,373,868,227	729
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,922	47,806	48,809	49,565	48,727	414,593,948	655
Information	222	4,042	4,157	4,143	4,114	50,257,327	940
Financial Activities	1,175	9,787	9,850	9,675	9,771	116,224,121	915
Professional and Business Services	2,903	30,607	30,929	31,295	30,944	435,563,975	1,083
Education and Health Services	1,113	20,452	20,509	20,536	20,499	198,990,680	747
Leisure and Hospitality	1,109	23,623	23,197	23,055	23,292	100,599,122	332
Other Services	1,369	7,677	7,676	7,727	7,693	57,639,054	576
UNCLASSIFIED	71	91	83	81	85	731,983	662

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
BALTIMORE CITY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,242	368,192	368,068	368,966	368,409	\$4,174,003,118	\$872
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	253	79,004	78,756	78,914	78,891	904,947,580	882
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	53	10,249	10,242	10,497	10,329	130,427,222	971
STATE GOVERNMENT	124	38,427	38,163	38,101	38,230	450,504,206	906
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	76	30,328	30,351	30,316	30,332	324,016,152	822
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,989	289,188	289,312	290,052	289,517	3,269,055,538	869
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,496	31,993	31,742	31,781	31,839	393,195,964	950
Natural Resources and Mining	3	9	9	10	9	89,368	764
Construction	903	11,816	11,680	11,606	11,701	149,812,795	985
Manufacturing	590	20,168	20,053	20,165	20,129	243,293,801	930
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,366	257,084	257,456	258,149	257,563	2,875,004,117	859
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,108	45,090	45,406	46,192	45,563	460,085,981	777
Information	224	6,697	6,729	6,925	6,784	97,647,451	1,107
Financial Activities	1,308	26,867	26,958	27,020	26,948	536,048,924	1,530
Professional and Business Services	2,578	49,784	49,575	49,045	49,468	597,880,879	930
Education and Health Services	1,763	89,724	89,917	90,288	89,976	966,667,018	826
Leisure and Hospitality	1,693	27,257	27,223	27,026	27,169	128,694,740	364
Other Services	1,692	11,665	11,648	11,653	11,655	87,979,124	581
UNCLASSIFIED	127	111	114	122	116	855,457	567
BALTIMORE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	20,217	359,275	361,676	361,903	360,951	\$3,785,285,619	\$807
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	108	56,947	57,607	56,807	57,120	627,536,985	845
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	64	15,232	15,182	15,203	15,206	238,227,145	1,205
STATE GOVERNMENT	24	11,605	12,028	11,332	11,655	133,706,990	882
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	20	30,110	30,397	30,272	30,260	255,602,850	650
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	20,109	302,328	304,069	305,096	303,831	3,157,748,634	799
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,858	51,198	51,319	50,658	51,058	674,085,778	1,016
Natural Resources and Mining	65	508	506	516	510	4,469,590	674
Construction	2,143	22,418	22,577	22,260	22,418	276,937,900	950
Manufacturing	650	28,272	28,236	27,882	28,130	392,678,288	1,074
SERVICE PROVIDING	17,161	251,064	252,687	254,371	252,707	2,483,014,299	756
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,292	72,137	74,023	75,180	73,780	608,682,452	635
Information	315	5,996	6,153	6,036	6,062	102,434,941	1,300
Financial Activities	2,126	29,669	29,832	29,974	29,825	436,308,124	1,125
Professional and Business Services	4,136	47,706	47,238	47,781	47,575	590,188,279	954
Education and Health Services	2,518	53,594	54,049	54,218	53,954	532,538,012	759
Leisure and Hospitality	1,629	30,101	29,529	29,288	29,639	135,387,142	351
Other Services	2,145	11,861	11,863	11,894	11,873	77,475,349	502
UNCLASSIFIED	90	66	63	67	65	648,557	768

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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	1,709	19,931	19,983	20,039	19,984	\$179,813,212	\$692
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	35	3,632	3,683	3,666	3,660	39,797,785	836
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	23	121	140	122	128	1,345,303	808
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	228	231	229	229	2,032,410	683
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	5	3,283	3,312	3,315	3,303	36,420,072	848
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,674	16,299	16,300	16,373	16,324	140,015,427	660
GOODS-PRODUCING	452	2,943	2,862	2,862	2,889	32,195,921	857
Natural Resources and Mining	5	30	28	27	28	180,471	496
Construction	402	2,196	2,132	2,128	2,152	24,932,070	891
Manufacturing	45	717	702	707	709	7,083,380	769
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,217	13,349	13,431	13,504	13,428	107,736,270	617
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	321	4,477	4,637	4,734	4,616	44,966,375	749
Information	23	212	217	216	215	2,129,087	762
Financial Activities	130	620	603	608	610	5,883,298	742
Professional and Business Services	281	1,643	1,624	1,679	1,649	16,514,975	770
Education and Health Services	172	2,832	2,864	2,850	2,849	24,788,943	669
Leisure and Hospitality	141	2,749	2,687	2,594	2,677	8,311,673	239
Other Services	149	816	799	823	813	5,141,919	487
UNCLASSIFIED	5	7	7	7	7	83,236	915
CAROLINE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	668	8,490	8,554	8,590	8,545	\$63,915,424	\$575
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	29	1,550	1,556	1,563	1,556	12,638,772	625
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	15	79	82	81	81	682,303	648
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	241	241	244	242	2,203,514	700
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	8	1,230	1,233	1,238	1,234	9,752,955	608
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	639	6,940	6,998	7,027	6,988	51,276,652	564
GOODS-PRODUCING	191	2,370	2,398	2,374	2,381	19,274,570	623
Natural Resources and Mining	27	199	179	188	189	1,290,091	525
Construction	133	638	654	654	649	5,212,830	618
Manufacturing	31	1,533	1,565	1,532	1,543	12,771,649	637
SERVICE PROVIDING	448	4,570	4,600	4,653	4,608	32,002,082	534
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	186	2,243	2,292	2,353	2,296	17,062,393	572
Information	5	12	12	12	12	126,381	810
Financial Activities	41	269	267	271	269	2,164,487	619
Professional and Business Services	76	260	269	265	265	3,270,721	949
Education and Health Services	40	1,076	1,065	1,070	1,070	6,739,234	484
Leisure and Hospitality	43	489	477	466	477	1,340,665	216
Other Services	57	221	218	216	218	1,298,201	458

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CARROLL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	4,357	51,108	51,401	51,495	51,335	\$409,422,267	\$613
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	46	7,587	7,648	7,529	7,588	64,263,190	651
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	21	313	322	318	318	3,225,182	780
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	1,150	1,162	1,146	1,153	11,671,753	779
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	6,124	6,164	6,065	6,118	49,366,255	621
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	4,311	43,521	43,753	43,966	43,747	345,159,077	607
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,204	11,704	11,720	11,849	11,758	125,803,649	823
Natural Resources and Mining	42	321	306	315	314	1,666,229	408
Construction	996	6,714	6,714	6,725	6,718	68,815,078	788
Manufacturing	166	4,669	4,700	4,809	4,726	55,322,342	900
SERVICE PROVIDING	3,091	31,798	32,013	32,093	31,968	219,101,728	527
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	886	10,853	11,033	11,122	11,003	76,594,074	535
Information	50	586	588	595	590	6,153,685	802
Financial Activities	317	1,642	1,651	1,659	1,651	17,313,981	807
Professional and Business Services	789	4,123	4,037	4,047	4,069	37,394,857	707
Education and Health Services	370	7,232	7,297	7,362	7,297	55,722,221	587
Leisure and Hospitality	280	5,349	5,396	5,310	5,352	14,939,806	215
Other Services	399	2,013	2,011	1,998	2,007	10,983,104	421
UNCLASSIFIED	16	19	20	24	21	253,700	929
CECIL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,785	27,796	27,900	27,640	27,779	\$277,827,974	\$769
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	47	7,343	7,340	7,268	7,317	100,320,265	1,055
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	27	3,492	3,487	3,443	3,474	67,661,083	1,498
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	335	334	334	334	2,957,141	681
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	13	3,516	3,519	3,491	3,509	29,702,041	651
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,738	20,453	20,560	20,372	20,462	177,507,709	667
GOODS-PRODUCING	368	6,190	6,327	6,259	6,259	74,698,682	918
Natural Resources and Mining	36	595	620	594	603	5,037,884	643
Construction	267	1,665	1,658	1,620	1,648	12,660,578	591
Manufacturing	65	3,930	4,049	4,045	4,008	57,000,220	1,094
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,366	14,259	14,229	14,106	14,198	102,776,981	557
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	466	5,110	5,175	5,177	5,154	36,505,588	545
Information	11	248	248	254	250	2,782,599	856
Financial Activities	124	752	734	724	737	6,252,163	653
Professional and Business Services	242	1,551	1,612	1,607	1,590	17,693,431	856
Education and Health Services	149	2,579	2,591	2,609	2,593	23,827,638	707
Leisure and Hospitality	205	3,152	3,004	2,878	3,011	10,992,840	281
Other Services	169	867	865	857	863	4,722,722	421
UNCLASSIFIED	4	4	4	7	5	32,046	493

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CHARLES COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,782	38,934	39,405	39,618	39,319	\$332,006,830	\$650
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	52	8,222	8,340	8,262	8,275	89,895,798	836
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	24	2,250	2,243	2,258	2,250	35,273,339	1,206
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	397	393	393	394	3,346,056	653
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	22	5,575	5,704	5,611	5,630	51,276,403	701
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,730	30,712	31,065	31,356	31,044	242,111,032	600
GOODS-PRODUCING	554	5,079	5,029	5,075	5,061	53,301,268	810
Natural Resources and Mining	16	107	102	97	102	1,103,579	832
Construction	465	3,781	3,730	3,774	3,762	38,623,704	790
Manufacturing	73	1,191	1,197	1,204	1,197	13,573,985	872
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,166	25,626	26,028	26,272	25,975	188,763,241	559
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	621	10,979	11,398	11,663	11,347	77,252,530	524
Information	32	493	497	487	492	4,820,383	754
Financial Activities	293	1,592	1,584	1,585	1,587	18,978,705	920
Professional and Business Services	412	2,688	2,670	2,621	2,660	30,153,465	872
Education and Health Services	292	3,880	3,915	3,924	3,906	34,547,454	680
Leisure and Hospitality	256	4,675	4,648	4,677	4,667	14,652,495	242
Other Services	260	1,319	1,316	1,315	1,317	8,358,209	488
UNCLASSIFIED	10	7	8	9	8	46,523	447
DORCHESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	750	11,793	11,753	11,756	11,767	\$88,332,383	\$577
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	35	2,183	2,240	2,272	2,232	20,592,844	710
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	124	124	130	126	1,417,123	865
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	825	832	823	827	7,995,648	744
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	12	1,234	1,284	1,319	1,279	11,180,073	672
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	715	9,610	9,513	9,484	9,536	67,739,539	546
GOODS-PRODUCING	173	3,705	3,690	3,671	3,689	30,918,420	645
Natural Resources and Mining	25	280	268	274	274	2,635,567	740
Construction	91	549	545	554	549	4,341,128	608
Manufacturing	57	2,876	2,877	2,843	2,865	23,941,725	643
SERVICE PROVIDING	542	5,905	5,823	5,813	5,847	36,821,119	484
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	209	2,060	2,075	2,048	2,061	13,581,267	507
Information	9	79	77	78	78	716,048	706
Financial Activities	52	365	372	374	370	3,818,600	794
Professional and Business Services	70	643	514	501	553	3,152,651	439
Education and Health Services	63	1,544	1,605	1,608	1,586	11,453,482	556
Leisure and Hospitality	60	849	801	817	822	2,391,171	224
Other Services	79	365	379	387	377	1,707,900	348

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
FREDERICK COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,323	88,081	88,274	88,446	88,267	\$832,593,478	\$726
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	77	13,606	13,775	13,818	13,733	148,669,744	833
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	56	3,150	3,169	3,197	3,172	48,248,366	1,170
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	668	669	671	669	6,296,289	724
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	13	9,788	9,937	9,950	9,892	94,125,089	732
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,246	74,475	74,499	74,628	74,534	683,923,734	706
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,195	16,350	16,390	16,267	16,336	173,279,856	816
Natural Resources and Mining	45	536	516	510	521	3,600,972	532
Construction	968	9,587	9,603	9,498	9,563	97,412,857	784
Manufacturing	182	6,227	6,271	6,259	6,252	72,266,027	889
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,020	58,092	58,075	58,318	58,162	510,158,531	675
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,049	16,332	16,643	16,836	16,604	123,889,270	574
Information	99	1,813	1,805	1,813	1,810	20,974,611	891
Financial Activities	434	7,005	7,023	7,062	7,030	80,674,748	883
Professional and Business Services	1,049	11,659	11,294	11,283	11,412	141,897,685	956
Education and Health Services	513	10,146	10,188	10,232	10,189	96,478,043	728
Leisure and Hospitality	412	8,054	8,050	8,003	8,036	26,329,965	252
Other Services	464	3,083	3,072	3,089	3,081	19,914,209	497
UNCLASSIFIED	31	33	34	43	37	485,347	1,009
GARRETT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	920	11,010	10,993	10,849	10,951	\$67,271,041	\$473
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	38	1,761	1,780	1,767	1,769	13,616,876	592
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	75	74	74	74	691,050	718
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	227	227	226	227	2,006,322	680
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	1,459	1,479	1,467	1,468	10,919,504	572
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	882	9,249	9,213	9,082	9,181	53,654,165	450
GOODS-PRODUCING	261	2,457	2,453	2,373	2,428	18,290,258	579
Natural Resources and Mining	35	452	447	435	445	4,855,798	839
Construction	178	1,106	1,127	1,044	1,092	6,848,438	482
Manufacturing	48	899	879	894	891	6,586,022	569
SERVICE PROVIDING	621	6,792	6,760	6,709	6,754	35,363,907	403
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	237	2,076	2,100	2,080	2,085	11,341,584	418
Information	14	262	261	263	262	1,755,395	515
Financial Activities	48	487	476	481	481	2,350,568	376
Professional and Business Services	99	716	697	686	700	4,805,626	528
Education and Health Services	55	1,356	1,389	1,391	1,379	9,321,026	520
Leisure and Hospitality	86	1,427	1,371	1,350	1,383	3,535,726	197
Other Services	82	468	466	458	464	2,253,982	374

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
HARFORD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,000	74,204	74,441	74,721	74,455	\$692,731,278	\$716
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	71	16,910	16,793	16,746	16,816	221,140,057	1,012
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	55	7,474	7,451	7,454	7,460	130,048,438	1,341
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	502	504	502	503	4,438,093	679
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	9	8,934	8,838	8,790	8,854	86,653,526	753
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	4,929	57,294	57,648	57,975	57,639	471,591,221	629
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,049	11,057	11,077	11,032	11,055	114,938,453	800
Natural Resources and Mining	36	175	173	180	176	1,104,886	483
Construction	848	6,186	6,166	6,088	6,147	61,838,290	774
Manufacturing	165	4,696	4,738	4,764	4,733	51,995,277	845
SERVICE PROVIDING	3,855	46,207	46,543	46,909	46,553	356,311,612	589
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,146	17,224	17,583	17,812	17,540	127,218,976	558
Information	53	677	683	689	683	7,200,586	811
Financial Activities	435	3,287	3,269	3,277	3,278	33,263,416	781
Professional and Business Services	923	8,088	8,083	8,105	8,092	89,922,190	855
Education and Health Services	449	7,658	7,687	7,691	7,679	61,568,211	617
Leisure and Hospitality	371	6,746	6,713	6,771	6,743	20,888,898	238
Other Services	478	2,527	2,525	2,564	2,539	16,249,335	492
UNCLASSIFIED	25	30	28	34	31	341,156	847
HOWARD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	7,713	136,721	137,785	138,461	137,656	\$1,562,282,949	\$873
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	59	16,511	16,491	16,451	16,484	160,441,574	749
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	29	684	663	661	669	8,810,178	1,013
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	3,857	3,864	3,868	3,863	40,705,723	811
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	11,970	11,964	11,922	11,952	110,925,673	714
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	7,654	120,210	121,294	122,010	121,171	1,401,841,375	890
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,095	17,905	17,868	17,907	17,893	255,839,366	1,100
Natural Resources and Mining	34	342	275	242	286	2,197,703	591
Construction	828	11,223	11,263	11,326	11,271	157,081,908	1,072
Manufacturing	233	6,340	6,330	6,339	6,336	96,559,755	1,172
SERVICE PROVIDING	6,511	102,218	103,343	104,019	103,193	1,145,421,629	854
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,670	36,391	37,608	38,289	37,429	382,729,185	787
Information	157	1,843	1,912	1,902	1,886	26,880,310	1,096
Financial Activities	764	8,805	8,814	8,842	8,820	134,927,251	1,177
Professional and Business Services	1,995	27,314	27,064	27,057	27,145	423,504,047	1,200
Education and Health Services	734	12,530	12,625	12,530	12,562	105,897,233	648
Leisure and Hospitality	484	11,683	11,639	11,708	11,677	42,931,661	283
Other Services	707	3,652	3,681	3,691	3,675	28,551,942	598
UNCLASSIFIED	48	87	83	84	85	580,380	525

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
KENT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	735	7,845	7,810	7,786	7,814	\$57,732,188	\$568
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	31	1,123	1,148	1,153	1,141	10,037,003	677
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	80	80	81	80	738,795	710
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	297	301	300	299	2,772,314	713
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	8	746	767	772	762	6,525,894	659
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	704	6,722	6,662	6,633	6,672	47,695,185	550
GOODS-PRODUCING	150	1,481	1,472	1,484	1,479	12,108,621	630
Natural Resources and Mining	34	364	361	363	363	2,682,778	569
Construction	93	357	350	354	354	2,768,299	602
Manufacturing	23	760	761	767	763	6,657,544	671
SERVICE PROVIDING	554	5,241	5,190	5,149	5,193	35,586,564	527
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	160	1,047	1,050	1,066	1,054	6,419,007	468
Information	9	62	62	59	61	745,393	940
Financial Activities	43	303	305	312	307	2,620,434	657
Professional and Business Services	80	646	631	651	643	6,093,043	729
Education and Health Services	71	1,857	1,873	1,839	1,856	14,196,300	588
Leisure and Hospitality	96	1,083	1,030	979	1,031	4,244,219	317
Other Services	95	243	239	243	242	1,268,168	403
MONTGOMERY COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	31,284	451,078	453,455	455,705	453,413	\$5,925,459,759	\$1005
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	134	78,621	79,155	79,225	79,000	1,227,259,401	1,195
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	91	40,750	40,771	40,726	40,749	744,002,627	1,404
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,086	1,090	1,091	1,089	9,842,829	695
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	34	36,785	37,294	37,408	37,162	473,413,945	980
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	31,150	372,457	374,300	376,480	374,412	4,698,200,358	965
GOODS-PRODUCING	3,217	45,837	45,753	45,797	45,796	702,393,552	1,180
Natural Resources and Mining	42	604	604	597	602	7,585,396	969
Construction	2,637	29,263	29,159	29,134	29,185	388,185,149	1,023
Manufacturing	538	15,970	15,990	16,066	16,009	306,623,007	1,473
SERVICE PROVIDING	27,543	326,110	328,051	330,170	328,110	3,990,471,695	936
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,147	64,643	66,420	67,763	66,275	628,192,321	729
Information	665	14,584	14,614	14,501	14,566	249,719,840	1,319
Financial Activities	2,706	35,823	35,892	36,079	35,931	618,487,148	1,324
Professional and Business Services	7,589	97,280	97,181	97,892	97,451	1,475,786,363	1,165
Education and Health Services	3,377	53,656	53,663	53,796	53,705	575,442,756	824
Leisure and Hospitality	1,927	38,328	38,565	38,085	38,326	265,779,231	533
Other Services	7,132	21,796	21,716	22,054	21,855	177,064,036	623
UNCLASSIFIED	390	510	496	513	506	5,335,111	811

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,792	314,989	314,439	316,448	315,292	\$3,390,140,949	\$827
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	168	80,506	79,408	80,026	79,980	1,020,658,562	982
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	108	26,509	26,339	26,392	26,413	473,244,485	1,378
STATE GOVERNMENT	16	15,538	14,442	15,410	15,130	154,806,798	787
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	44	38,459	38,627	38,224	38,437	392,607,279	786
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	14,624	234,483	235,031	236,422	235,312	2,369,482,387	775
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,169	43,137	43,116	42,888	43,047	546,362,307	976
Natural Resources and Mining	28	238	244	256	246	2,268,217	709
Construction	1,780	31,884	31,790	31,544	31,739	394,938,987	957
Manufacturing	361	11,015	11,082	11,088	11,062	149,155,103	1,037
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,309	191,140	191,701	193,318	192,053	1,821,811,967	730
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,242	65,553	67,053	68,170	66,925	595,818,416	685
Information	295	7,832	7,817	7,852	7,834	116,699,657	1,146
Financial Activities	1,351	13,388	13,453	13,459	13,433	150,056,844	859
Professional and Business Services	2,919	41,286	41,673	41,785	41,581	519,778,703	962
Education and Health Services	1,754	26,611	26,727	26,793	26,710	265,767,025	765
Leisure and Hospitality	1,205	25,712	24,250	24,498	24,820	88,082,003	273
Other Services	1,543	10,758	10,728	10,761	10,749	85,609,319	613
UNCLASSIFIED	146	206	214	216	212	1,308,113	475
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,354	12,788	12,792	12,767	12,782	\$98,045,634	\$590
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	30	2,324	2,348	2,335	2,336	20,021,913	659
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	94	91	91	92	833,223	697
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	196	195	191	194	1,570,357	623
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	10	2,034	2,062	2,053	2,050	17,618,333	661
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,324	10,464	10,444	10,432	10,447	78,023,721	575
GOODS-PRODUCING	345	2,219	2,236	2,259	2,238	20,535,343	706
Natural Resources and Mining	24	184	184	178	182	1,152,222	487
Construction	277	1,166	1,207	1,235	1,203	11,408,585	729
Manufacturing	44	869	845	846	853	7,974,536	719
SERVICE PROVIDING	975	8,245	8,208	8,172	8,208	57,476,378	539
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	354	3,285	3,334	3,371	3,330	23,242,929	537
Information	18	178	172	175	175	1,769,623	778
Financial Activities	90	518	480	469	489	4,472,812	704
Professional and Business Services	206	832	821	836	830	10,220,091	947
Education and Health Services	58	544	551	547	547	4,816,838	677
Leisure and Hospitality	126	2,366	2,336	2,244	2,315	9,705,253	322
Other Services	123	522	514	530	522	3,248,832	479
UNCLASSIFIED	4	0	0	1	0	12,000	*,***

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
SAINT MARY'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,844	37,398	37,612	37,641	37,550	\$408,435,425	\$837
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	76	10,990	11,072	11,084	11,049	156,289,794	1,088
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	26	6,901	6,917	6,929	6,916	116,186,136	1,292
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	838	826	795	820	7,665,737	719
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	41	3,251	3,329	3,360	3,313	32,437,921	753
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,768	26,408	26,540	26,557	26,502	252,145,631	732
GOODS-PRODUCING	355	2,230	2,229	2,249	2,236	21,912,321	754
Natural Resources and Mining	8	19	18	19	19	108,473	439
Construction	314	1,726	1,735	1,751	1,737	16,190,160	717
Manufacturing	33	485	476	479	480	5,613,688	900
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,409	24,172	24,305	24,302	24,260	230,209,606	730
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	431	6,525	6,665	6,707	6,632	49,888,001	579
Information	22	262	256	244	254	2,521,210	764
Financial Activities	136	1,072	1,069	1,092	1,078	10,707,514	764
Professional and Business Services	339	8,363	8,344	8,364	8,357	119,465,091	1,100
Education and Health Services	163	3,911	3,913	3,904	3,909	33,398,017	657
Leisure and Hospitality	166	3,182	3,186	3,133	3,167	8,908,770	216
Other Services	152	857	872	858	862	5,321,003	475
UNCLASSIFIED	4	6	6	6	6	23,704	304
SOMERSET COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	447	7,308	7,210	7,104	7,207	\$53,353,428	\$569
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	44	3,036	3,019	2,996	3,017	25,068,995	639
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	72	68	68	69	633,169	706
STATE GOVERNMENT	10	1,997	1,970	1,993	1,987	17,071,048	661
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	21	967	981	935	961	7,364,778	590
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	403	4,272	4,191	4,108	4,190	28,284,433	519
GOODS-PRODUCING	102	1,184	1,126	1,098	1,136	6,537,036	443
Natural Resources and Mining	14	465	442	410	439	1,954,757	343
Construction	69	425	436	437	433	3,007,200	534
Manufacturing	19	294	248	251	264	1,575,079	459
SERVICE PROVIDING	300	3,088	3,065	3,010	3,054	21,747,397	548
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	104	1,383	1,384	1,355	1,374	12,977,848	727
Information	2	5	5	5	5	75,430	1,160
Financial Activities	33	198	196	201	198	1,284,380	499
Professional and Business Services	41	151	149	153	151	1,137,109	579
Education and Health Services	39	772	766	751	763	4,645,369	468
Leisure and Hospitality	42	441	431	410	427	956,435	172
Other Services	39	138	134	135	136	670,826	379
UNCLASSIFIED	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TALBOT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,693	19,004	19,019	18,846	18,956	\$156,180,432	\$634
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	47	1,888	1,908	1,901	1,899	16,760,627	679
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	20	274	273	288	278	2,940,170	814
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	217	219	219	218	1,799,567	635
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	20	1,397	1,416	1,394	1,402	12,020,890	660
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,646	17,116	17,111	16,945	17,057	139,419,805	629
GOODS-PRODUCING	289	3,525	3,472	3,456	3,484	34,813,221	769
Natural Resources and Mining	13	73	73	74	73	539,157	568
Construction	229	1,509	1,504	1,517	1,510	14,934,427	761
Manufacturing	47	1,943	1,895	1,865	1,901	19,339,637	783
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,353	13,591	13,639	13,488	13,573	104,546,584	593
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	365	3,799	3,854	3,843	3,832	26,786,863	538
Information	20	299	301	301	300	2,762,718	708
Financial Activities	149	869	870	868	869	10,714,573	948
Professional and Business Services	253	1,906	1,860	1,822	1,863	15,995,542	660
Education and Health Services	164	3,135	3,265	3,308	3,236	31,104,024	739
Leisure and Hospitality	143	2,500	2,406	2,251	2,386	9,775,983	315
Other Services	259	1,083	1,083	1,095	1,087	7,406,881	524
UNCLASSIFIED	4	0	0	1	0	60,000	*,***
WASHINGTON COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	3,229	64,622	65,029	65,228	64,960	\$529,213,546	\$627
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	113	8,404	8,445	8,416	8,422	76,010,665	694
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	38	619	639	642	633	6,215,696	755
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	2,737	2,730	2,712	2,726	25,474,339	719
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	63	5,048	5,076	5,062	5,062	44,320,630	674
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	3,116	56,218	56,584	56,812	56,538	453,202,881	617
GOODS-PRODUCING	634	13,296	13,222	13,221	13,246	134,208,999	779
Natural Resources and Mining	20	184	127	123	145	1,363,556	723
Construction	461	3,979	3,929	3,852	3,920	35,800,452	703
Manufacturing	153	9,133	9,166	9,246	9,182	97,044,991	813
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,478	42,918	43,358	43,587	43,288	318,969,126	567
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	896	15,065	15,412	15,574	15,350	109,923,416	551
Information	47	950	967	968	962	8,769,880	701
Financial Activities	254	6,232	6,267	6,351	6,283	56,911,460	697
Professional and Business Services	385	4,415	4,425	4,480	4,440	37,901,472	657
Education and Health Services	286	9,120	9,182	9,184	9,162	80,807,460	678
Leisure and Hospitality	302	5,148	5,149	5,053	5,117	14,998,405	225
Other Services	308	1,988	1,956	1,977	1,974	9,657,033	376
UNCLASSIFIED	4	4	4	4	4	24,756	476

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	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
WICOMICO COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,608	42,746	43,175	43,357	43,093	\$351,887,321	\$628
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	53	6,699	6,734	6,803	6,745	60,923,604	695
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	28	348	347	344	346	4,064,430	904
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	2,264	2,230	2,336	2,277	20,422,873	690
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	14	4,087	4,157	4,123	4,122	36,436,301	680
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,555	36,047	36,441	36,554	36,347	290,963,717	616
GOODS-PRODUCING	487	7,381	7,326	7,334	7,347	64,491,866	675
Natural Resources and Mining	34	415	392	372	393	2,714,056	531
Construction	356	2,770	2,748	2,783	2,767	24,294,413	675
Manufacturing	97	4,196	4,186	4,179	4,187	37,483,397	689
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,066	28,663	29,111	29,217	28,997	226,461,451	601
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	645	9,185	9,473	9,560	9,406	66,277,851	542
Information	33	871	875	878	875	9,118,742	802
Financial Activities	242	1,791	1,783	1,812	1,795	17,096,533	733
Professional and Business Services	388	3,940	3,908	3,898	3,915	39,153,067	769
Education and Health Services	286	6,516	6,549	6,548	6,538	70,017,113	824
Leisure and Hospitality	218	4,071	4,226	4,213	4,170	12,158,695	224
Other Services	254	2,289	2,297	2,308	2,298	12,639,450	423
UNCLASSIFIED	2	3	4	3	3	10,400	267
WORCESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,182	24,040	22,127	21,480	22,549	\$149,268,379	\$509
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	55	3,395	3,393	3,310	3,366	30,219,604	691
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	15	224	215	205	215	2,151,000	770
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	338	338	332	336	2,874,637	658
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	33	2,833	2,840	2,773	2,815	25,193,967	688
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,127	20,645	18,734	18,170	19,183	119,048,775	477
GOODS-PRODUCING	377	3,461	3,398	3,414	3,424	25,650,150	576
Natural Resources and Mining	30	133	133	146	137	1,096,279	616
Construction	305	1,904	1,869	1,874	1,882	14,269,618	583
Manufacturing	42	1,424	1,396	1,394	1,405	10,284,253	563
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,743	17,182	15,334	14,754	15,757	93,387,147	456
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	505	4,193	4,080	4,042	4,105	27,345,748	512
Information	25	108	106	109	108	1,045,183	744
Financial Activities	233	1,098	1,069	1,091	1,086	9,830,250	696
Professional and Business Services	229	1,355	1,285	1,266	1,302	10,705,798	633
Education and Health Services	126	1,680	1,650	1,627	1,652	12,997,785	605
Leisure and Hospitality	459	7,986	6,385	5,865	6,745	27,510,018	314
Other Services	166	762	759	754	758	3,952,365	401
UNCLASSIFIED	7	2	2	2	2	11,478	441

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	FOURTH QUARTER 2003						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
NONDISTRIBUTABLE							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	11,757	37,880	38,021	37,915	37,939	\$608,792,106	\$1234
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	7	28	28	23	26	305,369	903
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATE GOVERNMENT	1	9	9	9	9	149,539	1,278
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	5	19	19	14	17	155,830	705
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	11,750	37,852	37,993	37,892	37,912	608,486,737	1,235
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,133	4,027	3,790	3,728	3,848	48,118,025	962
Natural Resources and Mining	14	44	45	52	47	346,794	568
Construction	870	3,527	3,271	3,194	3,331	38,489,730	889
Manufacturing	249	456	474	482	471	9,281,501	1,516
SERVICE PROVIDING	9,877	33,091	33,441	33,381	33,304	546,410,043	1,262
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,669	9,903	10,058	10,164	10,042	203,610,171	1,560
Information	465	1,001	1,087	1,004	1,031	18,927,886	1,412
Financial Activities	706	2,629	2,596	2,473	2,566	49,487,318	1,484
Professional and Business Services	4,081	16,552	16,746	16,876	16,725	240,036,186	1,104
Education and Health Services	385	1,421	1,421	1,369	1,404	17,374,330	952
Leisure and Hospitality	192	705	696	666	689	7,655,628	855
Other Services	379	880	837	829	849	9,318,524	844
UNCLASSIFIED	740	734	762	783	760	13,958,669	1,413

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.