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Nonfarm Employment by Industry from the Current Employment Statistics Survey (levels in thousands)

Huntington-Ashland, W.Va.-Ky.-Ohio MSA

Annual Averages (not seasonally adjusted)

| Industry | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Total nonfarm | 108.8 | 110.1 | 110.5 | 110.0 | 110.5 | 112.4 | 116.3 | 117.1 | 117.9 | 118.6 | 119.8 |
| Natural resources, mining & | | | | | | | | | | | |
| construction | n/a |
| Manufacturing | 12.8 | 12.8 | 12.3 | 11.9 | 11.2 | 10.5 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 9.8 | 9.9 | 10.0 |
| Trade, transportation, & utilities | n/a |
| Information | n/a |
| Financial activities | n/a |
| Professional & business services | n/a | 10.4 | 10.9 |
| Education & health services | 17.3 | 18.0 | 18.4 | 18.6 | 19.2 | 20.3 | 20.1 | 20.4 | 21.4 | 22.3 | 22.7 |
| Leisure & hospitality | 10.6 | 10.5 | 10.4 | 10.3 | 9.9 | 10.3 | 10.4 | 10.6 | 10.9 | 11.0 | 11.1 |
| Other services | n/a |
| Government | 19.2 | 19.3 | 19.4 | 19.6 | 19.8 | 19.7 | 19.5 | 19.9 | 20.0 | 20.2 | 20.3 |

The Huntington-Ashland, W.Va.-Ky.-Ohio Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) includes Boyd and Greenup Counties in Kentucky; Lawrence County in Ohio; and Cabell and Wayne Counties in West Virginia.

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