

Summary Statistics for Changes in the Number of Women-Owned Businesses and their Receipts: 1997 to 2002

Geographic area	All firms in 2002 ¹		All firms in 1997 ²		Change from 1997 to 2002					
	Firms (number)	Sales and Receipts (\$1,000,000)	Firms (number)	Sales and Receipts (\$1,000,000)	Net change in firm count	Firms (percent)	SE ³ of percent change in firms	Net change in sales and receipts	Sales and receipts (percent)	SE ³ of percent change in sales and receipts
United States ⁴	6,489,259	939,538	5,417,034	818,669	1,072,225	20	-	120,869	15	2
Alabama	81,821	11,435	69,515	10,230	12,306	18	3	1,205	12	3
Alaska	16,308	2,348	16,633	1,942	-325	-2	5	406	21	9
Arizona	109,748	15,761	88,780	11,305	20,968	24	3	4,456	39	3
Arkansas	49,618	6,339	42,581	6,490	7,037	17	3	-151	-2	6*
California	870,496	137,692	700,513	121,191	169,983	24	1	16,501	14	6
Colorado	135,220	16,359	114,807	13,763	20,413	18	2	2,596	19	7
Connecticut	82,118	12,216	72,393	9,276	9,725	13	2	2,940	32	5
Delaware	15,344	2,021	13,662	1,831	1,682	12	5	190	10	5
District of Columbia	15,675	2,403	13,979	1,813	1,696	12	6	590	33	7
Florida	437,355	61,275	337,811	48,261	99,544	29	2	13,014	27	4
Georgia	196,195	30,027	145,576	25,267	50,619	35	2	4,760	19	4
Hawaii	29,943	4,594	25,807	3,253	4,136	16	5	1,341	41	14
Idaho	28,824	3,216	25,763	2,405	3,061	12	4	811	34	8
Illinois	284,954	46,862	239,725	44,273	45,229	19	2	2,589	6	4*
Indiana	118,857	16,481	107,082	13,578	11,775	11	1	2,903	21	4
Iowa	63,821	7,399	57,527	8,093	6,294	11	3	-694	-9	12*
Kansas	59,635	6,949	54,638	6,928	4,997	9	2	21	0	6*
Kentucky	77,159	9,451	65,965	9,877	11,194	17	3	-425	-4	3*
Louisiana	86,876	12,253	70,550	11,463	16,326	23	3	790	7	7*
Maine	32,512	3,282	30,598	3,212	1,914	6	4	70	2	7*
Maryland	137,410	17,295	115,801	14,657	21,609	19	2	2,638	18	5
Massachusetts	161,918	23,134	142,661	16,753	19,257	13	2	6,381	38	4
Michigan	217,673	29,217	184,590	26,499	33,083	18	2	2,718	10	6
Minnesota	123,905	16,252	108,417	13,458	15,488	14	2	2,794	21	6
Mississippi	47,102	6,728	38,321	5,995	8,781	23	4	733	12	5
Missouri	120,443	18,605	103,626	15,003	16,817	16	2	3,602	24	3
Montana	24,519	2,139	22,404	2,048	2,115	9	4	91	4	5*
Nebraska	38,679	5,765	33,469	4,537	5,210	16	3	1,228	27	8
Nevada	47,675	8,643	33,311	5,972	14,364	43	3	2,671	45	5
New Hampshire	31,024	4,665	27,265	3,113	3,759	14	4	1,553	50	5
New Jersey	185,197	35,573	155,345	30,001	29,852	19	2	5,572	19	5
New Mexico	42,254	4,714	38,706	4,450	3,548	9	1	264	6	5*
New York	505,077	70,838	394,014	59,497	111,063	28	2	11,341	19	8
North Carolina	173,874	26,743	139,900	24,166	33,974	24	2	2,577	11	4
North Dakota	13,203	1,318	12,417	1,167	786	6	5	151	13	6
Ohio	229,972	32,315	205,044	30,597	24,928	12	2	1,718	6	4*
Oklahoma	75,025	9,255	67,481	8,912	7,544	11	1	344	4	5*
Oregon	88,317	10,608	80,543	10,335	7,774	10	2	273	3	4*
Pennsylvania	227,117	38,998	202,990	34,043	24,127	12	2	4,955	15	5
Rhode Island	23,195	3,641	19,886	2,684	3,309	17	6	957	36	22
South Carolina	76,831	10,891	64,232	10,634	12,599	20	2	257	2	4*
South Dakota	15,573	1,547	14,121	1,202	1,452	10	5	344	29	14
Tennessee	117,935	17,641	99,772	14,538	18,163	18	2	3,103	21	4
Texas	468,705	65,817	381,453	65,065	87,252	23	2	752	1	5*
Utah	48,475	5,920	41,991	5,096	6,484	15	3	824	16	6
Vermont	18,989	1,454	17,030	1,313	1,959	12	5	141	11	8*
Virginia	157,030	22,123	132,219	17,486	24,811	19	2	4,637	27	9
Washington	137,394	17,368	123,042	15,099	14,352	12	2	2,269	15	4
West Virginia	31,301	3,252	30,231	3,299	1,070	4	4	-47	-1	12*
Wisconsin	104,170	17,582	89,284	15,654	14,886	17	2	1,928	12	5
Wyoming	12,945	1,130	11,148	945	1,797	16	6	185	20	13*

¹ Source: 2002 Survey of Business Owners. Data include firms with paid employees and firms with no paid employees.

² Source: 1997 Survey of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises. Data include firms with paid employees and firms with no paid employees.

³ For explanation of standard errors, see Reliability of Estimates in the introductory text.

⁴ Detail may not add to total because firms with more than one domestic establishment are counted in each state in which they operate, but only once at the U.S. total.

- Represents zero.

* Change is not statistically significant from 0