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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	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	162,279	2,472,900	2,479,379	2,510,540	2,487,606	\$28,999,015,382	\$897
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,150	452,287	459,263	463,052	458,201	5,975,440,804	1,003
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	934	125,450	125,086	125,106	125,214	2,350,813,385	1,444
STATE GOVERNMENT	387	95,263	96,623	98,372	96,753	1,005,801,633	800
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,829	231,574	237,554	239,574	236,234	2,618,825,786	853
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	159,129	2,020,613	2,020,116	2,047,488	2,029,406	23,023,574,578	873
GOODS-PRODUCING	24,030	323,627	322,894	328,497	325,006	4,218,849,594	999
Natural Resources and Mining	714	5,994	6,051	6,481	6,175	53,675,571	669
Crop production	231	1,476	1,553	1,870	1,633	10,865,884	512
Animal production	133	1,389	1,376	1,412	1,392	10,396,978	575
Forestry and logging	72	422	414	439	425	3,165,958	573
Fishing, hunting and trapping	28	134	129	135	133	1,116,546	646
Agriculture and forestry support activities	158	870	895	898	888	5,884,381	510
Oil and gas extraction	4	3	3	3	3	31,590	810
Mining, except oil and gas	57	1,316	1,298	1,333	1,316	17,398,625	1,017
Support activities for mining	31	384	383	391	386	4,815,609	960
Construction	19,162	181,198	180,626	185,315	182,380	2,161,817,643	912
Construction of buildings	6,709	43,673	43,659	44,913	44,082	620,698,658	1,083
Heavy and civil engineering construction	1,031	15,498	15,198	15,859	15,518	189,233,437	938
Specialty trade contractors	11,422	122,027	121,769	124,543	122,780	1,351,885,548	847
Manufacturing	4,154	136,435	136,217	136,701	136,451	2,003,356,380	1,129
Food manufacturing	367	15,724	15,705	15,732	15,720	159,434,722	780
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	71	4,197	4,153	4,197	4,182	48,430,476	891
Textile mills	41	1,473	1,541	1,560	1,525	12,240,287	617
Textile product mills	112	966	967	977	970	8,085,623	641
Apparel manufacturing	74	1,827	1,852	1,842	1,840	12,651,331	529
Leather and allied product manufacturing	15	208	198	201	202	1,627,958	620
Wood product manufacturing	144	3,637	3,672	3,753	3,687	32,738,616	683
Paper manufacturing	47	5,291	5,304	5,321	5,305	55,322,066	802
Printing and related support activities	674	13,460	13,368	13,382	13,403	155,690,765	894
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	37	979	966	993	979	15,220,064	1,196
Chemical manufacturing	225	11,825	11,901	12,046	11,924	235,224,285	1,517
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	120	7,682	7,703	7,758	7,714	97,069,144	968
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	186	5,011	4,944	5,008	4,988	57,720,139	890
Primary metal manufacturing	59	3,713	3,651	3,635	3,666	61,811,714	1,297
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	460	9,881	9,885	9,898	9,888	108,859,806	847
Machinery manufacturing	233	8,767	8,802	8,800	8,790	154,925,627	1,356
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	329	21,839	21,806	21,814	21,820	540,160,882	1,904
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	78	2,105	2,146	2,183	2,145	27,344,284	981
Transportation equipment manufacturing	154	8,570	8,420	8,382	8,457	125,608,131	1,143
Furniture and related product manufacturing	262	4,199	4,209	4,202	4,203	37,256,600	682

See note at end of table.

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STATE OF MARYLAND

INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	466	5,081	5,024	5,017	5,041	55,933,860	854
SERVICE PROVIDING	133,440	1,695,572	1,695,743	1,717,456	1,702,924	18,783,044,705	848
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,706	465,738	460,198	463,942	463,293	4,338,083,153	720
Utilities	136	9,612	9,773	9,881	9,755	279,511,750	2,204
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	4,749	52,207	52,383	52,622	52,404	837,499,127	1,229
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	2,101	29,682	29,758	29,895	29,778	371,685,442	960
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	3,279	11,787	11,927	12,038	11,917	247,427,217	1,597
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	1,781	38,330	38,541	38,663	38,511	400,384,908	800
Furniture and home furnishings stores	1,167	12,818	12,638	12,596	12,684	104,554,178	634
Electronics and appliance stores	1,130	12,364	11,946	11,891	12,067	108,423,590	691
Building material and garden supply stores	1,150	24,172	24,198	25,794	24,721	206,030,185	641
Food and beverage stores	3,654	62,143	61,782	62,133	62,019	368,999,677	458
Health and personal care stores	1,675	17,202	17,033	17,021	17,085	136,092,019	613
Gasoline stations	1,433	10,760	10,597	10,628	10,662	51,057,484	368
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	2,537	30,597	28,813	29,270	29,560	129,375,082	337
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	1,113	13,772	13,090	13,069	13,310	67,653,106	391
General merchandise stores	771	52,048	49,142	49,349	50,180	235,424,085	361
Miscellaneous store retailers	2,308	18,772	18,786	18,863	18,807	104,964,586	429
Nonstore retailers	650	5,497	5,436	5,432	5,455	50,982,723	719
Air transportation	81	4,598	4,579	4,689	4,622	74,173,903	1,234
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	35	480	485	492	486	6,967,153	1,103
Truck transportation	1,801	17,290	17,201	17,327	17,273	164,918,817	734
Transit and ground passenger transportation	781	9,598	9,854	10,057	9,836	57,384,106	449
Pipeline transportation	3	50	50	51	50	1,018,913	1,568
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	53	182	208	221	204	1,095,028	413
Support activities for transportation	728	10,219	10,321	10,170	10,237	126,756,640	952
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	312	11,127	11,187	11,222	11,179	99,498,294	685
Warehousing and storage	255	10,290	10,334	10,428	10,351	105,342,870	783
Information	2,791	50,322	50,559	50,861	50,581	884,043,285	1,344
Publishing industries, except Internet	717	12,597	12,729	12,720	12,682	183,753,678	1,115
Motion picture and sound recording industries	445	4,455	4,509	4,787	4,584	29,747,480	499
Broadcasting, except Internet	144	5,022	5,021	5,034	5,026	115,211,247	1,763
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	780	20,051	20,041	20,108	20,067	391,084,043	1,499
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	565	6,944	7,001	6,930	6,958	141,185,668	1,561
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	15,137	157,037	157,342	157,704	157,361	2,997,867,012	1,465
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	3,976	57,704	57,936	58,115	57,918	946,111,981	1,257

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	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	1,228	14,830	14,982	15,043	14,952	696,787,970	3,585
Insurance carriers and related activities	3,033	35,011	35,096	35,063	35,057	666,675,429	1,463
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	191	1,904	1,878	1,891	1,891	39,340,525	1,600
Real estate	5,559	33,787	33,725	33,828	33,780	507,621,638	1,156
Rental and leasing services	1,095	13,022	12,967	13,007	12,999	129,881,137	769
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	34,030	381,263	384,060	390,118	385,147	5,537,230,545	1,106
Professional and technical services	23,278	217,376	218,685	218,850	218,304	3,887,049,976	1,370
Management of companies and enterprises	387	17,506	17,837	17,902	17,748	488,916,873	2,119
Administrative and support services	9,866	139,548	140,614	146,406	142,189	1,088,907,166	589
Waste management and remediation services	499	6,833	6,924	6,960	6,906	72,356,530	806
Education and Health Services	16,229	342,678	345,217	348,324	345,406	3,431,477,928	764
Educational services	2,101	51,969	54,109	54,632	53,570	555,985,849	798
Ambulatory health care services	10,012	94,044	94,385	95,125	94,518	1,159,225,025	943
Hospitals	130	93,798	93,513	94,553	93,955	1,031,059,598	844
Nursing and residential care facilities	1,365	61,468	61,578	62,222	61,756	435,175,473	542
Social assistance	2,621	41,399	41,632	41,792	41,608	250,031,983	462
Leisure and Hospitality	12,580	210,960	210,388	217,554	212,967	941,223,693	340
Performing arts and spectator sports	729	5,965	5,383	6,007	5,785	92,420,673	1,229
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	101	1,736	1,760	1,875	1,790	12,486,542	537
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	1,472	22,134	22,134	23,743	22,670	98,729,209	335
Accommodation	737	19,641	19,795	20,594	20,010	124,746,222	480
Food services and drinking places	9,541	161,484	161,316	165,335	162,712	612,841,047	290
Other Services	18,967	87,574	87,979	88,953	88,169	653,119,089	570
Repair and maintenance	4,479	24,974	25,052	25,308	25,111	228,206,255	699
Personal and laundry services	3,895	29,810	29,867	30,228	29,968	159,558,134	410
Membership associations and organizations	2,598	24,020	24,286	24,586	24,297	225,431,572	714
Private households	7,995	8,770	8,774	8,831	8,792	39,923,128	349
UNCLASSIFIED	1,659	1,414	1,479	1,535	1,476	21,680,279	1,130

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	70,189	1,220,597	1,222,411	1,236,123	1,226,377	\$13,929,569,315	\$874
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,400	211,664	214,547	216,160	214,124	2,558,235,328	919
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	362	41,281	41,270	41,318	41,290	708,739,973	1,320
STATE GOVERNMENT	245	64,329	64,829	65,138	64,765	716,012,091	850
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	793	106,054	108,448	109,704	108,069	1,133,483,264	807
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,789	1,008,933	1,007,864	1,019,963	1,012,253	11,371,333,987	864
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,911	155,807	155,143	157,396	156,115	2,090,484,886	1,030
Natural Resources and Mining	246	1,531	1,529	1,677	1,579	12,166,152	593
Crop production	82	566	572	666	601	3,798,633	486
Animal production	49	243	242	246	244	1,397,650	441
Forestry and logging	8	105	103	113	107	1,061,098	763
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	71	294	295	314	301	1,917,592	490
Oil and gas extraction	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Mining, except oil and gas	14	226	224	237	229	3,297,431	1,108
Support activities for mining	11	39	39	43	40	425,026	817
Construction	8,567	80,859	80,448	82,183	81,163	965,879,424	915
Construction of buildings	3,000	17,817	17,839	18,192	17,949	249,245,994	1,068
Heavy and civil engineering construction	460	8,211	8,071	8,331	8,204	98,837,065	927
Specialty trade contractors	5,107	54,831	54,538	55,660	55,010	617,796,365	864
Manufacturing	2,098	73,417	73,166	73,536	73,373	1,112,439,310	1,166
Food manufacturing	190	8,499	8,490	8,563	8,517	98,952,464	894
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	34	2,192	2,126	2,134	2,151	26,692,029	955
Textile mills	17	648	667	688	668	5,025,763	579
Textile product mills	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Apparel manufacturing	38	1,067	1,054	1,046	1,056	7,460,992	543
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	61	1,799	1,809	1,856	1,821	16,327,974	690
Paper manufacturing	29	3,006	3,021	3,031	3,019	31,035,401	791
Printing and related support activities	333	5,790	5,776	5,812	5,793	63,419,452	842
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	17	541	535	558	545	8,687,206	1,226
Chemical manufacturing	118	8,052	8,072	8,159	8,094	149,299,071	1,419
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	72	3,678	3,694	3,691	3,688	38,943,271	812
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	80	2,561	2,493	2,519	2,524	30,272,337	923
Primary metal manufacturing	33	3,250	3,262	3,262	3,258	52,090,022	1,230
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	282	5,391	5,358	5,422	5,390	61,835,717	882
Machinery manufacturing	134	5,132	5,141	5,127	5,133	98,677,506	1,479
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	128	11,374	11,273	11,218	11,288	284,967,279	1,942
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	42	1,088	1,116	1,137	1,114	16,156,663	1,116
Transportation equipment manufacturing	73	4,588	4,547	4,585	4,573	75,354,719	1,268
Furniture and related product manufacturing	126	1,600	1,600	1,592	1,597	14,555,497	701

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Miscellaneous manufacturing	221	2,516	2,502	2,490	2,503	27,567,304	847
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,671	852,997	852,588	862,428	856,004	9,279,964,530	834
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	15,042	234,291	231,920	233,785	233,332	2,217,525,813	731
Utilities	39	5,373	5,388	5,396	5,386	184,789,508	2,639
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	2,183	28,889	29,026	29,104	29,006	444,356,586	1,178
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	951	17,975	18,044	18,068	18,029	224,639,118	958
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	624	3,409	3,462	3,464	3,445	59,725,614	1,334
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	858	18,254	18,395	18,423	18,357	188,545,504	790
Furniture and home furnishings stores	514	5,639	5,584	5,558	5,594	45,330,046	623
Electronics and appliance stores	535	6,004	5,786	5,780	5,857	56,442,056	741
Building material and garden supply stores	523	10,458	10,460	11,194	10,704	85,727,247	616
Food and beverage stores	1,863	30,752	30,550	30,812	30,705	180,237,695	452
Health and personal care stores	805	8,916	8,830	8,835	8,860	76,077,130	661
Gasoline stations	621	4,040	3,984	4,015	4,013	18,286,436	351
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	1,224	15,493	14,726	14,873	15,031	67,396,826	345
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	519	6,547	6,183	6,234	6,321	30,717,881	374
General merchandise stores	367	24,151	22,739	22,942	23,277	109,423,614	362
Miscellaneous store retailers	1,126	9,701	9,704	9,756	9,720	51,875,033	411
Nonstore retailers	305	2,769	2,755	2,750	2,758	25,712,214	717
Air transportation	44	3,996	3,957	4,048	4,000	69,263,532	1,332
Rail transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Water transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Truck transportation	835	8,896	8,854	8,982	8,911	86,420,358	746
Transit and ground passenger transportation	348	6,146	6,348	6,501	6,332	37,008,920	450
Pipeline transportation	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Scenic and sightseeing transportation	24	142	169	181	164	874,983	410
Support activities for transportation	417	6,013	6,117	5,967	6,032	70,145,547	895
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	155	4,376	4,411	4,410	4,399	41,773,398	730
Warehousing and storage	134	5,926	6,026	6,067	6,006	56,620,755	725
Information	972	19,606	19,559	19,625	19,597	312,138,123	1,225
Publishing industries, except Internet	242	5,494	5,521	5,542	5,519	76,812,984	1,071
Motion picture and sound recording industries	181	1,653	1,540	1,615	1,603	9,858,692	473
Broadcasting, except Internet	49	2,009	2,007	2,017	2,011	37,124,287	1,420
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	289	8,202	8,223	8,148	8,191	154,325,402	1,449
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	159	1,769	1,794	1,808	1,790	26,584,107	1,142
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	7,033	80,619	80,632	80,667	80,639	1,617,819,822	1,543
Monetary authorities - central bank	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,798	27,271	27,305	27,303	27,293	445,048,712	1,254

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BALTIMORE MSA

INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	594	9,916	9,980	10,007	9,968	497,299,387	3,838
Insurance carriers and related activities	1,549	19,862	19,900	19,911	19,891	355,017,768	1,373
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	77	1,134	1,108	1,105	1,116	26,776,383	1,846
Real estate	2,497	15,032	14,927	14,942	14,967	212,470,526	1,092
Rental and leasing services	490	6,755	6,769	6,762	6,762	72,120,094	820
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Professional and Business Services	14,053	172,955	174,331	176,412	174,566	2,303,015,543	1,015
Professional and technical services	9,542	95,862	96,544	96,448	96,285	1,616,725,964	1,292
Management of companies and enterprises	175	5,252	5,327	5,370	5,316	140,799,160	2,037
Administrative and support services	4,095	68,238	68,828	70,945	69,337	508,887,459	565
Waste management and remediation services	241	3,603	3,632	3,649	3,628	36,602,960	776
Education and Health Services	7,434	199,663	201,026	202,884	201,191	2,047,881,200	783
Educational services	910	35,660	37,249	37,632	36,847	416,175,343	869
Ambulatory health care services	4,501	46,429	46,565	46,819	46,604	551,245,698	910
Hospitals	70	62,375	61,961	62,779	62,372	699,506,956	863
Nursing and residential care facilities	630	31,450	31,407	31,769	31,542	230,119,276	561
Social assistance	1,323	23,749	23,844	23,885	23,826	150,833,927	487
Leisure and Hospitality	6,137	105,708	104,773	108,233	106,238	493,898,190	358
Performing arts and spectator sports	302	2,767	2,331	2,606	2,568	67,402,433	2,019
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	53	1,286	1,294	1,381	1,320	8,783,786	512
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	724	10,991	10,962	11,609	11,187	46,317,993	318
Accommodation	245	9,111	9,108	9,386	9,202	52,978,657	443
Food services and drinking places	4,813	81,553	81,078	83,251	81,961	318,415,321	299
Other Services	7,000	40,155	40,347	40,822	40,441	287,685,839	547
Repair and maintenance	2,164	12,517	12,541	12,729	12,596	112,399,011	686
Personal and laundry services	1,947	15,003	15,050	15,235	15,096	76,412,488	389
Membership associations and organizations	1,164	10,717	10,853	10,938	10,836	89,954,266	639
Private households	1,725	1,918	1,903	1,920	1,914	8,920,074	358
UNCLASSIFIED	207	129	133	139	134	884,571	508

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INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	58,893	914,806	917,325	928,547	920,226	\$11,725,757,201	\$980
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,000	186,808	189,507	191,372	189,229	2,819,749,339	1,146
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	328	71,390	71,071	71,036	71,166	1,424,080,248	1,539
STATE GOVERNMENT	41	19,251	19,474	20,892	19,872	182,476,625	706
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	631	96,167	98,962	99,444	98,191	1,213,192,466	950
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	57,893	727,998	727,818	737,175	730,997	8,906,007,862	937
GOODS-PRODUCING	7,923	111,371	111,236	113,195	111,934	1,559,097,701	1,071
Natural Resources and Mining	143	1,498	1,532	1,633	1,554	15,023,516	744
Crop production	42	302	337	423	354	2,417,133	525
Animal production	31	426	423	426	425	3,501,154	634
Forestry and logging	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Fishing, hunting and trapping	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Agriculture and forestry support activities	39	173	176	174	174	1,176,408	520
Mining, except oil and gas	12	425	420	430	425	6,174,011	1,117
Support activities for mining	8	103	107	105	105	1,289,775	945
Construction	6,629	77,335	77,150	79,069	77,851	983,280,708	972
Construction of buildings	2,360	19,677	19,638	20,214	19,843	313,354,830	1,215
Heavy and civil engineering construction	284	5,525	5,328	5,569	5,474	74,400,702	1,046
Specialty trade contractors	3,985	52,133	52,184	53,286	52,534	595,525,176	872
Manufacturing	1,151	32,538	32,554	32,493	32,528	560,793,477	1,326
Food manufacturing	87	2,336	2,321	2,321	2,326	19,537,029	646
Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing	20	1,288	1,309	1,341	1,313	14,634,083	857
Textile mills	11	225	216	228	223	2,446,554	844
Textile product mills	35	365	372	364	367	3,281,630	688
Apparel manufacturing	24	391	422	419	411	2,587,902	484
Leather and allied product manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Wood product manufacturing	33	942	946	963	950	9,937,558	805
Paper manufacturing	7	201	198	200	200	1,940,766	746
Printing and related support activities	244	5,839	5,776	5,732	5,782	71,527,088	952
Petroleum and coal products manufacturing	9	302	302	306	303	4,852,432	1,232
Chemical manufacturing	47	2,351	2,390	2,402	2,381	69,640,694	2,250
Plastics and rubber products manufacturing	13	348	344	338	343	3,478,802	780
Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing	53	1,363	1,363	1,354	1,360	16,043,723	907
Primary metal manufacturing	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Fabricated metal product manufacturing	91	2,390	2,411	2,378	2,393	28,019,252	901
Machinery manufacturing	44	1,156	1,174	1,184	1,171	14,614,800	960
Computer and electronic product manufacturing	132	9,255	9,327	9,378	9,320	240,821,772	1,988
Electrical equipment and appliance mfg.	14	106	109	105	107	1,409,658	1,013
Transportation equipment manufacturing	32	1,317	1,289	1,231	1,279	23,898,895	1,437
Furniture and related product manufacturing	83	1,036	1,048	1,044	1,043	10,901,539	804
Miscellaneous manufacturing	157	1,065	1,047	1,041	1,051	13,237,505	969

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INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
SERVICE PROVIDING	49,420	616,030	615,960	623,352	618,447	7,339,954,844	913
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,863	158,814	156,332	157,411	157,519	1,417,277,374	692
Utilities	46	3,134	3,278	3,377	3,263	75,277,292	1,775
Merchant wholesalers, durable goods	1,296	16,888	16,925	17,010	16,941	280,349,218	1,273
Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods	516	7,156	7,212	7,203	7,190	86,904,832	930
Electronic markets and agents and brokers	343	1,816	1,822	1,838	1,825	33,981,460	1,432
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	536	15,117	15,139	15,217	15,158	169,355,247	859
Furniture and home furnishings stores	474	5,597	5,477	5,445	5,506	46,654,859	652
Electronics and appliance stores	424	5,352	5,161	5,120	5,211	44,901,120	663
Building material and garden supply stores	374	9,597	9,608	10,270	9,825	86,746,079	679
Food and beverage stores	1,226	23,776	23,739	23,789	23,768	152,881,455	495
Health and personal care stores	602	5,709	5,599	5,562	5,623	39,652,807	542
Gasoline stations	517	3,782	3,721	3,716	3,740	20,087,730	413
Clothing and clothing accessories stores	923	11,787	10,979	11,241	11,336	46,953,277	319
Sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores	387	5,729	5,463	5,411	5,534	28,950,342	402
General merchandise stores	240	18,508	17,354	17,183	17,682	85,201,064	371
Miscellaneous store retailers	730	6,641	6,608	6,603	6,617	37,124,646	432
Nonstore retailers	197	1,411	1,391	1,390	1,397	15,435,457	850
Air transportation	9	125	122	134	127	980,355	594
Water transportation	9	186	191	197	191	1,974,302	795
Truck transportation	447	4,206	4,180	4,222	4,203	36,200,983	663
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	11	19	17	18	18	105,014	449
Support activities for transportation	176	1,917	1,926	1,901	1,915	29,586,329	1,188
Postal service	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Couriers and messengers	104	5,316	5,384	5,404	5,368	47,084,196	675
Warehousing and storage	76	2,671	2,622	2,716	2,670	35,232,718	1,015
Information	1,052	24,569	24,651	24,811	24,677	495,825,864	1,546
Publishing industries, except Internet	279	5,410	5,535	5,519	5,488	89,571,119	1,255
Motion picture and sound recording industries	185	1,592	1,554	1,645	1,597	9,720,198	468
Broadcasting, except Internet	45	2,548	2,547	2,537	2,544	74,037,080	2,239
Internet publishing and broadcasting	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Telecommunications	283	10,351	10,323	10,467	10,380	210,098,690	1,557
ISPs, search portals, and data processing	217	3,987	4,004	3,949	3,980	98,437,427	1,903
Other information services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Financial Activities	5,496	58,649	59,013	59,097	58,920	1,151,490,053	1,503
Monetary authorities - central bank	3	8	8	8	8	74,096	712
Credit intermediation and related activities	1,468	20,681	20,918	21,034	20,878	378,359,390	1,394
Securities, commodity contracts, investments	410	4,326	4,407	4,405	4,379	181,248,389	3,184
Insurance carriers and related activities	966	12,450	12,504	12,434	12,463	273,269,737	1,687

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MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA

INDUSTRY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
Funds, trusts, and other financial vehicles	60	681	688	701	690	11,288,793	1,259
Real estate	2,188	15,390	15,435	15,472	15,432	256,889,738	1,281
Rental and leasing services	386	5,022	4,976	4,960	4,986	48,725,268	752
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets	15	91	77	83	84	1,634,642	1,497
Professional and Business Services	12,648	162,889	164,115	166,340	164,448	2,641,860,864	1,236
Professional and technical services	8,956	97,152	97,735	97,973	97,620	1,859,972,527	1,466
Management of companies and enterprises	112	9,846	10,018	10,020	9,961	315,906,204	2,440
Administrative and support services	3,434	53,396	53,833	55,808	54,346	438,780,579	621
Waste management and remediation services	146	2,495	2,529	2,539	2,521	27,201,554	830
Education and Health Services	6,489	100,519	101,345	102,406	101,423	1,004,163,472	762
Educational services	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Ambulatory health care services	4,228	35,323	35,455	35,864	35,547	464,945,174	1,006
Hospitals	36	18,994	19,026	19,215	19,078	213,277,461	860
Nursing and residential care facilities	492	20,228	20,386	20,627	20,414	138,216,796	521
Social assistance	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
Leisure and Hospitality	4,141	74,320	74,169	76,542	75,010	333,382,705	342
Performing arts and spectator sports	267	2,530	2,385	2,662	2,526	20,298,861	618
Museums, historical sites, zoos, and parks	23	284	303	315	301	2,218,088	567
Amusements, gambling, and recreation	413	7,630	7,724	8,501	7,952	37,772,714	365
Accommodation	192	6,124	6,132	6,346	6,201	48,725,424	604
Food services and drinking places	3,246	57,752	57,625	58,718	58,032	224,367,618	297
Other Services	9,731	36,270	36,335	36,745	36,450	295,954,512	625
Repair and maintenance	1,554	8,804	8,783	8,816	8,801	85,651,891	749
Personal and laundry services	1,404	11,678	11,721	11,852	11,750	68,418,483	448
Membership associations and organizations	885	9,605	9,637	9,842	9,695	114,132,319	906
Private households	5,888	6,183	6,194	6,235	6,204	27,751,819	344
UNCLASSIFIED	550	597	622	628	616	6,955,317	869

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	FIRST QUARTER 2006					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	159,129	2,020,613	2,020,116	2,047,488	\$23,023,574,578	\$873
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	24,298	10,590	6,168	0	91,766,019	1,264
Percent	15.3	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.4	1.45
1-4	71,450	137,389	138,042	140,287	1,446,842,251	803
Percent	44.9	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.3	0.92
5-9	25,948	167,473	167,945	171,908	1,542,500,568	702
Percent	16.3	8.3	8.3	8.4	6.7	0.80
10-19	17,565	231,909	232,661	237,060	2,263,057,494	744
Percent	11.0	11.5	11.5	11.6	9.8	0.85
20-49	12,174	361,162	361,315	368,545	3,621,542,189	766
Percent	7.7	17.9	17.9	18.0	15.7	0.88
50-99	4,411	297,300	298,164	303,259	3,185,386,693	818
Percent	2.8	14.7	14.8	14.8	13.8	0.94
100-249	2,534	373,775	373,018	379,059	4,428,528,625	908
Percent	1.6	18.5	18.5	18.5	19.2	1.04
250-499	522	171,443	171,188	172,547	2,214,052,692	992
Percent	0.3	8.5	8.5	8.4	9.6	1.14
500-999	141	92,765	94,500	96,005	1,449,591,072	1,181
Percent	0.1	4.6	4.7	4.7	6.3	1.35
1,000 & Over	86	176,807	177,115	178,818	2,780,306,975	1,204
Percent	0.1	8.8	8.8	8.7	12.1	1.38

See note at end of table.

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

BALTIMORE MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FIRST QUARTER 2006					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	68,789	1,008,933	1,007,864	1,019,963	\$11,371,333,987	\$864
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	9,421	3,971	2,601	0	24,754,212	869
Percent	13.7	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.2	1.01
1-4	29,465	59,401	59,537	60,401	556,563,057	716
Percent	42.8	5.9	5.9	5.9	4.9	0.83
5-9	11,957	77,511	77,675	79,550	674,707,144	663
Percent	17.4	7.7	7.7	7.8	5.9	0.77
10-19	8,305	110,442	110,524	112,112	1,041,129,346	721
Percent	12.1	10.9	11.0	11.0	9.2	0.83
20-49	5,785	172,598	172,616	175,402	1,739,715,861	771
Percent	8.4	17.1	17.1	17.2	15.3	0.89
50-99	2,219	151,725	151,146	153,560	1,611,723,115	815
Percent	3.2	15.0	15.0	15.1	14.2	0.94
100-249	1,255	185,679	185,192	187,903	2,209,117,157	912
Percent	1.8	18.4	18.4	18.4	19.4	1.06
250-499	259	85,080	84,806	85,672	1,087,392,244	982
Percent	0.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	9.6	1.14
500-999	75	49,609	50,885	51,117	786,868,659	1,198
Percent	0.1	4.9	5.0	5.0	6.9	1.39
1,000 & Over	48	112,917	112,882	114,246	1,639,363,192	1,113
Percent	0.1	11.2	11.2	11.2	14.4	1.29

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

MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA - PRIVATE ONLY

SIZE CLASS	FIRST QUARTER 2006					
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD		
ALL SIZES	57,893	727,998	727,818	737,175	\$8,906,007,862	\$937
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.00
0	8,462	3,602	2,291	0	45,569,408	1,785
Percent	14.6	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.5	1.91
1-4	26,711	50,131	50,308	51,100	500,713,959	763
Percent	46.1	6.9	6.9	6.9	5.6	0.81
5-9	9,096	58,940	58,927	60,177	580,330,978	752
Percent	15.7	8.1	8.1	8.2	6.5	0.80
10-19	6,283	82,879	83,216	84,768	853,574,064	785
Percent	10.9	11.4	11.4	11.5	9.6	0.84
20-49	4,432	132,348	131,933	134,491	1,387,077,431	803
Percent	7.7	18.2	18.1	18.2	15.6	0.86
50-99	1,636	109,227	110,359	112,258	1,258,993,866	876
Percent	2.8	15.0	15.2	15.2	14.1	0.93
100-249	988	144,501	144,348	146,930	1,849,655,011	980
Percent	1.7	19.8	19.8	19.9	20.8	1.05
250-499	209	67,840	67,601	67,862	944,902,613	1,073
Percent	0.4	9.3	9.3	9.2	10.6	1.15
500-999	48	32,388	32,419	32,882	561,656,846	1,327
Percent	0.1	4.4	4.5	4.5	6.3	1.42
1,000 & Over	28	46,142	46,416	46,707	923,533,686	1,530
Percent	0.0	6.3	6.4	6.3	10.4	1.63

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	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND *****	162,279	2,472,900	2,479,379	2,510,540	2,487,606	\$28,999,015,382	\$897
ALLEGANY	1,749	29,526	29,878	30,253	29,886	212,137,748	546
ANNE ARUNDEL	14,212	218,979	219,662	221,823	220,155	2,471,168,194	863
BALTIMORE CITY	14,102	343,925	345,278	348,432	345,878	4,268,963,662	949
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,584	369,218	369,496	374,219	370,978	4,106,080,937	851
CALVERT	1,918	20,471	21,013	21,654	21,046	202,741,819	741
CAROLINE	708	8,523	8,536	8,578	8,546	62,846,560	566
CARROLL	4,846	54,111	54,188	55,212	54,504	433,491,344	612
CECIL	1,977	29,096	29,248	29,653	29,332	283,196,170	743
CHARLES	2,895	40,775	40,988	41,564	41,109	362,702,164	679
DORCHESTER	813	11,408	11,387	11,510	11,435	89,424,861	602
FREDERICK	5,843	90,253	90,481	91,694	90,809	933,493,664	791
GARRETT	988	11,518	11,400	11,551	11,490	74,191,430	497
HARFORD	5,547	80,306	80,336	81,552	80,731	813,651,206	775
HOWARD	8,401	141,243	140,673	141,792	141,236	1,740,557,850	948
KENT	757	7,725	7,813	8,009	7,849	62,100,445	609
MONTGOMERY	32,702	456,708	457,526	462,003	458,746	6,757,242,028	1,133
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,535	306,599	307,317	311,632	308,516	3,469,577,526	865
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,497	12,815	12,778	13,093	12,895	95,656,122	571
SAINT MARY'S	1,991	37,855	37,896	38,209	37,987	448,483,913	908
SOMERSET	460	6,748	6,949	7,033	6,910	53,259,410	593
TALBOT	1,719	18,341	18,488	18,911	18,580	151,392,736	627
WASHINGTON	3,445	66,152	65,772	66,548	66,157	576,270,445	670
WICOMICO	2,771	44,534	45,363	45,770	45,222	362,885,139	617
WORCESTER	2,285	19,929	20,216	21,081	20,409	137,157,307	517
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	13,529	45,531	46,098	48,176	46,602	827,873,283	1,367

BALTIMORE MSA	70,189	1,220,597	1,222,411	1,236,123	1,226,377	13,929,569,315	874
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	58,893	914,806	917,325	928,547	920,226	11,725,757,201	980

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GOVERNMENT SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	3,150	452,287	459,263	463,052	458,201	\$5,975,440,804	\$1003

ALLEGANY	77	6,096	6,394	6,434	6,308	57,077,584	696
ANNE ARUNDEL	308	34,215	35,310	35,599	35,041	411,136,440	903
BALTIMORE CITY	440	75,471	75,958	76,290	75,906	888,487,888	900
BALTIMORE COUNTY	274	58,018	58,718	59,440	58,725	737,833,274	966
CALVERT	59	3,621	3,867	3,898	3,795	41,138,322	834
CAROLINE	35	1,533	1,556	1,548	1,546	14,199,940	707
CARROLL	84	7,941	8,121	8,217	8,093	68,799,438	654
CECIL	77	7,292	7,442	7,500	7,411	91,674,256	952
CHARLES	86	8,294	8,704	8,720	8,573	106,815,180	958
DORCHESTER	48	2,283	2,321	2,322	2,309	22,288,286	743
FREDERICK	132	14,083	14,431	14,543	14,352	169,055,154	906
GARRETT	55	1,769	1,769	1,814	1,784	13,701,990	591
HARFORD	119	16,868	17,278	17,324	17,157	255,359,338	1,145
HOWARD	127	16,821	16,681	16,761	16,754	173,594,510	797
KENT	37	1,135	1,142	1,141	1,139	10,536,563	712
MONTGOMERY	354	78,542	79,718	79,846	79,369	1,366,871,545	1,325
PRINCE GEORGE'S	369	82,268	82,787	84,365	83,140	1,135,869,138	1,051
QUEEN ANNE'S	48	2,330	2,481	2,529	2,447	23,024,440	724
SAINT MARY'S	80	11,335	11,420	11,400	11,385	174,569,791	1,179
SOMERSET	41	2,789	2,936	3,005	2,910	24,997,537	661
TALBOT	44	1,814	1,840	1,866	1,840	17,221,725	720
WASHINGTON	108	8,484	8,508	8,707	8,566	78,458,930	705
WICOMICO	76	5,876	6,472	6,343	6,230	58,797,190	726
WORCESTER	67	3,394	3,395	3,424	3,404	33,746,032	763
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	5	15	14	16	15	186,313	955

BALTIMORE MSA	1,400	211,664	214,547	216,160	214,124	2,558,235,328	919
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	1,000	186,808	189,507	191,372	189,229	2,819,749,339	1,146

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PRIVATE SECTOR

STATE BY COUNTY	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND	159,129	2,020,613	2,020,116	2,047,488	2,029,406	\$23,023,574,578	\$873

ALLEGANY	1,672	23,430	23,484	23,819	23,578	155,060,164	506
ANNE ARUNDEL	13,904	184,764	184,352	186,224	185,113	2,060,031,754	856
BALTIMORE CITY	13,662	268,454	269,320	272,142	269,972	3,380,475,774	963
BALTIMORE COUNTY	21,310	311,200	310,778	314,779	312,252	3,368,247,663	830
CALVERT	1,859	16,850	17,146	17,756	17,251	161,603,497	721
CAROLINE	673	6,990	6,980	7,030	7,000	48,646,620	535
CARROLL	4,762	46,170	46,067	46,995	46,411	364,691,906	604
CECIL	1,900	21,804	21,806	22,153	21,921	191,521,914	672
CHARLES	2,809	32,481	32,284	32,844	32,536	255,886,984	605
DORCHESTER	765	9,125	9,066	9,188	9,126	67,136,575	566
FREDERICK	5,711	76,170	76,050	77,151	76,457	764,438,510	769
GARRETT	933	9,749	9,631	9,737	9,706	60,489,440	479
HARFORD	5,428	63,438	63,058	64,228	63,575	558,291,868	676
HOWARD	8,274	124,422	123,992	125,031	124,482	1,566,963,340	968
KENT	720	6,590	6,671	6,868	6,710	51,563,882	591
MONTGOMERY	32,348	378,166	377,808	382,157	379,377	5,390,370,483	1,093
PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,166	224,331	224,530	227,267	225,376	2,333,708,388	797
QUEEN ANNE'S	1,449	10,485	10,297	10,564	10,449	72,631,682	535
SAINT MARY'S	1,911	26,520	26,476	26,809	26,602	273,914,122	792
SOMERSET	419	3,959	4,013	4,028	4,000	28,261,873	543
TALBOT	1,675	16,527	16,648	17,045	16,740	134,171,011	617
WASHINGTON	3,337	57,668	57,264	57,841	57,591	497,811,515	665
WICOMICO	2,695	38,658	38,891	39,427	38,992	304,087,949	600
WORCESTER	2,218	16,535	16,821	17,657	17,004	103,411,275	468
NONDISTRIBUTABLE	13,524	45,516	46,084	48,160	46,587	827,686,970	1,367

BALTIMORE MSA	68,789	1,008,933	1,007,864	1,019,963	1,012,253	11,371,333,987	864
MARYLAND PORTION OF DC MSA	57,893	727,998	727,818	737,175	730,997	8,906,007,862	937

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
STATE OF MARYLAND							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	162,279	2,472,900	2,479,379	2,510,540	2,487,606	\$28,999,015,382	\$897
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	3,150	452,287	459,263	463,052	458,201	5,975,440,804	1,003
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	934	125,450	125,086	125,106	125,214	2,350,813,385	1,444
STATE GOVERNMENT	387	95,263	96,623	98,372	96,753	1,005,801,633	800
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	1,829	231,574	237,554	239,574	236,234	2,618,825,786	853
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	159,129	2,020,613	2,020,116	2,047,488	2,029,406	23,023,574,578	873
GOODS-PRODUCING	24,030	323,627	322,894	328,497	325,006	4,218,849,594	999
Natural Resources and Mining	714	5,994	6,051	6,481	6,175	53,675,571	669
Construction	19,162	181,198	180,626	185,315	182,380	2,161,817,643	912
Manufacturing	4,154	136,435	136,217	136,701	136,451	2,003,356,380	1,129
SERVICE PROVIDING	133,440	1,695,572	1,695,743	1,717,456	1,702,924	18,783,044,705	848
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	33,706	465,738	460,198	463,942	463,293	4,338,083,153	720
Information	2,791	50,322	50,559	50,861	50,581	884,043,285	1,344
Financial Activities	15,137	157,037	157,342	157,704	157,361	2,997,867,012	1,465
Professional and Business Services	34,030	381,263	384,060	390,118	385,147	5,537,230,545	1,106
Education and Health Services	16,229	342,678	345,217	348,324	345,406	3,431,477,928	764
Leisure and Hospitality	12,580	210,960	210,388	217,554	212,967	941,223,693	340
Other Services	18,967	87,574	87,979	88,953	88,169	653,119,089	570
UNCLASSIFIED	1,659	1,414	1,479	1,535	1,476	21,680,279	1,130
BALTIMORE MSA							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	70,189	1,220,597	1,222,411	1,236,123	1,226,377	\$13,929,569,315	\$874
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	1,400	211,664	214,547	216,160	214,124	2,558,235,328	919
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	362	41,281	41,270	41,318	41,290	708,739,973	1,320
STATE GOVERNMENT	245	64,329	64,829	65,138	64,765	716,012,091	850
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	793	106,054	108,448	109,704	108,069	1,133,483,264	807
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	68,789	1,008,933	1,007,864	1,019,963	1,012,253	11,371,333,987	864
GOODS-PRODUCING	10,911	155,807	155,143	157,396	156,115	2,090,484,886	1,030
Natural Resources and Mining	246	1,531	1,529	1,677	1,579	12,166,152	593
Construction	8,567	80,859	80,448	82,183	81,163	965,879,424	915
Manufacturing	2,098	73,417	73,166	73,536	73,373	1,112,439,310	1,166
SERVICE PROVIDING	57,671	852,997	852,588	862,428	856,004	9,279,964,530	834
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	15,042	234,291	231,920	233,785	233,332	2,217,525,813	731
Information	972	19,606	19,559	19,625	19,597	312,138,123	1,225
Financial Activities	7,033	80,619	80,632	80,667	80,639	1,617,819,822	1,543
Professional and Business Services	14,053	172,955	174,331	176,412	174,566	2,303,015,543	1,015
Education and Health Services	7,434	199,663	201,026	202,884	201,191	2,047,881,200	783
Leisure and Hospitality	6,137	105,708	104,773	108,233	106,238	493,898,190	358
Other Services	7,000	40,155	40,347	40,822	40,441	287,685,839	547
UNCLASSIFIED	207	129	133	139	134	884,571	508

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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	1,749	29,526	29,878	30,253	29,886	\$212,137,748	\$546
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	77	6,096	6,394	6,434	6,308	57,077,584	696
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	21	550	554	556	553	6,801,268	946
STATE GOVERNMENT	15	2,294	2,402	2,413	2,370	21,831,670	709
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	41	3,252	3,438	3,465	3,385	28,444,646	646
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,672	23,430	23,484	23,819	23,578	155,060,164	506
GOODS-PRODUCING	247	4,692	4,708	4,821	4,740	42,307,846	687
Natural Resources and Mining	16	166	163	151	160	1,358,297	653
Construction	163	1,189	1,145	1,256	1,197	9,770,828	628
Manufacturing	68	3,337	3,400	3,414	3,384	31,178,721	709
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,423	18,738	18,776	18,998	18,837	112,752,318	460
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	428	5,221	5,152	5,250	5,208	29,422,709	435
Information	26	453	443	445	447	3,890,845	670
Financial Activities	127	784	783	793	787	6,578,386	643
Professional and Business Services	184	2,191	2,190	2,200	2,194	13,355,659	468
Education and Health Services	260	5,898	5,964	5,975	5,946	45,759,936	592
Leisure and Hospitality	195	3,141	3,162	3,255	3,186	9,135,793	221
Other Services	203	1,050	1,082	1,080	1,071	4,608,990	331
UNCLASSIFIED	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,212	218,979	219,662	221,823	220,155	\$2,471,168,194	\$863
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	308	34,215	35,310	35,599	35,041	411,136,440	903
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	101	7,633	7,635	7,638	7,635	111,844,400	1,127
STATE GOVERNMENT	66	8,324	8,289	8,365	8,326	86,827,281	802
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	141	18,258	19,386	19,596	19,080	212,464,759	857
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,904	184,764	184,352	186,224	185,113	2,060,031,754	856
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,361	30,562	30,413	30,768	30,581	486,107,988	1,223
Natural Resources and Mining	31	162	160	171	164	1,659,078	778
Construction	1,982	16,753	16,731	17,035	16,840	193,138,085	882
Manufacturing	348	13,647	13,522	13,562	13,577	291,310,825	1,650
SERVICE PROVIDING	11,420	154,099	153,835	155,347	154,427	1,573,214,233	784
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,083	51,874	51,427	51,767	51,689	491,653,847	732
Information	211	4,090	4,065	4,051	4,069	58,862,475	1,113
Financial Activities	1,330	11,792	11,838	11,883	11,838	168,434,358	1,094
Professional and Business Services	2,991	32,348	32,693	32,878	32,640	470,590,524	1,109
Education and Health Services	1,170	22,090	22,093	22,277	22,153	211,581,718	735
Leisure and Hospitality	1,204	23,906	23,716	24,408	24,010	111,953,719	359
Other Services	1,431	7,999	8,003	8,083	8,028	60,137,592	576
UNCLASSIFIED	123	103	104	109	105	709,533	520

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
BALTIMORE CITY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	14,102	343,925	345,278	348,432	345,878	\$4,268,963,662	\$949
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	440	75,471	75,958	76,290	75,906	888,487,888	900
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	76	8,289	8,284	8,380	8,318	125,928,522	1,165
STATE GOVERNMENT	123	38,788	39,188	39,424	39,133	445,567,005	876
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	241	28,394	28,486	28,486	28,455	316,992,361	857
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	13,662	268,454	269,320	272,142	269,972	3,380,475,774	963
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,468	27,871	27,635	28,032	27,846	336,373,286	929
Natural Resources and Mining	10	41	40	41	41	940,055	1,764
Construction	920	10,595	10,424	10,712	10,577	128,961,758	938
Manufacturing	538	17,235	17,171	17,279	17,228	206,471,473	922
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,145	240,564	241,666	244,090	242,107	3,043,963,919	967
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,138	42,501	42,532	42,837	42,623	499,888,342	902
Information	204	6,144	6,092	6,058	6,098	108,802,244	1,372
Financial Activities	1,352	23,277	23,345	23,296	23,306	681,617,597	2,250
Professional and Business Services	2,449	44,998	45,283	45,774	45,352	544,111,032	923
Education and Health Services	1,661	88,646	89,818	90,449	89,638	1,007,102,895	864
Leisure and Hospitality	1,737	24,173	23,778	24,762	24,238	117,535,848	373
Other Services	1,604	10,825	10,818	10,914	10,852	84,905,961	602
UNCLASSIFIED	49	19	19	20	19	138,569	561
BALTIMORE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	21,584	369,218	369,496	374,219	370,978	\$4,106,080,937	\$851
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	274	58,018	58,718	59,440	58,725	737,833,274	966
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	68	16,735	16,728	16,723	16,729	305,928,613	1,407
STATE GOVERNMENT	22	11,637	11,787	11,782	11,735	130,694,111	857
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	184	29,646	30,203	30,935	30,261	301,210,550	766
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	21,310	311,200	310,778	314,779	312,252	3,368,247,663	830
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,985	52,248	52,192	52,981	52,474	730,905,996	1,071
Natural Resources and Mining	58	490	513	552	518	3,925,402	583
Construction	2,333	26,215	26,112	26,765	26,364	323,799,080	945
Manufacturing	594	25,543	25,567	25,664	25,591	403,181,514	1,212
SERVICE PROVIDING	18,293	258,945	258,576	261,788	259,770	2,637,305,198	781
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,566	71,176	70,194	70,774	70,715	602,075,533	655
Information	294	6,246	6,255	6,317	6,273	94,838,400	1,163
Financial Activities	2,441	31,044	31,028	31,040	31,037	538,560,201	1,335
Professional and Business Services	4,328	50,023	50,568	51,180	50,590	593,154,390	902
Education and Health Services	2,713	59,434	59,368	60,131	59,644	568,757,651	734
Leisure and Hospitality	1,804	29,407	29,374	30,401	29,727	163,277,935	423
Other Services	2,147	11,615	11,789	11,945	11,783	76,641,088	500
UNCLASSIFIED	32	7	10	10	9	36,469	312

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CALVERT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,918	20,471	21,013	21,654	21,046	\$202,741,819	\$741
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	59	3,621	3,867	3,898	3,795	41,138,322	834
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	23	146	141	147	145	2,166,794	1,149
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	241	243	241	242	2,006,457	638
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	29	3,234	3,483	3,510	3,409	36,965,071	834
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,859	16,850	17,146	17,756	17,251	161,603,497	721
GOODS-PRODUCING	501	3,057	3,083	3,188	3,109	33,317,397	824
Natural Resources and Mining	5	21	23	27	24	248,544	797
Construction	440	2,315	2,332	2,411	2,353	25,286,394	827
Manufacturing	56	721	728	750	733	7,782,459	817
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,358	13,793	14,063	14,568	14,141	128,286,100	698
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	354	4,615	4,729	4,925	4,756	60,510,477	979
Information	25	306	305	305	305	3,968,104	1,001
Financial Activities	176	735	731	737	734	8,605,472	902
Professional and Business Services	309	1,656	1,772	1,942	1,790	16,764,505	720
Education and Health Services	183	3,054	3,058	3,089	3,067	25,457,777	639
Leisure and Hospitality	150	2,647	2,704	2,780	2,710	8,331,571	236
Other Services	161	780	764	790	778	4,648,194	460
CAROLINE COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	708	8,523	8,536	8,578	8,546	\$62,846,560	\$566
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	35	1,533	1,556	1,548	1,546	14,199,940	707
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	86	85	84	85	780,686	707
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	184	182	181	182	1,508,725	638
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	17	1,263	1,289	1,283	1,278	11,910,529	717
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	673	6,990	6,980	7,030	7,000	48,646,620	535
GOODS-PRODUCING	212	2,265	2,313	2,365	2,314	17,356,567	577
Natural Resources and Mining	29	142	144	169	152	839,158	425
Construction	152	711	762	786	753	5,570,411	569
Manufacturing	31	1,412	1,407	1,410	1,410	10,946,998	597
SERVICE PROVIDING	461	4,725	4,667	4,665	4,686	31,290,053	514
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	184	2,194	2,184	2,197	2,192	16,447,283	577
Information	4	10	10	10	10	85,264	656
Financial Activities	59	322	325	322	323	2,473,689	589
Professional and Business Services	80	368	340	321	343	2,120,296	476
Education and Health Services	38	1,201	1,164	1,163	1,176	7,801,434	510
Leisure and Hospitality	45	447	458	468	458	1,283,191	216
Other Services	51	183	186	184	184	1,078,896	451

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CARROLL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	4,846	54,111	54,188	55,212	54,504	\$433,491,344	\$612
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	84	7,941	8,121	8,217	8,093	68,799,438	654
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	20	325	325	322	324	3,596,578	854
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	1,263	1,247	1,248	1,253	11,646,785	715
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	57	6,353	6,549	6,647	6,516	53,556,075	632
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	4,762	46,170	46,067	46,995	46,411	364,691,906	604
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,335	12,346	12,312	12,514	12,391	125,750,987	781
Natural Resources and Mining	39	242	243	266	250	1,635,491	503
Construction	1,128	7,380	7,338	7,474	7,397	69,762,995	725
Manufacturing	168	4,724	4,731	4,774	4,743	54,352,501	882
SERVICE PROVIDING	3,427	33,824	33,755	34,481	34,020	238,940,919	540
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	977	11,673	11,427	11,650	11,583	82,324,520	547
Information	47	497	498	506	500	5,629,802	866
Financial Activities	400	1,725	1,713	1,732	1,723	20,263,863	905
Professional and Business Services	830	4,318	4,375	4,588	4,427	39,200,405	681
Education and Health Services	421	7,831	8,023	8,110	7,988	62,687,026	604
Leisure and Hospitality	314	5,559	5,493	5,633	5,562	16,048,675	222
Other Services	438	2,221	2,226	2,262	2,236	12,786,628	440
CECIL COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,977	29,096	29,248	29,653	29,332	\$283,196,170	\$743
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	77	7,292	7,442	7,500	7,411	91,674,256	952
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	28	3,351	3,354	3,363	3,356	56,385,103	1,292
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	321	320	321	321	2,684,183	643
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	43	3,620	3,768	3,816	3,735	32,604,970	672
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,900	21,804	21,806	22,153	21,921	191,521,914	672
GOODS-PRODUCING	418	6,421	6,450	6,570	6,480	81,826,774	971
Natural Resources and Mining	38	553	571	598	574	4,841,401	649
Construction	308	1,403	1,432	1,503	1,446	11,357,168	604
Manufacturing	72	4,465	4,447	4,469	4,460	65,628,205	1,132
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,482	15,383	15,356	15,583	15,441	109,695,140	546
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	474	6,130	6,042	6,078	6,083	42,462,330	537
Information	14	251	250	252	251	2,650,130	812
Financial Activities	168	790	787	794	790	6,699,070	652
Professional and Business Services	258	1,717	1,722	1,740	1,726	18,373,907	819
Education and Health Services	174	2,773	2,807	2,828	2,803	24,567,772	674
Leisure and Hospitality	218	2,712	2,729	2,885	2,775	9,817,753	272
Other Services	176	1,010	1,019	1,006	1,012	5,124,178	389

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
CHARLES COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,895	40,775	40,988	41,564	41,109	\$362,702,164	\$679
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	86	8,294	8,704	8,720	8,573	106,815,180	958
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	23	2,185	2,185	2,198	2,189	37,851,269	1,330
STATE GOVERNMENT	5	397	397	393	396	3,238,917	629
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	58	5,712	6,122	6,129	5,988	65,724,994	844
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,809	32,481	32,284	32,844	32,536	255,886,984	605
GOODS-PRODUCING	577	5,255	5,260	5,448	5,321	61,725,677	892
Natural Resources and Mining	17	104	104	133	114	1,180,828	797
Construction	490	4,006	4,009	4,172	4,062	47,772,523	905
Manufacturing	70	1,145	1,147	1,143	1,145	12,772,326	858
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,224	27,223	27,020	27,393	27,212	194,146,403	549
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	651	11,822	11,537	11,633	11,664	79,269,385	523
Information	32	477	473	489	480	5,673,134	909
Financial Activities	281	1,574	1,595	1,581	1,583	17,197,748	836
Professional and Business Services	442	2,878	2,974	2,989	2,947	31,340,764	818
Education and Health Services	320	4,045	4,055	4,096	4,065	34,814,876	659
Leisure and Hospitality	262	5,225	5,193	5,401	5,273	17,834,557	260
Other Services	236	1,202	1,193	1,204	1,200	8,015,939	514
UNCLASSIFIED	8	3	4	3	3	14,904	382
DORCHESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	813	11,408	11,387	11,510	11,435	\$89,424,861	\$602
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	48	2,283	2,321	2,322	2,309	22,288,286	743
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	15	137	133	133	134	1,565,682	899
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	770	770	779	773	7,642,332	761
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	25	1,376	1,418	1,410	1,401	13,080,272	718
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	765	9,125	9,066	9,188	9,126	67,136,575	566
GOODS-PRODUCING	191	3,626	3,562	3,623	3,604	29,896,702	638
Natural Resources and Mining	30	301	296	327	308	2,442,561	610
Construction	112	577	553	567	566	4,179,778	568
Manufacturing	49	2,748	2,713	2,729	2,730	23,274,363	656
SERVICE PROVIDING	574	5,499	5,504	5,565	5,523	37,239,873	519
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	209	1,744	1,754	1,748	1,749	12,050,033	530
Information	13	106	109	106	107	836,846	602
Financial Activities	64	410	405	394	403	3,848,007	734
Professional and Business Services	77	427	431	432	430	2,731,184	489
Education and Health Services	65	1,296	1,297	1,310	1,301	11,328,591	670
Leisure and Hospitality	70	1,162	1,162	1,236	1,187	4,740,432	307
Other Services	76	354	346	339	346	1,704,780	379

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
FREDERICK COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,843	90,253	90,481	91,694	90,809	\$933,493,664	\$791
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	132	14,083	14,431	14,543	14,352	169,055,154	906
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	55	3,264	3,255	3,248	3,256	55,013,089	1,300
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	659	639	650	649	5,739,257	680
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	70	10,160	10,537	10,645	10,447	108,302,808	797
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,711	76,170	76,050	77,151	76,457	764,438,510	769
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,328	16,781	16,725	17,013	16,840	196,344,660	897
Natural Resources and Mining	53	528	529	537	531	4,722,038	684
Construction	1,085	10,260	10,237	10,539	10,345	113,759,620	846
Manufacturing	190	5,993	5,959	5,937	5,963	77,863,002	1,004
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,383	59,389	59,325	60,138	59,617	568,093,850	733
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,124	16,700	16,535	16,605	16,613	131,560,920	609
Information	93	1,558	1,553	1,542	1,551	34,215,363	1,697
Financial Activities	544	7,730	7,702	7,724	7,719	100,783,502	1,004
Professional and Business Services	1,165	12,096	12,091	12,406	12,198	162,136,170	1,022
Education and Health Services	543	10,110	10,253	10,384	10,249	89,753,182	674
Leisure and Hospitality	433	8,221	8,196	8,427	8,281	29,379,824	273
Other Services	481	2,974	2,995	3,050	3,006	20,264,889	519
GARRETT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	988	11,518	11,400	11,551	11,490	\$74,191,430	\$497
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	55	1,769	1,769	1,814	1,784	13,701,990	591
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	74	74	75	74	680,625	708
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	221	217	218	219	1,823,624	641
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	35	1,474	1,478	1,521	1,491	11,197,741	578
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	933	9,749	9,631	9,737	9,706	60,489,440	479
GOODS-PRODUCING	281	2,419	2,412	2,502	2,444	19,633,874	618
Natural Resources and Mining	41	549	546	567	554	6,537,331	908
Construction	192	960	953	1,014	976	6,461,834	509
Manufacturing	48	910	913	921	915	6,634,709	558
SERVICE PROVIDING	650	7,326	7,215	7,231	7,257	40,832,114	433
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	238	2,394	2,384	2,429	2,402	13,033,482	417
Information	13	135	136	137	136	912,582	516
Financial Activities	60	473	461	466	467	3,474,527	572
Professional and Business Services	106	720	716	739	725	6,049,875	642
Education and Health Services	66	1,556	1,577	1,568	1,567	10,667,468	524
Leisure and Hospitality	88	1,703	1,598	1,559	1,620	4,826,562	229
Other Services	79	345	343	333	340	1,867,618	423
UNCLASSIFIED	2	4	4	4	4	23,452	451

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
HARFORD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	5,547	80,306	80,336	81,552	80,731	\$813,651,206	\$775
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	119	16,868	17,278	17,324	17,157	255,359,338	1,145
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	54	7,615	7,617	7,573	7,602	152,294,860	1,541
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	481	480	475	479	3,946,665	634
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	59	8,772	9,181	9,276	9,076	99,117,813	840
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	5,428	63,438	63,058	64,228	63,575	558,291,868	676
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,216	11,870	11,837	12,010	11,906	125,471,586	811
Natural Resources and Mining	43	171	167	185	174	1,198,872	530
Construction	1,005	6,920	6,943	7,123	6,995	71,074,612	782
Manufacturing	168	4,779	4,727	4,702	4,736	53,198,102	864
SERVICE PROVIDING	4,212	51,568	51,221	52,218	51,669	432,820,282	644
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,194	18,458	18,230	18,496	18,395	133,125,087	557
Information	54	695	701	712	703	8,463,605	926
Financial Activities	524	3,433	3,441	3,444	3,439	41,309,833	924
Professional and Business Services	1,034	10,415	10,341	10,544	10,433	135,720,045	1,001
Education and Health Services	505	8,289	8,342	8,454	8,362	71,812,839	661
Leisure and Hospitality	403	7,543	7,416	7,760	7,573	24,198,185	246
Other Services	498	2,735	2,750	2,808	2,764	18,190,688	506
HOWARD COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	8,401	141,243	140,673	141,792	141,236	\$1,740,557,850	\$948
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	127	16,821	16,681	16,761	16,754	173,594,510	797
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	29	599	596	596	597	8,310,233	1,071
STATE GOVERNMENT	14	3,647	3,645	3,653	3,648	35,844,148	756
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	84	12,575	12,440	12,512	12,509	129,440,129	796
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	8,274	124,422	123,992	125,031	124,482	1,566,963,340	968
GOODS-PRODUCING	1,160	18,611	18,504	18,837	18,651	266,584,644	1,099
Natural Resources and Mining	33	248	242	292	261	1,794,800	529
Construction	893	11,696	11,611	11,786	11,698	168,333,471	1,107
Manufacturing	234	6,667	6,651	6,759	6,692	96,456,373	1,109
SERVICE PROVIDING	7,111	105,811	105,488	106,194	105,831	1,300,378,696	945
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,719	35,401	35,004	35,045	35,150	386,602,832	846
Information	145	1,797	1,810	1,842	1,816	34,098,355	1,444
Financial Activities	881	8,962	8,880	8,883	8,908	164,263,999	1,418
Professional and Business Services	2,167	29,859	30,069	30,430	30,119	510,257,362	1,303
Education and Health Services	898	12,664	12,678	12,742	12,695	121,054,879	734
Leisure and Hospitality	561	13,088	12,987	13,167	13,081	53,240,387	313
Other Services	740	4,040	4,060	4,085	4,062	30,860,882	584
UNCLASSIFIED	3	0	0	0	0	0	0

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
KENT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	757	7,725	7,813	8,009	7,849	\$62,100,445	\$609
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	37	1,135	1,142	1,141	1,139	10,536,563	712
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	81	82	80	81	787,703	748
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	293	295	295	294	2,524,068	660
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	16	761	765	766	764	7,224,792	727
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	720	6,590	6,671	6,868	6,710	51,563,882	591
GOODS-PRODUCING	158	1,537	1,523	1,564	1,541	13,135,821	656
Natural Resources and Mining	34	246	258	286	263	2,325,261	680
Construction	97	414	404	411	410	3,310,840	621
Manufacturing	27	877	861	867	868	7,499,720	665
SERVICE PROVIDING	562	5,053	5,148	5,304	5,168	38,428,061	572
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	158	1,082	1,080	1,126	1,096	6,511,888	457
Information	7	54	57	56	56	653,837	898
Financial Activities	54	423	424	422	423	4,204,953	765
Professional and Business Services	86	531	604	638	591	6,093,467	793
Education and Health Services	78	1,856	1,881	1,926	1,888	15,544,457	633
Leisure and Hospitality	93	877	868	893	879	4,141,471	362
Other Services	86	230	234	243	236	1,277,988	417
MONTGOMERY COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	32,702	456,708	457,526	462,003	458,746	\$6,757,242,028	\$1133
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	354	78,542	79,718	79,846	79,369	1,366,871,545	1,325
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	108	39,697	39,623	39,605	39,642	812,416,873	1,576
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,078	1,064	1,055	1,066	9,192,948	663
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	237	37,767	39,031	39,186	38,661	545,261,724	1,085
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	32,348	378,166	377,808	382,157	379,377	5,390,370,483	1,093
GOODS-PRODUCING	3,272	44,428	44,440	45,414	44,761	740,391,457	1,272
Natural Resources and Mining	45	627	654	712	664	6,317,491	732
Construction	2,750	29,634	29,539	30,481	29,885	417,497,271	1,075
Manufacturing	477	14,167	14,247	14,221	14,212	316,576,695	1,713
SERVICE PROVIDING	28,537	333,145	332,751	336,119	334,005	4,643,039,313	1,069
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	4,281	64,837	63,282	63,363	63,827	622,570,236	750
Information	641	15,409	15,365	15,284	15,353	337,362,031	1,690
Financial Activities	2,964	35,082	35,411	35,412	35,302	859,500,671	1,873
Professional and Business Services	7,769	104,046	104,273	105,772	104,697	1,861,175,124	1,367
Education and Health Services	3,592	57,130	57,390	58,009	57,510	595,171,627	796
Leisure and Hospitality	1,991	35,107	35,369	36,446	35,641	185,379,744	400
Other Services	7,299	21,534	21,661	21,833	21,676	181,879,880	645
UNCLASSIFIED	539	593	617	624	611	6,939,713	874

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	15,535	306,599	307,317	311,632	308,516	\$3,469,577,526	\$865
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	369	82,268	82,787	84,365	83,140	1,135,869,138	1,051
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	119	26,098	25,867	25,838	25,934	516,632,223	1,532
STATE GOVERNMENT	13	16,876	17,131	18,553	17,520	162,299,046	713
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	237	39,294	39,789	39,974	39,686	456,937,869	886
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	15,166	224,331	224,530	227,267	225,376	2,333,708,388	797
GOODS-PRODUCING	2,245	41,850	41,728	42,132	41,903	527,318,510	968
Natural Resources and Mining	23	218	222	224	221	2,554,615	889
Construction	1,864	31,120	31,033	31,466	31,206	378,964,900	934
Manufacturing	358	10,512	10,473	10,442	10,476	145,798,995	1,071
SERVICE PROVIDING	12,918	182,480	182,801	185,134	183,472	1,806,389,178	757
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	3,453	60,840	60,249	60,885	60,658	523,366,356	664
Information	261	6,819	6,955	7,191	6,988	114,607,232	1,262
Financial Activities	1,531	13,528	13,574	13,643	13,582	165,402,660	937
Professional and Business Services	2,963	42,213	43,005	43,231	42,816	570,444,301	1,025
Education and Health Services	1,851	26,180	26,589	26,828	26,532	258,966,010	751
Leisure and Hospitality	1,305	23,120	22,707	23,488	23,105	92,457,009	308
Other Services	1,554	9,780	9,722	9,868	9,790	81,145,610	638
UNCLASSIFIED	3	1	1	1	1	700	54
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,497	12,815	12,778	13,093	12,895	\$95,656,122	\$571
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	48	2,330	2,481	2,529	2,447	23,024,440	724
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	14	85	85	86	85	836,767	757
STATE GOVERNMENT	7	189	193	191	191	1,486,096	599
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	27	2,056	2,203	2,252	2,170	20,701,577	734
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,449	10,485	10,297	10,564	10,449	72,631,682	535
GOODS-PRODUCING	386	2,299	2,250	2,254	2,268	19,290,399	654
Natural Resources and Mining	32	177	164	170	170	1,012,454	458
Construction	306	1,300	1,289	1,288	1,292	10,809,423	644
Manufacturing	48	822	797	796	805	7,468,522	714
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,063	8,186	8,047	8,310	8,181	53,341,283	502
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	365	3,208	3,106	3,216	3,177	21,855,652	529
Information	17	137	138	139	138	1,443,242	804
Financial Activities	105	386	387	389	387	3,369,971	670
Professional and Business Services	254	994	1,002	1,018	1,005	9,981,785	764
Education and Health Services	66	709	704	721	711	4,884,192	528
Leisure and Hospitality	114	2,032	2,009	2,102	2,048	7,643,441	287
Other Services	142	720	701	725	715	4,163,000	448

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		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
SAINT MARY'S COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,991	37,855	37,896	38,209	37,987	\$448,483,913	\$908
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	80	11,335	11,420	11,400	11,385	174,569,791	1,179
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	34	7,017	6,982	6,966	6,988	134,682,146	1,483
STATE GOVERNMENT	8	759	781	782	774	6,991,353	695
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	38	3,559	3,657	3,652	3,623	32,896,292	698
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,911	26,520	26,476	26,809	26,602	273,914,122	792
GOODS-PRODUCING	398	2,344	2,329	2,393	2,355	23,387,337	764
Natural Resources and Mining	10	26	26	28	27	201,611	574
Construction	350	1,851	1,834	1,892	1,859	17,038,966	705
Manufacturing	38	467	469	473	470	6,146,760	1,006
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,508	24,173	24,144	24,412	24,243	250,487,152	795
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	450	6,485	6,359	6,464	6,436	47,802,661	571
Information	20	208	207	207	207	2,494,765	927
Financial Activities	143	935	944	968	949	8,162,975	662
Professional and Business Services	391	8,825	8,890	8,934	8,883	144,104,352	1,248
Education and Health Services	166	3,716	3,723	3,746	3,728	33,598,483	693
Leisure and Hospitality	180	3,125	3,126	3,186	3,146	8,796,912	215
Other Services	158	879	895	907	894	5,527,004	476
UNCLASSIFIED	5	3	3	4	3	39,633	1,016
SOMERSET COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	460	6,748	6,949	7,033	6,910	\$53,259,410	\$593
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	41	2,789	2,936	3,005	2,910	24,997,537	661
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	13	65	65	64	65	578,337	684
STATE GOVERNMENT	9	1,796	1,948	2,007	1,917	16,414,807	659
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	928	923	934	928	8,004,393	663
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	419	3,959	4,013	4,028	4,000	28,261,873	543
GOODS-PRODUCING	105	929	936	942	936	7,059,689	580
Natural Resources and Mining	13	283	287	278	283	1,940,692	528
Construction	72	308	303	306	306	2,029,135	510
Manufacturing	20	338	346	358	347	3,089,862	685
SERVICE PROVIDING	314	3,030	3,077	3,086	3,064	21,202,184	532
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	110	1,294	1,308	1,289	1,297	11,612,457	689
Information	4	22	23	23	23	202,179	676
Financial Activities	38	238	233	240	237	1,533,128	498
Professional and Business Services	51	184	188	190	187	1,369,204	563
Education and Health Services	39	783	794	819	799	5,078,504	489
Leisure and Hospitality	36	421	444	437	434	931,159	165
Other Services	36	88	87	88	88	475,553	416

**TABLE IV
COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
TALBOT COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	1,719	18,341	18,488	18,911	18,580	\$151,392,736	\$627
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	44	1,814	1,840	1,866	1,840	17,221,725	720
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	19	264	270	268	267	3,035,854	875
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	202	198	202	201	1,536,806	588
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	19	1,348	1,372	1,396	1,372	12,649,065	709
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	1,675	16,527	16,648	17,045	16,740	134,171,011	617
GOODS-PRODUCING	319	3,300	3,301	3,353	3,318	29,608,239	686
Natural Resources and Mining	14	52	54	59	55	360,474	504
Construction	255	1,612	1,611	1,651	1,625	14,701,936	696
Manufacturing	50	1,636	1,636	1,643	1,638	14,545,829	683
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,356	13,227	13,347	13,692	13,422	104,562,772	599
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	352	3,730	3,683	3,776	3,730	25,059,508	517
Information	22	314	316	316	315	2,880,031	703
Financial Activities	158	870	871	879	873	11,811,244	1,041
Professional and Business Services	270	2,149	2,176	2,248	2,191	19,234,641	675
Education and Health Services	171	3,167	3,231	3,225	3,208	29,877,886	716
Leisure and Hospitality	139	1,999	2,075	2,230	2,101	8,832,304	323
Other Services	244	998	995	1,018	1,004	6,867,158	526
WASHINGTON COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	3,445	66,152	65,772	66,548	66,157	\$576,270,445	\$670
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	108	8,484	8,508	8,707	8,566	78,458,930	705
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	33	631	628	644	634	6,536,627	793
STATE GOVERNMENT	12	2,550	2,540	2,543	2,544	22,551,113	682
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	63	5,303	5,340	5,520	5,388	49,371,190	705
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	3,337	57,668	57,264	57,841	57,591	497,811,515	665
GOODS-PRODUCING	674	12,820	12,713	12,951	12,828	141,277,316	847
Natural Resources and Mining	20	121	133	130	128	1,495,531	899
Construction	504	4,202	4,101	4,342	4,215	37,859,864	691
Manufacturing	150	8,497	8,479	8,479	8,485	101,921,921	924
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,649	44,831	44,532	44,864	44,742	356,446,582	613
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	956	16,345	16,057	16,109	16,170	116,215,819	553
Information	42	1,538	1,523	1,515	1,525	10,814,630	546
Financial Activities	283	6,488	6,476	6,521	6,495	74,835,586	886
Professional and Business Services	432	4,238	4,194	4,360	4,264	46,464,458	838
Education and Health Services	304	9,069	9,071	9,076	9,072	81,339,737	690
Leisure and Hospitality	328	5,384	5,431	5,500	5,438	17,417,984	246
Other Services	304	1,769	1,780	1,783	1,777	9,358,368	405
UNCLASSIFIED	14	17	19	26	21	87,617	321

**TABLE IV
COUNTY INDUSTRY SERIES - CONTINUED**

	FIRST QUARTER 2006						
	NUMBER OF REPORTING UNITS	MONTHLY EMPLOYMENT			QUARTERLY AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT	TOTAL WAGES	AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE PER WORKER
		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD			
WICOMICO COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,771	44,534	45,363	45,770	45,222	\$362,885,139	\$617
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	76	5,876	6,472	6,343	6,230	58,797,190	726
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	25	331	334	331	332	4,123,822	955
STATE GOVERNMENT	11	1,974	2,344	2,274	2,197	19,148,534	670
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	40	3,571	3,794	3,738	3,701	35,524,834	738
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,695	38,658	38,891	39,427	38,992	304,087,949	600
GOODS-PRODUCING	515	7,945	7,920	8,131	7,999	72,170,700	694
Natural Resources and Mining	36	370	358	423	384	3,017,603	604
Construction	388	3,308	3,300	3,407	3,338	29,126,777	671
Manufacturing	91	4,267	4,262	4,301	4,277	40,026,320	720
SERVICE PROVIDING	2,180	30,713	30,971	31,296	30,993	231,917,249	576
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	655	9,925	9,792	9,926	9,881	69,248,962	539
Information	32	815	811	817	814	9,478,707	896
Financial Activities	290	2,040	2,046	2,037	2,041	21,793,871	821
Professional and Business Services	399	4,444	4,556	4,601	4,534	38,147,498	647
Education and Health Services	319	7,213	7,275	7,307	7,265	67,749,618	717
Leisure and Hospitality	227	3,930	4,088	4,185	4,068	12,544,919	237
Other Services	258	2,346	2,403	2,423	2,391	12,953,674	417
WORCESTER COUNTY							
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT	2,285	19,929	20,216	21,081	20,409	\$137,157,307	\$517
GOVERNMENT SECTOR -- TOTAL	67	3,394	3,395	3,424	3,404	33,746,032	763
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	16	192	184	188	188	2,035,311	833
STATE GOVERNMENT	6	315	319	323	319	2,597,596	626
LOCAL GOVERNMENT	45	2,887	2,892	2,913	2,897	29,113,125	773
PRIVATE SECTOR TOTAL -- ALL INDUSTRIES	2,218	16,535	16,821	17,657	17,004	103,411,275	468
GOODS-PRODUCING	402	3,054	3,109	3,168	3,110	23,998,584	594
Natural Resources and Mining	31	128	126	128	127	851,174	516
Construction	331	2,009	2,053	2,098	2,053	15,510,779	581
Manufacturing	40	917	930	942	930	7,636,631	632
SERVICE PROVIDING	1,816	13,481	13,712	14,489	13,894	79,412,691	440
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	505	3,493	3,471	3,539	3,501	21,552,535	474
Information	28	117	115	122	118	1,150,697	750
Financial Activities	292	1,173	1,157	1,176	1,169	10,812,917	712
Professional and Business Services	234	914	933	952	933	7,165,694	591
Education and Health Services	138	1,755	1,750	1,796	1,767	13,624,426	593
Leisure and Hospitality	465	5,382	5,639	6,259	5,760	21,761,527	291
Other Services	154	647	647	645	646	3,344,895	398

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.